

# TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH TRINITY Belong. Become. Be. TIMES

One of the most important lessons I learned as a child was to cherish the Bible. The Bible is the inspired word of God, and it teaches most importantly about Jesus who is the WORD of God. The Bible is filled with stories of history, romance, violence, intrigue, and faith. However, the most important part of the Bible is that is reveals how to live our lives in relationship to God and one another. It is sad that many followers of Jesus say they believe the Bible and yet would struggle to name the books of the Bible or find a certain passage. Sadder still is the actual amount of Bible reading we do.

As Baptists, the Bible is of utmost importance in our faith. We believe we are all called to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and that we all have the right and responsibility to read the Bible and interpret it as the Holy Spirit leads us. It is so important that we teach our children and students to not only say they believe the Bible but also what it means to believe the Bible. We begin by helping our children be familiar with the Bible.

As a child I was taught through "Bible Drill" to be able to know the books of the Bible and understand the various divisions of the Bible as well as learning key Bible verses. As your pastor, I want the same for our children. That is why I am excited to be a part of what we are calling "The Pastor's Pals" on Wednesday nights beginning April 20. We will spend four weeks this Spring learning about the Bible and memorizing key Bible verses as well as the books of the Bible.

Katie and I are looking forward to spending time with your children on these nights. If you have not registered your child for this experience, I encourage you to do so. You can reach out to the church office or send Katie an email. I am looking forward to spending time with our children and learning together.

# COLLEGE ENCOURAGERS NEEDED

The College Student Ministry Lead Team is in need of the following help:

# INDIVIDUALS TO SERVE AS ENCOURAGERS FOR OUR STUDENTS DURING THEIR COLLEGE YEARS.

As an individual or family, serve as an Encourager for a student who will be assigned by the end of May. Many of our current Encouragers have had the same student since their Freshman year of college and have been able to get to know the student and family over time. We need enough volunteers to give each rising Freshman an Encourager and to fill in open spots for the older students. The Encourager will:

- make contact with the assigned student during the summer. (We are hoping to provide an opportunity for you to meet your assigned student on a Sunday morning at church this summer.)
- will communicate with the student by phone, text, email or mail (cards and small treats; birthday card) each month during the year.
- will commit to pray for the student!

# CLASSES WILLING TO DONATE ITEMS TO BE MAILED TO STUDENTS DURING THE YEAR.

As a Sunday School class, collect useful items and snacks in August and September that the lead team will then send to students during the year. Items might include but not limited to: pencils, pens, post it notes, USB drive, nabs, hard candy, microwave popcorn, and \$5.00 gift cards to Starbucks, Bojangles, Chick Fil A or Target.

If individuals or classes are willing to serve, please contact Christian Davis (cdavis@tbcraleigh.com) or Sue Glover at (sue.c.glover@gmail.com). We look forward to hearing from many of you!



### April 17

Joy Blashaw, native of Raleigh, NC, has been a member of TBC since 1987. She and her husband, Mark, have two children: son Jamieson of Raleigh, NC and daughter Madison of Greensboro, NC. Currently works as an HR Consultant for Triangle HR Solutions. Joy works with the Adult 4, Coed 4 Sunday School Class and serves with deacons Apryl Bullock, Steve Isaacs and Terry Rogers. She serves at TBC as NRM Volunteer, Sanctuary Choir and TNT Member.



#### April 25

**Tricia McCoy**, has been a member of TBC since 2003. She and her husband, Ed, have two children: daughter Brooke (Gerald) and son Mark (Angela) and two granddaughters': Addie and Ainsley. She is retired from the NC Theatre. Tricia works with the Adult 3, Coed 2 Sunday School Class and serves alongside deacon Kay Bissette. She serves at TBC as a Sunday School Teacher for 0-4 months, Usher, Stewardship committee and Senior Adult committee.

### **DEEPEST SYMPATHIES**

Our sympathy to TBC Member Sybil Putney and Bruce Putney upon the passing of Sybil's daughter-in-law and Bruce's wife, Thursday, March 24.

