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Join Us for Wednesday Night This Fall

Beginning August 27, 2014

5:00

Fellowship Dinner (Fellowship Hall)

5:30

Youth Gathering (ROC)

6:00

HS Northbound (UG)

MS Challenge (ROC)

Mission Friends (Babies - 2's)
(E104, E100, E125)

Music & Me (Music for 3's) (E128)

Music Time Choir (4's & 5's) (E134)

Music Maker Choir (grades 1-3) (E247)

Young Musicians (grades 4-6) (E244)

6:15

Common Grounds Cafe
(Conference Room)

Pastor's Bible Study:
One Extraordinary Life (Chapel)

Companions Along the Way
(Sept.3 - Dec.7) (Parlor)

Fitness for Life (ROC)

6:20

MS D-Teams (A300 Hall)

6:30

Living Praise Choir Ensemble (B236)

6:45

Trinity Orchestra (Sanctuary)

ETC (Babies - 2's) (E104)

Mission Friends (3' s - K)
(E126, E131, 132)

GA's (Girls Grades 1-5) (E240)

RA's (Boys Grades 1-5) (E238)

HS D-Teams (A 300 Hall)

New Covenant Ensemble (Choir Rm)

7:10

MS Northbound (UG)

7:45

Sanctuary Choir (Sanctuary)

Please Join Us!

This Sunday At Trinity

Sunday School Advancement Day

- 8:45am Worship (Sanctuary)
9:00 Peterson/Spilman Adult 4 Class Fellowship (Parlor)
9:30 Welcome Center Opens (Narthex)
9:45 Sunday School (Bible Study for All Ages)
10:55 Extended Teaching Care (E100 Hallway)
Worship (Sanctuary)
12:00pm Student Ministry Luncheon (FH)
5:00 DC4K (E240)
Divorce Care (D360)
6:00 Deacon Nominating Comm. (Conf. Rm.)

North Raleigh Ministries

Church-Wide Food Drive & Love Offering

Sunday, September 21

Mark your calendars NOW to participate in this one-day all out effort to completely stock the NRM Food Pantry. More details to come as to specific items to bring!

North Raleigh Ministries August Eat Out

Thursday, August 21 • 4:00pm - 9:00pm
Sassool's Cafe and Market
(formerly Neomonde's)
9650 Strickland Road, Raleigh, NC
(919) 847-2700

Invite friends and family!

Up to 20% of sales generated by your simple mention of NRM are donated to us!

Game On!

For Sunday School Leadership

Dinner and Games!

Thursday, September 4 • 6:00pm • FH

Come out and learn practical tools and tips for teaching, caring, and connecting in a fun workshop with other great Sunday School leaders.

Welcome to Trinity

Bill & Betty Touchberry of Raleigh, joined TBC by statement.

Bryan Bowman of Raleigh, joined TBC by statement.

Kick-off Dinner
September 16 • 6:00pm • FH



Tuesday Nights Beginning

September 16
6:30pm

Empowering Men & Women For Living

Sign-up today in the Narthex and soon to be online.

Deacon of the Week

Ben Kaufman has been a member of Trinity since 2008 and is a native of Lexington, KY. He and his wife, Julie Anna, have one child: Micah. He serves as an Upwards Referee. He serves in Belize Missions, TNT Men's Bible Study, and Thomas/Collins Sunday School Class. He works with the Arthur/Avent Sunday School Class. He also works with Deacons Johnny Teal and Ginger Boyle.



DivorceCare

Sundays • 5:00-7:00pm • D360

DivorceCare is a friendly, caring group who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Call the church office for more information.

DivorceCare for Kids

Sundays • 5:00-7:00pm • E240

DC4K is for children ages 5-12 that are dealing with divorced parents or significant loss. Contact Teri Wray or the church office for more info.

