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Following Jesus...

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I can remember the thrill as a child of being chosen by the teacher to go outside and clean the chalk erasers. (We were easily amazed) I don't know if it was because you were able to go outside or if it was the thrill of knocking the erasers together and watching the chalk fly. I can only remember that being chosen was thrilling. If you grew up when chalk and erasers were used, you truly understand the meaning of the term "wiping the slate clean." Of course, those in later generations will remember dry erase boards and pens. I assume our best analogy of "wiping the slate clean" today is our delete button on our computers. We have always longed for a way to "wipe the slate clean" and start over. Whether it is covering a drawing in the sand, erasing a chalkboard, wiping a dry eraser board or deleting an item digitally; we long to be able to start again.

There are many moments in life we would like to be able to do over. We can recall moments of failure or when we did not do our best. We can remember moments when knowing what we know now, we would have made a different decision. God had such a moment. In Genesis 6:5 we read:

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Patriotic Celebration



June 29 • 6:00 pm

on the lawn outside of the sanctuary entrance



Bring your lawn chairs and invite your neighbors and friends to join us for an evening of good food, fellowship and patriotic music provided by the Trinity Orchestra.

This Sunday At Trinity

8:45am	Worship (Sanctuary)
9:30	Welcome Center Opens (Narthex)
9:45	Sunday School (Bible Study for all ages)
10:55	Extended Teaching Care (E100 Hallway)
	Worship (Sanctuary)
7:00pm	Church Conference (Chapel)

Seeking Foster Parents

**Every Monday and Thursday
6:00-9:00pm • Underground**

Thompson Child and Family Focus will be having classes for people interested in becoming Foster parents at Trinity throughout the summer. The program highlights include: short-term, long-term, and respite care for children ages birth to 21 years.

The 7 week training begins this week. Contact Mary Mackins at (919) 294-6862, email mmackins@thompsoncff.org or just come to the Underground this Thursday.

Welcome to Trinity

Stephanie Johnson of Raleigh, joined TBC by letter from Forest Hills Baptist Church of Wilson, NC.

Wilma Blake of Raleigh, joined TBC by letter from New Bethel Baptist Church of Garner, NC.

Jim & Lisa Pendergrass of Raleigh, joined TBC by statement of their faith from Grace Community Church of Raleigh, NC.

Following Jesus... *continued*

The Lord saw how great man's wickedness on earth had become and that every inclination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil all the time. The Lord was grieved that He had made man and His heart was filled with pain. So, the Lord said, "I will wipe mankind, who I have created, from the face of the earth-for I am grieved that I have made them. But Noah found favor in the eyes of the Lord."

God arrived at a point where the sin of men and women was so great that God wanted to start over. This is the story of the flood. What can we learn from this story when God "wiped the slate clean"? This coming Sunday we will consider the story of Noah as we continue our series on "Vacation Spots of the Old Testament". My sermon will be from Genesis 6 and it is entitled "Noah's Sea Cruise and God's Reset". I hope you will join us for worship and Sunday School.

Women's Book Club

**Third Thursday of each month
June 19 • 7:00pm • Parlor
Facilitator: Beth Duke**

Miss Julia Hits the Road
by Ann B. Ross

Deepest Sympathies

Nell Dean on the death of her nephew, Bill Lewis of Snow Hill, NC on June 12th.

Deacon of the Week

Kevin Gard has been a member of Trinity since 1977 and is a native of Raleigh. He and his wife, Amanda have two children, Will, and Emily. He is a Integrated Radio Design Engineer with Analog Devices. He serves in Extended Teaching Care and is a substitute 4th Grade SS Teacher. Class. He works with the Coble/Roberts SS Class. He also works with deacons Julie Lee and Ryan Smith.



The Nominating Committee is looking for the right person to serve. Maybe you are the one. Be open to the call.

