# Welcome to **#BC**

## January 19, 2025 Highland Baptist Church

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**Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD** Psalm 33:12;

#### Today we continue our study of I Peter

But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light: I Peter 2:9;

#### Congratulations to Bentley Mannon Reidland Intermediate School HOUND of the MONTH

#### JANUARY In the Year of Our Lord 2025

<u>Sunday</u>	10:30 - Worship Service In Person and on Facebook Live
	6:00 - The Rest of the Message
<u>Monday</u>	4:45 - Leadership Meeting
Wednesday	6:30 - Prayer & Choir Practice
<u>Saturday</u>	8:30 - Men's Breakfast Little Castle in Lone Oak - Meet in the Back Room

Pray For Revival - For America - For the Peace of Israel

#### WE STAND FOR



### The Command to Assemble

I know of no lone-ranger Christians anywhere in the New Testament church. They always met together, broke bread, and had fellowship. Acts 2:42 says, "And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. So how can you be devoted to the apostle's teachings without assembling together and hearing teachings behind the pulpit-in Sunday school or at a Sunday or Wednesday night Bible study? The words "one another" show up dozens and dozens of times in the New Testament, and it is always in the context of the Body of Christ, the church. No, church doesn't save you, but a saved person should desire the fellowship of the saints, as iron sharpens iron (Prov. 27:17). The Bible teaches that we should not be *neglecting to meet together* "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some *is;* but exhorting *one another:* and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching. (Hebrews 10:25). That day is apparently swiftly approaching, and we need one another all the more to "encourage one another".

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