



TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

# TRINITY TIMES

**Belong. Become. Be.**

The gospel of John makes this incredible declaration in Chapter 1:14:

***The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.***

When John uses the term, dwell among us, he uses a term that alludes to a tabernacle. The tabernacle represented God's presence in the middle of God's people in the Old Testament. John uses this term to speak of Jesus coming to us through the incarnation. God came to us in Jesus and tabernacled with us. God made his home and dwelling with us. In Revelation the promise is that heaven and earth will be one and God will dwell, tabernacle, with us.

This is a beautiful picture of God's presence with us that we celebrate at Christmas. It is not only a picture of God with us, but also an indication of how we are to share our lives together. For the past three years I have been serving on the Governing Board of the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. During that time, I have had an inside view of those who serve in leadership but also those who serve us as missionaries, which are referred to as field personnel, around the world. The CBF has made a commitment to what is called long term presence in regard to field personnel. This phrase, long term presence, means that we believe the best way to transform a community and people with the gospel of Jesus is through missionaries going and making their home with people. As much as short-term mission efforts help share the good news of Jesus, the work that makes a long-lasting difference is that of missionaries who are called and committed to long-term presence. Just like Jesus came and made his home with us, so we believe in going and making our home with others to proclaim the good news that God is love and Jesus has come.

Long-term presence is a costly endeavor. It takes nearly \$100,000 a year just to keep a couple and or family on the mission field. This, many times, does not include the program costs of their ministry. Yet, the greater cost would be not to send and support those who are called.

It is estimated that over 4 billion people are in unengaged and unreached groups. How will they ever know of the good news of Christ? It will be through those who are willing to go and do the transformational work of long-term presence. This is why each year we receive our World Missions Offering at Trinity. At Trinity, you can choose to give your missions offering through the International Mission Board of the SBC or through the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. All of the funds given to these two mission organizations for this purpose go directly to support missionaries on the field.

For the next three Sundays we will be receiving our World Mission Offering. You can give online, in person or by mail. You can use your offering envelope or you can make a notation on your check. If you are giving online, please use the drop down feature under "fund." When you drop down you can choose either "Lottie Moon" which is the International Mission Board of the SBC or "Global Missions," which is the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. Our goal for our offering this year is \$30,000.

Let us give generously as we support those who are making a difference in the lives of others for the sake of the gospel.

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## STAFF ANNIVERSARY

**Steve Byers**, Assoc. Pastor of Music & Worship, celebrates his 13th year anniversary with Trinity Baptist Church on December 17th. Please take the time to say a personal word, write a note or place a phone call to Steve or offer words of encouragement and support for the fine job he is doing.

## DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

To **TBC Member Charlie Overton** and his family upon the passing of his sister, Augusta Worthington, of Greenville, NC on November 30.

To **TBC Member Stan Walker**, and his family upon the passing of his aunt, Fannie Mae, recently.

To **TBC Members Roy and Pat Holliday and their son, David Holliday**, upon the passing of Roy's father, Claude Holliday, Sr., recently of Greenville, NC, on December 2.

Our deepest sympathies and prayers to **TBC Members Joe and Marion Herndon** and their family upon the passing of Marion's sister, **TBC Member Emily Craig**, on November 24.

To **TBC Members Doug and Shelly McClanahan and their children, Connor and Cameron**, upon the passing of Shelly's mother, Linda Tatum, of Roseboro on November 14.

## CONGRATULATIONS

To **TBC Members Peter and Brittney Finn** on the birth of their daughter, Mary, on December 4. Proud sister and brother are Kaitlyn and Alex.

## A NOTE OF GRATITUDE

Thank you so much for the beautiful plant you sent in memory of Gene. He would have loved it. The plant has been placed where all the residents here can enjoy it. Thank you again for your kind remembrance. --**Pat Perry**

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# CHRISTMAS AT TBC

## SPECIAL SERVICES

BY ONLINE REGISTRATION

**DECEMBER 9TH AT 7PM:**  
**BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE**

The Blue Christmas service this Wednesday night, will be livestreamed on the website, [tbcraleigh.com](http://tbcraleigh.com).

