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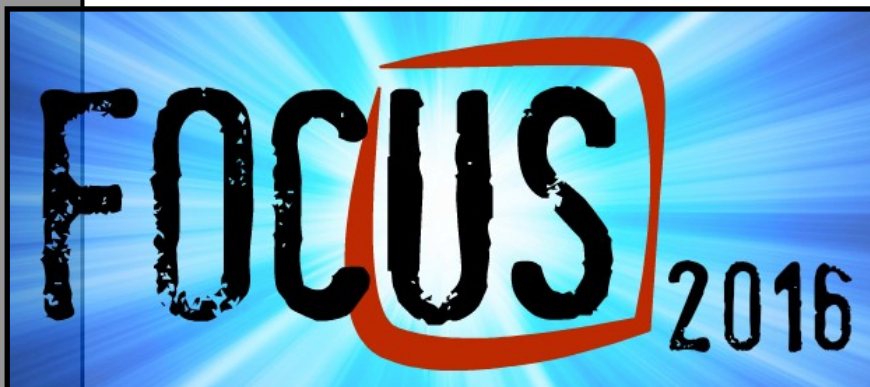
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INSIDE THIS ADDITION OF THE BEACON....

*Mark your calendars for these two
important events...*

Hanging of the Green - November 27

Focus: GO! - November 12-13



Hanging of the Green

November 27 @ 6 p.m.

Each year we kick off the Christmas season with the Hanging of the Green on the first Sunday of Advent just after Thanksgiving. Some 150 to 200 people participate as musicians and decorators for this annual celebration. It is a time for families to worship Christ through the adorning of our worship center as we prepare for the celebration of the coming of the Messiah. Many choirs, decorators and families help to make this a very special event for the church.

Decorators needed!

Please let Harold know if you and your family want to participate as decorators. If you've never participated in this service, you will truly love it!



Chairman of the Evangelism Department at
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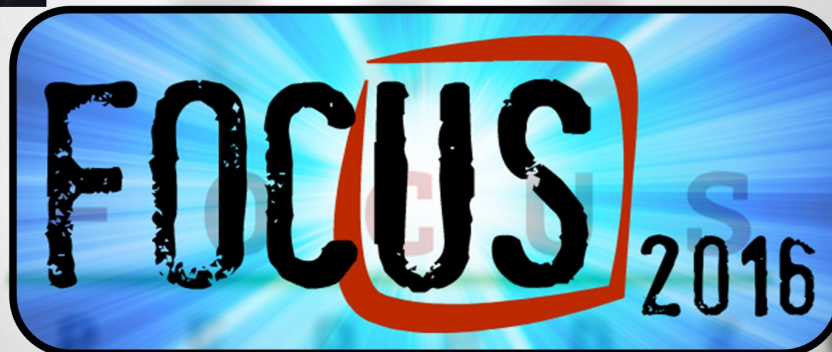
Dr. Preston Nix



Steve
Colburn

Worship Pastor at First Baptist Church
of Blooming Grove, Texas

November 12-13



Saturday Night

6:30pm: Focus Service 1

Sunday Morning

11am: Focus Service 2

Noon: Pot-luck lunch

1:30pm: Focus Service 3

(no evening activities)

Mark your
Calendars for

November 12-13

For more info:

fbcnwboston.com

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

More News for You and Your Family



Here are some dates to remember this month...

November 2

Sr. Adult Choir
11:00 am



November 6

King's Kids Leader
Meeting @ 9:15 am

Remember to set your clock back one hour.

November 7

Policies and Procedures
committee meeting @ 6:00 pm

November 8

Election Day

Don't forget to Vote

November 8

Women On Mission
Mission Project
More info
coming later



November 9

Sr. Adult Choir
11:00 am

November 11

Veteran's Day

November 12 - 13



November 20

5:00 Deacon's Meeting
7:00 Church Conference
Budget approval



Regular Meeting

Wednesday, November 16th
11:00 am

The meeting this month will be a work day and covered dish luncheon. We will be working on Christmas mugs for the Telford Visitor's Center. Please bring individually wrapped candy.

