

**GATHER**

*for worship, discipleship & fellowship*

Welcome to Worshipers

"Worthy of Worship" 3  
"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" 314  
"I Sing Praises" 17

**GIVE**

*of your time, talents, and resources*

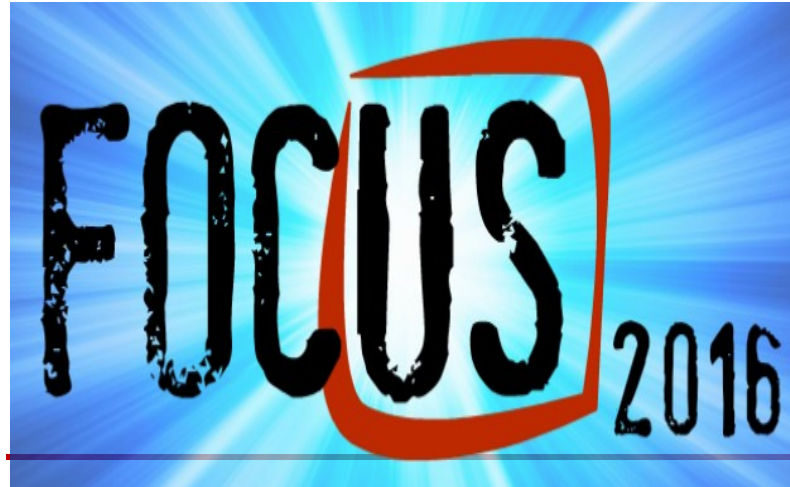
Offertory "Revelation Song" Sanctuary Choir  
"Blessed Be Your Name" 26  
"Lord, I Need You"  
Message Dr. Preston Nix  
"Wherever He Leads, I'll Go" 437

**GO**

*to families, our community, and to the world*

"As We Go" 667

**The Message**



**POTLUCK DINNER**

**TODAY AFTER MORNING  
WORSHIP!**

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**—We will be participating in Operation Christmas Child again this year. Our goal is to collect 250 boxes. Please 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 to cover postage, make check payable to First Baptist Church. Last day to bring your shoeboxes is today, November 13th. Contact Ashley Bray if you have any questions.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS**—The menu for Nov. 16th is Salisbury Steak with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls and Dessert. Child option every week: Chicken Nuggets. Please text or call Dean Maddox, 214-808-3821/903-628-2763 or **call the church office before noon Tuesday.**

**GERMANY REFORMATION TOUR**—2017 marks the 500th anniversary of the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. We are offering a tour of religious and secular sites in Germany March 9-18, 2017. **Deadline to register is December 1**, please contact the church office to sign-up.

**HANGING OF THE GREEN**—This begins our Christmas season and is scheduled for Sunday, November 27th at 6:00 p.m. We are in the process of gathering volunteers to decorate during this service. Individuals as well as entire families can participate. Contact Harold Smith if you would like to participate. His email address is [harold@fbcnewboston.com](mailto:harold@fbcnewboston.com). Also, feel free to visit [www.facebook.com/hangingofthegreen](http://www.facebook.com/hangingofthegreen) and volunteer there.

**DEACONS ON CALL**

Brian Bobbitt (903-824-1654) Kelley Branson (903-280-1063)

**Security Duty**

Dusty Henslee  
Brad Klimaszewski

**Commitment Counselors**

David Daniel  
Greg Harmon

**This Week's Bible Reading**  
**Today:** 1 Thes. 2

<b>Monday 14:</b> 1 Thes. 3	<b>Thurs.</b> Reflection
<b>Tues. 15:</b> 1 Thes. 4	<b>Fri. 18:</b> 1 Thes. 5
<b>Wed.</b> Reflection	<b>Sat. 19:</b> 2 Thes. 1

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**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.



**SPECIAL “TOWNHALL” MEETING**—There will be an opportunity to ask questions and discuss our upcoming 2017 church budget. The meeting will be held in the Chapel today, at 2:30 PM (immediately after the Focus Service.) The budget will be voted on in regular Church Conference on Nov. 20th after the evening service. Copies of the Budget Proposal are still available on the ledge in the vestibule.