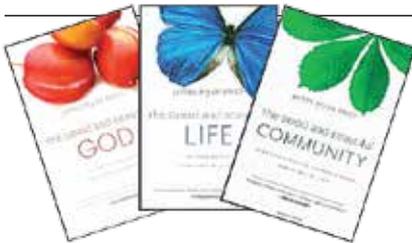
✚ NORTH RALEIGH MINISTRIES

This Week's Food Pantry Needs:

- Jelly (completely out)
- Canned pastas (completely out)
- Hamburger Helper
- Macaroni and Cheese
- Cleaning Products

Summer Discipleship 2014

June 4 - August 17 • Wednesday Evenings • 6:30 - 7:30pm



James Bryan Smith's Book Apprentice Series

The Good and Beautiful God • B231

We all have ideas that we tell ourselves about God and how He works in our lives. Some are true--but many are false. The most important thing about a person is what they think about God. The path to spiritual transformation begins here.

Turning to the Gospels, you'll go through the process of spiritual formation that includes specific activities aimed at making these new narratives real in your body and soul, as well as your mind.

Join Dr. Jeff Roberts and the Ministerial Staff

...in learning about practicing Christian spiritual formation.

The Good and Beautiful Life • B239

"I have never met a person whose goal was to ruin his or her life. We all want to be happy, and we want it all of the time."

Following the Sermon on the Mount, we look behind these character flaws and replace our false beliefs with Jesus' narratives about life in the kingdom of God.

The Good and Beautiful Community • B236

Acknowledging that Christians tend to emphasize personal faith over social justice, or vice versa, Smith shows how to bring spiritual formation and community engagement together--learning to live in relationship with others as apprentices of Christ and impacting the world in which we live.

Childcare is available for Bible Studies upon request.

Join Us Wednesday Night in the B Hallway.

Senior Adult Ministries...the Better Half of Life

Rev. Hal Melton, hmelton@tbcraleigh.com

50th Wedding Anniversary Gala Celebration Lunch

Saturday, June 28

11:30 am • FH • Cost: \$10/person

Sign-up in the B Hallway Senior sign-up area

Have you been married 50 or more years, this includes those whose spouse is deceased but you would have been married 50 years or more this year.

D-Day 3D: Normandy 1944

Tuesday, July 15 • 9:00 am-2:00 pm

IMAX Theatre Downtown

Lunch: Big Ed's

Cost: \$6 admission plus lunch

Seventy years ago, a historic landing changed the world. June 6, 1944: The largest Allied operation of World War II began in Normandy, France. Few know in detail exactly why and how, from the end of 1943 through August 1944, this region became the most important location in the world. D-Day 3D: Normandy 1944 brings this monumental event to the world's largest screens for the first time ever. This 43 minute documentary will show you in breathtaking IMAX® 3D how this landing changed the world by exploring history, military strategy, science, technology and human values. Narrated by Tom Brokaw, D-Day 3D: Normandy 1944 pays tribute to those who gave their lives for our freedom... A duty of memory, a duty of gratitude!

After the documentary, we'll go over to Big Ed's for lunch.

Sign-up in the Senior Corner of the B hallway. If you have questions, call Kathy Driver at 919-621-0236.

An Ashville Holiday

November 19 - 21

Lodging: Comfort Suites Biltmore

Price Per Person

Double Occupancy: \$519

Insurance: \$53

Deposit - \$200 due at sign-up

Your \$200 deposit ensures your place on the bus. Please make the check out to Trinity Baptist Church.

Sign-up sheet and trip brochures on B Hall

Call Sylvia Pearce at (919-671-9622) with questions.