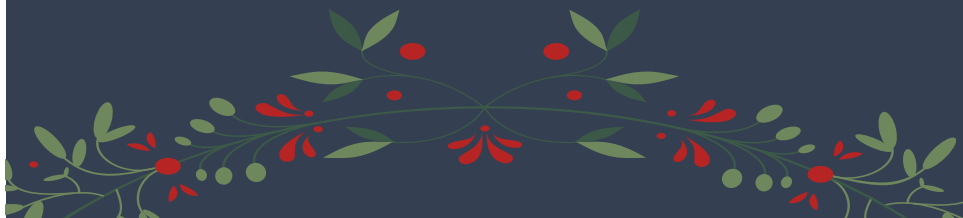
**DECEMBER 24TH AT 3PM:**  
**FAMILY CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE**

**DECEMBER 24TH AT 5PM:**  
**TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE  
WITH COMMUNION**

**DECEMBER 24TH AT 10PM:**  
**CHRISTMAS EVE VESPERS SERVICE  
WITH COMMUNION**



Scan with the camera app on your smart device or visit [tbcraleigh.com/advent](http://tbcraleigh.com/advent) to register



## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### YEAR-END CONTRIBUTION REMINDER

Any contributions that you want to be on your 2020 tax statement, must be turned into the Financial Administrator by December 31st. The ONLY exception to this rule is an envelope postmarked by December 31st.

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED:**

Wednesday, December 23rd | Thursday, December 24th

Friday, December 25th | Friday, January 1st

Any stock contributions or online giving for 2020 must be received by Trinity or in Trinity's account by December 31st to be counted as a 2020 contribution. If you have any questions, please call Jan Brown BEFORE the first of the year at 919-787-3740.

Thank you for your support of Trinity!

### TBC LIBRARY NEWS

#### The Codebreakers series



The three books ([The Number of Love](#), [On Wings of Devotion](#), and [A Portrait of Loyalty](#)) in The Codebreakers series by Roseanna M. White deal with the men and women in the British Admiralty's effort to decipher the codes used by Germany in WWI and with their relationship with God.

While these books and the preceding series ([The Ladies of the Manor](#) series and [Shadows over England](#) series) may be read as standalone books, they are best read in order because some characters carry over from book to book and from series to series.

The recommended order of the earlier series are [The Lost Heiress](#), [The Reluctant Duchess](#), [A Lady Unrivaled](#), [A Name Unknown](#), [A Song Unheard](#), and [An Hour Unspent](#).



**Need a TBC Library Card?** Apply for a card online by scanning this code with your smart device or go directly to [tbcnc.booksys.net/opac/tbcr/](http://tbcnc.booksys.net/opac/tbcr/). Once on the TBC Library website, click on the Library Card Registration icon and fill out the requested information or there are blank application forms located on the Book Return box in the library. You may call Ron Brown at 919-782-3957 for assistance.



**The next Online Music Times will be December 16.** If you want your child to participate in the next event, please send an email to [slbyers@tbcraleigh.com](mailto:slbyers@tbcraleigh.com) with the following information:

- Name of child, age, grade
- Names of parents
- Parent's permission for child to be online or with a parent's participation
- Best email address to send the Zoom link once enrolled.

Please sign-up again even if you did so for the past monthly events. We will be looking at other musical strategies for 2021.

**Special thanks to all our high school seniors who are helping with the Hanging of the Greens readings during worship in December.** Most of these students have been in choirs since 4 years of age at Trinity and it is only fitting that we give them an opportunity to lead as they would have during that beautiful service. Thanks for your willingness to serve!

**You can catch the re-broadcast of the Christmas cantata from 2019 at 6 pm on December 13.** You can find it on the church website and Facebook. We presented Sing Christmas! by Mary McDonald last year with orchestra. Recently, we shared the Hanging of the Greens and the Handbell/Testament Christmas Concert as well. Since we can't sing in choirs right now, enjoy these wonderful moments from last year and pray that we will soon be together again making music for the Lord and worshipping as the whole church!

Until we meet again,  
Steve

## Always Room for You!

Find your place in the music ministry in 2020! We will be back together sometime in the near future!

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. Consider getting involved in music ministry and being a part of an exciting place of ministry!

