



The mission of Tabernacle Baptist Church, under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, is to:

- proclaim the Good News
• nurture Christian growth
• minister to others in Jesus' name

Sunday, September 26, 2010 . . . . . Celebrate Senior Adults . . . . . 10:30 a.m.

Entering for Worship

▼ Choir Processional . . . . . Patty Pace, organ
Welcome and +Greeting . . . . . Dr. Wayne Hager

• Chimes

Invitation to Worship . . . . . Peggy Holland

Leader: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

People: Therefore we will not fear; though the earth should change, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea.

Leader: Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations; I am exalted in the earth.

People: The Lord of Hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

Leader: Let us worship God!

Prelude . . . . . Simple Gifts . . . . . Held

◆+Hymn of Praise #640 . . . . . Let All Things Now Living . . . . . ASH GROVE

Litany for Senior Adults . . . . . John White

Leader: We believe in the God of all ages, who is ageless and walks with us in every age.

People: We value older adults for who they are as persons before God and we encourage them to value themselves.

Leader: We believe in the unique worth of every person, old and young.

People: We will provide greater opportunities for older adults and youth to associate and interact with each other, and thus learn to know, respect, and support each other.

Leader: We believe life is an ongoing process of growth and change, that dead ends become the occasion for new beginnings.

People: We recognize the process of growth and change in our own lives and will provide opportunities for using the changes that are happening in the world to be growth experiences for young and old like.

Leader: We believe that older adults are pioneers of a new era of self-reliance and interdependence.

People: Christ's love elevates us to a position of responsibility to stand beside the older adults in our midst and to encourage, support and, assist them as they seek to live out their lives with joy, comfort, feelings of security, and in the knowledge that they are surrounded by those who care.

(Adapted from Abundant Life for Aging People,) from the Report of the Task Force with Aging Persons (1997)

Pastoral Prayer . . . . . Dr. Hager

Worship Through Proclamation, Tithes and Offerings, and Prayer

Children's Corner . . . . . Charlie Raynor

(Children ages 4—2nd grade are invited to exit for Children's Worship in the first hall on left.)

Celebrate Senior Adults Testimony . . . . . Mildred Wood

◆+Offertory Hymn #571 . . . . . Let Others See Jesus in You . . . . . COLEMAN

Offertory Prayer . . . . . Billie Marie Cyrus

Offertory . . . . . Ring the Bells of Heaven . . . . . arr. Mark Edwards

Joyful Reflections Choir

◆+Doxology . . . . . OLD 100TH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Scripture Reading . . . . . Jeremiah 32:1-15 (Pew Bible page # 561) . . . . . Lucy Collier

Message in Song . . . . . There's a Great Day Coming . . . . . arr. Wally Mayo

Joyful Reflections Choir and Chapel Choir

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▼ Please be seated as the choir processes into the Chapel.

• Please be seated as Chimes begin to play. + Please stand as you are able.

◆ Accompanists: Drew Thomas, piano; Patty Pace, organ

Deacon of the Week – Kay James

Message. . . . . *Hope is in God*. . . . . Dr. Hager

***Invitation to Response and Dedication***

- ◆+Hymn of Response #390. . . . . ***We Are Called to Be God's People***. . . . . AUSTRIAN HYMN  
*At this time you are invited to make public any decisions you have made for Christ,  
 church membership, ministry or to come for prayer at the altar or with the pastor.*
  - +Benediction. . . . . Peggy Holland
  - +Postlude. . . . . ***Finale***. . . . . Handel
- Please note that Rev. Wilson will exit the chapel following the anthem, at the request of Rev. Parker, to talk to the children in the ***Worship Preparation Class*** about music in worship. Peggy Holland will lead the Hymn of Response.



