

Ministries prepare to serve families losing SNAP benefits

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Community ministries and Texas Baptist churches with food pantries prepared for a sharp rise in needs after Nov. 1, when 3.5 million Texans—including 1.7 million children—expect to lose food assistance benefits due to the ongoing government shutdown.

Proper view of Trinity offers insights into human nature

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A proper understanding of God's Triune nature offers insights into the nature of humanity created in God's image, theologian Rowan Williams told a gathering at First Baptist Church in Waco.

Jenkins speaks on 'Chosen'

journey

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“This nail ... takes me to Italy,” said Dallas Jenkins, creator of “The Chosen” hit TV series that follows the life of Christ. Jenkins held the Roman-era crucifixion spike in his hand while being interviewed during the Veritas Lecture sponsored by the Institute for Global Engagement at Dallas Baptist University.

Study examines ‘Belonging Under the Bridge’

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A yearlong study of Waco’s Church Under the Bridge reveals lessons about how to create a welcoming community where people who never felt accepted in church can find a place where they belong.

Matt Queen joins church staff in Irving

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Matt Queen, the former interim Southwestern Baptist Theological

Seminary provost who pleaded guilty a year ago to making a false statement to federal investigators, has joined the staff of Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving as associate pastor.

Call to ban foreign entities from targeting churches

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Texas Baptists' Christian Life Commission is urging church leaders to sign a letter calling on the Department of Justice to prohibit foreign governments from using tracking technologies to send targeted messages to worshippers in U.S. churches without their consent.

Panelists identify dangers of religious nationalism

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Religious nationalism "cheapens" religion and exchanges genuine love of country for a blank check that justifies any action a country takes, panelists said during the Global Religious Freedom Gathering at Dallas Baptist University.

Prior emphasizes living in purpose without AI

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The craft of writing and the ethics of writing, just as with spiritual growth and maturity, offer no shortcuts, author Karen Swallow Prior said during her Oct. 16 lecture sponsored by the Institute for Global Engagement at Dallas Baptist University.

Christians called to combat all religious persecution

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Christians are commanded, commissioned and called to combat all religious persecution, international human rights attorney Knox Thames told the Global Religious Freedom Gathering at Dallas Baptist University.

Truett Seminary establishes Anglican Episcopal House

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Baylor University's Truett Theological Seminary announced Oct. 13 the formation of an Anglican Episcopal House of Studies.

Chris Clayman: Frontier people groups deserve priority

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Chris Clayman of the Joshua Project presented 10 reasons why frontier people groups—unreached people whose numbers exceed 1.5 billion—deserve priority in Christian missions outreach

Tony Evans' next chapter, undisclosed 'sin' and new book

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Dallas megachurch founder Tony Evans has lived a mostly private life for more than a year, after announcing an undisclosed "sin" caused him to step

away from the prominent pulpit where he preached for almost five decades.