#### **Announcements**

**ONLINE GIVING:** You now have the opportunity to give your tithes and offerings to the church through our website if that works best for you. Simply go to **www.sgbcbt.com** and click on "Online Giving" on the top menu of the homepage and fill out your information. This online giving feature is easy to use and secure. If you have any questions, please see Pastor Massey. If you would like to give your tithes and offerings in person, please place your gift in one of the boxes located near the podium and the entry doors in the sanctuary.

FACEBOOK PAGE FOR THE CHURCH: We now have an official Facebook page for Sovereign Grace Baptist Church of Bonham. You are invited to go to our Facebook page and submit a friend request. We also encourage you to go to the Facebook Page periodically to check out what we are publishing. We plan to keep the page current with information about the church, future events that are being scheduled, and items that are of interest to the community at large.

**WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING:** Please consider coming to our weekly prayer meeting each **Wednesday Evening at 6:30 p.m.** Brother Mark leads us each week through a Psalm, we have some discussion, and then we have a season of prayer together. God has been pleased to answer many, many of our prayers!

OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE: In recent weeks we have been in the process of evaluating the various aspects of our outreach ministry here at Sovereign Grace Baptist Church, and have identified multiple areas where updates, modifications, and in some cases expansion are necessary. Things such as our website, audio/video capabilities, church literature, and other things related to social media are all areas that we desire to improve upon and that we believe will ultimately enable us to reach our community with the gospel message. All the above-mentioned items require finances and resources that are not allowed for in our current annual budget. If you are able to give beyond your normal giving and would like to help us meet the financial needs required to accomplish these things, or if you would simply like more information, please reach out to Pastor Jeff or one of the members of the Pastoral Advisory Committee directly.

Elder Training — Pastor Massey started a formal elder training program for our church last Wednesday evening. Men, there is still time to talk to Pastor Massey about this training if you have questions, or if you have a sincere desire to know more about participating. Please understand that receiving this training is not a guarantee that a man will become an elder at SGBC. The determination as to which man or men become elders at SGBC is made by the Holy Spirit, who calls men to be overseers in Christ's church (Acts 20:28), and the Spirit's leading is revealed through the evaluation and the external call of the church itself. All members of SGBC are urged to be in prayer for Pastor Massey and for the students who are participating in this training program.

Please clean before October 1, 2023	The McCauley Team
Please clean before October 8, 2023	The Massey/Coen Team
Please clean before October 15, 2023	The Wilson Team
Please clean before October 22, 2023	The Landers' Team
Please clean before October 29, 2023	The Stovall Team

# Sovereign Grace Baptist Church

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another."

John 13:34

## Lord's Day Worship

**September 24, 2023** 

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Meeting at: 601 South 4<sup>th</sup> Street Bonham, Texas 75418

Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.

Worship Service: 11:00 A.M. Sundays

### Order of Worship

**Prelude:** – #13 "O Worship The King"

#### ❖ WE ARE CALLED TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship – Psalm 95:1-3

#### **❖** WE PRAISE & PRAY TO GOD

Hymn of Praise – #387 - "I Love To Tell The Story" \*\*
Corporate Prayer and Preparation - (#551)
Pastoral Prayer \*\*

The Lord's Prayer – (unison prayer) \*\*

"Our Father Who is in heaven,
hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come,
Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And do not lead us into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. Amen."

#### **❖** WE CONFESS OUR SINS AND HEAR OF GOD'S GRACE

Reading from the Law: Numbers 11:1-6

Confession of Sin (In Unison): "Heavenly Father, we complain against you constantly. We desire things that are contrary to Your will. We grumble, we think negatively about our circumstances. Lord, please forgive us. Give us a new heart and new desires through our mediator Jesus Christ. It is in His name that we pray, Amen!"

Hymn of Grace - #713 - "I Am Thine, O Lord"

Reading from the Gospel: John 4:21-24

#### WE CONFESS OUR FAITH - THE BAPTIST CATECHISM

*Question 74: What is forbidden in the sixth commandment?* 

Answer: The sixth commandment forbiddeth the taking away

of our own life, or the life of our neighbor unjustly, or whatsoever tendeth thereunto. (Acts 26:28: Gen 9:9)

Question 75: What is the seventh commandment?

Answer: The seventh commandment is, Thou shall not

commit adultery. (Ex. 20:14)

#### WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Hymn to Prepare Us for the Word \*\*

#427 – First Tune - "Jesus, Lover Of My Soul"

**The Preaching of the Word of God** – Pastor Jeff Massey "Entering into God's Rest" - Hebrews 4:1-10

Hymn of Response to God's Word \*\*

#174 – "Praise The Saviour"

#### WE OBSERVE THE LORD'S SUPPER

"Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup." 1 Corinthians 11:28

The Doxology – #xvi - Trinity Hymnal \*\*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Benedictory Reading** – Galatians 6:18

Postlude – #13 - "O Worship The King"

\*\* Indicates when the congregation stands.