**Prayer concerns have been removed out of concern for privacy in this web edition but are available in the church office or in the printed version of the bulletin available at the church.**

**A complete listing of homebound (those in care facilities and at home) of our church family is available in the church office.**

***Opportunities for Blessing***

<p><u><b>Sunday, September 26—Celebrate Senior Adults</b></u></p> <p>8:30 a.m. WPTF (680 AM) Radio Ministry              9:00 a.m. Sunday School              10:30 a.m. Worship Service              11:30 a.m. Luncheon &amp; Church Conference (DR)              1:00 p.m. Worship (Raleigh Time Warner 22)              4:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal              5:00 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal              Youth Return from Myrtle Beach Retreat</p> <p><u><b>Monday, September 27, 2010</b></u></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Deadline for TBC Record Articles              9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers              10:00 a.m. Reflections Choir (Pullen Center)              4:00 p.m. Community Tutoring (A Wing)              6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (Metcalf Troop) (A20-21)              6:30 p.m. Leesville FCA (DR)              7:00 p.m. Sunday School Council (Conf. Rm)</p> <p><u><b>Tuesday, September 28, 2010</b></u></p> <p>55+ To RBA Senior Adult Rally              8:30 a.m. E. W. Jones Class Breakfasts (Pam's)              9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers</p> <p><u><b>Wednesday, September 29, 2010</b></u></p> <p>9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers              5:30 p.m. Family Night Buffet Supper              (continued on next column)</p>	<p><u><b>Wednesday, September 29, 2010 (continued)</b></u></p> <p>6:00 p.m. Prayertime around the tables              6:00 p.m. Preschoolers — Mission Friends              6:00 p.m. Children - Music &amp; Missions              6:00 p.m. Youth Activities              6:30 p.m. Adults—Small Groups              7:30 p.m. Chapel Choir</p> <p><u><b>Thursday, September 30, 2010</b></u></p> <p>9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers              4:00 p.m. Community Tutoring (A Wing)              7:00 p.m. Men of Purpose Bible Study (A20-21)              7:00 p.m. Personnel Committee (Conf. Rm)</p> <p><u><b>Saturday, October 2, 2010</b></u></p> <p>CROP Walk—Meet in Moore Square              11:00 a.m. ECPI Pinning Ceremony</p> <p><u><b>Sunday, October 3, 2010</b></u></p> <p>8:30 a.m. WPTF (680 AM) Radio Ministry              9:00 a.m. Sunday School              10:30 a.m. Worship Service—Lord's Supper              12:00 p.m. Church Council (DR)              1:00 p.m. Worship (Raleigh Time Warner 22)              2:00 p.m. Living Christmas Tree Rehearsal              4:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal              5:00 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal              6:00 p.m. Youth Group</p>
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## Communities Responding to Overcome Poverty.

The 2010 Raleigh CROP Hunger Walk is Saturday, October 2, from 9:30—11:30 AM Registration and activities are from 8—9:15 AM. The walk will be 3.1 miles, and will leave from and return

to *Marbles Kids Museum*, 201 East Hargett Street. Walker envelopes are available in the Gathering place. Please for people to sponsor your walk. If you are not able to walk, please sponsor the walk by marking an envelope *CROP Walk* and turning it in through the offering plate. If you have any questions, please see Wayne.



### Small Group Opportunities for this Fall

**Learn from the Hymns** — The Home Bible Study Small Group led by Clyde Smith meets next on Thursday, September 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Carol Jordan (1008 DeBoy St.). The study will be *Learn from the Hymns*, a six study series published by Christian Bible Studies. See Clyde Smith for a study guide (\$2) or for more information.

**Men of Purpose Bible Study will meet on September 30 at 7 p.m.**—This Men’s Bible Study meets on the last Thursday of each month in room A20 - 21. All men are invited to participate. **Men in the Bible: Examples to Live By**, author Don Charles, is the study book. This month is Lesson #5 with Sam Lytle as the facilitator.

