

Tabernacle Record

From the Pastor

As we approach Thanksgiving, let me give some thanks:

For the Staff: I hope, that along with me, you will include your church staff on your list of blessings this Thanksgiving. I pray that you realized through our Celebrate Sundays the tremendous ministry and work that is done by our staff as they join together with you in the ministry of Tabernacle. We are blessed to have such a dedicated and gifted group of people. Thank you Candy, Phyllis, Peggy, Lucille, Esther, Dane, Stephanie, Brian, Willie, and John (and Fulton as our contract groundskeeper).

For the Deacons: These past two years, the Deacon ministry has been going through a change. We have adopted a gift based approach to deacon ministry which allows each deacon to utilize his/her giftedness from God. As a result, our deacons are more active in congregational care giving, new member mentoring, and outreach and inreach than in any time in recent memory. Thanks to the deacons for assuming new roles and leadership positions which have resulted in a more effective deacon ministry.

For my family: No one knows the demands on the family of a pastor, unless you have been in a pastor's family. Our family life revolves around the church schedule and activities and the unexpected needs of the congregation. While there are many blessings, there are also sacrifices. Without the love, prayers, understanding, and support of Joy, Matthew, Nathan, and Laura, I could not do the ministry I do. Thank you for always being there for me

For God's love and grace: I cannot imagine what life would be like without my relationship to God through Jesus Christ. I am thankful for God's sustaining love. I am thankful for the times that God's spirit soothes my aching soul. I am thankful for God's forgiveness that gives me a new page in my life each day. I am thankful for the vision the Lord gives me for my life. I pray that my actions will convey that thankfulness in words and deeds.

This is only the beginning of my thankfulness. Who or what is on your list?

See you Sunday.

Peace,

Wayne

November Notes

Sunday, November 14

10:30 a.m. Service of Ordination to the Gospel Ministry for Brian Daugherty Sunday & Gathering of the Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child

12:00 p.m. Sunday School Teachers & Leaders Lunch & Meeting—Dining Room

2:00 p.m. Hands on Missions at Durham Rescue Mission — participate in Worship Service

6:00 p.m. Second Sunday Praise Service

Sunday, November 21

10:30 a.m. Baptismal Service for Brayden & Bailey Metcalf

2:00 p.m. Construction begins on Living Christmas Tree

Tuesday, November 23

6:15 p.m. Thanksgiving Service in the Dining Room (come for a snack supper at 5:30 p.m.)

Sunday, November 28—First Sunday in Advent

10:30 a.m. Hanging of the Green Service

11:30 a.m. Churchwide Spaghetti Luncheon as a fund raiser for the January youth ski trip

12:15 p.m. Church Conference

Veterans Recognition during November

Be sure to look at the *Veteran's Display* in the *Gathering Place*, composed of pictures of our veterans. If you did not bring your picture this week, please do so next Sunday. We will leave the pictures on display throughout November. Thanks to our Veterans for their service.



Honor Our Veterans

Love offering for Willie Thorpe

Willie Thorpe's last day on our staff is December 31. The deacons have authorized a love offering for Willie to be collected through Sunday, December 12. Please help show your great appreciation for Willie's 31 years of faithful service by contributing to this offering. Pink Tabernacle offering envelopes are available in the pew racks — mark your offering "Willie Thorpe."

The Small Groups will meet November 10, 17, and December 1 at 6:30 p.m. each night

Tabernacle 103—Facilitator Dr. Wayne Hager

Meets in Room A13 Book Cost: None

Max Lucado's Fearless—Facilitator Sam Lytle

Meets in Room A18 Book Cost \$9

Baptist Diversity—Facilitator Dick Wilson

Meets in Room A15 Book Cost: \$15.00

It's a Wonderful Life—Facilitator Phil Crane

Meets in Dining Room Book Cost: None

Continuing Small Groups

Men of Purpose meets November 30

Tabernacle Service Ministries

Sunday, November 14, 2010

Deacon of the Week

Errol Fogg

Safety Ministry (Sunday & Wednesday)

David Adams

Sunday Transportation

Driver – Chris Adams 609-0755

Coordinator- Steve Krause (834-2286)

Extended Teaching Care

(for Babies, Toddlers, 2/3-Year Olds)

10:30 a.m.

Faye Coleman, Pam Thomas, Ginger Mann

Sunday, November 21, 2009

Deacon of the Week

John Montague

Safety Ministry (Sunday & Wednesday)

Wallace Alley

Sunday Transportation

Driver – Phil Crane 833-0795

Coordinator- Steve Krause (834-2286)

Extended Teaching Care

(for Babies, Toddlers, 2/3-Year Olds)

10:30 a.m.

