

Sermon Notes

The Danger of Drifting Hebrews 2:1-4

Hebrews 2:1-4 is one of five warning passages in the book of Hebrews.

I. (Vs 1) Danger: The danger is drifting from Jesus.

Since Jesus is superior to everything, we must pay attention to Him, so we do not drift from Him.

How can we know when we are drifting or losing focus on Jesus?

- 1) There is no desire for intimacy with God.
- 2) Careless about studying Scripture.
- 3) Indifferent of kingdom ministry.
- 4) Do not pray.
- 5) Irritated by spiritual intervention.
- 6) Distance from people of God.
- 7) God is not a priority in the rhythm of life.

Drifting from Jesus is detrimental to experiencing God's best for our life.

a) (Vs 2-3a) Warning: The warning is do not neglect the Word of God.

There are dire consequences experienced by anyone who fails to focus on Jesus.

*Rejecting Jesus' salvation leads to eternal punishment in hell.

*Failing to nurture a relationship with Jesus leads to discipline and loss of reward.

b) (Vs 3b-4) Truth: Focus on the Word because it is the truth of God.

It makes no sense to ignore the truth of God's gospel invitation.

*The gospel comes from God, himself.

*The gospel was confirmed by eyewitness account.

*The gospel was corroborated by a miraculous move of the Holy Spirit.

**If we spiritually drift, God's discipline is strong,
but His grace is stronger. Turn to Jesus!**

How to Become a Member of Denman Avenue Baptist Church

We welcome those of you who are our guests today. If you desire to become a part of our fellowship, you may do so by one of the following ways:

(1) by professing faith in Jesus Christ and following Him in water baptism; (2) by transferring your membership from another Baptist Church; (3) by your statement of faith in Jesus Christ that you have experienced scriptural baptism after salvation. If you have questions, we would love to talk with you.

WHAT'S HAPPENING TODAY

- 9:15 A.M. Sunday School/Connect Groups
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship Service
4:00 P.M. Activities Committee
5:00 P.M. Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship & Faith Family Meeting

WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES

- 9:00 A.M. Morning Mercies/Pastor's Bible Study
5:30 P.M. Denman Kids (K-5th) - FLC
5:30 P.M. Preschool 3-PreK in Preschool
6:00 P.M. Denman Students—Warehouse
6:00 P.M. Beyond the Walls Bible Study
6:00 P.M. Crosswalk Bible Study

OTHER ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

- 6:00 P.M. Monday: Walking Renewed
10:00 A.M. Thursday: Senior Adults Game Day
10:00 A.M. Thursday: Senior Adults Astros Game

Ministerial Staff

Dr. Jacob Fitzgerald, Pastor

Ron Meadows, Associate Pastor of Music & Senior Adults

Don Scrivener, Associate Pastor of Student Ministries

Dr. Dee Daniel, Associate Pastor of Discipleship & Missions

Jenny Thomason, Children's Ministry Director

DeAnn McElhane, Preschool Ministry Director

Glenn Barber, Pastoral Intern

Support Staff

MarDelle Bratton, Pastor's Secretary

Carla Hight, Financial Secretary

Gail Overby, Receptionist

Leslie Kenley, Media Center Director

Office Hours:

M - TH 8:00—4:00

DENMAN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

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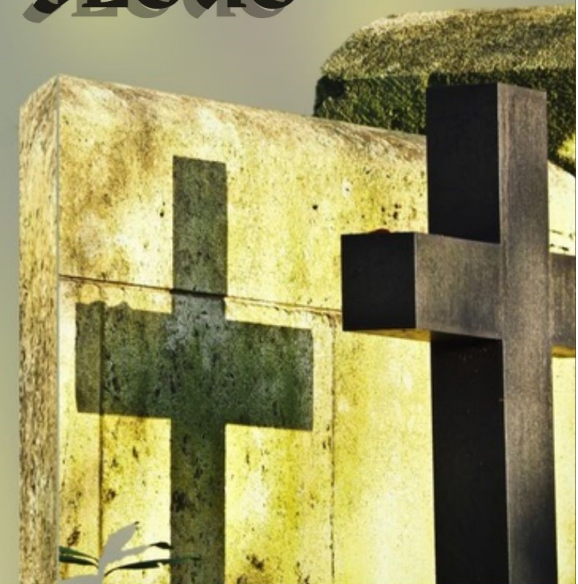
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DENMAN AVENUE
BAPTIST CHURCH

