

Beth Moore to end Living Proof events in 2027

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The best-selling author and longtime Bible teacher still plans to speak but will no longer host large-scale events.

Report challenges U.S. support for international religious freedom

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USCIRF's 2026 report lists Nigeria, Afghanistan, India, and Vietnam as Countries of Particular Concern, citing widespread violence, persecution, and displacement.

Violence in Nigeria sparks

debate on religion

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Nigeria faces a “terrifying crisis of religious violence,” with attacks on Christian communities fueling fears of persecution.

Celebrating Churches: Dorrell retiring from Church Under the Bridge

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After 1,736 Sundays—more than 33 years—Jimmy Dorrell has announced his retirement as pastor of Church Under the Bridge, effective the week after Easter.

Save Ukraine rescues 1,169 children from Russian

occupation

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With the war in its fifth year, humanitarian group Save Ukraine seeks to rescue thousands of abducted and persecuted Ukrainian children from Russia.

Texans on Mission Israel feeding team on standby

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Texans on Mission is on standby with a feeding team after the United States and Israel conducted military strikes on Iran.

Less than half of Americans say religion is ‘very important’

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Despite official promotion of religion, the latest Gallup Poll shows no evidence of religious revival in America.

On the Move: Pierce, Turner, Vaught

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Pastoral and staff changes noted for churches in Angleton, Sugar Land, and Coldspring, Coppell, and Jasper.

Texas and Southern Baptists one year into new agreement

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Texas Baptists and Southern Baptists are one year into a revised church planting agreement.

Wayne Bray 2027 Pastors'

Conference president nominee

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Florida pastor Ted Traylor announced March 3 his intention to nominate South Carolina pastor Wayne Bray to serve as president of the 2027 Southern Baptist Convention Pastors' Conference in Indianapolis.

Charles Wade urges 'holy behavior'

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At the T.B. Maston Foundation Awards Dinner, Charles Wade called believers to embody both righteous living and social justice. Charles and Rosemary Wade and Skye Perryman were recognized for their work in Christian ethics.

Around the State: HPU names faculty member of the month

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Howard Payne University's Lajeana Long, assistant professor of nursing, was selected as faculty member of the month.