Our sympathy to **TBC Members Malcolm** and Vickie Hawkins upon the passing of Vickie's mom, Thursday, March 24.

Our sympathy to **TBC Member Jamie Correll** upon the passing of his mother, Glinda B. Correll, of Winston-Salem, NC, Thursday, March 31.

Our sympathy to **TBC Members, Lynn** and John Collar and their children Jeremy and Cameron, upon the passing of Lynn's mother, Veda Jones, of Raleigh, NC, Friday, April 1.

Our sympathy to **TBC Member**, **Mary Anne Edwards (Elbert)**, on the death of her son, Glenn Rothgeb of Charlotte, NC on April 2.

Our sympathy to TBC Members, Ed (Nancy) Masteller, Scott Masteller and Barbara (Barry) Smith, Megan Thorpe and her children Nat and Sara Ann, on the death of their mother, grandmother and great grandmother, TBC Member, Peggy Masteller on Saturday, April 2.

Our sympathy to **TBC member, Bill Sessoms**, on the death of his wife, **JoAnn Sessoms**, on Sunday, April 3.

Our sympathy to the family of **TBC Member Audrey Casper** who passed away on April 3, 2022.

Our sympathy to TBC Member Judy Sanders upon the passing of TBC Member Doug Sanders on April 4, 2022.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To TBC Members Jennifer and Brian McCarty on the birth of their son, born on Tuesday, April 5. Proud grandparents are TBC Members Sonny and Faye Walker.

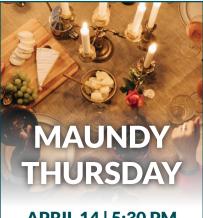
#### GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



### Easter Flower Crosses and Lillies

We are excited to let you know we will have 2 Flower Crosses this year for Easter. They will be located outside the Narthex entrance. Please plan to bring a flower to place on the cross on Easter morning, April 17th.

Please be sure to pick up your Lilies if you ordered them after the second service on Easter Sunday, April 17th.



APRIL 14 | 5:30 PM Fellowship Hall \$8 per person



Scan this code to sign up for our Maundy Thursday Meal

# THE 17TH ANNUAL ROC N' GOLF TOURNAMENT MAY 23 | HERITAGE GOLF CLUB

benefiting Backpack Buddies through North Raleigh Ministries

### REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

ACCEPTING THE FIRST 28 TEAMS THAT REGISTER

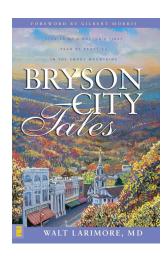
We look forward to seeing you on the course on May 23! Email Jeff Hall or Christian Davis with any questions.

### TBC LIBRARY NEWS

#### **BRYSON CITY TALES**

The little mountain hamlet of Bryson City, North Carolina, offers more than dazzling vistas. For Walt Larimore, a young "flatlander" physician setting up his first practice, the town presents its peculiar challenges as well. It's a world where the family doctor is also the emergency physician, the coroner, and the obstetrician, and where wilderness medicine is part of the job, search-and-rescue calls in the national forest are a way of life, and the next patient just may be somebody's livestock or pet.

The TBC Library has two more books regarding Dr. Larimore's practice in Bryson City. There are also two books covering his practice after he relocated to Kissimmee, Florida.



In order to access eBooks, you must have a TBC Library Card and request to be on the eBooks approved list. In order to use eBooks you will have to add the <u>Libby by OverDrive</u> app to your smartphone, tablet, laptop, desktop, or Kindle. If you need a TBC Library card or you need to be added to the eBooks list, you may call or email Ron Brown at 919-782-3957 or rbrown0207@gmail.com for assistance.

### SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS NEEDED

#### **HOLE SPONSORSHIPS:**

Hole sponsorships are \$125 each and include a sign featuring name & logo (if applicable) placed on the tee of each hole sponsored.

