

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MARY HILL DAVIS OFFERING GOAL IS \$5,000.—Pray for what God leads you to give to help North American Missions. We will receive offerings until October 29th. To date, \$4,635.00 has been given.

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.



FIELDS OF FAITH will be held on Wednesday, October 21st. Due to COVID-19, the Youth Group will participate in this year's event virtually. They will meet in the Fellowship Hall and watch on-line, beginning with a pre-service at 6:30 pm. See the bulletin boards for more information.

SPREAD THE GOSPEL—The Bibles in the pew racks are for our members and attendees to give away to a FRAN (*friend, relative, associate, neighbor*) who might be in need of a Bible. Help spread the Gospel in our community.

COLUMBUS DAY —Is tomorrow, October 12th. The church office will be closed for the holiday.

Restroom Remodel Fund
Given: \$ 30,000.00 (Goal: \$30,000)

A LOOK AHEAD

TODAY	October 11
9:25 am	Worship Team Rehearsal
9:45 am	Bible Study Groups
11:00 am	Worship in the Morning
MONDAY	October 12
	COLUMBUS DAY
	Church office closed
TUESDAY	October 13
4:00 pm	Bible Drill
WEDNESDAY	October 14
6:00 am	Men's Bible Study
4:00 pm	Vibrations
5:00 pm	Meal for Handbells
5:30 pm	Kid's Worship Arts
6:30 pm	Mission Friends, K-BAM, Youth Worship
	Adult Prayer and Bible Study (HR)
	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Choir Suite)
7:30 pm	Worship Team Rehearsal

CHURCH STAFF

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New Boston's FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

October 11, 2020

Welcome to New Boston's First Baptist Church. 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 others discover how to love God and love people is why we are here! Let us know how we can help you on your journey.



Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.
Hebrews 10:23 ESV

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Our church goal: \$5,000

\$4,635.00 given so far!

SEPTEMBER 13-20, 2020
STATE GOAL: **\$3,600,000**
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WORSHIP in the Morning @ 11:00am
in the Worship Center

Prelude Michele Smith

"Sunshine in My Soul" (619)
"I Love to Tell the Story" (626)
"Mighty to Save"

Welcome and Prayer Dr. Patrick Hunter

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God" (334)
"Holy Spirit, Rain Down" (335)
"Reckless Love"

The Message Dr. Hunter

"Great Are You, Lord"

Closing Prayer

*Offerings may be given by placing them
in the offering box at the rear of the
sanctuary before or after the service.*

HOW DOES ONE JOIN FBC?

You may unite with our fellowship by profession of faith in Jesus followed by water baptism; by transfer of letter from another Baptist Church, or by statement of your faith and baptism.

Morning Message
Impact from Obscurity Esther 2-4; 8, 9

The Message

Mordecai...

_____ Esther as His Own. (2:5-11)
_____ a Coup-d'etat. (2:19-23)
_____ Haman's Leadership. (3:1-6)
_____ the Terrible News. (4:1-3)
_____ Esther's Aid. (4:4-8)
_____ to Leadership. (8:1-8)
_____ to Remember. (9:23-28)

Truths for Us

God Works _____ All Circumstances.
Godly People _____ for the Right.
Walk in the _____ of God.
Circumstances Don't _____ God's Goodness.

*If you sense God leading you to make a public
decision, please text or call Patrick at
903-701-7450 to schedule a time to visit.*



**TRUNK OR TREAT OCTOBER 28,
2020 BEGINNING AT 5:30 P.M.**

Plans are underway to have our annual trunk or treat, but with a few changes to help with COVID concerns. We invite Kids 6th Grade and Under to dress up and come enjoy some Fall fun! You are invited to join us in our back parking lot where you can see the decorated trunks and get some yummy candy. **We will not play games or serve food this year. We will only be passing out candy. If it rains, we will have to cancel this event for this year.**

CANDY DONATIONS AND VOLUNTEERS

NEEDED—We will need lots and lots of individually wrapped **candy** to hand out to the kids. Please place your bags of candy in the buckets that are placed in the main hallway. We are also taking donations to purchase candy. Just mark your envelope **"Trunk Candy"** or bring it by the church office.

We need **volunteers** to decorate their trunk and pass out candy on the 28th. We are hoping to have at least 15 trunks this year.

To help prevent the spread of COVID-19 masks are suggested, but not required.

This Week's Bible Reading

Today: Colossians 3
Mon. 12: Colossians 4
Tues. 13: 1 Thessalonians 1
Wed. 14: 1 Thessalonians 2
Thurs. 15: 1 Thessalonians 3
Fri. 16: 1 Thessalonians 4
Sat. 17: 1 Thessalonians 5

YouVersion App:

"Read the New Testament Through in a Year"



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2020—We are decorating a Shoebox Christmas Tree found in the foyer. For every donation an ornament will be added to the tree. Directions are on the table by the tree. This activity began last Sunday (Oct. 4th) and will end Sunday, Nov. 15th. Donations can also be given through the church office or online at www.fbcnewboston.com. Please mark your checks for OCC. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Contact Pat Minter, 903-278-8829, Mary Downs, 903-314-9579 or Sherry Vinson, 713-503-4666 for more information.

**LET HIS WORD UNWRAP THE MAGIC OF
CHRISTMAS.**



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