*And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God. — Philippians 1:9-11*

Smyth & Helwys (Formations or Connections) curriculum is ready to pick up. This includes the Reflection devotionals. Please come by the church office lobby to gather materials. --Some Lifeway: Journeys, Mature Living and Stand Firms are still available for December also.

Thank you for continuing to send in your Sunday School attendance/participation information. This is very helpful. Please contact Bonnie (bcole@tbcraleigh.com) for more information. We are grateful for the virtual teaching experience and appreciate the contacts you make each week.

## ADVENT DEVOTIONALS:

If you are looking for an online advent devotional, here are a few to check out:

[www.followingthestar.org](http://www.followingthestar.org) or [www.d365.org](http://www.d365.org)

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

[www.pastorrick.com](http://www.pastorrick.com) sign up for daily hope devotionals

[www.lifeway.com/en/articles/devotions-christmas-advent-week-one-faith](http://www.lifeway.com/en/articles/devotions-christmas-advent-week-one-faith)

## THE INCARNATION SERIES

Podcasts, Sermons, Bible Study, and special services during Advent

Focus for Advent: Incarnation: Rediscovering the Significance of Christmas

Podcasts: The Trinity Table

Sermons: Nov. 29 | For unto us is born a King  
 Dec. 6 | For unto us is born a Savior  
 Dec. 13 | For unto us is born Emmanuel  
 Dec. 20 | For unto us is born the Light of the World

May our faith stand in awe of the Incarnation, and in turn incarnate the love of God that came to us in Jesus Christ.

This Advent season we are focusing on the Incarnation: God took on flesh and became a human being in Jesus. Drawing from the book study by Adam Hamilton we have studied and Dr. Robert's has preached about 4 titles, names or characteristics of the Christ Child.

Jesus is the **Christ**, the **Messiah** and our **King**. While this is not necessarily highlighted in our culture, we need to remember that Christ came to be King and ruler in our life. Jesus came to incarnate God's power and rule in us.

Jesus came to be our **Savior**. Jesus came to not only save us from our sins and forgive us, but he also came to deliver us from hopelessness, meaninglessness, despair and lovelessness. Jesus came to incarnate God's love.

Jesus came to be **Emmanuel** which means God with us. God experienced humanity. Jesus knows and understands our temptations, struggles, pains and afflictions. Jesus showed us God. We do not need to be afraid. Jesus came to incarnate God's essence.

Jesus is the **Light of the World**, the **Word** of God made flesh. God walks with us in our darkest hours, and calls us to walk in the light of his love. God came to bring light into our darkness. Jesus is God's word, God's testament to his love for us.

By studying each of these embodiments of Jesus, I was caught off guard by how through Jesus --God calls us to **incarnate His love** to others.

I am challenged to incarnate God's power and rule in my life.

I am humbled to incarnate God's grace and salvation—not only from my sins, but from my despair and hopelessness during this pandemic.

I am encouraged to incarnate God's love to a hurting world and be Christ to an "other" in my community -- to be a physical, "God with us" to someone.

I need to incarnate God's light and radiate light not darkness by my words and deeds; blessing and building others up.

I offer these challenges to you as well. As you worship this Christ Child incarnate God, embrace his grace and incarnate his love with the world and community around you this season.

Peace.

## North Raleigh Ministries Food Donations

Due to circumstances regarding our outdoor donations bins, Trinity will no longer be collecting food donations outside of the ROC entrance. All food donations may be dropped off at our second Thursday of the month supply drive, on Sunday mornings just outside of the sanctuary, or at NRM (9650 Strickland Rd, Unit 175 Raleigh, NC 27615).

### This Week's Food Pantry Needs:

Cleaning Items | Cereal | Jelly | Snack Pack Crackers | Personal Items

### Christmas Food Box Needs:

Corn | Ham | Apple Pie Filling | Cranberry Sauce | Graham Cracker Pie Crust | Jiffy Biscuit/Cornbread Mix | Stuffing | Boxed Instant Potatoes

## Local Ministry Partner Supply Drive

North Raleigh Ministries and Raleigh Rescue Mission

Thursday, December 10 from 11a.m.-12:30p.m. At the A/B Portico entrance

## Jobs For Life:

Virtual Wake County Job Fair | December 21, 2020

10:00a.m.-3:00p.m. with each employer having specific time slots for interview times

You are invited to join JfL this month for a virtual job fair via Zoom featuring solely Wake County employers with current job openings! Please attend for yourself or feel free to pass this information along to someone who could really use it.

