

# **Baylor football team Bible study yields baptisms**

November 21, 2025

Ten athletes on the Baylor Bears football team publicly expressed their faith commitments to Christ by being baptized in the university athletic facility's hydrotherapy pool in early November.

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# **Judge blocks Ten Commandment classroom displays**

November 21, 2025

A federal judge blocked 14 Texas school districts from displaying a state-prescribed version of the Ten Commandments in public school classrooms, citing constitutional concerns.

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# **Muslim civil rights group sues**

# **Texas officials**

November 21, 2025

The Council on American-Islamic Relations has sued Texas Gov. Greg Abbott and Attorney General Ken Paxton for labeling the Muslim civil rights group as a foreign terrorist organization.

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# **Texas/Ukraine church partnership launched**

November 21, 2025

Texas and Ukrainian Baptist leaders meeting in Abilene, Nov. 18, signed a partnership agreement between their churches.

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# **Affordable, sustainable insurance for churches introduced**

November 21, 2025

Texas Baptists leaders highlighted the launch of a new statewide insurance solution during a luncheon presentation of the Texas Baptists Indemnity

Program—known as TBIP—and its partnership with KingsCover Insurance.

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## **Texas Baptist affinity groups celebrate ministry and leadership**

November 21, 2025

Reports from multiple Texas Baptist groups share celebrations in ministry and leadership.

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## **Texas Baptists challenged to live out GC2**

November 21, 2025

Speakers challenged attendees of the 2025 BGCT annual meeting to embody the Great Commandment and Great Commission as a way of life.

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# **BGCT messengers praised for civil debate**

November 21, 2025

Messengers to the 2025 BGCT annual meeting debated a motion to examine the relationship between the BGCT and Baylor University.

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# **2026 BGCT budget draws defunding efforts**

November 21, 2025

BGCT messengers adopted recommendations and elected new officers, among other business Nov. 17 during the 2025 BGCT annual meeting.

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# **Pastors learn firsthand about El Paso-area ministries**

November 21, 2025

Six Texas Baptist pastors participated in a trip to El Paso to learn about the Immigration Service and Aid Center, River Ministry and ministries supported by the Texas Baptist Hunger Offering.

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# **Baylor University dedicates Memorial to Enslaved Persons**

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Baylor University acknowledged a long-unrecognized part of its history on Nov. 7 by dedicating a Memorial to Enslaved Persons on Founders Mall.

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# **Gordon pastor returns to Brazil amid visa backlog**

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Albert Oliveira, pastor of First Baptist Church in Gordon, voluntarily returned to his birth country of Brazil after a visa rule change and years-long processing backlog blocked him from renewing his legal status.