# NEWS + UPDATES CONTINUED



#### Milestones

Essential classes and events offered throughout the semester on Wednesdays (and other days). Visit HoustonsFirst.org/ Milestones for full schedule.

#### CHURCHWIDE

4:45-6:45p

MidLink Café — Fellowship Center

The Link – Bible Study with Chad Chambers — Garden Rm

#### **WORSHIP / MUSIC**

7-8:30p

Singers — Rm 337 (Studio)

Choir — Rehearsal Hall

Orchestra — Worship Center (by audition)

#### **PRESCHOOL**

5:30-8:30p

Thru the Roof – Special Needs (all ages) — Rm 324 & 326

6 - 7p

Wee Worship (Babies-1s) — Preschool Suite W.O.W. - Worship Our Way Choir (2s & 3s) — Preschool Suite High 5 Kids' Choir (4s & 5s) — Clubhouse (Rm 303)

7-8p

Mission Friends (Birth-Kindergarten) — Preschool Suite

#### CHILDREN

5:30-8:30p

Thru the Roof – Special Needs (all ages) — Rm 324 & 326 6-7p

High 5 Kids' Choir (1st-5th grade) — Loft (Rm 301)

7-8:30p

Breakout (1st-3rd grade) — Fitness & Rec Center (Gym) Friction (4th-5th grade) — Rm 325

**STUDENTS** 

6:30-8p

Wired (Middle School) - Rm 364

7-8:30p

Amp (High School) — Rm 363



Visit the Welcome Center for help finding a Life Bible Study, or visit HoustonsFirst.org/BibleStudies. Here are some to consider:

- Chairos @ 9:15a, Rm 330, single parents
- Followers of the Way @ 9:15a, Rm 257, adult couples 40+
- Newlywed or Close @ 10:45a, Rm 504, couples engaged/ married 1 yr or less (begins Sep 30)
- Refiners @ 10:45a, Rm 249, adults 65-77



Wed, Sep 26 @ 11:30a — 1010 Lamar (tunnel level) Executive Pastor David Self speaks at this week's Downtown Bible study at the location of our Downtown Campus. Lunch begins at 11:30a for \$8, and Bible study takes place from

12:10-12:40p.

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# TIMES, LOCATIONS &

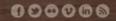


### SUNDAYS AT THE LOOP

### SUNDAYS DOWNTOWN Worship

9:30a

Life Bible Study





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### CYPRESS CAMPUS INTEREST MEETING

Today @ 4p — Fellowship Center (At the Loop)

Houston's First is launching a new campus in Cypress in March 2013! Come to this interest meeting to meet Campus Pastor Jason Swiggart and his family, hear the vision for the campus, and learn how you can be a part of the team. Also, go online to complete a short interest survey.



## A CALL TO PRAYER

Houston's First is intentionally praying for our city, nation and world from Sep—Dec 2012. Visit HoustonsFirst.org/Prayer for additional resources to guide your time of prayer.

**CURRENT THEME:** City

THIS WEEK'S FOCUS: The un-churched, lost, or sick

Pray for a relative, friend, co-worker or neighbor who is un-churched, spiritually lost, or sick.

**RELATED VERSES:** Acts 3:2–9, 4:12; Luke 5:30–32; Ezekiel 34:16; Luke 19:10

OUR CITY (Sep 9–30) | OUR NATION (Oct 7–Nov 4) | OUR WORLD (Nov 11–Dec 30)

# **NEWS + UPDATES**

Whouston's First Baptist Church is a relevant, biblical community where we gather our hearts, grow our souls and give our lives as we seek to fulfill the Great Commission.

TWEET OF THE WEEK: Today was amazing @HoustonsFirst - the Spirit rocked the house from corner to corner, prayer coming to life & lots of new members! — @aimeesproles

### **LIFE BIBLE STUDY** LEADERSHIP LUNCHEON

Today @ 11:30a-1:45p — Fitness & Recreation Ctr

Vision-casting, a message from Pastor Gregg, and free lunch for current and prospective Life Bible Study leaders.

- 11:30a Lunch for 8a leaders
- Noon Lunch for 9:15a, 10:45a, 4:15p & 6:45p leaders
- 12:30p Main presentation

HoustonsFirst.org/LBSLuncheon\_

### **RUN FOR HOPE 5K** Sat, Oct 6 @ 8:45a **Houston Christian High School** This 5K and kids' 1K benefit the Legacy685 Adoption Assistance Fund at Houston's First. Register online or in Main Foyer by Sun, Sep 30. RunForHopeHouston.com



### **CHURCHWIDE**

**VOTER REGISTRATION** 

Today — Main Foyer

Are you registered to vote this November? If you need to register, update your name or address, or get a new card, stop by the Voter Registration table in the Main Foyer for assistance. Deadline to register is Tue, Oct 9.

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HoustonsFirst.org/Vote

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#### XEE EVANGELISM CLASS

Every Sun, Today-Nov 11 @ 4:15-5:15p --- Rm 501/502 XEE equips Christians to effectively share the Gospel in everyday encounters. Learn and put into practice relevant, biblical, and relational evangelism skills for our postmodern times.



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### DISCOVERING YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS

Every Wed, Sep 26-Oct 24 @ 6:30-8p — Connection Ctr This class will help you discover the spiritual gifts God has given you and answer the guestion, "What can I do to make a difference in the world?" Register online.



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### STUDENTS

### PARENTS AS PRIMARY DISCIPLERS

Wed, Oct 3 @ 6:15-8:15p — Rm 362

Is it possible to really make disciples of adolescents? Yes - and you can be the catalyst for that! Come learn how at this Milestones class for parents of middle and high school students.



HoustonsFirst.org/Adolescence



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### **YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS**

#### SUMMIT FLAG FOOTBALL

Every Sat, Sep 29-Oct 27 @ 10a-5p — Warrior Field Are you ready for some football? Join us for one of our most popular co-ed intramural events of the year! Cost is \$35/season or \$5/game. Register online.



HoustonsFirst.org/FlagFootball



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# **SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES**

### SINGLE PARENT FAMILY CAMP

Sep 28-30 — Stoney Creek Ranch

Spend a life changing weekend with your family and other single parent families from Houston's First! Enjoy fun activities, relaxation, and quality family time! Cost is \$115/adult; \$15-\$85/child and includes lodging, food, activities, and a t-shirt.



HoustonsFirst.org/SingleParentFamilies



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### MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS

### NEWLYWED OR CLOSE 10:45

Begins Sun, Sep 30 @ 10:45a — Rm 504

The Newlywed or Close Life Bible Study class will soon be offered at 10:45a in addition to the 9:15a and 6:45p classes. This is a great place for couples engaged or married 1 year or less to deepen their faith and relationship with each other.



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# **UPCOMING**

**First Hope Job Ministry Meeting** 

9a-Noon — Faith Center

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**Faith & Finances for Kids** 

6:30–8:30p — Harbor Rm

For parents of kids age 3—adolescent

**Recreate Date Night** 

**Celebration Ticket Sales Launch Event** OCT

**Middle School Retreat** 

A hootenanny for the whole family

Men: Pray - "Our Nation"

### SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER TIME

Every Sun @ 8:30-9a — Connection Ctr

Need prayer? Staff and volunteers are on hand to pray with and for you each Sunday morning — no matter what your request may be.

Need more info? Call 713.681.8000 to get in touch with us. Connect with us online anytime at HoustonsFirst.org or follow us on 👍 알 🚥 😯 in 🔕