#### PRIZE DONATIONS:

We are accepting items to give away for various on-course competitions and raffle prizes. If you/your business have items, gift cards, etc (does not have to be golf related) that would make good prizes, please consider donating in that way!





The Sanctuary Choir presented "Journey to Jerusalem" this past Sunday with scriptures and the stories of Holy Week. Since we haven't been together for Easter in two years, it was a wonderful time to bring the music of the Easter season back to our worship! Each scripture was followed by an anthem and continued through the last week that our Lord endured before his crucifixion and resurrection. It followed in the "cantata" sense in that it was kind of like our presentations of the past, but the songs were from various cantatas we have presented in years past in addition to others we've not brought to worship. All in all, I'm so grateful that we could be back together again doing what the Lord has called us to do: making His praise glorious and continuing to tell the Gospel message through song. What a privilege it is to fulfill that calling.

A special thanks to our ensembles, Living Praise and New Covenant, for their messages in song on April 3 in worship. The beauty and power of voices singing God's praises were truly uplifting and encouraging that we are back and enjoying the gifts and gifted ones God has led our way. Leaders Joy Blashaw and Jessica Isaacs have done a wonderful job with these ensembles as we build back our music ministry, and they have excellent help from Ramona Green and Wayne Rogers, our church accompanists. We are grateful for their ministry!

Our Student Choir will be singing on Student Day, April 24, and we will be singing a couple of songs we have been learning this season as we build back our student choir ministry. There are many more students out there....look for the Fall season when we will announce that Student Choir rehearsals will begin. We have lost 2 years of continued choir development, so this is a great time to come join and get back involved with your church friends. I can't wait to see what the new season will bring us.

We could always use more people to join our slide team on Sunday mornings. The slide projection helps us in worship and for our streaming of the worship service. It is not a difficult technology to work with, and with a little bit of training you will be up and running. It would be most helpful to build a larger team that can rotate out our staff members who are filling in the gaps. If you are good with technology and are looking for a place to serve, then this is a great place to start. Give me a call if you are interested in joining the team.

**ALWAYS A PLACE FOR YOU!** Find your place in the music ministry! 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!

Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise--the fruit of lips that openly profess his name.

— Hebrews 13:15

### Journey to Jerusalem

Matthew 20:17-19

The Pilgrim Tapestries of prayer are completed and on display in the Narthex. The prayer strips woven together represent the weaving of concerns, praises and petitions of our congregation to God. May these be a sweet offering of love.

### **Maundy Thursday Worship**

April 14, 2022 - 6:30pm - Sanctuary

**Dramatic Presentation** 

# Lest we Forget"

Produced by special arrangement with Christian Publishers

In the hush of Holy week, experience five readers and disciples as they express heartbreak and betraval from Jesus' last Thursday and Friday. Each moment is one step closer to his crucifixion.

Drama participants include Brooks Warren, Jordan Mills, Jo Anne Harper, Chris Stanley, and Will Gard.

The service serves as a prelude to partaking of the Lord's Supper.

### **Room in the Heart**

Death abides not on a hill called Golgotha, but in every heart that makes room. Life abides not | outside a garden tomb in Jerusalem, | but in every heart that makes room

### GriefShare

Sundays | 5:30pm | C101

A special group that allows space to walk through grief and understand your emotions. Share time with others as you search for ways to cope.

Boyd Dimmock, Larry Autry, Stephanie Johnson, and Denise Rogers

### **DivorceCare**

Wednesdays | 7:00pm | D360

This is an excellent way to process vour thoughts as you journey through divorce and life after. Join in good discussion and helpful guidance.

