

# On the Move

July 9, 2009

Abbey Allison to First Church in Amarillo as summer children's intern.

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## Obsolete sound equipment finds new home on mission field

July 9, 2009

While the digitization of television signals June 12 garnered wide publicity, many churches were left unaware their wireless microphone systems also were affected.

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## Jazz Messengers bring music to "forgotten" people

July 9, 2009

A musical group from Tyler used their talents to show a community in Peru continuing to recover from an earthquake two years ago that Christians still care for them.

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# **Del Rio congregation uses recreation to reach community**

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Ruben Chairez, pastor of Primera Iglesia Bautista in Del Rio, wants to meet his community's spiritual needs through recreation.

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# **Handful of Ethiopian Christians grow into denomination**

July 9, 2009

Lauralee Lindholm and husband Ray Windsor Park Baptist Church in DeSoto returned to Ethiopia after 20 years to find a growing Baptist population.

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# **Around the State**

July 9, 2009

Paisano Baptist Encampment will hold its 89th consecutive general

encampment beginning July 26 and running through lunch July 31.

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## **San Antonio adoptive family grows two by two**

July 9, 2009

Soon after William and Dana Ryann married, he battled cancer and underwent radiation, making natural conception unlikely. Since the couple wanted children, and she had been adopted herself, it didn't take them long to decide to adopt.

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## **Broadway Baptist Church youth choir detours through Nashville**

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Fernia Harris of Nashville, Tenn., got a special surprise on her birthday July 8. A group of teenagers from Broadway Baptist Church in Forth Worth volunteered three days to scrape and paint the exterior of the 1920s-era house where Harris and her husband live and care for their disabled daughter.

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# **Youth volunteers share two-fold message: God and service**

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About 160 middle school and high school World Changers from nine churches across the nation served in low-income Dallas neighborhoods.

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# **‘Helping Hand’ ministry shows God’s love to West Dallas**

July 9, 2009

Brother Bill’s Helping Hand in West Dallas teams up with multiple agencies to provide resources to more than 900 families each year.

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# **Hispanic Baptist Convention**

# **elects new president, appoints committee**

July 9, 2009

Victor Rodriguez, pastor of South San Filadelfia Baptist Church in San Antonio, was elected president of the Hispanic Baptist Convention of Texas in a close vote June 29.

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# **Baptist school cancels mission trip for church dismissed from SBC**

July 9, 2009

A Kentucky Baptist university has, at the last minute, withdrawn its invitation to host a youth mission team from Texas after the Southern Baptist Convention disfellowshipped their church for its toleration of homosexuals.