Highlights of Trip

- Biltmore Estate – Candlelight Tour
- Antler Hill Village & Winery Tour
 - National Gingerbread House Competition at the Grove Park inn
 - "A Christmas Carol" at Flat Rock Playhouse
 - Tour of "The Cove": Billy Graham's Training Center
- Meals: 2 Continental Breakfasts, Lunch Buffet at Grove Park Inn, Dinner at Deer Park Inn

Nursing Homes & Homebound Visits

Every 3rd Wednesday each Month

Wednesday, June 18 • 10:00 am

Meet in the Fellowship Hall

Clothing Needed For Mission in McCreary Co, Kentucky

Clothing Closets:

New Underwear
(all types and sizes, especially XL)

Blue Jeans
(men's & kid's: all sizes, & women's: XL)

New and Lightly Used Gym Shoes
(all sizes and types)

Home-bound and Elderly Ministry:

Adult Diapers

Chucks (bed pads)

Hospital Gowns

Towels and washcloths - all sizes

If you don't have these items to donate, bring whatever clothing you have, they can use it! Or consider visiting NRM's Thrift Shoppe or other similar businesses to purchase items to donate to the Hills and Hollers Ministries.

Please pack items in kitchen trash bags and leave them in the box in the collection area in the B building beside the NRM Food Collection Box. They will be taken to KY as soon as a truckload has been collected.



Wake Interfaith Hospitality Network

Hosting Week: July 27 - Aug 3

Please mark your calendars NOW to participate in this mission of hospitality to homeless families with children here at Trinity. Our guests will appreciate it so much!! Volunteer positions are **Overnight Host & Hostess** (Sunday through Saturday evenings); **Van Drivers** (6:30-7:30am and 5:30-6:30pm); **Dinner Preparers** (Sunday School Classes); **Recreation Leaders** (each evening around 6:45-8:00pm). Sign-up sheets will be on the Narthex bulletin board on Sunday, June 29th. Find a yellow brochure in racks around the campus and discover how YOU are needed!

Jobs For Life

Begins Sunday, September 14

TBC has partnered with Jobs for Life (JfL) to help those who are underemployed and unemployed in our community to learn about God's plan for work, discover road blocks in their lives to getting a job, and gaining the skills and confidence to do an effective job search. This is done through an excellent curriculum provided by JfL. The Lead Team is ready to offer its 14th class this fall.

If you or someone you know is interested in being a student in this class, please contact the church office (hmelton@tbcraleigh.com or 919-787-3740) to receive an application. Applications are due into the office by Sunday, August 31.

TBC/Red Cross Blood Drive

Sunday, July 13
9:30am - 2:30pm • Fellowship Hall

To register an appointment time, please go to the Trinity Baptist Website www.tbcraleigh.com and scroll down until you see Red Cross Blood Drive on the left side. Click on that link and you will go to the Red Cross donation site. Use the Sponsor Code "Trinity Baptist" and it will let you sign-up for July 13. Thanks!

Music Ministry

Rev. Steve Byers, slbyers@tbcraleigh.com

Special thanks for Jordan Roberts and Liz Brantley as they shared their duet in worship this past Sunday morning. **Thank you, Joy Blashaw, for leading in my place while on vacation, and for Barbara Bowen filling in for Wayne while he is away.** I thank God for the tremendous, giving hearts of musicians like we have here at Trinity. We are blessed to have people who will step in and lead with passion and commitment. Thank you all for the excellent job you do all year long!

Choir rehearsals for the Adult Choir will continue through June 25, but we will be taking a short break in July. We will not rehearse in July until the 27th of the month. Choir members, please add these dates to your calendars.

Our Instrumental Ensemble is now "Trinity Orchestra" and will be featured at our Patriotic Celebration on June 29. This group has really grown over the past few years and has dedicated itself to accompanying worship and to be a featured group in our music ministry. But there is room for more! We will be rehearsing through June and take a break in July. We will resume again in August. Plan to be a part....dust off your instruments stored in the closet, take a deep breath, and go for it! We'd love to have you join this fantastic musical ensemble in praising God through orchestral music.

Patriotic Celebration

June 29 • 6:00 pm

This will be a great time to come eat and fellowship as we celebrate our nation's birth together. We will have a cookout and music provided by the Trinity Orchestra, as well as the Adult Choir. Something new for us this summer! The event will be on the lawn outside of the sanctuary entrance. More details coming!

Music Calendar

Musicians, please check the dates for worship and rehearsals below, as some events have changed.