**ANNUAL THANKSGIVING FELLOWSHIP MEAL**—We are moving our annual Tuesday Night Meal to a Sunday afternoon Potluck lunch, Sunday Nov 20th. Join us for church, then stay for a yummy lunch. Bring your favorite main dish, side, or dessert; enough for your family and let's enjoy a thankful lunch together!

**XYZ MEETING/LUNCHEON**—The XYZ group will meet on Wednesday, Nov. 16th at 11:00 am in FH. It will be a work day and covered dish luncheon. We will fill Christmas mugs for the Telford Visitor Center, so bring wrapped candy and a covered dish for lunch.

**VETERAN'S DAY**—Friday, November 11th was Veteran's Day. To all who served and are serving, we say, “Thank You.”



### Restroom Remodel Fund

**Given: \$ 9,492.00** (Goal: \$30,000)



## THE WEEK AHEAD

<u>TODAY</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 13</u>
9:15 am	Worship Team Rehearsal
9:45 am	Sunday School Hour
<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>Worship in the Morning NOON Potluck Meal</b>
<b>1:30 pm</b>	<b>Afternoon Service with NO EVENING ACTIVITIES</b>
<b>2:30 pm</b>	<b>Townhall Meeting</b>
<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 14</u>
5:30 pm	Fit to Serve
6:00 pm	Policies and Procedures Committee meeting
<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 15</u>
9:30 am	Women on Mission (no covered dish)
1:00 pm	Men's Bible Study (Revelation Study)
6:00 pm	Open Bible Study (Lydia Classroom)
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 16</u>
6:00 am	Men's Bible Study
11:00 am	XYZ (FH)
4:00 pm	Vibrations (Children's Handbells)
5:00 pm	Bible Drill
5:15 pm	Fellowship Meal
6:00 pm	Prayer Time
6:30 pm	Mission Friends, GA's, K-BAM, Youth Worship, Sanctuary Choir, Adult Celebration Service
7:30 pm	Praise Team
<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 17</u>
1:00 pm	Sew Much More
	Men's Bible Study (Theop. Classroom)
5:30 pm	Fit to Serve
<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 19</u>
8:30 am	Student Ministry Fundraiser Car Show

### CHURCH STAFF

Dr. Patrick Hunter, Senior Pastor, 903.701.7450  
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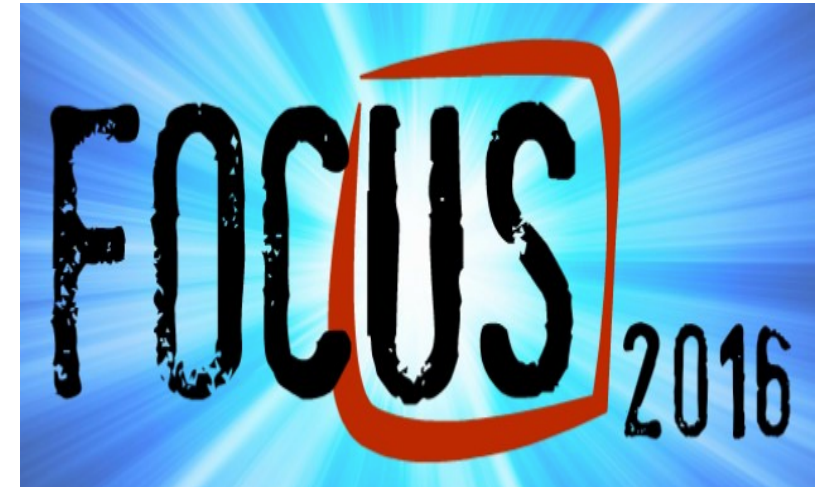
Julie Rothwell, Nursery Coordinator  
 Peggy DeSantis, Organist Maxine Torian, Admin. Secretary  
 Michele Smith, Pianist Janet May, Education Secretary  
 Paula Raney, Music & Youth Secretary

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GATHER  
GIVE  
**GO!**

**W**elcome 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.

**November 13, 2016**