#### **Wednesday Small Groups Fall Session from 6:30—7:30 pm**

**The 5 Love Languages of Children:** Children express and receive love through one of five different communication styles. Join our **Minister of Children, Rev. Esther Parker**, to discover your child’s primary language and learn what you can do to effectively convey unconditional feelings of respect, affection, and commitment that will resonate in your child’s emotions and behavior. **The cost of the book is ,which would be good supplemental reading for the class, is \$10.19.** This group will meet in Room A12.

**Baptist Diversity** — Using Baptist theologian Fisher Humphreys’ book, *The Way We Were* and your own experiences, come and explore the almost dizzying (and perhaps unknown) array of traditions and beliefs which contributed to our theological understandings at the turn of the 21st century. Led by **Rev. Dick Wilson.** (*This group will continue in Session Two*) **The cost of the book to be discussed is \$15.00** This group will meet in A14.

**The New Art of the Job Search** — The most current numbers show there are five capable candidates for every open job opportunity. You need a plan of attack that incorporates your personal marketing plan, your resume, and your “profile” on the internet. This group will include a review of these topics and is led by **Tim Parker.** This group will meet in the Dining Room.

**Learn from the Hymns**— See description above. Led by **Clyde Smith.** **The study guide is \$2.** This group will meet in A18.



**Each Monday, 10 AM—Reflection Choir, Pullen Center  
September 28—RBA Senior Rally  
October 12, Rocky Hock Theater, Washington, NC**

Sign up in the bulletin, **Gathering Place** or church office.  
**Contact Peggy for more information or with questions**



### ***In Honor of our Homebound***

Deon Acree, Elizabeth Adcock, Nell Bailey, Linard Bailey, (VA, Durham), Doris Bone, Lee Burke (Spring Arbor), Sarah Coates, Dot & Jerry Cooper (Sunrise Senior Living), Eva Creech, Evelyn Cross, Betty Durham, Mike Falzone, Lillian Hunter (Mayview), Frances Jones, Elsie Lee, Ann Marie Lewis (mother of Sandy Strickland), Mary Magnum-Adams (Clare Bridge of Cary), Hugh & Joyce Massengill, Peggy Medlin, Evelyn O’Neal (Elm Croft), Eloise Partin (Independence Village), Norma Proctor, Vernell Raynor, Addie Lee Rideout (Spring Arbor), Johnny Seitz (Clare Bridge of Cary-father of Johnna Simmons), Lucille Smith (Rex Healthcare), Hubert Vickers, Marita Warner (Cary Health & Rehab)



**TBC Community Tutoring Ministry**

We have started and we are still receiving applications. If you would like to try your hand at tutoring or if you know a student who would benefit from tutoring, contact Larry James 919-523-1035.

**Church wide Workday**  
**Saturday, October 9**  
**beginning at 8:00 a.m.**

Bring your gardening tools and come to work and have fellowship. Contact Bill Jones, Chair of Building & Grounds, with any questions.



**Homecoming is October 10**

**Worship begins at 10:00 a.m.**

Dr. Jack Coffey, former Pastor in the Interim, will be our guest speaker. Traditionally, we do not have Sunday School on this day. A catered meal will follow the service Remember to bring a dessert and sign up for the catered meal. Please use the tear off tab to make your reservation or call or e-mail the church office. (info@tabernacle-raleigh.org)



**Children's Worship Preparation Classes**

TBC Children's Ministry invites children ages four through second grade to attend our **Worship Preparation Classes**. The classes cover many aspects of worship including *Music, Prayer, Baptism and Communion* and are being held during Children's Worship in room B16.

**Celebrating Children Sunday** is October 17 when all children will participate in worship. Also, the 2nd graders will receive Bibles during worship. Please contact Esther Parker for more information.

**Special Need for Bars of Soap**

The **Volunteer's of America's Maple Court Transitional Housing for Homeless Veterans** (managed by Joy Hager) is in need of bars of soap for the residents. If you have any, please leave them at the Pastor's office door or in the basket at any entrance.



