

# UNLIKELY LEADERS



## PART 1: SEVEN TRUTHS LEADERS MUST UNDERSTAND

Mar 5, 2017 • Pastor Gregg Matte • 1 Peter 5:1–4 (p. 782 in HCSB provided)

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Leaders are people of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

### ► Establishing credibility

- Leaders understand the currency of \_\_\_\_\_.
- Godly leaders have been with \_\_\_\_\_. *Acts 4:13*
  - If you stop learning, you stop leading.
  - Students, show me your friends and I'll show you your future.
- Lead where you are, start \_\_\_\_\_ *John 21:16*

### ► How?

- Leadership is a \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_.
- Leadership is not for \_\_\_\_\_ gain. *1 Timothy 5:17–18*
- Lead by \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ force.
- Please the right \_\_\_\_\_ and seek the right \_\_\_\_\_.

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

## Generosity

AT HOUSTON'S FIRST

Week ending Feb 26, 2017

### Great Commission Giving

*Totals represent giving to the operating budget only. They do not include the special Downtown Project offering which will be announced in today's worship services!*

Weekly Total	\$341,817
Requirements	\$550,124
Fiscal Year Total	\$20,121,392
Requirements	\$21,053,844
Over/(Under)	(\$932,452)

(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 [HoustonsFirst.org](http://HoustonsFirst.org), email [Katie.Walker@HoustonsFirst.org](mailto:Katie.Walker@HoustonsFirst.org), or call 713.957.7656.



## DECISIONS



Week ending Feb 26, 2017

### Baptized

David Campbell  
Lorenzie Campbell  
Isabel Chipindula

Aubrey Hildebrandt  
Chris Hill  
Chloe Turner

### For Baptism

Sofia Artni  
Nojan Doneh

Nadia Javed Carter

### From Other Fellowship

Kevin Herlong  
Sonia Herlong

Kristy Northcutt  
Mike Northcutt

### Statement

Tolu Alex Ogunkoya



## BIRTHS

- Bryant & Alicia Palmerton in the birth of their son, Stephen Bryant; Audrey, sister

## SYMPATHIES

- Eva Duran, family and friends in the loss of her brother, Jessie Lopez
- Rodger Cody in the loss of his grandson, Austin LeBlanc
- Marty (deacon) & Lynn Hokanson in the loss of her mother, Carolyn Evans
- Truett & Julie Allen in the loss of his mother; Ella and Ford, grandchildren
- Emilio & Brenda Jimenez in the loss of her father



## ATTENDANCE

Week ending Feb 26, 2017

Life Bible Study	5,372
Mission Bible Study	57
<b>Total Bible Study</b>	<b>5,429</b>

## 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
- Benevolence
- Local Missions
- Downtown Project

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