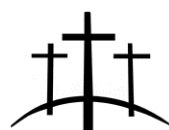


THE FIRST WORD for October 16, 2022



First Baptist Church Eden

A Place of Grace to
Believe, Belong, and Become

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FBC Eden exists to bring glory to God by becoming a "3E community":
Embracing God in worship, Encouraging one another in love to become
fully-devoted disciples, and Engaging the world with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

October 17: 6:00 pm MOC Meets

October 18: 10:15 am Sunshine Girls Meet

October 23: 2:00 pm Deacons Meeting

3:00 pm Nursing Home Ministry

4:00 pm Lake Ivie Baptist Association Annual Meeting
at FBC Brady

October 30: 10:45 am 5th Sunday Praise Hour

11:42 am Annual Business Meeting FBC Eden

October 31: 5:00—7:00 pm Scare on the Square

WE CELEBRATE KARSIN HOELSCHER'S BAPTISM AND NEW LIFE IN CHRIST.

Sermon Series:

"Living a Life that's Great (according to Romans 8)"

FOR THE RECORD ...

Small Groups.....	51
Worship	79
Wednesday Night.....	61

OCTOBER

Budget REQUIRED:

\$18,750.00

Budget GIVING:

\$14,398.00



Sunday Worship is now livestreamed on Facebook.
Previous services are also available to view.
Facebook group: First Baptist Church, Eden, Texas.



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To Members of the First Baptist Church,
There are not enough words for me to express how much I appreciate each of you. Your cards, prayers, food and the luncheon. What a gift you are to this community and especially to Carol and I during his illness.
Marty, Thank you for being there for me the day Carol passed. It meant so much to me.

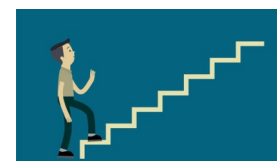
My love to each of you.
Jean Stepp

We wanted to thank you for your participation in our shoe drive for the Alzheimer's Association. Now that all the shoes have been gathered we were able to collect 70 bags of 25 shoes. This final fundraiser has allowed the Willow Springs to raise \$2,000 for the Alzheimer's Association this year. We could not have met this goal without your support.

Much thanks,
Brittany Rau-Viello
Willow Springs Health & Rehab



FBCE Goal: \$2,022.00
Received : \$1,562.00



"Stepping Up for the Next Generation: A Remodel for those who will Follow Us"

Each of the 33 steps for the Upstairs Remodel will cost \$939.99. Will you prayerfully consider how many or what percentage of a step the Lord would have you give from August 7 to December 7, 2022?

Our goal of **\$30,999.99** is just over 50% more than our monthly budget; therefore if we all gave 1 1/2 times our monthly tithe (e.g., if your tithe is **\$500** per month that would equal about **\$750** over the next 2 months or an amount of almost \$11 per day/\$365 per month), our goal will be met.

All we ever ask of our members and regular attenders is "Talk to God then do what He says!" Praying for us all to stay in step with Holy Spirit.

RECEIVED: \$9,414.40