Phyllis King, Amy Hood, Pam Hixon

Facts & Figures

Sunday School.....10-31-2010.....	11-7-2010
Enrollment..... 278.....	278
Visitors..... 2.....	2
New Members..... 0.....	0
Total Present..... 134.....	134
Worship.....	173

Financial Facts and Figures

Revenues Required Weekly	\$14,899.42
Revenues (10-24-10).....	\$9,391.85
Revenues (10-31-10).....	\$10,211.00
Revenues M-T-D (Oct.).....	\$53,883.85
Revenues Required M-T-D (Oct.).....	\$74,497.10
Debt Retirement Remaining (Sept.).....	\$457,308.87
Debt Retirement Donations (Oct.).....	\$2,163.00

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If you have anything for either of these documents, please consider these deadlines.

Mission Statement

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.**



Family
Night
Supper

Family Night Supper

Wednesday, November 17, 2010

Barbecue, Potatoes, Green Beans,
Salad Bar, Rolls, & Dessert

Tuesday, November 23, 2010

Soup, Sandwiches & Dessert

**Reminder: Make your reservation by
4 p.m. on Monday.**

Thank You

From Johnna Simmons... Thank you all for the prayers during my father's illness. Words cannot express how grateful I am to the staff who have ministered to me and my family during this time. The beautiful memorial service held here at Tabernacle was a wonderful way to celebrate my father's victory over his sickness. Thanks to all who had a part in the meal and warm hospitality shown to our family. I will never forget the love of my church family during one of the most difficult times for me.

Memorial Service for Ruby Pigman

Saturday, November 20 at 10:30 a.m.

Tabernacle Baptist Church Chapel

New "Community Connection"!

The Outreach Committee will have a "Community Connection" in the Gathering Place each week following the worship service. This event is for the purpose of providing the guests to our worship service a time to meet the pastor, other staff and our church family. Part of the greeting time will include a coffee and light refreshments. In the near future, your Sunday School Class will be asked to participate in this fellowship time.

**Check out the various
"Hands on Missions" Projects**

**Raleigh Rescue Mission & Veterans
of America Thanksgiving Dinner—Saturday, November 13
at 12 noon (VOA for supper)**



Hands on Missions

We will be hosting a Thanksgiving Outreach for the Raleigh Rescue Mission at TBC and then taking the remainder of the food to the Veterans of America in Durham for supper. We need your help! **Please have your food at the church by 11:30 a.m.** All food left from the lunch will be taken to the Veterans of America so these men and women can have a delicious supper.

**Operation Christmas Child -
Shoebbox collection is November 14**

You may either do a box or donate \$20 for your box to be completed with your name on the box. Pick up a flyer in the foyer with all the instructions.



Stone Soup Supper to support Urban Ministries

Urban Ministries of Wake County's annual fundraising event, *Stone Soup Supper*, is Tuesday, November 16 at First Baptist Church, 99 Salisbury St., at 11:30 a.m. or from 5 to 7 p.m. Soup, bread, and dessert are provided at no charge. Wonderful hand-thrown bowls by the Triangle Potters Guild are available for a \$25 donation to Urban Ministries of Wake County.



Ongoing Projects:

Community Tutoring Program—See Larry James

Adopt-A-Park—See Darren Metcalf

Maple Court Veterans of America — See Willa Dean Hagler

Linen Closet—See Peggy Gooch

Food for Urban Ministries & North Raleigh Ministries —

Collection containers at doors

Handy Man Ministry—See Darren Metcalf

Feed the Homeless—See John Freeman

Senior Adults Calendar...

...Nov. 11—Lunch at the church

...Nov. 16—Fruitcake Factory Trip

...Dec. 9—Lunch at the church

...Dec. 14—Rudy Theater in Selma

Dec. 17—Golden Years Christmas Party



Fruitcake Factory Details: Leave the church at 10:30 a.m.

Cost \$3.00 Lunch along the way. Be back by 4:30 p.m.

Rudy Theater Details: Leave at 10:30 a.m. with lunch at

Golden Corral, be back home by 6:00 p.m. Cost \$25 for

ticket and fuel for the bus—Make your reservation and pay for the ticket by December 8.

Mark your calendar for these events and sign up in the bulletin, Gathering Place or church office. Contact Peggy Holland for more information or with questions.

"Wedding Bells"

***LaDonna Coley & Bartley Jones would like you
to join them as they begin their journey
together. Their wedding is***

Saturday, November 20, 2010 at 6:30 p.m.

Tabernacle Baptist Church

Light appetizers to follow



Living Christmas Tree

December 10 at 7:00 p.m.

December 11 & 12 at 5:00 p.m.

SOMETHING NEW: Please note that Saturday is our **Family Performance** and child care will be provided for birth through Kindergarten at the Saturday presentation only. Child care reservations must be made at the time tickets are received.

Tickets are available on Sundays - before and after the Worship Service and on Wednesday evening in the Gathering Place — Other times in the church office

Baptist Men's Breakfast

Saturday, November 20 at 8:00 a.m.

