

Disability and Church: Building a culture of belonging

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Jason Le Shana challenged faith and disability workshop participants to commit to “one next move” toward building a culture of belonging.

Faith leaders key to providing access to mental health care

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When it comes to mental health, “too blessed to be stressed” isn’t an altogether helpful catchphrase, according to the American Psychiatric Association.

SBC to create sexual abuse response department

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Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee trustees on Sept. 17 approved a recommendation to create a department within the Executive

Committee to assist churches in the area of sexual abuse prevention and response.

SBC legal expenses surpass \$12M in three years

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The Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee reported it has spent more than \$12.1 million on the 2021-2022 Guidepost Solutions investigation into its handling of sexual abuse claims and subsequent legal expenses dating back to 2021.

Around the State: Shoes for Orphan Souls turns 25

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Buckner International celebrated the 25th anniversary of its largest humanitarian aid project, Buckner Shoes for Orphan Souls, Sept. 21.

Views about Latino voters' faith often distorted

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As reporters and pundits seek to understand the Latino voting bloc, they're digging into the faith of Hispanic communities. But some narratives distort the big picture of Latino faith.

SBC a cooperative 'force for good,' Jeff Iorg asserts

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The Southern Baptist Convention is a diverse, cooperative "force for good" that is poised to move forward on mission, Jeff Iorg said at his installation as the eighth president of the SBC Executive Committee Sept. 16 in Nashville.

Obituary: Vernon Dee Stokes

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Vernon Dee Stokes of Midland, longtime public educator and trustee of Wayland Baptist University, died Sept. 14. He was 85.

Obituary: John Theodore ‘Ted’ Sanders

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John Theodore “Ted” Sanders, former trustee and distinguished alumnus of Wayland Baptist University, died Sept. 8 in Angel Fire, N.M. He was 82

Successful leaders accept help, says Joni Eareckson Tada

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Good leaders often are told to play to their strengths and hide their weaknesses. That really never has worked for disability activist and nonprofit leader Joni Eareckson Tada.

Gen Z fearful, but Scripture

reduces anxiety, study shows

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Generation Z, the first to grow up with smartphones and tablets, is the most fearful and anxious of any age, the American Bible Society said in its latest release from the 2024 State of the Bible.

Springfield faith leaders stand with embattled migrants

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When a comment about immigrants during a presidential debate thrust Springfield, Ohio, into the national spotlight, the city's faith community rallied in support of their Haitian immigrant neighbors.