### **CALENDAR**

### Sunday | October 22

#### John Randolph's Birthday

8AM Classic Worship Service • Chapel 9AM Worship Service • Worship Center

10:10AM Bible Study Classes

11AM Worship Service • Worship Center

2:30PM Griefshare - Parlor

#### Tuesday | October 24

8:30AM PDO • T/TH • Nursery Rooms 7PM Men's Prayer Time • Chapel

### Wednesday | October 25

4:45PM Praize Kidz • Room 207
5:30PM Awana • Worship Center
5:30PM Youth Midweek • Youth Room
6PM Adult Bible Study • Chapel
7PM Choir Rehearsal • Music Suite

### Thursday | October 26

9AM Women's Prayer Time • Chapel
 10AM Ladies Bible Study • Chapel
 6PM L.I.F.E. Ministry Fellowship • Gym
 6:30PM Ladies Bible Study • CHAPEL

## **ATTENDANCE**

### October 15, 2023

8AM 43 9AM 314 11AM 319 Worship Total 676 Bible Study 350

# **GIVING**

10/1 \$ 34,262.74 Weekly Requirement 10/8 \$ 31,156.95

\$ 29,431.05 10/15 \$ 18,735.10

10/22 \$ 10/29 \$

**Monthly Requirement** 

\$127,534.53 MTD \$ 84,154.79

YTD \$1,532,385.45

Next Level Bldg Fund \$ 906,626.20

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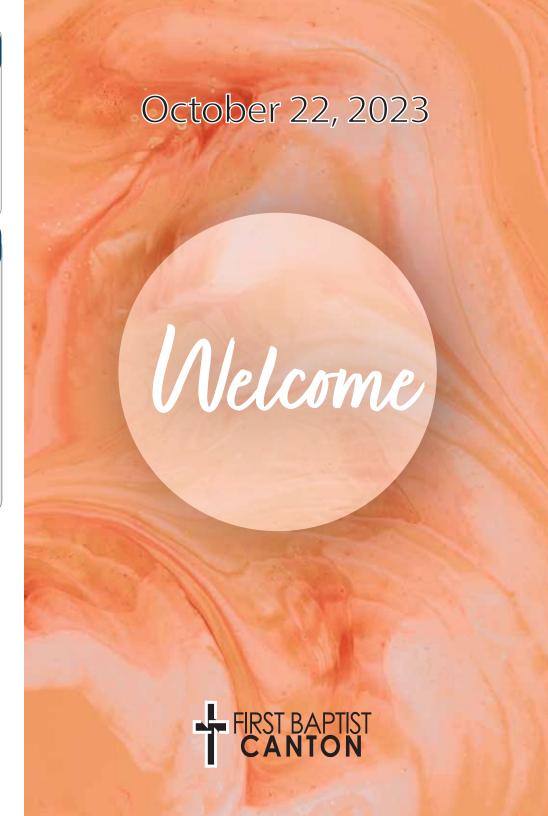
### Trunk or Treat • Oct 31 • FBC Parking Lot

Trunk or Treat is right around the corner! If you would like to participate, please sign up for a trunk by emailing **katie@firstcanton.com** and bring a bag of candy to the church office. We can't wait to make this the biggest Trunk or Treat yet!



### **CONNECT WITH US**

303 Athens Street • Canton, TX 75103 903.567.4157 • fbc@firstcanton.com www.firstcanton.com • @firstcanton Dr. Mike Roberson, Pastor • Rod Hite, Music Minister Mickey Matlock, Minister of Students • Katie Skinner, Children's Minister



### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

L.I.F.E. Ministry Fellowship • October 26th • 6PM • Gym
Join the L.I.F.E. Ministry for a night of fellowship, food, and fun.
Bring your favorite SOUP to share with your friends. Maybe cooking some yummy soup will bring in the cooler weather.





**Surviving the Holidays • October 29th • Parlor**GriefShare "Surviving the Holidays" will meet immediately following our weekly meeting from 4PM to 5PM.

### Operation Christmas Child • Boxes due November 17th

Pick up an OCC box in the foyer and return it to the church office by November 17th. Include \$10 for shipping fees. For information on what to include, visit samaritanspurse.org/occ.





**CHURCH-WIDE THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION • November 19th**Invite your friends and family & join us at 10AM at the **Canton Civic Center**for our Thanksgiving Celebration. We will have one service with worship led
by *Band Reeves*, followed by a meal. Bring sides and desserts to share.

#### **Coffee Station Volunteers Needed**

The coffee station is a way to provide a warm welcome to both members and visitors. We need people who want to be a part of this special ministry. Contact Dawn at the church office at 903-567-4157 to find out more information or volunteer.







### SERMON NOTES

#### Layers of Prayer Matthew 6:5-15 - Pew Bible #620 Mickey Matlock

introduction: Prayer is an	and	part of
the Christ-follower's life. God des	sires to us by comm	nunicating His will in
our lives. He wants you to share	your And, He	e wants to share His
with you.		
1. We must continue to learn ho	ow to give God & _	
a. God's word helps keep ou	r praise	
b. Praise is vital in order for u	us to gain and keep proper	
2. In our we r	ecognize God as the giver.	
a. God is the giver of all	things.	
b. This is generally the most	part of prayer.	
3. As we our	sin, God is quick to forgive.	
a. We can keep a	with God at al	I times.
b. Confession allows us to ke	eep our lives filled with the	
4. When we draw nearer to Goo	d, we will want to lift others up in	
a. This is what	is doing for us at all times.	
5. Great on	God's truths will keep us from bein	g overtaken by evil.
a. Meditation is the	part of prayer.	
Conclusion: Maybe before today	you have had a view of prayer of	something you do
when you go to church or eat a m	eal. God is inviting you, through H	is word today, to get
to know Him better. The only way	y to get better at prayer is through	exercising the
privilege.		
Notes:		