

Meet... Jon Schank, Minister

Name—Jon Schank

Age—46

Married— 25 years

Wife— Laurie Schank

Daughter— Lyndsay Schank

Employment – ESCC Minister



Hobbies - I enjoy spending time at home with my family. I like having people over for barbecues. I also enjoy playing games, drawing and painting, playing in the dirt (gardening) reading and studying God's word. And I especially like playing tennis and volleyball.

What are some of the books that have influenced and challenged you in your faith? The Bible, It's Always Too Soon to Quit, Biblical Eldership, Leaving the Light On, Men Who Win, When God Builds A Church, Peak in Your Weak, Basic Theology, Restoring Your Spiritual Passion, Standing Firm, The Purpose Driven Life and many others.

What is your favorite scripture?

Romans 8:1, "There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit."

How do you understand the role of minister here at ESCC?

The Minister or Preacher's role is primarily that of a servant who proclaims the "good news" of the Gospel to the lost. He must also be an exhorter and teacher of sound doctrine so that Christians may be challenged to grow and mature in their faith. (2 Timothy 4:2)

What is the one thing you enjoy most about being a minister? The greatest joy I receive is being able to witness the Holy Spirit of God at work transforming lives for Jesus Christ. PTL!

When were you baptized? March 10, 1985

How do you personally connect, grow and serve?

I enjoy fellowshiping with other Christians. I love to study, preach and teach God's word. I spend time reading the Bible, devotionals, listening to other sermons, praying and reflecting on God's word as much as possible. I try to serve God in many areas, as much as possible and whenever I am needed.

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