**Community Fall Festival**  
**Saturday, October 23**

Please help by donating a bag of individually wrapped candy. Place your candy in the basket at the front door or outside Esther's office. Watch for sign up sheets to volunteer at the Festival.

**Handbells at Tabernacle**

Our set of Schulmerich handbells has been refurbished and we are using them in rehearsal. The Rehearsal is each Sunday afternoon at 4 PM in the sanctuary. We need YOU in bell choir! Come today!



**Living Christmas Tree News**

**Living Christmas Tree**

rehearsals will continue with a rehearsal on October 3 at 2:00 p.m. Contact Candy if you need more information. This year the **Living Christmas Tree** will be a new musical recently written by Pepper Choplin, Minister of Music at Greystone Baptist Church in Raleigh.



**From Gardens & Memorials**

With Fall quickly approaching, we see the Master's hand changing the leaves all around us. Let us be thankful each day for God's creation.



**Church Conference**

**TODAY**

11:45 a.m. Lunch  
(Menu, sandwiches, salad, chips and dessert)

12:15 p.m. Church Conference.



**Time to Renew Your CPR Training**

An **American Heart Association CPR Update & Renewal Class** will be offered on Saturday, October 30 beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. Please sign up on the tear off tab or call the church office. Faye Coleman will be the instructor.

**How to Become a Member of Tabernacle Baptist Church**

**By Profession of Faith** in Jesus Christ and Baptism by immersion.

**By Letter** of membership from a Baptist church.

**By Statement of Experience** a person may be received upon statement of his or her Christian experience and baptism by immersion.

**By Watch care** (keeping your membership at your home church while briefly residing in this area).

**The Pastor is happy to meet with prospective members to answer any questions.**



## **Hands on Missions**

### **September Hands on Missions Projects**

*Each month the Hands on Missions Team will have a listing of projects for the church family to participate in as a family, Sunday School Class, or any other group in the church. If any group has a mission project, please let this team know so it can be added to the listing. Darren Metcalf, John Freeman and Larry James will be leading the team and church in fulfilling these projects.*

#### **Education Outreach (Tutoring Children and Youth)**

Project Leader: Larry James 919-523-1035

Location: At TBC

Action: Provide tutoring for children in schools. See Larry James to become a tutor or to register a student. First monthly meeting for tutors is Monday, September 20 at 7 PM.

#### **Adopt-A-Park (awaiting Trustee approval of contract)**

Project Leader: Darren Metcalf

Location: Lake Lynn Park (Entry to the park is on Ray Road)

Action: Clean up an area park at least 4 times a year.

#### **Ongoing Mission Project—Food for Urban Ministries**

Urban Ministries helps those in need with food, medical resources, and utility bills. Items needed most are canned food, canned meats, mac n cheese. Place your items in the baskets at the entrances.

#### **Ongoing Mission Project—Linen Closet**

Referrals are made through Wake County Social Services Dept. for needy families to receive blankets, sheets and out linens. Leave donated items at the coffee area.

### **October Hands on Mission Project**

#### **CROP Walk for Hunger —October 2 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.**

Project Leader: Wayne Hager

Location: Meet at Marbles Kids Museum

Action: Communities Responding to Overcome Poverty

#### **Field Trip to Maple Court VOA, Durham (Coordinated with Joy Hager)**

Project Leader: Joy Hager, Willa Dean Hagler

Action: Take the bus to Durham after church on a Sunday to take a tour of the Maple Court VOA so the congregation can see first hand our ministry.

#### **Christian Library International – Project ends October 31**

Project Leader: Gary Cyrus

Location: TBC Collection Site

Project: Collect Christian books for prisoners.

[www.christianlibraryinternational.org](http://www.christianlibraryinternational.org)

#### **Community Fall Festival – October 23**

Project Leader: Children's Council

Location: TBC Front lawn

Project: Provide family fun and outreach to our community.