Women's Summer Nighttime Bible Study

Wising Up: Wherever Life Happens

A Women's Study of the book of Proverbs

**Last One This Thursday, August 21
6:30pm • Room B236**

⊕ NORTH RALEIGH MINISTRIES

This Week's Food Pantry Needs:

- Canned Fruit
- Cleaning Products
- Paper Products
- Canned Beans

Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinners Resume August 27

Join us next Wednesday night, August 27th, for Dinner in the Fellowship Hall from 5:00 - 6:00pm as we resume our Wednesday night activities! You can now make dinner reservations and pay online by visiting the tbcraleigh.com website by clicking the "Wed. Night Dinner & Reservations" link located in the **Highlight** section on the left side of the Church home page. You can make your reservations online if you want to prepay for at least 4 consecutive meals and up to 16 meals for a whole semester (Aug. 27-Dec. 10 or Jan. 7-May 27). You can, as usual, make reservations by calling the church office by 4 pm each Monday (919-787-3740) or complete a Congregational Response Card located in the back of the sanctuary pews on Sundays and place it in the offering plate. Dinners Prepaid by Monday@ 4:00 pm online or in the church office will receive a .50 cents per plate discount, \$4 (Adults) \$3 (Seniors) \$2 (Child), otherwise each plate will be .50 cents extra if paid at the door. We invite you all to come out and enjoy our fellowship time together on Wednesday nights!

Women's Renewal Event *A Day of Passion*

October 4

Guest Speaker: Kathy Chappell

Deepest Sympathies

Barbara & Davis Bowen upon the loss of Barbara's uncle, Edwin Hunger Averette of Franklinton, NC on July 27th.

Thank You Cards

From **Sadie White**. This card will be posted on the bulletin board for the congregation to read.

Senior Adult Ministries...the Better Half of Life

Rev. Hal Melton, hmelton@tbcraleigh.com

Nursing Homes & Homebound Visits

Wednesday, August 20 • 10:00 am
Meet in the Fellowship Hall

Many of our Trinity members are currently living in nursing homes, rehab centers, or are homebound and unable to get around. If appreciative smiles brighten your day, then join us. We go visiting each 3rd Wednesday of the month. See you then!



Harkers Island Core Sound Waterfowl Museum & Heritage Center

Thursday, September 18 • 7:30am-7:00pm • Lunch at Captain's Choice

We'll travel to the Core Sound Waterfowl Museum & Heritage Center, established in 1992 to support and preserve the way of life of coastal maritime communities in the "Down East" region of eastern Carteret County, NC. The Museum houses the area's finest collection of carvings, waterfowl art and traditional workboats along with displays from each of the Down East Communities of Cedar Island, Atlantic, Sea Level, Stacy, Davis, Williston, Smyrna, Marshallberg, Gloucester, Straits, Harkers Island, Otway and Bettie. While there, we'll see

a duck decoy carving demonstration and take the elevator to the 4th floor observation deck for great views of nearby Cape Lookout.

We'll stop for breakfast on the way, have a wonderful lunch at a local seafood restaurant, Captain's Choice, and stop for a light supper on the way home, returning before dark. Join us for this fun day. You can walk as much or as little as you want. If you have questions, call Kathy at 919-621-0236.

Enjoying the Journey Together Married/Engaged Couples Monthly Small Groups

Initial Meeting, Sunday, September 21 • 5:00pm • B236

Couples of all ages – whether you are engaged, newlyweds or celebrating many anniversaries – get in on the third year of this great idea in marriage ministry. Roberta and Hal Melton will host an overview session on the purpose and practice of these monthly couple gatherings. There will be at least two small groups. One will be the “continuing” group – all who are alumnae from last year’s groups and want to go further. The other will be the new “beginning” group. The groups will meet one night a month in homes throughout the school year. This is a great way to meet other couples in the church and learn/practice skills that will grow intimacy in your relationship. The groups will decide upon which night is best to gather.

For more information, ask Hal/Roberta Melton, Stewart/Kim Price or Jody/Paige Bagwell. **It will help us prepare if you sign-up on the Registration Board in the**

Narthex, but you can just show up! There’s no commitment to this first meeting – come and find out all you need to know.

Jobs For Life

Begins Sunday, September 14 • 5:00pm

TBC has partnered with Jobs for Life (JfL) to help those who are under-employed or 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.

If you or someone you know is interested in taking 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.