ANCHORED TO JESUS



A Sermon Series on
the Book of HEBREWS

August 24, 2025

10:30 A.M. Worship Service

Welcome

Call to Worship *Stand For Jesus*

Baptism

Prayer

Message in Song *Holy Highway*

Hymn *House of the Lord*

Hymn *Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)*

Hymn *Praise You*

Message *Jacob Fitzgerald*

The Danger of Drifting

Hebrews 2:1-4

Invitation *Change My Heart, Oh God*

6:00 P. M. Worship Service

Worship Through Music

Message *Dee Daniel*

Jesus + Nothing

Galatians 1

Faith Family Meeting

DENMAN STUDENTS
DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS

EVERY THOUGHT CAPTIVE
HOW RENOVATING YOUR MIND
CAN CHANGE YOUR LIFE
KYLE IDLEMAN

SUNDAYS, 4:30PM
STARTING SEPT. 14TH
SIGN UP BY SEPT. 7TH.

SIGN UP IN THE WAREHOUSE
CONTACT BRO. DON FOR MORE INFO.
DON@DABCONLINE.ORG

No Time to Be Dumb
LETTERS TO
TEENAGE GIRLS
Michael J. Swadlow

GUYS **GIRLS**

Ladies Tuesday Bible Study
resumes
Sept 2
10:00 am

Habitat for Humanity
of Deep East Texas

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR
30TH
ANNIVERSARY

Tuesday, August 26th
10:00 a.m.

Denman Avenue Baptist Church
near our next Habitat build site !

in partnership with Lufkin/Angelina County
Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Salute


Mission Opportunity
Houston Day Trip in October
Deadline: Sept 14


See Bro. Dee
for more info & to sign up!

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
Sept 1 - Labor Day

We're glad you're here.

Please scan the QR Code to fill out a guest form, check out our website, sign up for events, or to give online.





DENMAN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH SENIOR ADULTS

Branson Show Extravaganza

***Motorcoach transportation**
***5 nights lodging including**
3 consecutive nights in Branson area
***8 meals: 5 breakfasts and 3 dinners**
***Admission to 6 Fabulous Shows!**
Sign up in church office.

\$835 **Nov 9 - 14 2026**
\$75 Due 10/31/25
***Price per person, based on double occupancy.**
6 Days 5 Nights

For info see Tamala Olsby: 559-977-6661

CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND
BEACH BOYS: CALIFORNIA DREAMIN'
THE HAYGOODS Christmas Extravaganza

NEW FALL BIBLE STUDIES
These studies are offered on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. and will meet on the 3rd floor.

CROSSWALK - Bro Jacob will lead this conversational Bible Study as he walks the class through the Book of Revelation.

BEYOND THE WALLS - Bro Dee will lead an evangelism Bible Study/Training class that will explore the theological basis of the scripture for evangelism and then those principles will be put into practice.

Pause Point
An opportunity for ladies to pause, reflect, and connect in the busy points of life. Ladies will be encouraged by studying God's Word and connecting in a relaxed time of fellowship. Meets every other Wednesday night at 5:45 pm in the Welcome Center beginning Aug. 20th

Walking Renewed
An opportunity for ladies to come together for the purpose of being renewed in their walk by studying God's Word, prayer, and fellowship. Meets twice a month on Mondays @ 6:00 pm in the Welcome Center.

Both are led by DeAnn McElhaneay. Use the QR code in the bulletin or call at 979-204-3661 to let her know you are coming!

DONATE A HEARTY MEAL

Provide a meal for
Men's Classes
August 1-Nov 11

THE MEN'S FIELDHOUSE
EQUIP MEN STRENGTHEN FAMILIES
CMJC

Contact
Kara Bohall
936-675-0257
for more info

JULY FINANCIAL REPORT

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| BUDGET REQUIRED TO DATE | \$ 746,552 |
| YEAR TO DATE EXPENSES | \$ 741,150 |
| YEAR TO DATE INCOME | \$ 753,304 |
| TOUCHING ETERNITY | \$ 469,384 |

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