

# Children's home residents repay kindness to Kokomo church

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**By Miranda Bradley**

*Texas Baptist Children's Home*

GORMAN—For 25 years, Kokomo Baptist Church sent a monthly gift to Texas Baptist Children's Home. Over spring break, children's home residents repaid the favor.

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## IMB won't seek trustee's removal

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**By Greg Warner**

*Associated Baptist Press*

TAMPA, Fla. (ABP)—Trustees of the International Mission Board decided not to seek the removal of one of their own for criticizing trustee actions, but they adopted new guidelines to prohibit and punish such criticism in the future.

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## Immigration debate energizes faithful

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**By Robert Marus**

*ABP Washington Bureau*

WASHINGTON (ABP)—The debate over immigration reform currently dividing America at large and congressional Republicans in particular is—ironically—uniting a wide array of the religious community that views immigration reform as a moral issue.

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*Associated Baptist Press*

ALPHARETTA, Ga. (ABP)—Trustees of the Southern Baptist Convention's North American Mission Board met in an eight-hour closed session March 23, emerging with recommendations that impose "executive-level controls" on NAMB President Bob Reccord and other administrators at the agency.

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## **Student mission volunteers**

# spring into action

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A Texas  
State  
University  
student  
removes  
plaster  
from a  
New  
Orleans  
home.  
Texas  
State  
Baptist  
Student  
Ministries  
brought a  
team that  
cleaned  
this home  
in less  
than a  
day.  
(Photos  
by John  
Hall)

# Student mission volunteers spring into action

**By John Hall**

*Texas Baptist Communications*

NEW ORLEANS—Thomas Lloyd hopes to move his family back into their home by Thanksgiving—more than a year after Hurricane Katrina forced them to move out. This spring break, he praised God for extra hands that moved him toward that goal.

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## Aggie BSM tours Texas

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**By George Henson**

*Staff Writer*

COLLEGE STATION—The Baptist Student Ministry of Texas A&M University used spring break to develop relationships with international students while giving those students a taste of Texas culture.

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# DBU students clean homes in New Orleans

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A Dallas  
Baptist  
University  
student  
cleans a  
home in  
New  
Orleans.

## DBU students clean homes in New Orleans

**By Tim Gingrich**

*Dallas Baptist University*

NEW ORLEANS—Thirty-nine Dallas Baptist University students celebrated spring break by tearing down debris from Hurricane Katrina and helping New Orleans residents mend their lives.

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# KidsHeart draws 100 volunteers to the Valley

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Members of First Baptist Church in Eagle Lake organize clothing for distribution at Sublime Gracia Baptist Church in Progresso during KidsHeart 2006 spring break mission trip.

# **KidsHeart draws 100 volunteers to the Valley**

**By Jenny Pope**

*Buckner Benevolences*

MISSION—More than 100 people gathered in the Rio Grande Valley for the 2006 KidsHeart spring break mission trip, sponsored by the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Texas and Buckner Children and Family Services, to minister to families in the colonias along the Mexican border.

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# **Two suspects jailed in Orange church arson**

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# **Honest student laborers discover hidden treasure**

**By Keith Manuel**

*Baptist Press*



NEW ORLEANS (BP)—After ripping sheetrock from a moldy closet, Trista Wright was removing the debris when a flash of green caught her eye.

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# UMHB students assist FBC New Orleans

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UMHB  
students  
don  
hazmat  
gear for  
dirty  
work in  
New  
Orleans.

# UMHB students assist FBC New Orleans

**By Carol Woodward**

*University of Mary Hardin-Baylor*

NEW ORLEANS—A Central Texas college minister and 19 student volunteers from the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor spent three days of spring break working to make a difference in the lives of people who lost their homes and possessions to Hurricane Katrina and its aftermath.

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## **Wayland students serve in the surf, sun and city**

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Wayland  
Baptist  
University  
student  
participants  
in Beach  
Reach level  
a sand  
sculpture  
on the  
beach at  
South  
Padre  
Island  
before dusk  
hits.  
According  
to students,  
the city  
required  
the  
sculpture  
to be torn  
down daily  
to avoid  
riots.

**Wayland students serve in the surf,**

# sun and city

**By Teresa Young**

*Wayland Baptist University*

KENNER, La.—From the storm-ravaged Louisiana Gulf Coast to the shores of South Padre Island, 21 Wayland Baptist University students devoted their spring break to ministry.

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