

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

**“Growing In Christ”
Ephesians 4:1 - 16**

“Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is head, that is, Christ.” (Eph. 4:15)

1. Growing in Christ begins by _____ a worthy life. (Eph. 4:1)
2. Growing in Christ means being _____ with God and His people. (Eph. 4:2-6)
3. Growing in Christ uses the _____ Christ gave us. (Eph. 4:11-13)

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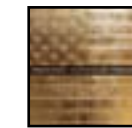
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**Pursuing
Christ FIRST
in Life, Love and
Actions**

March 10, 2019



Song: All My Hope
Artist: David Crowder - Tauren Wells



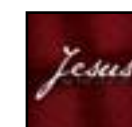
Song: I Saw the Light
Artist: David Crowder



Song: I'll Fly Away
Artist: Jars of Clay



Song: My Feet Are on the Rock
Artist: I Am They



Song: I'll Praise You
Artist: Community Bible Church



Song: Goodness of God
Artist: Bethel Music

Message

Dr. Robert Miller

“Growing In Christ”

Ephesians 4:1 - 16

Deacon of the Week

Herb Frankovich

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This Week @ FBCTC

March 10 - 16

Sunday

- 8:00 a.m. Band/Tech Rehearsal
- 8:45 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service

Tuesday

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

Wednesday

- 5:00 p.m. Burger Bunch - Whataburger
- 5:15 p.m. Transitions - Joy in Christ Ladies Classroom
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer & Praise

Due to Spring Break -- No **AWANA**, **JAM**, or Choir Rehearsal this week.

Thursday

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

Friday

OFFICE CLOSED



If you would like to help plan this year's **VBS**, join us at **4:00pm** on **MARCH 17** in the Youth Room.



EASTER EGG HUNT PLANNING MEETING
MARCH 24 -- 3:00pm
in the Youth Room

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 **Go Texan/Country Gospel Music Day @ FBCTC!** Dust off the boots, starch the jeans and get yer "yee haw" on! We'll be singing some toe-stompin', hand-clappin' classics like "I'll Fly Away" and "I Saw the Light" added in with some new songs "My Feet Are on the Rock" (I AM THEY) and "Goodness of God" (Bethel). All done in just a different way to honor God and either touch a memory and/or expose some to new ways to worship God through music. It's going to be a lot of fun and worshipful, too! I hope you'll join us and invite, or even better, bring friends! See you Sunday?

Country Gospel Music has been around for many years and it began as a blend of early mountain music, cowboy music, and music from plantations of the deep south. The songs tend to deal with life's problems and God's answers to those problems. (Taken from the Classic Country Lyrics website)

Easter is coming! Our schedule for Easter this year is listed in the announcement section. It includes Maundy Thursday and Good Friday services as well as **TWO Easter Sunday services**. Your Easter season will be enhanced by participating in all of these Holy Week events. And, it's not too late to join the choir and sing at Easter - **WE NEED YOU!** Rehearsals are Wednesday at 7:30pm in the corner adult Sunday School classroom.

Financial Peace University begins Sunday, March 17 @ 5:00pm and lasts for nine weeks! This is a life-changing course that will help you deal with debt and personal finance in a Biblical way. The class will be facilitated by Tom and Sarah Link who recently outlasted the government shutdown thanks to their emergency fund they began after going through FPU years ago. The cost is \$109 and you can sign up via the link (listed in the announcement on the right panel) or at the table in the south hall.

When they said, "Let's go to the house of God," my heart leaped for joy.
Psalm 12:1A The Message

Attendance for March 3, 2019

Sunday School	171
Legacy Ministry Visits	26
Worship	335

Financial gifts for March 3, 2019

	Week	To Date
Financial Plan	21,021.78	1,030,067.24
Financial Receipt	20,988.25	981,760.45
World Missions	75.00	8,695.00
Glass Memorial Baptistry	10.00	73,682.17



FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

Nine Week Study beginning **March 17 @ 5:00pm**

Led by Tom & Sarah Link

Cost \$109 per individual or couple

(Scholarships Available)

Childcare available

Sign up with this link or contact a minister concerning a scholarship

<https://www.fpu.com/1086393>

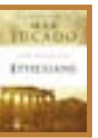


SMALL GROUP STUDY BOOK

Available in the main hall.

Cost - \$5

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



JOIN THE CHOIR

Wednesday Rehearsals

7:30 PM - Corner Classroom



APRIL 17 - 6:30pm

Normal Wednesday Schedule

APRIL 18 - 6:30pm

Maundy Thursday/Communion Service

APRIL 19 - 6:30pm

Good Friday Service

APRIL 21 EASTER SUNDAY

8:45am Worship Service #1

10:00am Family Egg Hunt on the East lawn

10:45am Worship Service #2



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.