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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH



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*This Year we are taking our **Fall Celebration** Downtown!*

Instead of having our Trunk or Treat on campus, we will be participating in the...

4TH ANNUAL FALL FAMILY NIGHT

October 29, 2016 beginning at 6 p.m.

At T&P Trailhead Park

Be looking for sign up sheets at the welcome desk and in your Sunday School Class rooms. We will need people to donate candy and people to do what we've done on campus for the past several years to volunteer their trunk and time to pass out candy and play games with kids.

Trunk *or* Treat



Deacon Ministry

The Serving Deacons for 2016-2017

Brian Bobbitt	Kelley Branson
Roy Dale Bray	David Daniel
Kyle Davis	Lynn Davis
David Harmon	Greg Harmon
Harrell Hignight	Larry Knight
Jackie Laney	Eric Lum
Brian McAlexander	Scott McCool
Josh Meadows	Fred Milton
Mitch Newton	Mark Perry
Tommy Richey	Pete Sherman
Bill Stephens	Gary VanDeaver
Dick Waldrep	Paul Wiggins

Deacon Officers are:

David Daniel - Chairman,
Roy Dale Bray - Vice-Chairman,
Kelley Branson - Secretary

Pray for these men as they seek to serve the Lord and First Baptist Church.



PAID NURSERY WORKER POSITION AVAILABLE

Applications are being accepted for a Nursery worker who is available to work Sunday mornings and evenings and Wednesday nights as well as other times when needed. The position will require from 4 to 10 hours a week depending on need. If you are interested, please call or come by the church office and pick up an application. (903.628.2531)

Greeter Ministry

***Beginning
Soon!***

We are going to expand our Greeter Ministry very soon! We plan to add two greeters at the two main entrances to open the door, greet members and guests with a smile, offer any help for people coming in, and help newcomers find a Sunday School class.

Interest Meetings...

If you are interested in being a part of this exciting ministry, plan to attend one of the two scheduled interest meetings at noon **October 2nd or 9th**. We will meet in the Chapel for a short overview and allow you to fill out an info card to help us in scheduling. ***You only have to attend one of these meetings.***

Training Meetings...

We will be offering two training times on October 16 in the Hospitality Room @ 9 a.m. or 5 p.m. You can pick the time that is best for you! ***See Rick for any question about this exciting opportunity!***

Our Church Goal:

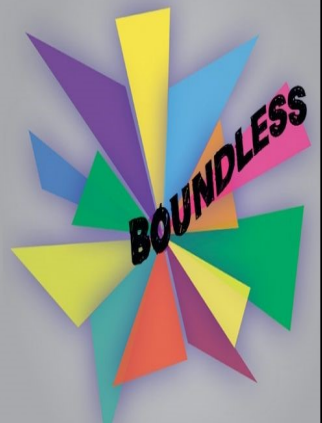
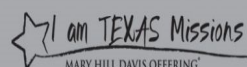
\$8,000

Given So Far

\$2,730.45

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR TEXAS MISSIONS
AND THE MARY HILL DAVIS OFFERING® 2016

SEPTEMBER 11-18
STATE GOAL \$4,000,000



*May the Lord make your love for each other
and for everyone else grow by leaps and bounds.*
1 Thessalonians 3:12a

More News for You and Your Family

October Happenings

Sunday, October 9

Lord's Supper
Morning Service

Monday, October 10

Church office will be closed
Columbus Day

Tuesday, October 11

Women on Mission
10:00 am
Meeting and covered dish

Sunday, October 16

Deacon's Meeting

October 24-27

Branson Trip

Wednesday, October 26

Youth Halloween Party
6:30 pm

Saturday October 29

Fall Family Night Trunk or
Treat—Downtown
6:00 pm

Sunday, October 30

Manna Kitchen Offering

Sunday, October 30

No Evening Service
(5th Sunday)

**Its Not Too
Late to Join
the Choir!!!**



Grades K-6 will meet in the
Portable Buildings at 4:45.
Youth Choir will meet in the
Choir Suite at 5:00.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS

The menu for each meal is
posted in our weekly Bulletin.
Please text or call Dean Mad-
dox, 214-808-3821/903-628-
2763 or **call the church office**
before noon Tuesday. Cost:
Children under 2—free, children 3-
11—\$3, 12 and above —\$5. \$20
per family, maximum of 5.