Fall Day Trip

Thursday, November 3

We are going to Queen Wilhelmina Lodge for lunch.
Will leave the church
at 9:30 am.



Operation Christmas Child

A PROJECT of SAMARITAN'S PURSE

Operation Christmas Child is coming to a close soon. If you are filling a shoe box, please remember that the **Deadline to return them to the church is Sunday, November 13th** and remember to include the \$7 to help with postage.



Joining by Baptism

Audrey Melton
Imani Irby

Joining by Statement

Sue Briggs

Lord's Supper



November 20

Morning Service

Office closed

For Thanksgiving

November 24 & 25



Mary Hill Davis Missions Offering

*Last day to give is
Monday, October 31st.*

Goal \$8,000.00
Given thru 10/24
\$5,239.45



Annual Thanksgiving Fellowship Meal

Sunday, November 20th

Noon Potluck

This Year, we will be moving our annual Tuesday Night Meal to a Sunday afternoon Potluck lunch! Join us for church, then stay for a yummy lunch. Bring your favorite main dish, side, or desert enough for your family and let's enjoy a thankful lunch together!

VITAL SIGNS

Monthly Average for October

ATTENDANCE

BIBLE STUDY (FBC).....262
BIBLE STUDY (OTM).....11

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

FBC284
OTM20

MONTHLY OFFERING REQUIREMENT

FBC\$76,757.00
OTM\$1,419.00

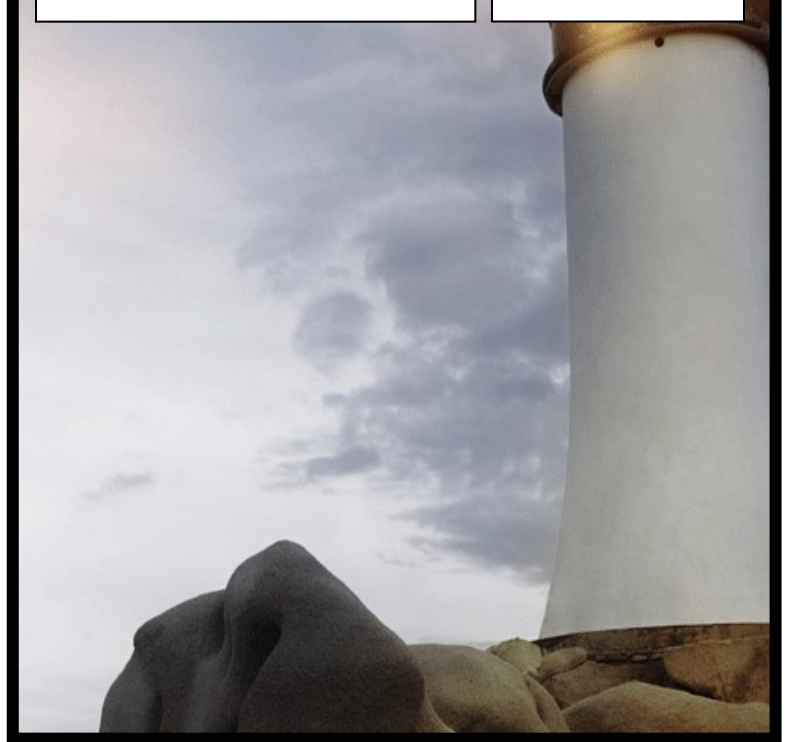
Your Staff:

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Maxine Torian, Janet May, & Paula Raney - Secretaries
Michele Smith & Peggy DeSantis - Accompanists
Julie Rothwell - Nursery Coordinator

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The following "Thank You" notes have been received through the church office and can be read on the "Thank You" board located outside the Fellowship Hall:

Crestview Elementary



With Sympathy

The Staff and entire church family extend their deepest Sympathy to the family and friends of:

The family of Pearl Jones
The family of Ruth Talbot

To be posted, sympathy notes must be called into the church office, 903.628.2531.

It's a



Girl!

Congratulations to:

Brandon and Courtney Gray
On the birth of their daughter

Anna Claire Gray

Born October 6, 2016
She weighed 8 lbs 1 oz
And measured 20 1/4 inches long.