June 29

Fourth of July Celebration with
Trinity Orchestra and Adult Choir
6:00 pm

August 3

Pepper Choplin Concert
6:00 pm

August 10

Joint Evening Worship Service
with area churches
6:00 pm

August 17

Trinity Laymen and Potluck Dinner
6:00 pm

Church Conference
7:00 pm

Pepper Choplin Concert

August 3 • 6:00 pm



Pepper Choplin, former Minister of Music at Greystone Baptist Church here in Raleigh, will be our special guest on August 3. Pepper is an active composer, conductor and humorist and has gained a reputation as one of the most creative writers in church music today with a diverse musical background. Many of you have heard him before in concert and have enjoyed his music and humor. Our Adult Choir had the honor and privilege of singing his music at Carnegie Hall last February. Mark your calendars for this special night at Trinity.



Words from Andy

Thank you for all of your kind words of affirmation and encouragement over the past couple of weeks concerning my completion of the Doctor of Ministry degree from Fuller Seminary. The doctoral journey over the past 3.5 years has been fruitful and actually pretty fun. This is not to say that I didn't have moments where I considered whether I was cut out for the program. This degree pushed me academically to points I did not know I could reach. It caused me to be more diligent with my time and ruthlessly stick to a self-imposed schedule. More than anything, it allowed me to develop a love for reading and learning.

I have thoroughly enjoyed the journey of learning and growing as a minister. Through the program at Fuller Seminary (Pasadena, CA), I've made lasting friendships with colleagues who are making an impact for the Kingdom through the program. I've learned a wealth of knowledge from my academic mentor, Chap Clark. Above all, I've learned to love God more and to love people with greater compassion and grace. It truly has been an incredible journey.

I want to thank Trinity Baptist Church for allowing me to pursue higher education. You've allowed me to be away from the church to learn and grow. You've allowed me to apply what I was learning to our ministry together. You've encouraged me when I needed a little boost of confidence that this was possible. I want to also thank Lydia Tatum for taking up the slack when I was away and when I was preoccupied with reading and research. Of course, this journey would not have been possible without Amy's support. Thank you for always making the sacrifice as I pursued my goals.

I am truly a blessed individual to have so many people in my life who desire the very best for me. I am humbled by your love and support.

HS Nashville Mission Trip

Please turn in your final balance and all release forms into the church office as soon as possible!

MS Passport Mission Camp Parent/Student Meeting

**Sunday, June 22
5:00pm • Underground**

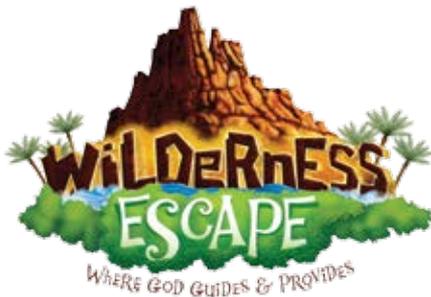
All parents and mission camp participants should plan on attending this information meeting. If you cannot attend, please contact Lydia.

Education & Families

Rev. Karen Metcalf Eickhoff, kmetcalf@tbcraleigh.com

2014 Vacation Bible School

We are off to an awesome start!
Thanks for the opportunity, the support
and the facility to produce a project
like VBS for our community.



June 15 - 19

Monday-Thursday, June 16-19 • 5:30 - 7:30pm

Thursday, June 19 • Closing Celebration followed by school-wide fellowship meal.
All parents are invited.

For All children age Pre-K through middle school and adults. (Children younger than Pre-K can attend if parents work in VBS or attend the Adult class/coffee house.)
An adult coffee house is provided as the adult VBS experience.

Babies - Grade 5: Wilderness Escape

Middle School: Moses and Adventures in Missions
(Get release forms turned in for field trips each night.)

Adults: Exodus: The journey of Moses

Bring: White T-shirt

for special craft project (ages preschool - grade 5).

