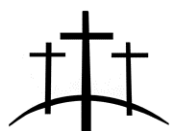


THE FIRST WORD for May 7, 2023



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.

- May 7:** Becca Howe to share about the ministry in Japan
11:50 Business Meeting
- May 8:** 6:00 pm MOC Meeting
- May 10:** 6:00 pm Memorial and Remembrance @ the Square in Eden
- May 14:** Mother's Day
- May 19:** 7:30 pm EHS Graduation
- May 28:** 3:00 pm Nursing Home Ministry
- May 29:** Memorial Day
- June 4-7:** 5:30-8:00 pm FBCE Vacation Bible School

May Deacon of the Month is Wade Ellison

FOR THE RECORD ...

Small Groups..... 45
Worship 72
Online Views 40
Wednesday Night 11

MAY
Budget REQUIRED:
\$19,167.00
Budget GIVING:
\$6,290.00



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



Weekly Prayer Vigil

Pray that our Pastor Search Committee will listen to God's Wisdom as they search for our next pastor

Tuesdays beginning April 25th


Worship Center will be open from 7:00 to 8:00 pm



Remodel Update!

This week work began on the final phase of our remodel—The Children's Suite.

Sunday Mornings children will meet downstairs between the Bless This Mess and Koinonia classrooms until construction is completed.



If you are curious about upcoming church events or who will be preaching next, look under Events in One Church.

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The pastors of First Baptist Church of Eden after 1917:
Mr. Newton, Sterling Price, L. W. McHan, A. R. Toby (1924), James L. Childs (1926-1927,) William Gathright (1928), Z. E. Parker (1933), N. A. Sanders (1935), R. G. Alexander (1938), Jesse Cooke (1941), R. A. Scranton (1943), N. Ray Harrell (1947), Lawrence Hayes, Th.D. (1949), Bob Harris (1951), Dr. Jeff Brown, Th.D. (1953), A. B. Reese (1954), Kenneth Vaughn (1956), Dr. Kenneth Patrick (1963), Dr. John Paul Carter (1966), Donal W. Key (1970), Dr. Curtis Beard, D. Min (1973), Curt Dodd (1977), Cliff Poe (1980), Danny Howe (1984) Mike Harkrider (1990), Jack Dale (1995), Scott Tompkins (1999), Mark Bethune (2002), Joe Hodges (2010), Chris Curtis (2012), Marty Akins (2017).