Proud big brothers: Landon & Jaxon
Proud Grandparents: Jason & Jackie Kroll
Alana White & Dirk Gray
Proud Godfather: Brian Rodeen



November FBC Birthdays



Jesse Adams - 11/02
Jerrian Cole - 11/02
Collin Gholston - 11/02
Helen Rolf - 11/02
Jonathan Baggett - 11/03
Pat Minter - 11/03
Larry Russell - 11/03
Amber Smith - 11/04
Bailee Williamson - 11/04
Welda Cox - 11/05
Emily McAlexander - 11/05
Judy Saegert - 11/05
Mary Ann Veale - 11/05
Matthew Capps - 11/06
Christina Hixson - 11/06
Kyle House - 11/06
Charles McMichael - 11/06
Hannah Sarria - 11/06
Cheryl Lewis - 11/07
Glenda May - 11/07
Thomas Vacanti - 11/07
Nicole Norman - 11/08
Bill Stephens - 11/08
Harvey Grubbs - 11/09
Cashe Thetford - 11/10
Johnny Youngblood - 11/10
Virginia Cameron - 11/11
Keegan Cowan - 11/11
Neil Koenig - 11/11
Andress Crain - 11/12
Nelda Eaton - 11/12
Kali Epperson - 11/12
Lee William Farris - 11/12
Patty Green - 11/12
Clarence Sampson - 11/12
Michele Smith - 11/12
Mitzi Barrett - 11/13
Robin Brule - 11/13

Nanci Gortney - 11/13
Stormy Gortney - 11/13
Cindy Harkins - 11/14
Christie Raney - 11/14
Joe Dastillon - 11/15
Kim Espinoza - 11/15
John Raney - 11/15
Cody Rhea - 11/15
Lindsay Skinner - 11/15
Stephen Hosman - 11/16
Myra Branson - 11/17
Linda Daniel - 11/17
Callie Wright - 11/17
Kathy Daniel - 11/19
Taylor Grider - 11/19
Rachel Wallen - 11/19
Kenny Barfield - 11/20
Kirk Gortney - 11/20
Robert Smith - 11/20
Lauren Wickware - 11/20
Janice Knight - 11/21
Sonya Laney - 11/21
Mary Tegel - 11/21
Jordyn Wilson - 11/21
Katelyn Thompson - 11/22
Regina Williams - 11/22
Reagan England - 11/23
Jacob Garza - 11/23
Nathaniel Capps - 11/24
David Daniel - 11/24
Joshua Hixson - 11/24
Millidge Oglesby - 11/24
Roger Ralls - 11/25
Madison Rice - 11/25
Jennifer Warren - 11/27
Sarah Obensokey - 11/28
Mary Pumphrey - 11/28
James Duffer - 11/29
Madison Butler - 11/30
Audrey Melton - 11/30

If we missed your birthday on this list, please call the church office (903-628-2531) and let us know!

November 2016

First Baptist New Boston Ministry Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 6:00 PM TPML Annual Banquet in F.H.	2 11:00 AM Sr. Adult Choir	3 9:30 AM XYZ to Queen Wilhelmina Lodge	4	5
6 9:15 AM Kings Kids Leader Meeting Daylight Savings Time	7 6:00 PM Policies & Procedures Comm Mtg	8 7:00 AM -7:00 PM Election Day 10:00 AM Women on Mission (HR)	9 11:00 AM Sr. Adult Choir	10	11 (Office Open) Veterans Day	12 6:30 PM Speaker: Dr.Preston Nix Music: Steve Colburn Refocus: GO
13 No Evening Activities Worship@11 Pot-luck@12 Worship@1:30 Refocus: GO	14	15	16	17	18	19 Student Fundraiser – Car Show @ Trailhead Pavilion
20 11:00 AM Lord's Supper 12:00 PM Church-Wide Thanksgiving Lunch 5:00 PM Deacons Mtg. 7:00 PM Conference	21	22	23 No services	24 office closed for holiday Thanksgiving	25 office closed for holiday	26
27 6:00 PM Hanging of the Green 	28	29	30			