

Fun Times

BIBLE TRIVIA ~ PAUL

1. Who restored Paul's sight after the Lord blinded him? (Acts 9)
2. How did Paul escape Damascus when the Jews were trying to kill him? (Acts 9)
3. Where was Paul stoned? (Acts 14)
4. Where was an alter erected "to the unknown God"? (Acts 17)
5. What Athenian judge was converted under Paul's preaching? (Acts 17)
6. What was Paul's occupation? (Acts 18)
7. Before raising Eutychus from the dead, Paul preached a lengthy sermon. At what hour did he end his sermon? (Acts 20)
8. What does Paul say is the fulfillment of the law? (Romans 13)



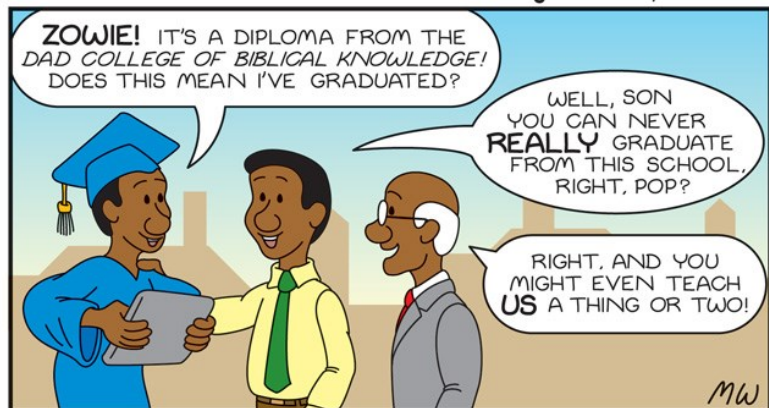
Bobby Walton on the passing of his wife, Darlene

WHAT TO PRAY FOR

Pray for high school graduates and their families this month.

DAD UNIVERSITY

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



He decreed statutes for Jacob and established the law in Israel, which he commanded our forefathers to teach their children, so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they in turn would tell their children.

— PSALM 78:5-6 NIV

Cherry Vanilla Ice Cream



5 Servings (1 cup each) 140 Calories each serving

Ingredients

- 2 cups frozen dark cherries
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 cups nonfat vanilla Greek yogurt
- 1 cup fat free half & half

Directions

- * Blend frozen cherries, vanilla extract, Greek yogurt, and half & half in a large blender
- * Pour in a baking loaf pan
- * Cover and press against surface with wax paper and freeze until solid (1-2 hours)
- * Serve and enjoy! Top with a few pitted fresh cherries

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WACKY SENTENCES

Who will find them this month? There are 3 out-of-place sentences this month. The United States turns 250 this year. Who will be the first to find them? There's a prize in the office for the first one to locate them!

Connection Point

United Baptist Church ~ MAY 2026

United as One Body in Christ

Pastor's Corner

I want to talk about sharing your testimony. The thought may be scary, or you may think that your story is too boring. The reality is that your testimony is a good way to share Jesus with someone in conversation. We often over think it. I would like to help you with some guidelines as you think about how you can better share with others. First of all, a testimony is simply the story of how God stepped into your life and changed you. This is quite freeing, because it does not have to be about the one day that you choose to lay everything down and follow Jesus. It could be about one day, many days, or even many years. It can be about the time you first believed, or it can be what God has done in your life last week that has transformed you. Give yourself some freedom in the process. Your testimony doesn't have to be like anyone else's story. Think about the shepherds who first saw Jesus. They were forever changed by the experience and they began sharing their testimony right away. It says that they returned to their fields praising God for all that they had heard and seen. Or think of the woman at the well and how she just proclaimed to her neighbors "Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did!" These messages are simple, but communicate God's powerful work in their lives. Second, keep your testimony brief. It can be helpful to think of it in three sections: before, how, and after. Start off by briefly telling others what you were like before God stepped in. Don't spend too much time on this. Then, talk about what God did to step into your life. Then follow it up by sharing what has changed since your encounter with God. Lastly, I want to encourage you to practice telling your story. It is something that should flow naturally, but it is also something that we need to practice at. Write it down, tell your story to another believer, record yourself, or let me know and I would love to record your story for our "Stories from the Congregation" playlist on youtube. We will have more opportunities to help you develop and practice your testimony later in the year. This month, spend some time thinking about what God has done in your life and how you can be better equipped to share it with others.