Mission Emphasis - Watering Malawi:

Collecting money for water wells in African countries.

Bring donations of bottled water to be taken to Food Bank of NC.

PASSPORTKids!
Exploring Missions in a World without Borders

Passport Kids Camp Meeting

This Sunday, June 22nd
4:30pm • E244

Rising 6th Graders to Lunch at "Kanki" Crabtree

Sunday, August 3

We will leave after the later service.
This is a fun event for all.

Get your forms in.

Words from Carla

Some of my most favorite times with my children were in the summer. Going swimming, having picnics, bike rides, movie nights, going to the beach, playing board games, serving Christ together, and just spending time with one another have become treasures I will always keep close in my heart. Making time to be together has always been a priority for our family. I have learned that time goes much too fast and they grow up in a blink of an eye. I am blessed and grateful that they now remember and cherish those moments too. We still find time to be together amongst all our busy schedules. Yes, it is difficult, but another important lesson that God has revealed to me. He allowed Jeff and I to raise and share our faith with our children and to never wait

Reminder: ETC Volunteers

ETC hostesses begin working on your volunteers for the next church year. ETC will begin new on August 31.

If anyone is willing to volunteer and help with ETC for the next church year, please let me know. We would love your help! Thanks!

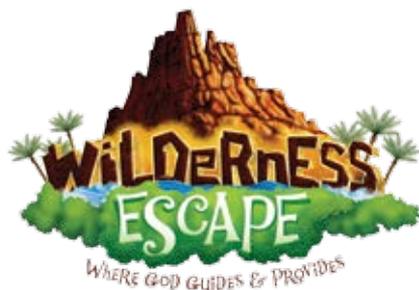
Missing Pagers

Please check at home, in your car, in your purse, diaper bags, etc. and see if you have any pagers from the preschool area. We are missing several. If you have one, please return them to an ETC hostess or Carla. Thank you!

until tomorrow to share a cherished moment today. I am grateful God blessed me with a wonderful husband and my children with an awesome Godly father.

I have to thank God for always placing “surrogate” men in the lives of a child, who may not be fathers biologically, but they have invested time and shared their faith and love in a little ones’ life. You are honored and remembered on Father’s Day and every day.

Whether you are called Dad, Daddy, Pop, Pa, Father, etc., God has given you a gift in a child; enjoy being loved. To all the Fathers, not just on Father’s Day, I pray you have incredible days filled with God’s blessings!



VBS is off to a great start!

We are wandering in the wilderness with Moses and his sidekick, Milicah.

Stay tuned...

Next week, we will report on our adventures. TRUST GOD!

ROC Volunteers

Monday, June 23

8am-11am Frank & Sybil Putney
11am-2pm Robin Wells
3pm-6pm Becky Dribbon
6pm-9pm Bill & JoAnn Sessoms

Tuesday, June 24

8am-11am Sadie White
11am-2pm Harry McDonald
3pm-6pm Donna Daughtry
6pm-9pm Jack Cooke

Wednesday, June 25

8am-11am Charlie DeFrancis
11am-2pm Ernest & Ann Tilley

Thursday, June 26

8am-11am Johnny Teal
11am-2pm Marcel Beaudreau
3pm-6pm Peggy Paul
6pm-9pm Gino & P. J. Ginocchio

Friday, June 27

8am-11am Johnny Teal
11am-2pm Nell Campbell

Saturday, June 28

9am - 12pm Susan Lewis

Volunteers Needed

1st Monday 6:00-9:00pm
2nd Tuesday 3:00-6:00pm
3rd Tuesday 3:00-6:00pm
3rd Thursday 6:00-9:00pm
3rd Saturday 9:00-am-12:00pm
4th Tuesday 11:00am-2:00pm

To volunteer
contact Michelle: 919-787-3740
or memmering@tbcraleigh.com

ROC June 22 - June 28

ROC Hours

Monday • Tuesday • Thursday
8:00 am - 2:00 pm • 3:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Wednesday • 8:00 am - 2:00 pm

