

On the Move: Berry, Burleson

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Pastoral changes noted for churches in Cotton Center and Plano.

John Perkins, civil rights leader and Bible teacher, dies at 95

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John Perkins, influential Baptist author, teacher, civil rights activist and veteran, and founder of various ministries, died Mar. 13. He was 95.

Over 100 Latino Christians reprove Trump adviser's reach

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Latino Christian leaders signed a letter, prompted by concerns about the Trump administration's immigration policies.

Arab Baptist seminary sheltering Christians and others

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Arab Baptist Theological Seminary near Beirut is providing shelter to Christians and others fleeing the war zone, offering shelter, food, and gospel encouragement.

Ascent Summit speakers issue call to hope, joy

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The second and third days of the Ascent Summit featured keynote speakers declaring the importance of joy and hope in the Lord within ministry and everyday living.

Celebrating Churches: Purvey launches Full Life Church

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Robert Purvey, Texas Baptists NextGen strategist, launched Full Life Church, a new church plant in northern Grand Prairie. Purvey said the church's journey began with a clear sense of divine timing.

Christian influencers read Bible to wake up 'apathetic church'

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Political activist and Christian organizer Bunni Pounds has recruited nearly 500 Christian leaders to read the Bible aloud in Washington this April.

Gaza ministry offers support amid war

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The founding president of humanitarian outreach organization Christian Mission to Gaza shared an update on the ground in light of the war.

Beth Moore kicks off Ascent launch

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Author and Bible teacher Beth Moore, along with Texas Baptists Executive Director Julio Guarneri and other speakers, kicked off the official launch of Ascent.

Muslim schools excluded from Texas voucher program

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A Texan sued Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton and Comptroller Kelly Hancock, alleging Islamic schools are excluded from the new voucher program.

Coalition champions religious freedom in Texas schools

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Organizations across Texas urged families to reject Senate Bill 11, which encourages state-mandated time for prayer in schools.

Letter: GOP leadership downplays anti-Muslim hate

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A Baptist Standard reader responds to recent anti-Muslim social media posts and comments by U.S. Congressmen.