Register at [jobsforlife.org](https://jobsforlife.org)

## Family Promise of Wake County

In an otherwise difficult year, there have nevertheless been some bright spots at Family Promise of Wake County (FPWC) in 2020, including:

- FPWC has continued to provide emergency shelter, transitional housing, and case management for our families through all of 2020.
- 71 families have been through the process of transitioning to safe, affordable housing.
- Community partners, host churches, and support congregations have continued to serve throughout the pandemic to keep families used and fed by delivering meals daily to the Day Center.

Thank you, Trinity, for the ways that you have been flexible this year in finding every way possible to help support and love your neighbors through our partnership with Family Promise of Wake County!

Contact Lydia for more ways to make a difference for God's Kingdom in your community!  
[ltatum@tbcraleigh.com](mailto:ltatum@tbcraleigh.com)

## December Global Missions Offering

Throughout the month of December, we will be hearing from missionaries through the International Missions Board and field personnel through the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship about how God is moving throughout our world and how our partnership and support makes it possible for these missionaries to live out the Gospel for the sake of the world. Please consider giving to this year's global missions offering.

### How Can I Help My Neighbor in Need This Holiday Season?

#### Pray

As you look for ways to be Christ to all of our neighbors, begin with prayer. Prayer opens us up to the movement of the Holy Spirit, it prepares us to receive holy instruction from God, and it softens our hearts to experience holy transformation into Christ's very likeness.

#### Donate and Volunteer with our Missions Partners!

#### Create Your Own Missions Project

Have a passion for helping? Be encouraged to meet your passion with your unique giftedness and creativity and come up with a new way to support our local missions partners through our pandemic response.

#### North Raleigh Ministries [northraleighministries.com](http://northraleighministries.com)

**Christmas Baskets:** Corn | Ham | Apple Pie Filling | Cranberry Sauce | Graham Cracker Pie Crust | Jiffy Biscuit/Cornbread Mix | Stuffing | Boxed Instant Potatoes

#### Raleigh Rescue Mission [raleighrescue.org](http://raleighrescue.org)

- **For the Kids:** Juice Boxes, Individual Snack Packs, Baby Wipes.
- **For Kids & Adult Residents:** Canned Fruits & Vegetables; Bottled Water.
- **Donations Dropoff:** Raleigh Rescue Mission Thrift Store, 4700 Capital Boulevard at Millbrook Road.
- **Prefer to shop online?** Please ship items to 314 East Hargett St, Raleigh, 27601.
- **Prefer to donate?** Please visit [raleighrescue.org/donate](http://raleighrescue.org/donate).

#### Redirection-NC [redirection-NC.com](http://redirection-NC.com)

Please pray for these ladies and this pandemic as well as our continued ability to give these women the assistance they need to succeed. **Donate Food Lion gift cards for groceries especially for the holidays.** Mail to: Redirection-NC at PO Box 20231 Raleigh, NC 27619 or talk with Stephanie Treadway [satread1@att.net](mailto:satread1@att.net).

#### Welcome House Community Network [cbf.net/wyatt-give](http://cbf.net/wyatt-give)

Christmas Gift Bags for families/ individuals who have been befriended by Welcome House this year. Christmas Gift Bag includes:

- Start by providing 1 Large reusable bag (AC Moore has large Christmas bags for \$1)
- Christmas Card with Christian message
- \$30 Walmart gift card
- Vegetable oil
- Moisturizing soap (like Dove)
- Liquid clothes detergent
- Liquid dish detergent (not automatic)
- Colored pencils/coloring book
- Pencil sharpener
- Toilet paper (4 rolls)
- Paper towels (2 rolls)
- Activity Book (grades 1-3)
- Stuffed animal
- Board game (Connect 4/Checkers/Go Fish or UNO cards)
- Outdoor toy (Soccer ball/sidewalk chalk/Frisbee)
- We will also include a DVD of the Life of Jesus in every Christmas Gift Bag. The message is offered in multiple languages so all our friends may hear the Good News of Christmas in their heart language.