Friday • 8:00 am - 2:00 pm
(11:45 - Gym Floor Closes)

Saturday • 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

ROC Activities

Group Fitness Classes

M, W, F • 8:00-9:00 am • Gym
Cardio Strength Training

M, W, F • 9:30-10:30 am • Gym
Stroller Strides

T & Th • 9:00-10:00 am • Gym
Dance-it Group Fitness Class

T • 7:00 pm • Gym
Zumba Fitness Class

T & Th • 9:15-10:00 am • MP Room
FREE
Senior Adult Bend and Stretch

Recreation Activities

M • 5:00-9:00pm
Basketball Leagues

1st & 3rd Tuesdays • Each Month
Prayer Shawl Ministry

Th • 1:00-4:00 pm • A214
Cards & Games Fellowship

Th • Evenings
Volleyball

ROC Summer Closings

ROC Closings

June 15-19

ROC Gym floor closed for VBS

ROC Fitness Room and Walking Track are open 8:00am-2:00pm only

July 4-6

ROC Closed

Gym Floor Camp Schedule

June 23-27, June 30-July 3,
July 7-11, & August 4-8

8:00-10:30am

reserved for group fitness classes

10:30am-12:00pm

reserved for camp activities

12:00-1:00pm

reserved for lunch time group

1:00-4:00pm

reserved for camp activities

ROC Fitness Room and
Walking Track are open

ROC Upward Schedule

July 21-25 & July 28-August 1

8:00am-5:00pm

ROC Gym floor reserved

ROC Fitness Room and
Walking Track are open

ROC Calendar

8th Annual NH5K

September 6

Fall Fest • Trunk or Treat

Friday, October 24 • 6:30pm

TBC Health & Wellness Fair

July 18

5:00 - 7:00pm • ROC

*More information coming soon
of providers...*

5K Run/Walk Training

Starting in July

Tuesdays • 6:00pm

Interested in and/or participating in the 8th Annual NH 5K Run/Walk September 6th benefiting North Raleigh Ministries?

Starting in July (exact date TBA) come out every Tuesday for a fun run/walk to help stay accountable and prepared for the September event. Three training programs will be provided and ALL fitness levels are welcome. One option will be the 'Couch to 5K' if you are currently not active or have never run a race.

Please email Amy Banfer for more information and feel free to contact her with any questions, comments and concerns. Abanfer86@gmail.com

Boot Camp Resumes

July 7th thru August 30th

ETC Workers

Sunday, June 22

Hostess: Heather DeVault
Assistant Hostess: Michelle Moore

8:45 am Worship Service

Sara & Megan Rooker, Kelli & Ben Wood,
Lauren & Charles Stroupe, Matt & Anna West

10:55 am Worship Service

0-4 mos Ann Berry, Vickie Hall
5-10 mos JoAnne Herrmann
11-14 mos Angela Stahl, Bernie Pegram
15-19 mos Jan Mills
20-24 mos Tim or Stephanie Avent,
 Peggy Pegram
2 yrs David Ayscue, Holly Hering
3 yrs Dean Hering
4 yrs Logan Ayscue, Lisa Dale,
 Amanda Cash

Vision for Growth June 15, 2014

Growing through Bible Study...

Members Age Group	Present	New Members	Visitors
Adults	470	0	10
Students	93	0	0
Children	48	0	1
Preschool	81	0	3
Totals	692	0	14
Sunday School			Total 706

Growing through Worship...

8:45am Worship Attendance	270
10:55am Worship Attendance	500
Total Worship Attendance	770

Growing through Stewardship...

(YTD totals through 5/31/2014)

YTD General	
Fund Needs (Budget)	\$1,108,800.00
YTD Operating Receipts	\$1,121,213.50
YTD Operating Expenses	\$1,036,322.22

Capital Campaign

Capital Campaign Pledges	\$4,159,660.00
Pledged Money Received	\$750,943.42
Total Received	\$783,534.87

When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us either to use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction.

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