



Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church
2251 El Paso
Grand Prairie, Texas 75051
Historic Landmark #61

On November 30, 1952, Mother Bulah Latham opened up her Grand Prairie home on Southwest 22nd Street to a group of Christian believers wanting to establish a church family rooted in the Word of God.

Rev. L.A. Hancock provided the leadership during this sacred, yet joyous occasion of the Morning Star Baptist Church's birth.

With God's blessings, the membership grew and they moved to a barrack on Sherman (W.E. Roberts) Street. Later, a larger building was needed and the members were willing to work. Property was purchased (where the church now stands) and a building was constructed with part of the labor done by the members themselves. On completion the building was paid for. There have been two other reconstructions since that time including the Sanctuary that stands today.

Pastors:

Rev. L.A. Hancock
Rev. J.S. Simmons
Rev. N.R. Washington
Rev. W.F. Drake, Jr.
Rev. T.O. Jordon
Rev. J.L. Williams
Current Pastor, Rev. C.L. Taylor

With God's guidance, these additional Ministries have been implemented:

Children's Church
Prison Ministries
Single Ministries
Teen Ministries
Noon Bible Studies

The Morning Star Church Family recently celebrated their 56th Church Anniversary, thanking God and giving Him the Glory.