## Senior Adult *Christmas* Zoom Meet-up

Wednesday, December 16 at 11:00a.m.

Come ready for Zoom Christmas Games and fun! Gather your own Christmas treats or make them from recipes found right here in the Trinity times over the next several weeks, and join us as we fellowship and celebrate together! Please email Lydia to RSVP at [ltatum@tbcraleigh.com](mailto:ltatum@tbcraleigh.com)

### Ham Rolls

**1** package of Pepperidge Farms Party White Rolls

**1 lb** Virginia Baked ham                      **1 lb** Swiss cheese

**1/2 cup** butter                                      **3 Tbsp** mustard

**1 Tbsp** poppy seeds                              **1 tsp** Worcestershire sauce

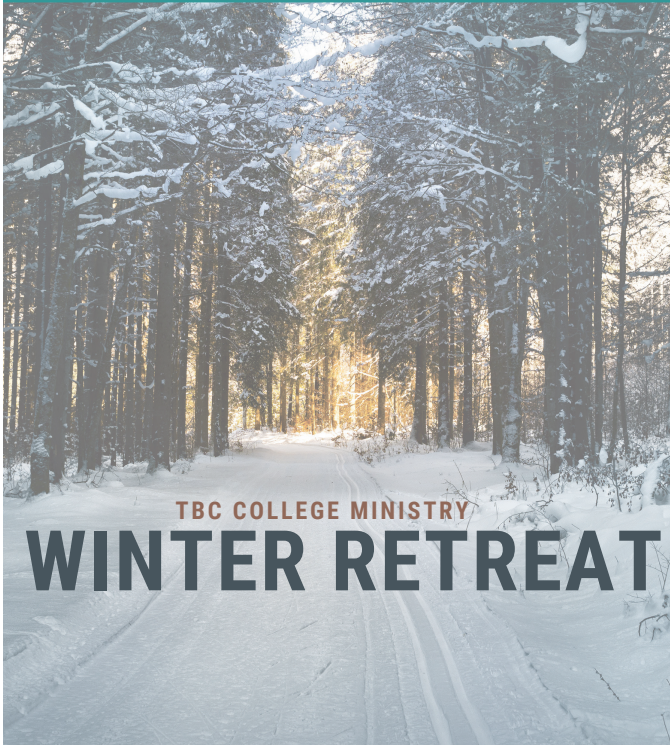
1. Remove the rolls from the package. Using a serrated knife cut through the middle leaving the top and bottom piece intact.
2. In a small saucepan over medium heat, melt together the softened butter, mustard, poppy seeds, and Worcestershire sauce. Whisk until fully combined and slightly thickened then remove from the heat.
3. Brush each piece of the sliced rolls with approximately 1/2 of the seasoned butter.
4. Layer the cheese on the bottom, then arrange the ham over the cheese.
5. Replace the top piece of the rolls over the final layer of cheese.
6. Carefully wrap the rolls loosely with aluminum foil.
7. Bake in a preheated 350°F oven covered for 15 minutes then uncover and bake for an additional 10-15 minutes or until the tops are golden. Cut apart and serve immediately.

## Trinity Senior Adult *Christmas* Missions Project

In our neighborhood, Christmas may not be as bright and cheery for everyone this year. In Wake County, more than 4,000 students are homeless - under housed, living with extended family, or living in shelters. This year, we are hoping to make a difference in the lives of our children who are living in uncertainty. In partnership with Carroll Middle School, we will be collecting \$50 gift cards to Target, Walmart, and Food Lion to help make Christmas less of a burden and more of a celebration for these students. Any gift cards donated can be sent in to the church office or Rev. Lydia Tatum by December 13.

## YOUNG ADULTS & COLLEGE

Rebekah Gordon



TBC COLLEGE MINISTRY

# WINTER RETREAT

JAN 2-4, 2021  
SAPPHIRE, NC

COST \$80

REGISTER BY DEC. 25TH  
(TEXT OR EMAIL REBEKAH)

MAX 30 STUDENTS

HIKING, HOT TUBS,  
BONFIRES, SMORES, BIBLE  
STUDIES, AND SOCIAL  
DISTANCE!

