

# MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**—Millions of shoeboxes are collected each year. Before these special gifts can bring hope and joy to children around the world, each one must be carefully inspected by volunteers and made ready for overseas shipment meeting. The processing center for our area is in Dallas, Texas.

THIS IS EXCITING!!!! Our very own, Chris Dale, has volunteered to drive a van or bus to the processing center for any in our church who might want to volunteer. Remember, it's work but it's the most joyous time! If you are lucky enough have the opportunity to pray over boxes in an 18 wheeler right before they pull out for their destination – bonus! We have to leave no later than 7:00 am to get to the center to start the 9:00 am shift and leave about 3:00 or 3:30 to go home. You can bring your sandwiches & drinks for lunch or buy what they are providing at the Center. In order for us to get reservations, we must know this month who wants to volunteer. It has to be done early to get our reservation, hopefully the first week after Thanksgiving. There is a sign up sheet on the desk in the vestibule. Please sign up by August 31st. Look for the Chili and Silent Auction sign up sheets as well.

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## A LOOK AHEAD

**TODAY August 27**  
9:25 am Worship Team Rehearsal  
9:45 am Bible Study Groups  
**11:00 am** **Worship in the Morning**  
4:30 pm **Deacons Meeting**

**WEDNESDAY August 30**  
6:00 am Men's Bible Study  
5:45 pm Kids Worship Arts  
6:30 pm Mission Friends  
K-BAM,  
Youth Worship  
Abundant Life  
Adult Prayer and Bible  
Study (HR)  
Sanctuary choir rehearsal



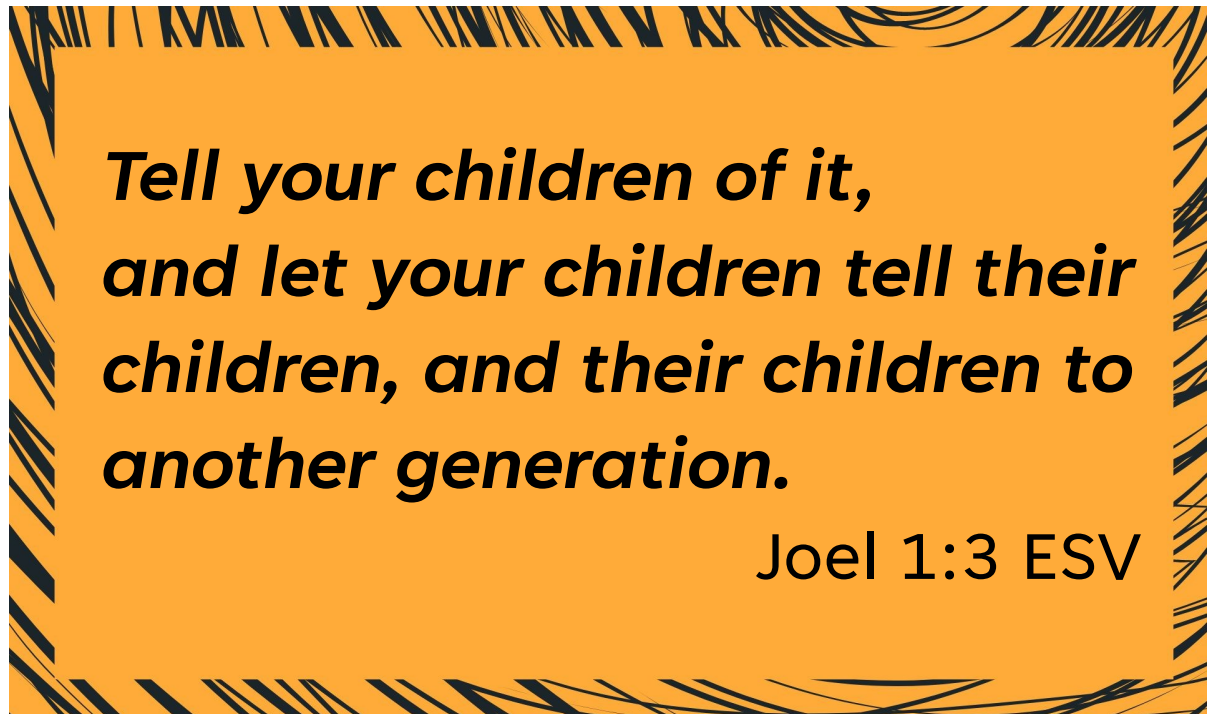
**THE CHURCH OFFICE**—Will be closed Monday, September 4th in observance of Labor Day.



# New Boston's FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

August 27, 2023

**W**e are glad you made the choice to be here at New Boston's First Baptist Church 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.



**WORSHIP in the Morning**

 Prelude Marti Stellpflug

*Glorious Is Thy Name (308)*

*His Name is Wonderful (315)*

*Spirit of the Living God (330)*

*(Hallelujah! I Love Him)*  
Choral Praise

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS  
Aaron Skinner

*Let it Rise*

*Holy Spirit You Are Welcome Here*

*I Speak Jesus*

*(Death Was Arrested)*  
Praise Team

 MESSAGE Dr. Patrick Hunter

INVITATION HYMN

*As the Deer (554)*

CLOSING SONG

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms (453)*

**Message for Today**

 Summer Stories  
Facing Giants

1 Samuel 17

Giants are Defeated with a \_\_\_\_\_

(v.24-27)

Giants are Defeated through \_\_\_\_\_

(v.32-37)

Giants are Defeated through \_\_\_\_\_

(v.38-40)

Giants are Defeated for \_\_\_\_\_

(v.45-47)

**Word for Today**

 Reality is Often \_\_\_\_\_  
from Appearance.

 God Uses \_\_\_\_\_ People  
for His Glory.

David \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus.

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

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS**—The menu for Sept. 6th is Hamburgers, Chips, Dessert and a Drink. Children’s menu: Chicken Nuggets and Chips. Please text or call Aaron, call the church office, or go to [www.fbcnewboston.com](http://www.fbcnewboston.com) to make reservations. Forms are available in the Sunday School folders or on the Welcome Desk. Please make or cancel your reservations by noon on Monday. Suggested meal prices are listed on the menus on the bulletin boards.

**REPLICATE 2023**—All youth (6th–12th grades) are invited to attend a weekend long camp in Siloam Springs, AR at Camp Siloam. The dates are Friday, September 22nd through Sunday, September 24th. There is no cost to attend. See Aaron for more details and to sign up.

**BUSINESS MEETING**—There will not be a business meeting for the month of August. However, financial reports are available on the ledge in the vestibule and the table at the north entrance.

**DEACON’S MEETING**—The deacons meet TONIGHT at 4:30 pm.

**This Week’s Bible Reading**

**Today 27:** Jeremiah 46-48, Proverbs 14

**Mon. 28:** Jeremiah 49-50, Proverbs 15

**Tues. 29** Jeremiah 51, Proverbs 16

**Wed. 30** Jeremiah 52, Lamentations 1  
Proverbs 17

**Thurs. 31:** Lam. 2-4, Proverbs 18

**Fri. 1:** Lam. 5, Eze. 1-3, Proverbs 19

**Sat. 2:** Eze. 4-6, Proverbs 20



**HANDBELLS**—Children’s Handbells will begin on Wednesday, September 6th at 4:45 pm in the bell room. Adult Handbells will begin at 5:45 pm, also in the bell room.


**DEACONS ON CALL**

 Larry Knight—  
Jackie Laney—

**Security Duty**

Billy McAnally—Josh Meadows