#### **Feed the Homeless – October 31**

Project leader: John Freeman, Youth Council, Children's Council

Location: Downtown Shelter on Wilmington Street

Action: Help share God's love with those who are homeless.

***Pray about how you can be involved in  
Hands on Missions at TBC.***

## **Celebrate the Ministries of Tabernacle**

Each of our celebration Sundays through October will celebrate the ways in which Tabernacle shares the Gospel through its various ministries. You are a part of each of these ministries as you contribute your time, your talents, your prayers, and your financial resources. The challenge for each of us is to commit 100% of ourselves to the ministry of Tabernacle.

Be sure to check out the growing display in the ***Gathering Place*** which by the last week of our emphasis will display many of the ministries of Tabernacle. So far:

**Christian Education and Missions**  
**Senior Adults**

**September 26**  
***Celebrate Senior Adults Day***

**October 3**  
***Celebrate World Communion Day***

**October 10**  
***Celebrate Homecoming***  
***Dr. Jack Coffey, Guest Preacher***

**October 17**  
***Celebrate Children Day***  
***The church members will also vote on the 2011 Budget.***  
***Offering of signed Stewardship Commitment Cards***

**October 24**  
***Celebrate Music Day***  
Children's Choir  
Chapel Choir  
Praise Team  
Reflection Choir  
Handbells

**October 31**  
***Celebrate Youth Day***

# Welcome to Tabernacle

September 19, 2010

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

*If you are a church member, where*

\_\_\_\_\_

Please circle (ages):

19-29 30-39 40-49 50-59 60-69 70+

Children Names & ages: Attended with you?

\_\_\_\_\_ yes no

\_\_\_\_\_ yes no

\_\_\_\_\_ yes no

\_\_\_\_\_ yes no

\_\_ 1st 2nd 3rd time guest

\_\_ regular attendee

### ***I would like to:***

\_\_\_\_\_ know more about becoming a Christian.

\_\_\_\_\_ share that I've recently received Christ.

\_\_\_\_\_ be baptized.

\_\_\_\_\_ join the church.

\_\_\_\_\_ have someone/pastor to contact me.

\_\_\_\_\_ receive the newsletter.

### ***I would like the following people placed on the church prayer list:***

Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Relation: \_\_\_\_\_

Concern: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Relation: \_\_\_\_\_

Concern: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*I learned about the church from* \_\_\_\_\_

**(Please tear off & place in the offering plate.)**

# Information and Sign-ups

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

### **Family Night Supper**

Wednesday, September 29, 2010

Tabernacle Learning Center provides the meal for a donation.

Menu: Chick-fil-a Sandwiches, Vegetables, Salad and dessert

### **Veggie Pattie available as a meat substitute.**

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Adults

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Children

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Veggie Pattie meals

\_\_\_\_\_ Please put me on the permanent list.

Adults (ages 13 and up) .....\$5

Children (ages 12 and under) ..... Free

Maximum per family in same residence. . . \$15

1. **I/We would like a recording of the Sunday service.**

**The suggested donation is \$3.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ DVD

\_\_\_\_\_ CD \_\_\_\_\_ Cassette Tape

2. \_\_\_\_\_ I/We would like more information about the CROP Walk on October 2.

3. \_\_\_\_\_ Here are the names and contact information of prospects for Sunday School and church:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ I/We want to be a part of "Hands on Missions" opportunities at TBC.

5. **Senior Adult Activities to sign up for:**

\_\_\_\_\_ RBA Rally on Sept. 28

\_\_\_\_\_ Rocky Hock Theatre on October 12

6. \_\_\_\_\_ I/We would like more information about ringing handbells.

7. \_\_\_\_\_ I/We want to make reservations for the Homecoming meal on October 10.

8. \_\_\_\_\_ I/We would like to know more about Community Tutoring at TBC.

9. \_\_\_\_\_ I/We are interested in the CPR Training on October 30.

*(Please tear off and place in offering plate)*