## College Sunday School Schedule

**Dec 6:** Second Sunday of Advent | In-Person Sunday School

**Dec 13:** Third Sunday of Advent | In-Person Sunday School

**Dec 20:** Fourth Sunday of Advent | In-Person Sunday School

**Dec 27:** Christmas Weekend | No Sunday School

**We are having the  
College Christmas  
Party! Save the date for  
the college Christmas  
Party on December  
20th at 6:30pm at TBC.**

## YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Adult 6 Sunday School classes are meeting at either 9:30am (A6C2) or 9am (A6C1) on Sundays via zoom. Contact Molly Kovacs (A6C2) or Rebekah for the zoom links.

## CHRISTMAS MISSION PROJECT FOR COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULTS

Over the next two weeks of Sunday School, we will be taking up donations to purchase gift cards for families of East Millbrook Middle School students. These gift cards will go to helping families purchase Christmas gifts for their kids. Please consider donating at your in-person Sunday School or Venmo-ing your donation to Rebekah at Rebekah-Gordon. We are hoping to provide 10 gift cards of \$50-100.

Youth Advent Season

# In-Person Sunday School

As we prepare to enter into the season of Advent in the coming week, there will be a church wide focus on the "Incarnation" study by Adam Hamilton. During this time, we would like to hold both zoom and in-person youth Sunday School @9:45am in the Fellowship Hall with lessons from this Advent series. Here is a breakdown of how it will work:

- All Grades will be socially distanced in the Fellowship Hall.
- There will be an option to join via Zoom each week.
- There will be a companion class offered for parents of youth that are attending in person SS in the Chapel on 12/6, 12/13, 12/20.



## DECEMBER 6

Second Sunday of Advent | In-Person Sunday School

## DECEMBER 13

Third Sunday of Advent | In-Person Sunday School

## DECEMBER 20

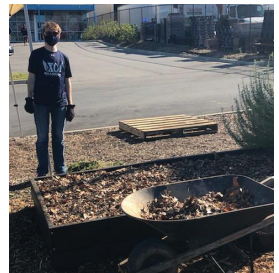
Fourth Sunday of Advent | In-Person Sunday School

## DECEMBER 27

Christmas | No Sunday School

## LOOK BACK: YOUTH MISSION DAYS

Thanks to all of the students that came out to serve on our 2 youth mission days last month! Check out some pictures from our community garden day (sorry to those not pictured!).



# 1ST GRADE OUTDOOR WORSHIP & BIBLE PRESENTATION SERVICE



We rejoice in this step in our 1st graders journey with God. We pray God will guide them, their family, and us as they use this Holy Bible in their home, in their Sunday School classes, and in our worship.

### OUR FIRST GRADERS ARE:

Samantha | Eli | Olivia | Trey | Rainey | Bennett | Ashe  
 Caroline | Logan | Walker | Mason | Anna Paige | Wiley  
 Becca | Philip | John | Julie Gray | Samuel

# Children's Advent



Advent is a time of expectation, a time of waiting and a time of JOY! Advent means "coming." Advent is a season that we celebrate within our church and with our church family. Advent begins 4 Sundays before Christmas and ends at sunset on Christmas Eve. During Advent we remember a few things:

- We remember that we are waiting for Jesus to be born. We spend time thinking about that.
- We celebrate that we know Jesus and that Jesus is always with us.
- We look ahead and look forward to when Jesus will come again.

**NOVEMBER 29**

First Sunday of Advent

**DECEMBER 13**

Third Sunday of Advent

**DECEMBER 6**

Second Sunday of Advent

**DECEMBER 20**

Fourth Sunday of Advent

## FAMILY CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

We will have two Christmas Eve services this year. One at 3:00pm and one at 5:00pm. The first is our Family Christmas Service at 3:00 PM in the sanctuary (NEW this year). This is for families, children and children at heart. This service will be family-friendly and engaging as we prepare our hearts for the arrival of Baby Jesus. (Families are invited to attend either the Family Service OR the traditional service at 5pm.) Regardless of which service you plan to attend your family will need to pre-register for the service. Each service is capped at 250 people. Let me know if you have any questions. Sign-ups can be found on the church website.

## Join us for In-Person Worship

**Worship Bags:** If you and your family join us for worship on campus look for these worship bags in the narthex. They have crayons, a worship bulletin and paper to color on. You're invited to get one and take it all home with you after the service (including the crayons!)