In Christ,
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Join Us

~ Sundays ~

Bible Study 9:30

Service 10:45 am

Nursery provided

~ Wednesdays ~

Meal 6:00

Bible Study 6:30

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### Office Hours

Monday to Thursday  
9:00 am to Noon &

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Closed Fridays

### Staff

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**Paul TRIVIA ANSWERS:** Ananias, He was let down from the city walls in a basket, Lystra, Athens, Dionysius, tentmaking, midnight, love



## One Body in Christ

### Weekly & Upcoming Events Weekly

- Wednesdays**  
6:00 Meal  
6:30 Bible Study
- Tuesdays**  
7:00 Men's Discipleship
- Thursdays**  
9:00 Men's Discipleship  
1:30 Ladies Discipleship
- Saturdays**  
10:00 Drive up prayer
- Sundays**  
9:30 Bible Study  
10:45 Worship
- May**
- Wednesday, May 6**  
STEM staff meal
- Saturday, May 9**  
Pork Steak Fundraiser
- Sunday, May 17**  
Lord's Supper during service
- Monday, May 25**  
Church office closed  
Memorial Day
- May 29/30**  
6:00 Graduation parking

### All About Us

**\*Total Membership ~ 97\***

**\*Average Attendance for 2026\***

Worship : 43      Online : 13      Sunday Bible Study : 24

**\*Financials for 2026 through March\***

Income: \$29,610      Expenses: \$28,678

**\*Financials for March\***

Income: \$13,355      Expenses: \$10,459

A copy of monthly financials are available in the church office if you want a copy.

# CHURCH

## Call to Action ~ Pork Steak Fundraiser

Our Call to Action this month is the Pork Steak Plate Fundraiser. Make plans to help with our fundraiser. We will need packers, dessert makers (brownies and cookies pack best), 'slicers and dicers', and people to pack & hand out plates. Mother's Day is May 10th. Lots of help is needed.

Schedule: Wednesday, May 6 desserts are due; 1:00 & 5:00 Friday, May 8 we will be packing desserts, bread, cutting onions & potatoes ; Saturday, May 9 we start packing plates 8:00 a.m. & handing out plates 11:00-1:00 .

## Missions' Spotlight

Golden Crescent Habitat for Humanity is our missions' spotlight this month. The weather has been cold lately. Habitat works with families, the local community, volunteers and partners to help people live in safe, affordable homes. They have several different programs, and there are many ways to help. Check out our missions board for more information and ways to help.

## Business Meeting

We had our regular church-wide business meeting Wednesday, April 22nd. There were approximately 22 members present. Our children's diaper changing/restroom policy was updated. We've changed our National Night Out party to Community Connection Party, October 6 from 4:00-7:00. There was plenty of food and fellowship!

## Jayla Girdy

We have a graduate among us! Jayla will be graduating from West High School on Friday, May 29.



# NEWS

## Licensing Ceremony

Sunday, April 19, we licensed Bo Tillery into the ministry.



United Baptist Church

# MAY 2026



### Weekly Schedule

- Sundays**  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- Tuesdays**  
7:00 p.m. Men's Discipleship
- Wednesdays**  
6:00 p.m. Meal  
6:30 p.m. Bible Study
- Thursdays**  
9:00 a.m. Lord's Supper  
Men's Discipleship  
1:30 p.m. Women's Discipleship

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| Sun                           | Mon                  | Tue             | Wed                                        | Thu              | Fri                                             | Sat                                                            |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
|                               |                      |                 |                                            |                  | 1                                               | 2                                                              |
|                               |                      |                 |                                            |                  |                                                 | *Trey Anzaldua                                                 |
| 3                             | 4                    | 5               | 6                                          | 7                | 8                                               | 9                                                              |
|                               |                      |                 | *Dessert donations due<br>*STEM staff meal |                  | *Tristan Anzaldua 1:00&5:00 /packing for plates | <b>Fundraiser</b><br>8:00 start packing<br>11:00-1:00 hand out |
| 10                            | 11                   | 12              | 13                                         | 14               | 15                                              | 16                                                             |
|                               |                      |                 | *Janiya Girdy<br>*Sherry Wilson            |                  | *Anthony Mican                                  | *Susan Prichard<br>Fellowship hall rented for baby shower      |
| 17                            | 18                   | 19              | 20                                         | 21               | 22                                              | 23                                                             |
| *Andra Serna<br>Lord's Supper | *Sylvia Cantu        | *Sarah Prichard |                                            |                  |                                                 |                                                                |
| 24                            | 25                   | 26              | 27                                         | 28               | 29                                              | 30                                                             |
|                               | Church Office Closed | *Gabi Anzaldua  |                                            | *Michele Ballard | 6:00 West HS<br>Graduation parking              | 6:00 East HS<br>Graduation parking                             |
| 31                            |                      |                 |                                            |                  |                                                 |                                                                |

\*Birthdays

♥ Anniversaries