



ELDORADO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

**MORE THAN
A BUILDING**

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THE AWE

SAVE THESE DATES

Sunday

November 6

The Awe of God

5:00 pm –

“More Than A Building”
Dinner & Worship

Sunday

November 13

The Response of
God’s People

Sunday

December 4

First Fruits

Sunday

“More Than a Building” Worship and Dinner Event

November 6
5:00 PM

TONIGHT!

Our Campaign Event Dinner, followed by worship, will begin at 5:00 pm at College Heights Baptist Church. You really don’t want to miss this. Childcare is available at the College Heights Church for birth through kindergarten. If you have not made a reservation, the invitation is still open. Just come on! There is no charge for this event.

The Awe of God

In Acts chapter four, Peter and John have been arrested for their teaching and ministry for Christ. When the Council convened, they demanded that Peter and John no longer speak in the name of Jesus. But Peter and John answered, “We cannot but speak the things that we have seen and heard.” Why was this their response? Why were they so bold? They had been with Jesus and now stood in awe of Him. Standing in awe of God will always lead us to take bold positions in our lives. Perhaps Psalm 8 describes awe better than any other passage:

- 3 When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have set in place,
- 4 What is mankind that You are mindful of them, human beings that You care for them?
- 5 You have made them a little lower than the angels and crowned them with glory and honor.
- 6 You made them rulers over the works of Your hands; You put everything under their feet ...
- 9 Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth!



Years ago, there was a poster which showed the silhouette of a man walking into darkness. The caption read, “Faith is walking to the edge of the darkness and taking one more step.” Sometimes when God gives us a vision, it seems like we are walking into the darkness. But when God is in charge, the darkness will vanish when we step into it. Much like the children of Israel stepped forward at the Red Sea, we are called to step forward in the vision God has placed in front of us. Nothing demonstrates the Awe of God like the changes He makes in our lives when we trust Him.

Commitment Card

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone _____

After prayerful consideration, I/we have decided to make a financial commitment and join the **More Than A Building Campaign**. As God allows, I/we will commit the following resources to the campaign:

My/our commitment to give to the **More Than A Building Campaign** is to give \$ _____ per week for three years.

My/our commitment to give to the **More Than A Building Campaign** is to give \$ _____ per month for three years.

My/our commitment to give to the **More Than A Building Campaign** is as follows:

I / we understand that this commitment is before the Lord and is a statement of intent and may be modified as needed. All gifts are tax deductible.

Q & A

What happens on Response Sunday?

In our morning service on November 13, we will look at what it means to be responsive to God's Call. After weeks of prayer and preparation, we will each complete a commitment card and bring it to the altar.

What happens on First Fruits Sunday?

Our First Fruits Sunday, December 4, will begin our giving to the campaign. It will be an exciting time as we begin the obedient act of fulfilling our commitments.



Our Opportunity

The prophet Isaiah mentions that the Anointed, the church, will be called "oaks of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, that he may be glorified." God planted First Baptist Church of Eldorado 172 years ago, and as a result of many years of faithfulness, this church has grown. We owe our gratitude, first and foremost, to the Lord for His continued faithfulness. We also owe gratitude to many that have blazed a trail before us. We should be excited that we have the opportunity to continue building on that faithfulness. God is at work. Watch what He does as we do what we are called to do, and then stand in AWE of our mighty God.

— Tom Clore

Our Need

The financial need is great. That's why it is important to realize this will take each one of us. Every dollar we give reduces the amount the church will need to borrow. Our prayer is, "Lord, what are you calling me to do?" Would you pray this prayer and be ready for God to call you to help grow His kingdom in this place.

Our Verse

"You also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ."
— 1 Peter 2:5

Our Prayer

"Lord, what are you calling me to do?"



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