



HOUSTON'S FIRST
BAPTIST CHURCH



TRUST FALL



PART 4: LEAVE A LEGACY

May 14, 2017 • Pastor Gregg Matte • 2 Peter 1:12–15 (p. 782 in HCSB provided)

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▶ _____ results in remembrance.

Matthew 18:19, 19:24; John 10:7; Galatians 1:9; Philippians 1:3, 3:18, 4:4

▶ **Our life is short but our _____ is long.**

John 21:18–19; 2 Corinthians 5:1

- Live for what _____ as we live in what doesn't.

▶ **We may leave a legacy of _____, but more importantly, a legacy of truth.**

Matthew 6:21; Luke 12:33

- What is _____ is most remembered.

ESTATE PLANNING

Houston's First offers these free resources:

- PhilanthroCorp estate planning advisors — for info, visit HoustonsFirst.org/Giving or call 719.955.2125
- Biblical Principles of Estate Planning seminar — Sun, Aug 6 @ 12:30p at The Loop Campus, RSVP at HoustonsFirst.org/Giving

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Generosity
AT HOUSTON'S FIRST

Week ending May 7, 2017

First-time givers
All givers

27
1,327

Thank you for giving to the ministry and missional impact of Houston's First! Visit HoustonsFirst.org/Giving to find the church's monthly financial reports, including a summary of contributions and expenses.

TAKING A STEP

Make an Impact at Your Campus

As we are all called to step up and serve — either for the first time or by expanding your role — you're invited to let the church know where you are interested in making an impact. Here's how to do it:

WHAT ARE YOUR GIFTS?

Take a confidential online spiritual gifts assessment free of charge courtesy of Houston's First! While not required to volunteer, the assessment can assist you in determining where to serve with your spiritual gifts.

- Go to HoustonsFirst.org and search "Spiritual Gifts."

WHAT ARE YOUR INTERESTS?

Fill out the "Step Up To Serve" interest form to indicate areas that interest you. Then, team leaders will contact you about taking the next step!

- Go to HoustonsFirst.org and search "STEPUP" or
- Text "STEPUP" to 41411 to receive a link on your mobile device.

**GOING
GIVING
PRAYING**

DECISIONS

Week ending May 7, 2017

Baptized

Wilson Byers
Diandra Cubbler
Jorge Hernandez

Chris Langworthy
Alejo Orvananos

For Baptism

Silva Dorian
Stephen Love
Emily Outen

Nathan Pratt
Seana Walker

From Other Fellowship

Nathan Brockman
David Copeland
Allie Falls

Morgan Green
William Pester
Francesca Ramos

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ATTENDANCE

Week ending May 7, 2017

Life Bible Study
Mission Bible Study
MidLink
Total Bible Study

5,424
100
1,085
6,609

BIRTHS

- Andy & Elizabeth Walters in the birth of their daughter, Evangeline Leigh Walters
- Thomas & Lindsay Alleman in the birth of their son, William Henry Alleman; Hannah and Tommy, siblings

SYMPATHIES

- Beulah Cahoon, family and friends in the loss of her husband, Charles Cahoon Jr. (Deacon)
- Bruce & Judy Baker in the loss of her mother, Birdie Ann Brogdon
- Caroline Williams, family and friends in the loss of Tom Williams
- Jim (Deacon) & Kathy Soule in the loss of his mother, Ann Soule; Ryan and Lauren, grandchildren
- Brad & Susan Blowey in the loss of his mother, Melba Blowey; Taylor and Alexandra, grandchildren

MOBILE GIVING

Share your generosity with Houston's First via your mobile device! Text "HFBCLoop" to 77977 to receive a link where you can make a one-time donation or establish recurring giving. Donations can be made to the following:

- Great Commission Budget
- Benevolence
- Local Missions

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