***There will be a work session to bring up all the
Living Christmas Tree materials.***

Men's Ministry Worship Rally

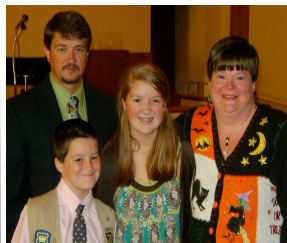
There is a Men's Ministry Worship Rally on November 15 at Highland Baptist Church. The cost for this event is \$5 which covers the cost of the meal. Event starts at 6:30PM and goes until 8:30PM. If you are interested in the event, please let Darren Metcalf know so he can make reservations by November 6. Transportation can be arranged to make it easier for the group to attend.

Birthday Party for Jesus

On Saturday, December 4 from 9:00 to 12:00 all children are invited to a morning of Christmas Crafts, Story time, games and a **Birthday Party for Jesus**. Children will also rehearse for the Children's Christmas Pageant which will be held during morning worship on Sunday, December 5.

As this is also a **Parent's Morning Out** we need to know how many children will participate in this event so we have enough volunteers for the morning. Please contact Esther Parker to reserve your child's spot and to volunteer.

Welcome New Members!



Bailey Metcalf (center) and Brayden Metcalf (front left) came on Sunday , October 31 making a profession of faith and requesting baptism. Bailey and Brayden are pictured with their parents Darren and Elisa. Their sister, Delaney, is already a member. The Metcalf's reside at 5832 Ventry Court, Raleigh, NC 27613. Their deacon is Chris Adams.



Christie McLean joined on November 7, 2010 by transfer of letter. Christie is already a member of our newly formed Handbell Choir. Christie resides at 1301 Aragon Drive, Apt. 207, Knightdale, 27545. Christie's deacon is Linda Spurgeon.

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Opportunities for Blessings

Thursday, November 11, 2010 - Veterans Day

11:30 a.m. 55+ Luncheon (DR)
4:00 p.m. Community Tutoring (A Wing)
6:30 p.m. Supper & Bible Study (Jordan Home)

Friday, November 12, 2010

9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers
7:00 p.m. Youth Lock-In begins

Saturday, November 13, 2010

7:00 p.m. Youth Lock-In ends
12:00 p.m. Raleigh Rescue Mission Luncheon

Sunday, November 14, 2010

Operation Christmas Child Collection Day

8:30 a.m. WPTF (680 AM) Radio Ministry
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service—Ordination Service
11:30 p.m. Community Connection Gathering Place
12:00 p.m. Sunday School Teachers & Leaders Meet
1:00 p.m. TBC Worship (Raleigh Time Warner 22)
2:00 p.m. Durham Rescue Mission Service
4:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
5:00 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
6:00 p.m. 2nd Sunday Praise Service

Monday, November 15, 2010

9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers
10:00 a.m. Reflection Choir (Pullen Center)
4:00 p.m. Community Tutoring (A Wing)
6:00 p.m. Baptist Men's Rally (Highland BC)
6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (Metcalf Troop) (A20-21)
7:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Cox) (DR)
7:15 p.m. Church Nominating Committee (Conf. Rm)
7:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (Hicks) (A16)

Tuesday, November 16, 2010

9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers
10:30 a.m. 55+ - Southern Supreme Fruitcake Factory
6:00 p.m. Children's Council
6:00 p.m. Supper Club (Mini Bus)
7:00 p.m. Sunday School Council (Conf. Rm)
7:30 p.m. Budget & Finance (A20-21)

Wednesday, November 17, 2010

9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers
5:30 p.m. Family Night Buffet Supper
6:00 p.m. Prayertime around the tables
6:00 p.m. Preschoolers — Mission Friends
6:00 p.m. Children - Music & Missions
6:00 p.m. Youth Activities
6:30 p.m. Adults—Small Groups
7:30 p.m. Chapel Choir
8:15 p.m. Living Christmas Tree Rehearsal

Thursday, November 18, 2010

9:00 a.m. Linen Closet (First Presbyterian)
9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers
4:00 p.m. Community Tutoring (A Wing)
7:30 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

Friday, November 19, 2010

9:30 a.m. TLC for Preschoolers
6:30 p.m. Coley & Jones Wedding Rehearsal (Chapel & DR)

Saturday, November 20, 2010

8:00 a.m. Baptist Men's Breakfast
10:30 a.m. Memorial Service for Ruby Pigman (Chapel)
6:30 p.m. Jones & Coley Wedding (Chapel & Dining Room)

Sunday, November 21, 2010

8:30 a.m. WPTF (680 AM) Radio Ministry
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service—Baptismal Service
11:30 p.m. Community Connection Gathering Place
1:00 p.m. TBC Worship (Raleigh Time Warner 22)
2:00 p.m. Living Christmas Tree Construction Begins
2:00 p.m. Living Christmas Tree Rehearsal
4:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
6:00 p.m. Youth Program