Joining By Baptism

Eli Walker
Carter Smith
Dylan Braley
Tye Hall

Joining By Letter

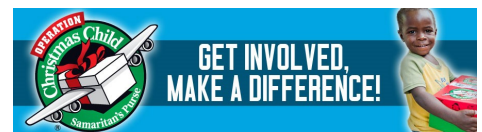
David and Linda Daniel



OUR GOAL: 250 BOXES

We will be participating in
Operation Christmas
Child again this year! Our
goal is to collect 250 boxes.
Be sure to pick up a box, an
OCC brochure, and a list of
gift ideas from the display in
the vestibule. Don't forget to
include \$7.00 to cover
Postage; make checks
payable to First Baptist Church.
You can also pay for postage
on the Samaritan's Purse
website and "follow your box"
to its destination country!
The last day to bring your
shoeboxes will be Sunday,
November 13, 2016.

**Please see Ashley Bray if
you have Any questions.**



Chairman of the Evangelism Department at
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

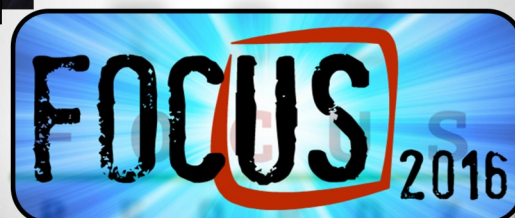


Dr. Preston Nix

November 12-13



Worship Pastor at First Baptist Church
of Blooming Grove, Texas



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)

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Mark your
Calendars for
November 12-13

For more info:
fbcnewboston.com

VITAL SIGNS

Monthly Average for September 2016

ATTENDANCE

BIBLE STUDY (FBC).....255
BIBLE STUDY (OTM).....10

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

FBC274
OTM16

MONTHLY OFFERING REQUIREMENT

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

Your Staff:

Dr. Patrick Hunter, Senior Pastor (drpatrickhunter@fbcnewboston.com)
Rick Rothwell, Associate Pastor (rick@fbcnewboston.com)
Harold Smith, Minister of Music (harold@fbcnewboston.com)
Jerry Young, Student Minister (jerry@fbcnewboston.com)
Maxine Torian, Janet May, & Paula Raney - Secretaries
Michele Smith & Peggy DeSantis - Accompanists
Julie Rothwell - Nursery Coordinator

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With Sympathy

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

Wanda Gortney
James Douglas McClaran (Jane Forrester's father)
Boyd Curtis (Monet Thompson's brother)
Reba Bolger
Helen Buchanan
Frances Gaiser (Dot Rosser's sister)
Billy Bob Birdwell

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

Thank You

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:

Stacey & Pauline Walker



Congratulations to:

Ashley and Taylor Neese on the
Birth of their son

Wyatt William Neese

Born September 7, 2016

He weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz.

And measured 19 1/2 inches.

Proud Grandparents are David and Kathy
Daniel and Reverend Matthew and Susie Neese.



October FBC Birthdays



Leslie Rodden - 10/01
Blake Baggett - 10/02
Rhonda Crass - 10/02
Rachel Gallarado - 10/02
Kathie Roseberry - 10/02
Cherie Williamson - 10/02
Logan Corbett - 10/03
Stoker Garretson - 10/03
Billy McAnally - 10/03
Easton Rutledge - 10/03
James Whittle - 10/03
Karyn Baucum - 10/04
Reba Bolger - 10/04
LaDonna Knox - 10/04
Tyler Miller - 10/04
Ricky Williams - 10/04
Melinda Allen - 10/06
Christian Barnes - 10/06
Valerie Marshall - 10/06
Steven Sutton - 10/06
Jordan Williamson - 10/06
Miller Coleman - 10/07
Jana McAnally - 10/07
Cannon McDaniel - 10/07
Robert Nehrkorn - 10/07
Jerry Russell - 10/07
Justin Thomas - 10/07
Aaron Alford - 10/08
Harrison Barthel - 10/08
Eddie Crawford - 10/08
Phil Foster - 10/08
Tammy Hall - 10/08
Mary Hargus - 10/08
Matthew Nevels - 10/08
Chris Atchley - 10/09
Bill Coleman - 10/09
Verble Kingston - 10/09

