

TWU students dispense love and care to needy in Brooklyn

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Students from the Baptist Student Ministries at Texas Woman's University spent their recent spring break serving a church in Brooklyn, N.Y., participating in ministries ranging from organizing a clothing closet to feeding the homeless to ministering at a women's shelter.

Young evangelicals call for end to nuclear weapons

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A group of under-40 evangelicals attending a leadership meeting in Austin announced a new initiative to mobilize American Christians to eliminate nuclear weapons. Jonathan Merritt, national spokesperson for the Southern Baptist Environment and Climate Initiative, spoke in support of the initiative. "Nuclear weapons are not only unacceptable, they are un-Christian," Merritt said. "As followers of Jesus we serve a God that abhors the shedding of innocent blood."

Response to hunger shows gospel's relevance to unbelieving culture

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When Christians help hungry people, they earn the right to share the gospel—not only with people in need, but also with a skeptical society, Jim Denison told a conference on ethics and evangelism.

Maya Angelou challenges Baptists to fight racism

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With an African-American population estimated as high as 50 million, the "blight of racism" is "still an epidemic assailing" the United States, writer Maya Angelou said April 24 at the Southeast regional gathering of the New Baptist Covenant April 24 and 25 at Wake Forest University.

Student ministries intern touches the worldâ€”from Plainview

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A year-long outreach effort with international students at Wayland Baptist University culminated recently in a trip to Austin and San Antonio.

Small-town students make big impact on childrenâ€™s home campus

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Volunteers from the East Texas town of Garrison traveled to Round Rock to deliver much-needed food items and provide some hard labor at Texas Baptist Children's Home.

Gregory inducted into MLK International College of Preachers

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Morehouse College President Robert Franklin recently inducted Joel Gregory, professor at Baylor University's Truett Theological Seminary, into the Martin Luther King Jr. International College of Preachers.

Anglo church responds to "mission field across the street"

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For 10 years, Buckner International has partnered with Park Cities Baptist Church in Dallas to serve the Spanish-speaking children and families in a community near the church through the Amigos de Dios mission.

CERI volunteers meet medical, dental needs in rural Nigeria

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Volunteer health care professionals treated about 1,200 orphaned children and needy families in Nigeria during a trip with Children's Emergency Relief International.

WMU Foundation awards \$163,445 for missions support

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The Birmingham, Ala., -based WMU Foundation board of trustees recently awarded \$163,445 to boost missions work in North America and around the world.

Groups urge Obama to proclaim 'inclusive' day of prayer

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The Interfaith Alliance and Jews on First called on President Obama to

proclaim an "inclusive" national day of prayer May 7 instead of endorsing a National Day of Prayer Task Force headed by Shirley Dobson.

Southern Seminary closing School of Church Music

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Southern Baptist Theological Seminary is closing its 65-year-old School of Church Music and Worship, combining it with the School of Leadership and Church Ministry into a new School of Church Ministries.