Let’s RAISE HOPE

Celebrate Wheels4Hope’s 14th Anniversary

Saturday, September 20

3:00 - 5:00 pm

Pullen Park (520 Ashe Ave., Raleigh)

www.wheels4hope.org • 919-832-1941

Wheels4Hope Partner agencies will be represented and honored - agencies serving the needs of vulnerable members of our community. Witness the blessing of 14 cars being placed. Cheer as the new owners drive off!

Wheels4Hope is a local, faith-based car donation program. Donated cars are repaired by volunteers and placed back into the community with families on the road to self-sufficiency. Donate a car, change a life!

Items Needed for Mission McCreary Co, KY

<http://hillsandhollers.org>

Thank you for the recent donations. More than 300 bags were delivered in July! The summer items were gone in less than two weeks! The need is incredible!

The Clothing Closets still **urgently needs summer clothes for girls and boys, sizes 3-16**. Please start collecting winter clothes and coats. All clothes, shoes, etc. are needed.

Please pack items in kitchen trash bags. The collection bin is in B building hall, main floor.

Music Ministry

Rev. Steve Byers, slbyers@tbcraleigh.com

Thank you, Patricia Pearce for your flute solo and to Baron Hignite, for sharing your testimony and music with us in worship this past Sunday morning. What a joy it has been to hear from our musicians about how God has worked in their lives and why music is so important in their gratitude to Him. Please pray for our directors and musicians at Trinity as they begin a new season of music and preparation.

You'll notice another name change in the music ministry...Our "Adult Choir" is now "Sanctuary Choir." For some time, I've been thinking about our role as a choir, and it seemed more appropriate to call us a non-age related musical group at Trinity. Other groups here have names that stand out and this seemed like the right fit for us. Our choir members embraced that decision. So, as you see things printed from now on, we are the same choir that sings each Sunday morning in worship. Maybe you would like to come and join the Sanctuary Choir of Trinity Baptist? Let's talk about getting you involved in one of the greatest places to serve in our church!

Preschool & Children's Choirs

Begins August 27 • 6:00pm

Music for 3's	E128
Music for 4's and 5's	E132
Music Makers Choir (grades 1-3)	E247
Young Musicians Choir (grades 4-5)	E244

Always Room for You

Music Ministry at Trinity is growing! If you have singing or instrumental abilities, we need you. We are always looking for more musicians to add to our worship leading ministries at Trinity.

Music Calendar

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

August 27

Wednesday Night Programs Begin
Preschool, Children's Choirs
6:00 pm

Orchestra Rehearsals
6:45 pm

September 3

Vocal Ensembles Begin
6:30 pm and 6:45 pm

September 7

Student Choirs, Handbells
Resume Rehearsals
5:00 and 6:00 pm

September 9

Primetimers Choir Begins
10:00 am • Choir Room

September 12-13

Sanctuary Choir Retreat
TBC

August Church Music Emphasis

During our worship services in August, we will feature soloists and their testimonies as worship leaders at Trinity. This is a good time to begin thinking where you will serve musically in the coming year. Wednesday night and Sunday night programs at Trinity are filled with opportunities for you to be involved in music ministry. The opportunity to sign-up and get an early start on enrollment will be visible outside the sanctuary each Sunday in August. If you are planning on enrolling your child or student in choirs, this would be a good time to get ahead of the game! Stop by and get a brochure or an enrollment card to start our year together before choirs begin.



Words from Lydia

Recently in my devotional readings, I have chosen to pick up an old favorite, *The Epistle to the Romans* by Karl Barth. Barth is one of the most influential theologians of the twentieth century, shaping Protestant thought and theology in a rapidly changing world. He was the leader of the German Confessing Church, which during the reign of the Third Reich formed as an ecclesial body in direct opposition to the Third Reich and its ideology and domination of German Christians for its racist agenda.

Barth came into my life in my early college days, and as I read his cornerstone work, *The Epistle to the Romans*, my love for God, my thirst for knowledge, and my hunger for theology grew insatiably. So, as I come back to this theological work, my expectations are, of course, quite high. Here is a bit of what I have been reading: "Grace is the

incomprehensible fact that God is well pleased with a man, and that a man can rejoice in God."