Brittany Kozlow - 10/09
Jasper Linn - 10/09
Londa McElwee - 10/09
Fred Milton - 10/09
Nancy Bevers - 10/10
Alicia Daniel - 10/10
Heather Hays - 10/10
Darin Waldon - 10/10
Dale Whittington - 10/10
Reagan Brule - 10/11
Shannon Nield - 10/11
Linda Dabney - 10/12
Jay Green - 10/12
Paula Nehrkorn - 10/12
Susie Barfield - 10/13
Charlotte Ensey - 10/13
Richard Espinoza - 10/13
Don Harkreader - 10/13
Alesha Huddleston - 10/13
Dian Kent - 10/13
Kelly Olson - 10/13
Alvin Pool - 10/13
Holly Bureson - 10/14
Cade Mayo - 10/14
Sam Bowers - 10/15
Jack Braley - 10/15
Katlyn Hall - 10/15
Micah Newton - 10/15
Mike Wooldridge - 10/15
Morgan Colson - 10/16
Johnny McKinney - 10/16
LeAnn Miller - 10/16
David Ruff - 10/17
Hallie Anderson - 10/18
Misty Edwards - 10/18
Brad Klimaszewski - 10/18
Layken Roberts - 10/18

Toby Adcock - 10/19
Dana Thompson - 10/19
Johnny Coats - 10/20
Cindey Fannin - 10/20
Trent Pommer - 10/20
Stacey Walker - 10/20
Jessica Ballard - 10/22
Bertha Talley - 10/23
Lonita Brookes - 10/24
Russell Fontenot - 10/24
Ken Wallen - 10/24
Jonathan Bristow - 10/25
Janson Carr - 10/25
Charles Hensley - 10/25
Charles Martin - 10/25
Kay McElroy - 10/25
Stephen Metcalf - 10/25
Kaylee Rhea - 10/25
Jerry Young - 10/25
Billy Fox - 10/26
Lindsey Koenig - 10/26
Lisa Talbot - 10/26
Brooks Cox - 10/27
Taylor Flanery - 10/27
Lauren May - 10/27
Martha Conry - 10/28
Catie Kilpatrick - 10/28
Roy Whittle - 10/28
Becky Baker - 10/29
Sam Fannin - 10/29
Jerica Felts - 10/29
Dalton King - 10/29
Wiley Melton - 10/30
Clayson Thetford - 10/30
Mark Perry - 10/31
Debbi Poole - 10/31
Toni Russell - 10/31

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

October 2016

First Baptist New Boston Ministry Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 9:15 AM Kings Kids Leader Mtg 12:00 PM Greeter Ministry Interest Mtg (Ch)	3	4 3:30 PM Kid's Beach Club	5 7:30 PM Personnel Comm.	6	7	8 8:00 AM Kairos Training
9 11:00 AM Lord's Supper 12:00 PM Greeter Ministry Interest Mtg (Ch)	10 Church Office Closed Columbus Day holiday	11 10:00 AM Women on Mission 3:30 PM Kid's Beach Club	12 11:00 AM Sr. Adult Choir	13	14	15
16 9:00 AM Greeter Ministry Training Opt. 1 (HR) 9:45 AM King's Kids Theme Day 5:00 PM Greeter Ministry Training Opt 2 (HR) 7:00 PM Deacons Meeting	17	18 3:30 PM Kid's Beach Club 6:30 PM -8:30 PM Gideons New Member Banquet in F.H.	19 11:00 AM XYZ Meeting	20	21	22 8:00 AM Kairos Training
23 7:00 PM Church Conference	24	25 3:30 PM Kid's Beach Club	26 6:30 PM Youth Halloween Party (here)	27	28	29 Fall Family Night (Trailhead Park)
Branson Trip -Oct. 24-27						
30 11:00 AM Manna Kitchen Off. No Evening Service	31 Halloween					