



# SOMEBODY LIKE ~ YOU

## PART 3: WEDLOCK OR DEADLOCK

Jan 29, 2017 • Pastor Gregg Matte • 1 Peter 3:8–12 (p. 781 in HCSB provided)

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1 PETER  
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### ► The disposition of wedlock instead of deadlock

- Unified \_\_\_\_\_ *Romans 14:19*
- \_\_\_\_\_ to believers (church)
- Compassionate and \_\_\_\_\_

### ► Our words and deeds matter *Psalms 34:12–16*

- \_\_\_\_\_ instead of retaliate
- \_\_\_\_\_ for evil *1 Peter 3:11*
- \_\_\_\_\_ for insult *1 Peter 3:10*

## UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

How can these help build your marriage? Visit [HoustonsFirst.org](http://HoustonsFirst.org) for information.

- **Intimate Encounters (Milestones class)** – Wednesdays, Feb 1–Mar 8 @ 6:30–8p — Rm 504
- **re | engage (Milestones class)** – Wednesdays, Feb 1–Apr 26 @ 6:30–8p — Chapel
- **Mingling of Souls with Matt & Lauren Chandler** – Feb 10 & 11 — Worship Center (tickets required)

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

*Generosity*  
AT HOUSTON'S FIRST

## Week ending Jan 22, 2017

First-time givers 23  
All givers 915

## Great Commission Giving

Weekly Total	\$444,114
Requirements	\$550,124
Fiscal Year Total	\$17,819,511
Requirements	\$18,303,224
Over/(Under)	(\$483,713)

(Fiscal Year is Jul 1—Jun 30)

Thank you for giving to the ministry and missional impact of Houston's First!

## NEXTGEN MINISTRIES

Every week at The Loop Campus, our team of NextGen volunteers makes a difference in the lives of kids from birth through 12th grade. Interested in serving on the team? Our biggest qualification is that you love kids and love Jesus. We can teach you everything else!

Here are just a few possible roles to play:

### Preschool

- Teach and care for children
- Push a buggy
- Rock babies

### Children

- Greet families
- Teach a Life Bible Study
- Serve in Kids' Worship

### Students

- Lead a Life Bible Study small group
- Be a Wednesday Night Campus Coach

To take the next step, search "NextGen Volunteers" at [HoustonFirst.org](http://HoustonFirst.org), email [Katie.Walker@HoustonFirst.org](mailto:Katie.Walker@HoustonFirst.org), or call 713.957.7656.

## DECISIONS

### Week ending Jan 22, 2017

#### Baptized

Daniel Beel  
Gabrielle Hajoovsky  
Erin Jackson  
Stephanie Morales

Carson Pratt  
Riley Smith  
Chloe Thepsouvanh  
AJ Wagoner

#### For Baptism

Mohamed Amini  
Marcel Diaz

Matthew Foster

#### From Other Fellowship

Stephanie Boyd  
William Chou  
Gregory Gee  
Enrique Gutierrez  
Mayra Gutierrez

Susan Lounder  
Zachary Lounder  
Dianne White  
Nate Zachary  
Sarah Zachary

#### Statement

Lauren Rossi

## ATTENDANCE

### Week ending Jan 22, 2017

Life Bible Study	5,728
Mission Bible Study	97
<b>Total Bible Study</b>	<b>5,825</b>

## BIRTHS

- Ryan & Annette Bishop in the birth of their son, Corder; Camille and Caroline, sisters

## SYMPATHIES

- Ron & Nan Harvey in the loss of her father, Marvin West (deacon)
- Rolly & Lee Anna Leguizamon and family in the loss of his step-mother, Hildegard
- James Cody Lipps and LeAnn Robertson in the loss of their mother, Mary Ann Lipps
- Ronny & Lisa Bedford in the loss of his grandmother, Millie Holmes

## MOBILE GIVING

Share your generosity with Houston's First via your mobile device! Text "HFBCLoop" to 77977 to receive a link where you can make a one-time donation or establish recurring giving. Donations can be made to the following:

- Great Commission Budget
- Local Missions
- Benevolence
- World Mission Offering

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