Shay and Jeff Greene

MISSIONS Rev. Lydia Tatum

# 2022 Missions **DATES** To Remember

# HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2022

(12-15 volunteers needed)

Contact Jen Hall: jenhall0517@gmail.com

### **FAMILY PROMISE**

MAY 15 providing food

**AUGUST 7 hosting at TBC** 

Contact Beth Duke: bethwduke@gmail.com

# Hospitality Team

As our city continues to welcome new neighbors from across the globe, our missional reach expands. With every new face, we find new opportunity for relationship and for the blessing of sharing God's love. The Welcome House Community Network has expanded to six houses in our county alone. These are houses made available through our sister churches and by Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. As brothers and sisters in Christ, we at Trinity commit to rolling our sleeves up alongside these churches and the seminary community to help welcome new families by cleaning the houses and setting furniture. In doing this, we build up the Kingdom of God right here in our own neighborhoods.

If you are interested in serving and are gifted with a scrub brush or you are very good at taking direction, contact Joy Blashaw at joyhodge@live.com to join our Welcome House Hospitality Team.

For more information on how to connect and serve, contact Lydia Tatum at Itatum@tbcraleigh.com.

### **Ukraine Relief Effort Through our Baptist Partners**

The United Nations reports that more than 3.5 million refugees, mostly women and children, have fled Ukraine seeking shelter in neighboring countries. In addition, millions more are displaced within Ukraine. From 1994-2000, NC Baptists enjoyed a fruitful partnership with Ukrainian Baptists. Strong relationships were established with our Ukrainian brothers and sisters. We grieve and pray for them now in their hour of need.

Over the past 20 years, Trinity has served in short term missions through medical and dental teams and ministry teams serving with the Roma people in the Carpathian region. We have offered compassionate dental and medical care while holding their babies and teaching them about God's Love.

Through our partnership with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, we have supported the presence of field personnel, Mina and Gennady Podgaisky, for the last 19 years in Kyiv as they have ministered through the Village of Hope, a ministry center that assists foster families and serves as the operations base to facilitate bible studies, counseling, family seminars, retreats, and skills training.

We ask you to join us in prayer for families who have been separated, those who have lost loved ones, and those who are fleeing the violence in their country. Lift up those who are selflessly providing transportation, shelter, counseling, and needed supplies to the refugees – sometimes at great personal risk.

Join us as we pray specifically for our missions partners as they continue to serve though their hearts are breaking and they face great personal risk.

This month, your Missions Steering Committee voted to send \$47,000 out of last year's budget surplus to meet these great needs. \$23,500 was sent through Baptists on Mission, and \$23,500 was sent through the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship Global Missions.

#### IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GIVE TO THE UKRAINE RELIEF EFFORTS. YOU CAN:

**Send your donation to Baptists on Mission**, by mail to PO Box 1107, Cary, NC 27512. Please put "Ukraine Crisis Relief" in the memo or online at baptistsonmission.org/ukrainegive

**Send your donation to Cooperative Baptist Fellowship**, by mail to P.O. Box 102972, Atlanta, GA 30368-2972. Please put "Ukraine Relief" in the memo. You can also give online at cbf.net/ukraine

# Next Ministry Partner Supply Drive SUNDAY, MAY 8 AT BOTH MORNING SERVICES

Please deliver all **North Raleigh Minitries** food donations at our Local Ministry Supply Drive, in our bins at the entrances on Sunday mornings, or directly to NRM at 9650 Strickland Road, Suite 161 Raleigh, NC 27615.

**Raleigh Rescue Mission** donations made outside of the Local Ministry Supply Drive can go in the large bins on the B200 Hall of the church.

### **Trinity Senior Happenings**

# 2022 BAPTIST HERITAGE DAY

**SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2022** 

Music led by The Primetimers Choir and the Trinity Handbell Choir

# SENIOR GAMES IN ROOM A214

**THURSDAYS 1:00-3:00P.M** 

If you have any questions, call Anita Yeargin at 919-389-1299.

