

**By the Cross We Care
One Person at a Time**

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FALL FESTIVAL TRUNK OR TREAT

OCTOBER MEMORY VERSE

**"The grace of our Lord
Jesus Christ be with you
all. Amen."**

- Revelation 22:21

**PARKING LOT OF THE
WOODLANDS AUDITORIUM
OCTOBER 31, 2026**

5:30 - 8:00 P.M.

**If you would like to donate candy, please bring bags
of individually wrapped candy and place in the box
in the foyer.**

From my heart to yours:

Focus on Sunday School

During Morning Worship in October and November we will have a focus on Sunday School. On successive Sundays, we will hear testimonies from our classes.



Representatives will share what is going on in their class and invite you to attend if you are not enrolled anywhere in Sunday School. Sunday School provides an opportunity for small group Bible Study, for fellowship, and for ministry. Currently we need a teacher for our Teens. Is God calling you to accept this important position? We also need to begin a class for younger adults. Young families live all around us. We have an obligation to reach out and minister to them. Is God calling you to take on this role?

2027 Church Budget

Our Finance Committee is putting together a proposed budget for 2027. The timeline runs like this. The Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday, October 7 to finalize the proposal. The budget will then be forwarded to the Church Council on October 14. A copy will be sent to the Church Family on Thursday, October 15. Discussion of the budget will take place at the Quarterly Business Meeting on October 21. A vote will be taken by the congregation at the conclusion of worship on November 1. Thank you for your faithful, generous giving to the Lord's work through the Church.

Fruit Always in Season

Thank you for your encouraging responses to my sermon series on the Fruit of the Spirit found in Galatians 5:22-23. We are looking at these attributes or graces individually. Together they are a beautiful portrait of the Christian life. Nine in number, they include: Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.

Thought to Ponder from an Anonymous Author

I have only just a minute,
Just sixty seconds in it;
Forced upon me, can't refuse it,
Didn't seek it, didn't choose it.
But it's up to me to use it—
I must suffer if I lose it,
Give account if I abuse it;
Just a tiny little minute,
But eternity is in it.

Your Pastor,

Jon M. Stubblefield



It's All About Jesus!

Donations to Samaritan's Purse - Operation Christmas Child - help spread the word of God and His salvation around the world.

Make checks to BRBC and designate for Shoe Boxes.



Attendance & Finances

	SS	Sun AM	Wed.
08/02/26	70	108	20
08/09/26	79	113	28
08/16/26	No SS	114	30
08/23/26	87	116	47
08/30/26	82	119	46

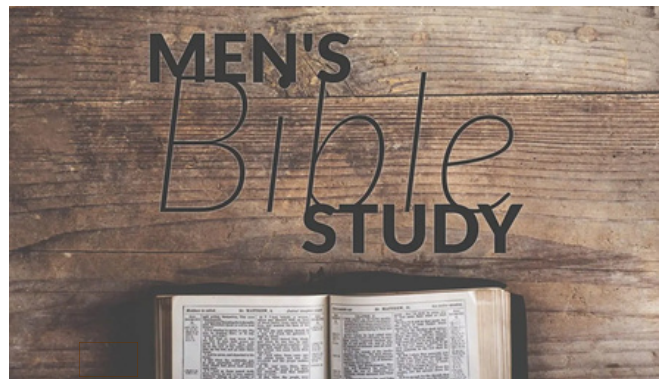
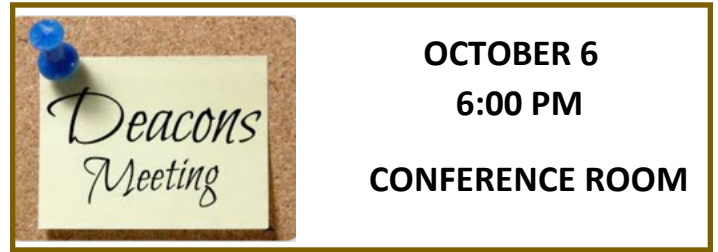
AUGUST BUDGET RECEIPTS: \$43,919.25



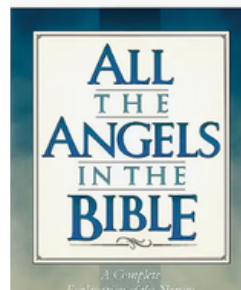
03 - Richard Smith
06 - Jim Bacon
08 - Paxton Aquirre
10 - Frances Baugh
14 - Kathryn Hord
14 - Carolyn Williams
16 - Walt Chavis
17 - Forest Smith
19 - Keith Frederickh
19 - Glen Grussaute
21 - Glenda Smith
24 - Dennis Russell
26 - Merry Garrett
28 - Roland Garrett
30 - George Langley



30 - Rick and Teresa Elam



TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13
8:30 AM, YOUTH ROOM
Light breakfast will be served.



LADIES BIBLE STUDY
TUESDAY MORNINGS
9:30—11:30 AM
FELLOWSHIP HALL

Ruth Manweiler continues with the study of "All the Angels in the Bible". Refreshments are served.



Handbell practice is on Mondays at 2:30 p.m. Please contact Kay Dierks at 512-847-2810 if you would like to join us, or for more information.



