

**Sermon Series The Grace Favored Life:
(Book of Ephesians)
Today's Sermon**

“Salvation By Grace”
Ephesians 2:1-10

1. _____ is God's provision for us.
2. _____ is God working in us to fulfill our purpose.
3. _____ is what triggers God's ultimate grace.
4. We become a _____ of God.

Kids Worship Begins @ 10:45 AM

Kid's Church (1st - 6th Grade)
Kid's Church Jr. (3 Years - Kindergarten)
Two Year Olds
Babies - 23 Months

First Steps

Membership is open to anyone who has 1) placed their faith in Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and 2) has been baptized by immersion by a body of believers of like faith and practice. We will be happy to assist you with these spiritual decisions. Text **FIRST** to (409) 215-0332 to be contacted or meet one of our Ministers near the platform after the service to discuss your spiritual decision.



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**Pursuing
Christ FIRST
in Life, Love and
Actions**

February 10, 2019



Song: Chain Breaker
Artist: Zach Williams



Song: Blessed Be the Name of the Lord
Artist: Brooklyn Tabernacle Singers



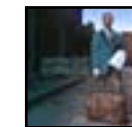
Song: Oh, Happy Day
Artist: Edwin Hawkins Singers



Song: Jesus Brought Me Out
Artist: Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir



Song: What Mercy Did For Me
Artist: People & Songs



Song: God Wants a Yes
Artist: James Hall

Message

Dr. Robert Miller

“Salvation By Grace”

Ephesians 2:1-10

Deacon of the Week

Ronn Mason

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This Week @ FBCTC

February 10 - 16

Sunday

- 8:00 a.m. Band/Tech Rehearsal
- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- 3:00 p.m. Legacy Homebound Ministry - Corner Classroom
- 4:00 p.m. Greeter Ministry - Youth Classroom

Monday

Tuesday

- 1:30 p.m. Senior Adult Game Day - Unity Baptist Church

Wednesday

- 5:00 p.m. Burgers, Etc. Bunch - Wendy's
- 5:15 p.m. Transitions - Joy in Christ Ladies Classroom
- 5:30 p.m. Church Council Meeting - Youth Room
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer & Praise
- 6:30 p.m. JAM - Youth
- 6:30 p.m. AWANA - Children
- 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday

- 10:00 a.m. Elmcroft Senior Living Service

Friday

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday

Ministry Staff

Dr. Robert R. Miller, Pastor
 John Talley, Associate Pastor, Worship & Administration
 Dennis Johns, Associate Pastor, Families
 Meschel Hara, Children's Minister



Worship services are streamed live on the internet each week from our website. Recent services are also available short term. Click on the livestream.

A Message from John Talley

This Sunday is Black Gospel Music Day @ FBCTC! Along with our Choir and a portion of our Band we welcome...

The Texas City High School Gospel Choir, directed by Rico D Hamilton

The "Er Brothers" Brass Trio, Rush Selden (trumpet), Dan Williams (sax), Damon Archer (trombone)
 "Dr" Pat Cooper "Operating" on the Keys (Keyboard)
 Dom Macklin playing some Scottish drum grooves
 Jim Kumahata with his Japanese bass licks
 This international combo will join our band members...
 Electric Guitarists Duane Cole and Danny Sereni and Crista Sereni on piano.

Soloists include guest Ella "Fitzgerald" Selden, Rico D Hamilton and our own Dennis Johns. It's going to be a fun day! While fun will be had, our goal will remain to honor God with our worship!

Black Gospel is music that is written to express either personal or a communal belief regarding African American Christian life, as well as to give a Christian alternative to mainstream secular music. It is a form of Christian music and a subgenre of gospel music... A common theme as with most Christian music is praise, worship or thanks to God and Christ. (Wikipedia)

I was exposed to and began leading Black Gospel Music when the Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir began releasing their albums and choir collections back in the 90's. Their music became mainstream church choral options. Marcy and I were blessed to be able to attend church music conferences at the Brooklyn Tabernacle and what an honor it was to be able to sing, *and clap and sway*, with the Grammy award winning choir! My conducting and rehearsal techniques have been influenced by their director, who is also the pastor's wife, Carol Cymbala. We'll be singing two Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir songs this Sunday!

The Bible gives us glimpses of what heaven will be like. I cannot begin to imagine what heavenly worship will sound like when the millions who have gone before us and all who will follow in accepting Christ gather to honor our Creator. I imagine with that size crowd it will be loud, joyful and celebrative! Could it be that this, and every Sunday will be a "snapshot" of things to come?

With a large group of musical guests and family members, seating may be at a premium! Please be open to finding a new spot. You may even like it better!

Attendance for February 03, 2019

Sunday School	163
Legacy Ministry Visits	10
Worship	324

Financial gifts for February 03, 2019

	Week	To Date
Financial Plan	21,021.78	945,980.69
Financial Receipt	22,665.35	909,205.00
World Missions	50.00	8,065.00
Glass Memorial Baptistry	5.00	67,667.17



A Challenge to Take the NEXT STEP in Your Relationship with Christ TODAY.

SERVE IN MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:

JOIN THE CHOIR

Wednesday Rehearsals
 7:30 PM - Corner Classroom



LEGACY HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

February 10
 3:00 PM - Corner Classroom



GREETER MINISTRY

February 10
 4:00 PM - Youth Classroom



PRAYER SCHOOL

February 17
 4:00 PM
 Sign Up Today!



YEAR-END GIVING STATEMENTS

You can print your end-of-year giving statements by logging into your Simple Church account. Click on giving, statement, last calendar year, download. Contact the Church Office if you need assistance. We can print them out for you and send by mail or e-mail.



SMALL GROUP STUDY BOOK
 is available in the main hall.
 Cost - \$5

Contact Anne Miller, annemiller@comcast.net, if you are interested in joining or starting a small group.

10-DAY HOLY LAND TOUR

JUNE 11-20
 Register by 2/24
 Final payment due 3/13
 Forms available in the main hall, church office or see the Pastor.