Wow! It is far beyond us to ever understand God's affections for us when we understand the depth of our brokenness. When we find ourselves unable to ignore the cycle of our sin—if it is not one thing it's another—how can we find ourselves justified in approaching a God who is Holy? We cannot without the divine miracle. We cannot without Jesus Christ. It is only by this grace that we can know and be truly known by the God who is Love.

You may be seeing more Barth quotes in the coming months as food for thought, but as for now, let us rejoice in the God who preforms miracles—the God of Grace.

Student Ministry Luncheon

Sunday, August 24 • 12:00pm • FH
Cost: \$5 per person

If you have not already RSVP'd, please contact Lydia at ltatum@tbcraleigh.com.

D-Teams & Northbound

Our New Year Kicks Off August 27

- 6:00pm MS Challenge (ROC)
HS Northbound (UG)
- 6:20 MS D-Teams (A-300 Hall)
- 6:45 HS D-Teams (A-300 Hall)
- 7:10 MS Northbound (UG)
- 7:30 End of Activities

Choir & Missions

Our New Year Kicks Off September 7

- 5:00pm MS Choir (D-200 Hall – Choir Suite)
- 5:45 HS Snack Supper (UG)
- 6:00 HS Choir (D-200 Hall – Choir Suite)
MS Snack Supper (UG)
- 6:15 MS Missions (A-300 Hall)
- 7:00 End of Activities

9th Grade Sex Ed Retreat

September 5-6 • Camp Oak Hill
Cost: \$70

All rising ninth grade students are invited to come to our annual Sex Ed. Retreat. Brochures are in the mail. Please have your registration in no later than August 24.

Sunday School Advancement Day

Sunday, August 24

Education & Families

Rev. Karen Metcalf Eickhoff, kmetcalf@tbcraleigh.com

Advancement Day

This Sunday, August 24

Preschool, Children and Youth will advance to new classes on Sunday, August 24. This is an exciting day as we launch a new church year and promote in bible study according to birthday or grade.

Advancement Week

Sunday School

Begins This Sunday, August 24
Current Grade for 2014-2015

- Grade 1 • E239
- Grade 2 • E240
- Grade 3 • E241
- Grade 4 • E246
- Grade 5 • E244

Wednesdays

Begins August 27 • 6:00pm

Music Makers Grades 1-3 • E247
Young Musicians Grades 4-5 • E244

Begins August 27 • 6:45pm

- GA's (1st Grade) • E240
- RA's (1st Grade) • E238
- GA's (2nd Grade) • E241
- RA's (2nd Grade) • E245
- GA's (3rd Grade) • E246
- RA's (3rd Grade) • E245
- GA's (4th Grade) • D364
- RA's (4th Grade) • E244
- GA's (5th Grade) • D360
- RA's (5th Grade) • E244

Sunday Evening Discipleship

Begins Sunday, September 7 • 6:00pm

Bible Buddies (Grades 1-2) • E238
Bible Skills, Drills & Thrills (Grades 3-6) • E246



CAMP
Willow Run
For: Children in Rising 3-5th Grade

September 19-21
Cost: \$135.00 • Theme: Imagine

Registration is Due!

DivorceCare for Kids

Sundays • 5:00 - 7:00 • E240

For children ages 5-12 that are dealing with divorced parents or significant loss.

Becoming a Christian/ Church Member

(Grades 3-5)

September 7 and September 14
5:00-7:00pm • E239
Led by Rev. Karen Eickhoff

The class will discuss becoming a Christian, being a good church member and all about the church ordinances. You will also learn about other Baptist beliefs.

Words from Carla

It is good to take time away from your normal routine and enjoy time with your Heavenly Father. I just returned from a week at the beach with my family. Not only was it refreshing to be with them, but also refreshing to spend time absorbing God's presence, His beauty in what He has created, and being still long enough to reflect, give honor and praise for the blessings He has provided, and listening for His voice of discernment, affirmation, and direction.

I am thankful and my heart is full of all the blessings God has provided and I am humbled and honored to be serving at Trinity. As we begin our new church year, I pray that you too will find the JOY of serving, drawing closer to the Lord, and being THANKFUL for what God has provided. His heart is full of LOVE for you!

