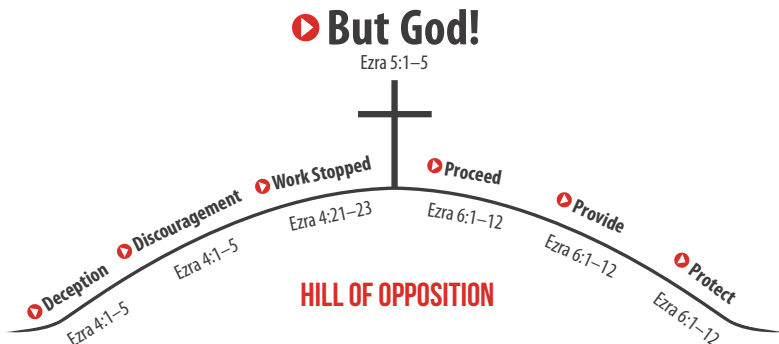


## HAND OF GOD

Mar 6, 2016 • Pastor Gregg Matte • Ezra 8:5–10, 21–23 (p. 307 in HCSB provided)



▶ \_\_\_\_\_ combined with \_\_\_\_\_ changes the world.

*Daniel 5:5–9; Psalm 90:17*

• The Hand of God brought:

- \_\_\_\_\_ with the King.
- \_\_\_\_\_ with the people.

▶ **God's hand of grace guides our lives of devotion.**

*Ezra 8:22*

- Head – determine to \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ – determine to live deeply.
- \_\_\_\_\_ – determine to obey and teach others.

▶ **Now let's see it lived out.**

*Psalm 54:2; Isaiah 56:7*

- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ move God's hand.

### First H.O.P.E. Job Ministry

This ministry of Houston's First helps others procure employment by providing career counseling, resume/interview tips, a job database, and more. Learn more at [HoustonsFirst.org/Counseling](http://HoustonsFirst.org/Counseling).

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Visit [HoustonsFirst.org/Volunteer](http://HoustonsFirst.org/Volunteer) for details about the following opportunities and nearly 100 other ways you can serve His Kingdom.

### PHASE II

#### Pastoral Care

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#### ORCHESTRA

#### Music & Worship

Eric.Belvin@HoustonsFirst.org

### SATURDAY SERVICE DAY TEAM

#### Faith Center

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#### BAPTISM PHOTOGRAPHER

#### Prayer, Missions & Connection Center

Malcolm.Marshall@HoustonsFirst.org

#### GROUP FITNESS INSTRUCTOR

#### Fitness & Recreation

Debbie.Brown@HoustonsFirst.org

#### FIRST IMPRESSION TEAM

#### Welcome Team

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### ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES

During worship services at The Loop Campus, complimentary devices may be checked out from the Receptionist Desk in the Main Foyer.



### 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
- Unstoppable Gospel: The Offering (also known as the World Mission Offering)

## DECISIONS FEB 28, 2016

### Baptized

Joseph Charles  
Kristin DeBarbieris

Preston Millican  
Fred Ngandou

Sarah Slavens

### For Baptism

Colin Moritz

Sydney Williams

### From Other Fellowship

Hunter Carr  
Vickie Carr  
Deborah Hughes

Josh Hunter  
Gloria Lynde  
Mark Nevels

Blake Ragland  
Brittany Ragland

### Statement

Alexander Tenneti

Sashi Tenneti

## BIRTHS

- Kevin & Marlen Spivey in the birth of their daughter, Grace Elizabeth.
- Todd & Grace Eckhardt in the birth of their son, Easton Scott.

## SYMPATHIES

- Carlos & Debby Gutierrez in the loss of her brother, Robert Michael "Sully" Sullivan.
- Betty & Richard Gunzer in the loss of her mother, Margaret Klemm.
- Dawn Enderson in the loss of her sister, Pamela Fay Ludwig; Kaley White, niece.

## ATTENDANCE FEB 28, 2016

Life Bible Study	5,204
Mission Bible Study	48
MidLink (The Loop)	1,391
Weekday Milestones	712
<b>Total Bible Study</b>	<b>7,355</b>

*Generosity*  
AT HOUSTON'S FIRST

### Week ending Feb 28, 2016

First-time givers	44
Total number of givers	1,102

### Great Commission Giving

Weekly Total	\$437,602
Requirements	\$550,124
Fiscal Year Total	\$19,915,237
Requirements	\$21,053,844
Over/(Under)	(\$1,138,607)

(Fiscal Year is Jul 1–Jun 30)

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

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