Irving church connects student athletes to the love of Christ

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To demonstrate the love of Christ and meet needs in their community, members of Oak View Baptist Church in Irving developed an outreach program to encourage student athletes to press on towards the goal.

Peace on Earth elusive for believers in Myanmar

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As Christians around the world remember the birth of the Prince of Peace, believers in Myanmar continue to suffer from violence perpetrated by their nation's military.

Texas Baptists respond after tornadoes hit mid-South

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When multiple tornadoes ripped through the mid-South, a Baptist

congregation in Garland partnered with Texas Baptist Men to deliver supplies to help a Hispanic Baptist pastor in Mayfield, Ky., minister to his community.

Family's support helps Baylor protect Black Gospel music

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A professor's search-and-rescue mission to prevent the loss of musical history and a family's desire to honor the wishes of their late husband and father combined not only to preserve a distinctly African American art form, but also give it the academic attention it previously lacked.

South Texas Hispanic church prospers through pandemic

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Many churches struggled through the COVID-19 pandemic, but one predominantly Hispanic congregation in South Texas grew by every measure throughout the last 20 months.

Property sale retires BUA debt, enables relocation

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Baptist University of the Américas will begin a new chapter in mid-December when it closes on the sale of the property it has occupied the past six years and moves debt-free into repurposed facilities it already owns on 60 acres across Interstate 35.

Texas Baptists create task force to address generational change

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Texas Baptists addressed generational change at their annual meeting, voting overwhelmingly to create a task force to explore ways to increase Millennial and Generation Z involvement in churches and the denomination.

Task force proposed to involve Gen Z and Millennials

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A motion at next week's Baptist General Convention of Texas annual meeting will call on the convention to form and fund a task force to involve Millennials and Generation Z in Texas Baptist life in greater ways.

Voters approve ban on state limiting religious gatherings

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Voters approved eight amendments to the Texas Constitution on Nov. 2, including one barring the state from limiting religious services.

Middleman turns church's burden into ministry's blessing

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Jesus' instruction to his disciples, "Freely you have received; freely give," not only guides Middleman Ministries' approach to reaching teenagers on

the margins of society, but also governs its approach to churches and other ministries.

NAMB will endorse and support only male church planters

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The Southern Baptist Convention's North American Mission Board issued a statement making clear it will limit endorsement and funding exclusively to church plants with male pastors.

Call to courageous conversations about race

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Systemic injustice, implicit bias, educational inequity and historical reckoning should be part of the courageous conversations Christians must engage in as they confront racism, speakers told the No Need Among You Conference in Houston.