Reminders for Sunday School & ETC Volunteers

When teaching in a classroom please remember:

- Not to bring a drink into the classroom.
- If you will be absent, please remember you are responsible for securing your own substitute. Please be courteous to let the Sunday School Division Director or your ETC Hostess know of your plans.
- Children should only be released to his/her significant adult who has the appropriate security tag or pager.

Children should only be released to an adult.

Volunteers Needed

Sunday night and Mission Friends teachers are still needed!

Please pray and consider where you can serve!

To volunteer, please contact Carla at 919-787-3740 or cbabb@tbcraleigh.com.

Extended Teaching Care Volunteers Needed

Anyone willing to serve in ETC for the next church year starting August 31, please contact me or see an ETC hostess. We would love to have you share your gifts with our preschoolers! You will receive a blessing as well! We need volunteers for both Sunday morning services, Sunday nights (6:00-7:00pm) and Wednesday nights (6:00-7:30pm). This could be a weekly commitment or a commitment of 4 Sundays a year. Thanks so much!

Sunday Night Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers for Sunday night Discipleship Training Classes for our Preschoolers from 6:00-7:00pm.

Preschoolers at Church: (Age Birth - 2 years)

Younger preschoolers are cared for and nurtured in God's love while learning simple Bible truths.

Bible Friends: (Age 3 - Kindergarten)

Preschoolers learn about Bible Friends and how to grow in God's love.

ROC Volunteers

Monday, August 25

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

Tuesday, August 26

8am-11am **Volunteers Needed**
11am-2pm Pat Nelson
3pm-6pm Donna Daughtry
6pm-9pm Jack Cooke

Wednesday, August 27

8am-11am Susan Teal
11am-2pm Ernest & Ann Tilley

Thursday, August 28

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

Friday, August 29

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

Saturday, August 30

9am - 12pm Susan Lewis

Volunteers Needed

1st Monday 6:00-9:00pm
2nd & 3rd Tuesday 3:00-6:00pm
4th Tuesday 8:00-11:00pm
3rd Thursday 6:00-9:00pm

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

ROC August 24 - August 30

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 & 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



September 6, 2014

Register at www.northhills5k.com

TBC fitness classes are \$5 per class.
No contract required,
with exceptions of Stroller Strides
and Dance-It. Please contact
instructors for these class fees.

Senior Adults Join Us for
**Senior Adult
Bend and Stretch**

ROC Calendar

8th Annual NH5K
September 6

Fall Fest • Trunk or Treat
Friday, October 24 • 6:30pm

FREE

Tuesdays & Thursdays
9:15-10:00 am • MP Room

ETC Workers

Sunday, August 24

Hostess: Joy Cooper

Assistant Hostess: Christi Melton

8:45 am Worship Service

Wendy Harder, Adam Benjamin, Sue Wall
Clair & Benji Green, Julie Daughtry, Nancy &
Desmond Geddings

10:55 am Worship Service

0-4 mos Janet Nicholes
5-10 mos
11-14 mos Maidi Warren
15-19 mos Kelly Arrington, Ben Kaufman
20-24 mos Susan Boisseau
2 yrs Dawn Snyder Dees,
Emily Sullivan
3 yrs Steve Hitchings, Lizzie Cooper
4 yrs Greg Pearce, Brooke Pipkin,
Jane Sullivan

Vision for Growth August 17, 2014

Growing through Bible Study...

Members Age Group	Present	New Members	Visitors
Adults	510	0	12
Students	103	0	5
Children	61	0	5
Preschool	89	0	1
Totals	763	0	23
Sunday School			Total 786

Growing through Worship...

8:45am Worship Attendance	258
10:55am Worship Attendance	571
Total Worship Attendance	829

Growing through Stewardship...

(YTD totals through 7/31/2014)

YTD General	
Fund Needs (Budget)	\$1,584,000.00
YTD Operating Receipts	\$1,537,620.29
YTD Operating Expenses	\$1,449,180.01

Capital Campaign

Capital Campaign Pledges	\$4,159,670.00
Pledged Money Received	\$825,763.40
Total Received	\$863,634.85

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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