

Obituary: Adela Galvan Enrriques

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Adela Galvan Enrriques of Robstown, veteran leader in Union Femenil Misionera and Woman's Missionary Union of Texas, died July 6. She was 81.

Church and civic partnership for contact tracing encouraged

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The Southern Baptist Convention's Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission is encouraging churches to partner with government officials to fight the spread of COVID-19, while receiving First Amendment protections as they cooperate.

Villanueva nominee for BGCT

second vice president

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Jordan Villanueva, pastor of Indian Hills Baptist Church in Grand Prairie, will be nominated for second vice president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

U.S. urged to accept persecuted refugees and asylum seekers

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Christians fleeing religious persecution abroad increasingly are denied access to safety in the United States, according to a new report urging the Trump administration to reverse the trend.

Evangelical group urges Trump not to rescind DACA

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A group of evangelical Christian leaders have asked President Trump to hold off on another effort to rescind a program for certain undocumented immigrants brought to the United States as children.

WMU leader reflects on spiritual journey from Ghana to U.S.

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When Doris Opoku and her family immigrated to the United States from Ghana in 2008, they had no idea what ministry opportunities God had in store for them.

When leaders leave the faith, how do churchgoers respond?

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When high-profile Christian leaders announce they no longer believe in core doctrines of the faith, their public pronouncements are met with a mix of emotions from churchgoers, according to a recent survey.

Book helps parents discuss pandemic with children

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After seeing family routines disrupted by the COVID-19 pandemic, Sara Howle decided to combine her love for children and love for literature by creating a book to help parents discuss the changing world with their little ones.

Supreme Court rules in two key religious freedom cases

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In a pair of 7-2 rulings related to religious liberty issues, the U.S. Supreme Court on July 8 broadened the scope of employers' right to make employment and benefits decisions based on moral and religious grounds.

Around the State: Wayland

President Bobby Hall hospitalized with COVID-19

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Wayland Baptist University President Bobby Hall tested positive for the COVID-19 virus. The No Need Among You conference—originally scheduled as a three-day in-person event in Fort Worth—will be a one-day hybrid conference on Oct. 15.

On the Move: From Crowell to Bandera

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New pastor of First Baptist Church in Bandera noted.

Statewide survey reveals health concerns among Texas pastors

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Nearly half of Texas Baptist pastors who responded to a recent statewide pastor health survey don't get enough sleep, four out of 10 have high blood

pressure, and one out of 10 has experienced a heart attack, stroke or other cardiac event.