

GATHER		
for worship, discipleship & fellowship		
Welcome to Worshipers		
"Majesty"		297
"Redeemed"		283
"He Lives"		269
GIVE		
of your time, talents, and resources		
Offertory	Lavell Tyson, soloist	
"Because He Lives"		449
"He Hideth My Soul"		461
Message	David Briggs	
"I Need Thee Every Hour"		423
GO		
to families, our community, and to the world		
"Victory in Jesus"		499

The Message

The Power of a Touch

Matthew 20:29-34

Sermon Notes:

Prelude	Belinda Lum
"When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder"	600
"I'll Fly Away"	601
"In the Sweet By and By"	605
Prayer and Welcome	
"The Family of God"	393
"Glorify Thy Name"	18
"I Worship You, Almighty God"	16
Message	Rick Rothwell
"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"	434

The Message

Acts: The Right Response to God's Glory

Psalm 19

God's _____ is revealed two ways...

1. The Heavens shout of His enormous _____! (v1-6)

2. The Scriptures speak of His invaluable _____! (v7-11)

Our _____ Response...

_____ (v12)

_____ (v13)

_____ (v14)

MISSION PROJECT COLORADO—Our church has been invited to bring a team to help **Iglesia Gracia y Verdad** raise awareness of its existence in the community, to discover prospects for the new congregation, and to directly minister in the name of Jesus and Gracia y Verdad to the target area on the east side of Colorado Springs. For more information, see Pastor Patrick.

STUDENT MINISTER SEARCH UPDATE — The Search Committee is accepting resumes for the Student Minister position. For more information, or to submit a resume, please go to our website or email to search@fbcnewboston.com. The Search Committee will meet again Wednesday, Mar. 22 at 7:30pm.

THE ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING—Our church goal is \$8000; we will collect through the months of March & April.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE—Applications for the Inez Shute Memorial Scholarship are available in the church office. Deadline for submission—Friday, Mar. 31st.

MCCOY SCHOLARSHIPS—These applications will be available at the NB High School. Contact the school for more information.

WOMEN ON MISSION—The group of ladies will meet on Tuesday, Mar. 14th at 10:00 am. The program will be the Week of Prayer for North American Missions. Coffee and sweets will be served.

DEACONS ON CALL	
Jackie Laney (903-277-0731) Eric Lum (903-826-3164)	
Security Duty	Commitment Counselors
Jason Boyd	Donna Morris
Chad Duffer	Brian McAlexander

This Week's Bible Reading	
Today: Judges 15	
Monday 13: Judges 16	Thurs. 16: Ruth 3
Tues. 14: Ruth 1	Fri. 17: Ruth 4
Wed. 15: Ruth 2	Sat. 18: 1 Samuel 1

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

WHERE DO YOUR TALENTS LIE?—A new mission opportunity board has been placed in the hallway adjacent to the vestibule. Please take a moment to learn about different mission opportunities and pick up information on how you can get involved.

MYSTERY TRIP—Be sure to sign up to go on the mystery trip taking place May 4-6. The cost is \$190.00. If interested, see Harold Smith or sign up in the office. The deadline to sign up is April 1 or when available rooms run out (whichever comes first.) Anyone over 18 is invited to attend.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2017—For the Month of March we continue to collect Hygiene Products and TOYS for Girls, such as hair bows, stuffed animals,/dolls, t-shirts, flip flops, jump ropes, etc. Please refer to the list next to the drop boxes for more information. Also in March, we are setting up a sewing day to make dresses for the young girl's boxes. For more information, please contact Pat Minter, 903-278-8829 or Sherry Vinson, 713-503-4666. If you do not want to shop, please donate to FBC Church-and state it is for gifts (we shop for you) or donate for postage.

CENTRIKID CAMP—CentriKid Camp is June 20-24 for 3rd—6th graders. Cost is \$200. A \$50 deposit is due at signup. For more information contact Darla Dike 903-293-8047 or Denise Davis 903-277-6395.

JONQUIL FESTIVAL—Old Washington State Park on Friday, March 17. **The bus will depart from the church at 8:00 am.** Sign up to go in the office. This trip is available to anybody that wants to attend.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL—No Fellowship Meal Wednesday Mar. 15th due to Spring Break. Regular meal resumes next week.

READY TO GIVE—But you forgot your checkbook and there is little cash in your wallet? You can scan this code with your smartphone where you will be linked to our on-line giving page. Thanks for being a GIVING part of the First Family.



Restroom Remodel Fund
Given: \$ 10,181.00 (Goal: \$30,000)



THE WEEK AHEAD

TODAY March 12

9:15 am Worship Team Rehearsal
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship in the Morning
6:00 pm Worship in the Evening

TUESDAY March 14

10:00 am Women on Mission (sweets and coffee served)
1:00 pm Men's Bible Study (Revelation Study)
6:00 pm Open Bible Study (Lydia Classroom)

WEDNESDAY MARCH 15

6:00 am Men's Bible Study
11:00 am XYZ (covered dish luncheon)

No Wednesday night activities due to Spring Break

THURSDAY MARCH 16

1:00 pm Men's Bible Study (Theop. Classroom)
Sew Much More

SPRING BREAK—The NB Schools will be observing Spring Break this week, Mar. 12-17th; there will be no Wednesday night activities Mar. 15th.

XYZ MEETING—The next meeting of XYZ will be on Wed. Mar. 15th at 11:00 am. Please bring individually wrapped candy and plastic eggs. Please bring candy that will fit in the plastic eggs. We will be filling the eggs for the Telford Prison Ministry. This will also be a covered dish luncheon.

DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING—Sat., Mar. 25th, 8:00 am at Westside Baptist Church, Atlanta, TX. Intro to Disaster Relief includes the basic training necessary to deploy with Disaster Relief units. Volunteers must renew their training every 3 yrs. New volunteers are needed.

CHURCH STAFF

Dr. Patrick Hunter, Senior Pastor, 903.701.7450
Rick Rothwell, Associate Pastor, 903.276.3428
Harold Smith, Minister of Music, 903.949.5335
David Briggs, Interim Student Minister, 903-701-0271

Julie Rothwell, Nursery Coordinator
Peggy DeSantis, Organist Maxine Torian, Admin. Secretary
Michele Smith, Pianist Janet May, Education Secretary
Paula Raney, Music & Youth Secretary

New Boston's FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

506 McCoy Blvd. S; New Boston, TX 75570

Phone: 903.628.2531; Fax: 903.628.0091

www.fbcnewboston.com



Welcome to New Boston's First Baptist Church...a church committed to Gathering, Giving, and Going for the Lord Jesus Christ, our community and the world! We are so glad you made the positive choice to be here today. Our prayer for you is to experience God's grace in such an amazing way you'll talk about it all week. In fact, helping people find the pathway to God is why we are here. Let us know how we can help you on your journey.

March 12, 2017