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Welcome

EMBRACE GRACE—TBC BABY GIFT DRIVE STARTS TODAY!

Embrace Grace is a TBC outreach ministry for young women who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. This annual study and support group is meant to provide emotional, spiritual and physical support to women who have chosen life for their baby. The church has an opportunity to bless these women and their babies by hosting a group baby shower and providing needed baby items through an Amazon wish list! You'll find the Embrace Grace team in the lobby in-between services today. Pick up an information card with access to our Amazon wish list, and ways you can pray for specific needs of this year's group. Information will also be available on the Women's Facebook page and on the HUB of our website.

40+ SINGLES MEET AND GREET TODAY!

40+ singles join us **today** from 11-12:15 p.m. in Loft 6 at Creekside. If you have been looking for a place to connect with other 40+ singles, we would love to meet you. Light snacks will be served. Come and go as needed.

WOMEN OF TBC WORSHIP NIGHT

Join us for worship and testimonies **tomorrow** night, Feb. 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the Commons at Creekside. We will hear testimonies from Samantha Rogers and Kim Ransleben on the topic of sacrifice, and consider ways to share in the suffering of Christ as we anticipate Easter together!

Go to the HUB of our website to register!

PACESETTERS 60+ DAY TRIP TO GLEN ROSE, TX

Our PaceSetters have planned a day trip to see *The Sound of Music* live at the Glen Rose amphitheater. It's happening March 14! The cost is \$60. To purchase tickets, please visit the Welcome Desk in the lobby in-between services!

SHINE CARDS

This year we are reaching out to our TBC families that have a special needs child or family member. In February, available "Shine Cards" will be awaiting your prayers. What is a "Shine Card?" These cards will be a brief description of anyone in your family that has a special need and would like to be prayed over.

Interest form is on the HUB.

THE DROP

The Drop is happening **next Sunday**, March 1. Fill a plastic bag with non-perishables and drop them at your back bumper when you arrive at TBC. Food goes to CTLC.



ABRAHAM

father of the faithful

Shannon Soard
College Pastor

ABRAHAM #23

February 23, 2020

THE LIFE OF JACOB: FROM SCHEMING TO BELIEVING

Genesis 25—34

Guile: *Sly or cunning intelligence with charm*

The name Jacob had several meanings.

- ⇒ **Yaaqob:** *May God protect*
- ⇒ **Aqeb:** *Heel*
- ⇒ **Aqab:** *Watch from behind; Overtake; Trip Up*

A birthright meant several things:

- ⇒ It gave that son a double share of the inheritance of land and livestock.
- ⇒ It looked to that son to function as the family's priest—making it his responsibility to shepherd that family spiritually, morally and relationally.
- ⇒ Additionally, this birthright uniquely carried God's promise to one day produce the Messiah through this bloodline as well.

Faith is living without scheming.

“And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.”

Hebrews 11:6

What's your name?

CORE VALUES

SURRENDER
COMMUNITY
MISSION



GIVING IS A PART OF WORSHIP

We do not pass the plate during the service. Boxes are located in the hallways for those who wish to worship by giving.