**Worship Family Room:** A "family room" will be located in the choir room that can be used during our worship time. If you are on campus for worship and feel that your child is getting antsy, you are invited to go to the choir room. (An usher can help you locate the room.) You will be able to watch the service there. We are asking that you begin in the sanctuary and transition to the choir room only if needed.

*There will be no extended teaching care offered at this time.*

At this time, the gym floor and multipurpose room are still not open for recreational use. Therefore, there will still be no indoor TBC Fitness classes until further notice.



## TBC FITNESS

We are offering the following classes on Zoom:

**Zoom Chair Yoga:** Tuesdays @11am

**Zoom Yoga:** Tuesdays @12pm

In addition, **Senior Strength and Stretch** is now being offered in the church parking lot on Thursdays @10am.

Each class taught by Laurel Cavanagh!

### OTHER OUTDOOR FITNESS OPPORTUNITIES

CAMP GLADIATOR  
M, W, F • TBC Parking Lot  
5:00-6:15 am

Amy Banfer: amybanfer@campgladiator.com

CAMP GLADIATOR  
T, Th • TBC Parking Lot  
6:15-7:15 pm

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6:15-7:15 am

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We have been working to reopen our Recreational Outreach Center to allow you to exercise in the ROC again! We began by opening our track on Monday, October 19th on a reservation basis to make sure we don't have too many track users at one time. You can sign up to walk the track online using the link below or by calling the church office at 919-787-3740. Our church entrance protocols will still apply for ROC usage with masks and social distancing required. In addition, all ROC users should enter through the doors on the sanctuary parking lot side of the building. The below link can also be found on the ROC website at rocraleigh.com.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0F49AF2AA3F94-roctrack>

We will also open up the exercise room to church members by needs-based request. You can find information for requesting to use the exercise room below.

We plan to expand the ROC usage over time but we want to make sure we get off to a safe and successful start in our return to the ROC!

Hours of Operation:

- Monday-Friday
- 9:30am-12:30pm, 1pm-2pm, 3pm-5pm (Gaps Avoid Preschool Pickup/Drop Off Times and Allow for Deeper Cleaning)

ROC Coordinators/Volunteers:

- Primarily Staff with ROC Coordinators
- We do have a few spots needed to be filled by ROC Volunteers
  - If you are willing to volunteer, please email [cdavis@tbcraleigh.com](mailto:cdavis@tbcraleigh.com)

Walking Track:

- Reservation Only-Sign Up Genius/Call Church Office
- Max of 8 Slots per Hour to Reserve

Exercise Room:

- Request Only (Preferably Need-Based) - Call Christian at 910-612-6547 or Email [cdavis@tbcraleigh.com](mailto:cdavis@tbcraleigh.com) to Request
- Cleaned After Each Use
- Open to TBC Members Only



## CONGRATULATIONS TBC RED SOFTBALL ON WINNING THE 2020 CHURCH LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP!

*\*Special Note: Masks were taken off briefly for the picture. Masks were worn throughout the season and players social distanced in the dugout. Thanks to Raleigh Parks & Rec, Coach Stewart Price and all the players for giving us a safe and fun season!*

# STAY CONNECTED

## WHILE WE ARE APART

While our congregation is physically separated, we can use social media to stay connected. All of our social media accounts are active and posting. Follow us and interact with us.



FACEBOOK



INSTAGRAM



WORDPRESS



PODBean

### Church Accounts:

facebook: trinitybaptistchurchraleigh

instagram: @tbcraleigh

podcast: tbcraleigh.podbean.com

### Student Accounts:

instagram: @tbcstudentsraleigh

blog: tbcstudentsraleigh.wordpress.com

We encourage you to interact on all platforms and with all accounts. Lets make a point of intergenerational fellowship even when apart.

Remember to send correspondence to:

Trinity Baptist Church  
4815 Six Forks Road  
Raleigh, NC 27609



### Stewardship

(YTD total through 10/31/2020)

YTD General Funds Needs (Budget) \$2,733,546.55

YTD Operating Receipts \$2,515,939.12

YTD Operating Expenses \$2,286,752.01

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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