

## THIS WEEK

### SUNDAY

- 9:15 A.M. Sunday School/ Connect Groups  
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship Service  
5:00 P.M. Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal

### TUESDAY

- 10:00 A.M. Ladies Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY

- 9:00 A.M. Morning Mercies Bible Study  
5:30 P.M. Denman Kids K-5 in FLC  
5:30 P.M. Preschool 3–PreK in Preschool  
5:45 P.M. Pause Point  
6:00 P.M. Denman Students in Warehouse  
6:00 P.M. Crosswalk Bible Study  
6:00 P.M. Beyond the Walls Bible Study

### THURSDAY

- 10:00 A.M. Senior Adult Game Day & Fellowship



We invite you to give generously  
to what God is doing here.



Offering Box



Online: [dabconline.org](http://dabconline.org)



Mail: 1807 E. Denman  
Lufkin, TX 75901

## NOVEMBER FINANCIALS

BUDGET REQUIRED TO DATE \$ 1,173,154

YEAR TO DATE EXPENSE \$ 1,164,793

YEAR TO DATE INCOME \$ 1,190,143

TOUCHING ETERNITY \$ 525,762

**January 4, 2026**

**10:30 A.M. Worship Service**

Welcome

Call to Worship      *I Stand Amazed in the Presence*

Hymn      *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Prayer

Hymn      *Who Can Satisfy My Soul Like You?*

Hymn      *Whom Shall I Fear (God of Angel Armies)*

Hymn      *Goodness of God*

Message      *Jacob Fitzgerald*

*A Supreme Priest*

*Hebrews 7*

Invitation      *Softly and Tenderly*

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES & OPPORTUNITIES**



**STUDENTS**

**WINTER RETREAT**

Denman Students: Living Together in Christ Centered Community on January 16-18. The cost is \$75. Sign up in The Warehouse TODAY. There will be a parent meeting Sunday, January 11 following the morning service.



**WOMEN**

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY**

Ladies interested in a 12 week study beginning mid January for the Beth Moore study: A Woman's Heart—God's Dwelling Place should sign up in the mall or online using the QR code. They will meet on Mondays at 6:00 pm. See DeAnn for more info.



**DISCIPLESHIP**

**TOUCHING ETERNITY—PHASE 1**

SANCTUARY RENOVATION: A few months ago, our church family voted to amend our Touching Eternity plan—Phase 1 and prioritize the renovation needs of our worship auditorium. The building and grounds committee, working alongside our architect, would like to hear from YOU! What would you like considered, contemplated, or included in the sanctuary renovation plans??? Please complete a 'suggestion' form found in the mall area and leave in the drop box on the Touching Eternity table.



**SENIOR ADULTS**

Senior Adults will meet for lunch at Roma's on Wednesday, January 14, at 11:30 a.m. Meet at the restaurant, 918 S. John Redditt Drive. Everyone will be responsible for their own transportation and their own meal. Sign up by January 11 to have a seat at the table.

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**Offering envelopes for 2026 are now available.**

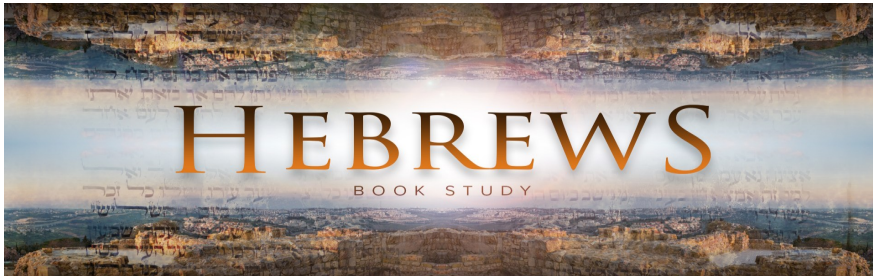
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**Please remember to check the Lottie Moon Post Office for your Christmas mail!**

**We're glad you are here.**

Please use the QR Code to fill out a guest form, check out our website, sign up for events, or give online. If you would like to learn more or join our fellowship, please fill out the Connect Card, visit the Connect Center in the foyer, or speak with a staff member.





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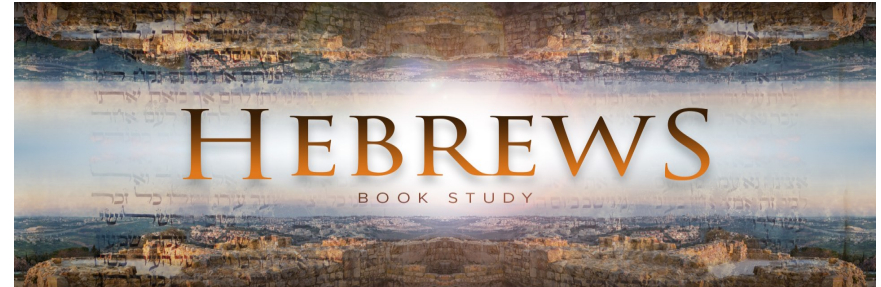
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**How does Jesus as my high priest impact my daily life?**

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- 2) (Vs 25b-28) In Jesus we always have an advocate.

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