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for worship, discipleship & fellowship	
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The Message
Faith Defined

Hebrews 11:1-3

FAITH IS...

_____ God Holds the Big Picture. (v.1)

_____ God Continues to Speak. (v.2)

_____ God Has a Grand Design. (v.3)

Lessons to Learn

God Still _____ to His People.

God Has a Great _____.

God Will _____ in the End.

Conclusion:

Without _____ we will all flounder in life.

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The Message
Soli Deo Gloria

Proclaiming God’s Glory is Our _____ Purpose.

Experiencing God’s Glory is _____.

Reflecting God’s Glory is _____.

Goodness is the _____ of God's Glory.

Revealing God’s Glory is _____.

_____ God’s Glory is Our Task.

Pleasing God is _____ Glory Filled.

Lesson to Learn

Either Live SDG or You’re _____ Living.

Conclusion:

Make the choice to live _____, for the glory of God alone.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2017—August Shoe Box items are for older boys and girls: sewing kits, screw drivers & screws, shoe strings, socks, and jump ropes. If you would like to donate money for OCC, we will happily shop for you. For more information, please do not hesitate to contact Pat Minter (903) 278-8829 or Sherry Vinson (713) 503-4666.

YEAR NUMBER 9 WITH KBC!—We will be starting our 9th year with this great children’s outreach program at Crestview September 19th. We will have a training time for new and seasoned volunteers on September 17th at noon. If you would like to be a part of **Kid’s Beach Club** this year as a volunteer, please contact Brother Rick or Jill Whittington for more information.

BACK TO SCHOOL KICK-OFF EVENT - AUGUST 23RD FROM 6:00-7:30 PM—The King’s Kids Ministry will be kicking off its fall season with a WATERSLIDE AND HOTDOG PARTY Aug. 23rd. Bring your kids who are starting 1-6 grades, get registered for all the different fall activities and enjoy some fun, food, and fellowship!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS.—Fellowship meals resume Sept 6th. The standing reservation list has been cleared. If you want to be on the list you MUST make a new reservation. Please text or call Dean Maddox, 214-808-3821/903-628-2763 or call the church office. Please make (or cancel) your reservations by Noon on Tuesdays. Menu for Sept 6th is Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Peach Crumble. Child option: Chicken Nuggets.

DEACONS ON CALL
Larry Knight (903-826-7697)

Security Duty
Josh Meadows
Brian McAlexander

Commitment Counselors
Donna Morris
Brian McAlexander

This Week’s Bible Reading
Today: John 4

Mon. 21: John 6
Tues. 22: John 8
Wed. 23: John 10

Thurs. 24: John 13
Fri. 25: John 14
Sat. 26: John 15

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

LITTLE SPROUTS (MDO)—Little Sprouts has two spots left in the toddler class. Please call (903) 280-6878 for more information or come by the church office to register your child for the new school year. Classes start Sept. 5th.

COME RING WITH US!—The Vibrations bell group will begin rehearsing on the first Wednesday in September. You must be in the 4th, 5th or 6th grade to participate. There will be a **mandatory** meeting for interested children **AND** their parents **TODAY** immediately following the morning worship service in the Choir Suite.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR STATE MISSIONS—Sept. 11-18, our church goal is \$8,000. We will be receiving donations during the months of September and October.

FRIENDSHIP CENTER—August is our month to give to the Friendship Center in Texarkana. Instead of food, we will be taking an offering of monetary donations **ONLY** on Sunday, August 27th.

FALL WEEKEND REVIVAL—Make plans to join us September 9-10 as we welcome Dr. Daniel Dickard and Rod Salmon to lead us in a two-day revival. We will meet Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday at 11 a.m. with a church-wide potluck lunch to follow. Begin now to pray for God to use these two men to be God's instruments for revival in our church.

BIBLE DRILL BEGINS SOON—Bible Drill begins Wed., Sept. 13th. This is for boys & girls in grades 4,5,6. We will meet on Wednesdays from 5-6 pm.

SENIOR ADULT CHOIR—Will begin their year this Wednesday by going to the Ponderosa in DeKalb to sing for the residents there, and then go eat at Front Street Junction. Afterwards, please let Harold know if you will be able to go.

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: \$ 12,871.00 (Goal: \$30,000)



THE WEEK AHEAD

TODAY August 20

9:15 am Worship Team Rehearsal
 9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship in the Morning
 5:00 pm Stewardship Committee Mtg.
 5:15 pm Praise Team Rehearsal
6:00 pm Worship in the Evening
 7:00 pm Deacon's Meeting

TUESDAY August 22

1:00 pm Men's Bible Study (Revelation Study)
 6:00 pm Open Bible Study

WEDNESDAY August 23

6:00 am Men's Bible Study
 6:00 pm Back to School Kick Off Event

THURSDAY August 24

1:00 pm Men's Bible Study (Theop. Classroom)
 9:00 am Sew Much More

GOOD GRIEF CLUB—Hospice of Texarkana will host a Good Grief Club at FBC on Wed. Aug 23 from 6-7 pm for any school age kids who have lost a loved one to death, divorce, a parent serving in the military, a parent being incarcerated or moving to a new school. To reserve a spot for your child please call Kelli: 903-794-4263.

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"...if you confess with your mouth
 that Jesus is Lord and believe in your
 heart that God raised him from the
 dead, you will be
saved."



Romans 10:9 (ESV)

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.

August 20, 2017