KID'S GAME DAY



**OCTOBER 10th
AND 24th**

**JOIN US AT 1:00 PM
FOR AN
AFTERNOON OF
FUN!**

Call Sharon Grussaute,
Children/Youth Director, @ 509-
276-0492 for more information.



Pastors, your faithful
words inspire,
You guide our hearts and
lift us higher.
With prayer and care, you
help us grow—
Our thanks and love are
yours to know.

Thank you, Jan and Verne

October 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 No Tai Chi	2 11:00 Tai Chi	3 One Day Mission Trip
4 9:00 Prayer Time 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship Service	5 2:30 Handbell Practice	6 9:30 Ladies Bible Study 6:00 Deacons Meeting	7 1:15 Staff Meeting 3:30 Children 4:00 Finance Mtg. 4:00 Choir Practice 6:00 Bible Study/ Prayer Service	8 11:00 Tai Chi	9 11:00 Tai Chi	10 1:00 Game Day
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25 9:00 Prayer Time 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship Service	26 2:30 Handbell Practice	27 9:30 Ladies Bible Study	28 1:15 Staff Meeting 3:30 Children 4:00 Choir Practice 4:45 Pot Luck 6:00 Bible Study/ Prayer Service	29 11:00 Tai Chi	30 11:00 Tai Chi	31 5:30 Trunk or Treat

ANNUAL PICNIC - September 20, 2026



Beautiful day and setting for the annual picnic.



Jon Stubblefield's beautiful rendition of Autumn Leaves.



Musicians: Jerry Hanchey and Glen Grussaute



Tom, Tony and Verne solving the world's problems.



John "cutting the mustard".



Some of the attendees enjoying the entertainment.

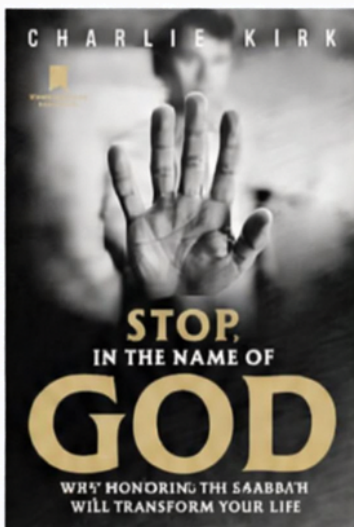
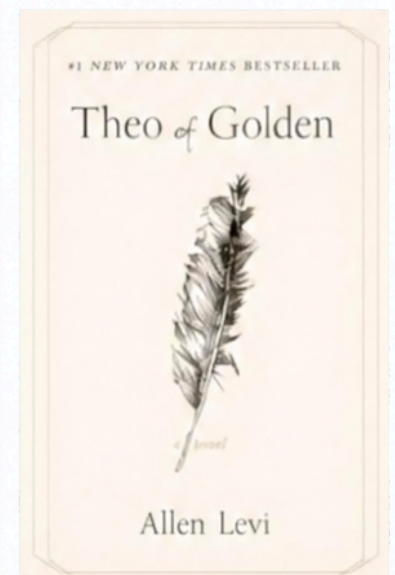
Library News



As the harvest season approaches, October is a reminder to express gratitude for God's blessings. Verses like "Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever." – Psalm 136:1 highlight the importance of thankfulness.

One spring morning, a stranger named Theo arrives in the small Southern city of Golden. He doesn't explain much about where he came from or why he's there—but when he visits the local coffeehouse, where pencil portraits of the people of Golden hang on the walls, he begins purchasing them, one at a time, and giving each portrait to the person depicted. In exchange, he asks only for the person's story. And so portrait by portrait, person by person, secrets are revealed, regrets are shared, and ordinary lives are profoundly altered.

A story of giving and receiving, of seeing and being seen, *Theo of Golden* is an unforgettable novel about the power of generosity, the importance of connection, and the quiet miracles that happen when we choose kindness and wonder.



An exceptional and timely piece of writing by Charlie Kirk. In this work, Charlie masterfully balances the theoretical, practical, and realistic application of the Sabbath. He makes a compelling case for the Biblical perspective—treating the Sabbath not as a burden of legalism, but as an act of faithful obedience to the Word of God.

Throughout the book, Kirk defends the fundamental truths of our faith: the existence of God, the historical and spiritual validity of the Bible, and the enduring authority of the Ten Commandments. He reminds us that every Commandment written within the Word is a gift designed for our flourishing.

Kay Dierks and Christie Rimmer, Librarians

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Church Administrator: Kimbelynn Craft**

The Barcelona Banner is published monthly to keep members informed about programs of the church and to report news about its members.

Deadline for articles is the fifteenth of each month.

You may email your articles to brbc3office@att.net or bring to the church

If you are moving, have an email or phone number change, please contact the church office so your records can be changed.

Schedule of Services:

Sunday Services:

Sunday School – 9:30 AM
Sanctuary Worship Service – 10:30 AM

Wednesday Evening:

Children/Youth - 3:30 PM
(During school year)
Choir Rehearsal - 4:00 PM
Bible Study/Prayer Service - 6:00 PM

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday 8:30 AM—2:30 PM
Friday 8:30 AM—11:30 AM