### **SENIOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY**

FRIDAYS AT 1:00P.M. IN C101 AND ON ZOOM

## **RBA Spring Senior Adult Rally**

**HOSTED BY SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH IN APEX** 

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 | 9:00a.m.-1:30p.m. | \$15 due at sign-up

Join us as we enjoy music and entertainment by Rev. Pepper Choplin and worship led by Rev. Jeff Olds with Rev. Patrick Fuller, our new Director of Missions, as our speaker. We will enjoy a meal of beef tips with rice, green beans, yams, cornbread muffins, and assorted desserts. Registration has been posted at the entrance to the B200 Hall on the Senior Adult Board. Make checks payable to "Trinity Baptist Church" and write "Senior Adult Rally" in the memo line.

REGISTER ON THE SIGN-UP BOARD ON THE B200 HALL

# SENIOR ADULT MYSTERY TRIP BREATHTAKING

TUESDAY, MAY 24 | 9:30A.M.-4:00P.M.
QUESTIONS? CALL ANITA YEARGIN AT 919-389-1299

This is a trip you won't want to miss! It will be BREATHTAKING like nothing you've ever seen before, so bring your camera!

After you catch your breath from the tour, we will enjoy a great lunch, cafeteria style, with shopping after lunch. Be at church ready to leave at 9:30 a.m., and we will return around 4:00p.m. The Sign Up Poster will be posted on the Senior Bulletin Board, B Hall on Sunday, April 17.

## Student Day April 24<sup>th</sup>

# **Graduation Sunday**

June 5th

### **WEEKLY YOUTH WORSHIP TIMES**

Sunday School

Sundays @9:45am

**Northbound & D-Teams** 

Wednesdays @6pm

## MISSIONS MADNESS

Open to All | April 29-May 1 | COST \$50 | Harrisonburg, VA

During the day students are split up into groups from different congregations that join the community in the work God is doing. Mission sites may include sorting food, painting, leading children's programs, planting gardens or spending time in retirement facilities.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIPS

### **PASSPORT**

June 26-July 1 | COST \$300 | Greensboro, NC

We're heading to Greensboro for an exciting week full of Missions, Worship, Games, and fun time together! Come spend the week getting to know your church friends better and meeting friends from other churches and cities!

### **HIGH SCHOOL TRIPS**

### **SENIOR RETREAT**

June 14 - 17 | COST \$100 Pigeon Forge, TN

We are heading to Pigeon Forge, TN to celebrate our seniors and enjoy some thrills at Dollywood. We will also spend time reflecting on our Christian journeys and where God has us heading next! Sign up by June 2nd!

### **PASSPORT**

July 10-17 | COST \$300 Barea/Louisville, KY

Prepare for mountain water adventures on the way to KY, a week of missions, and a trip to Louisville to cap off the week!

### **EXTENDED TEACHING CARE**

As of 9/12/21:

Early service worship care has resumed.

- Our traditional ETC schedule has begun again. Reach out to Katie with questions about your schedule!
- You will still need to register for ETC to make sure we are adequately staffed with volunteers for the week. Registration will be emailed out a week at a time. You will receive the next week's signup the Sunday afternoon before and will have until the following Friday at noon to register.
- All volunteers will be required to wear masks at this time.

Check your email for more details or contact Katie with questions at kmedlin@tbcraleigh.com











### **RA GA Car race**





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# **FITNESS**

#### CLASSES TAUGHT BY LAUREL CAVANAGH

Chair Yoga Tuesdays | 11am **Meeting Online** 

Flow Yoga Tuesdays | 3:15pm Now Meeting In-Person Senior Strength & Stretch Thursdays | 10am

Now Meeting In-Person

### OUTDOOR FITNESS

### CAMP GLADIATOR CLASSES

TBC Parking Lot | Amy Banfer: amybanfer@campgladiator.com

M.W.F 5:00-6:00 am

M, W, F 6:15-7:15 am



# VOLUNTERS

**MONDAY APRIL 18** 

ROC

**CLOSED** 

**TUESDAY** APRIL 19

9:30am-12:45pm Moose Beaudreau 12:45pm-4:00pm

Mark Wheeless

**WEDNESDAY** APRIL 20

9:30am-12:45pm Wayne Hill

12:45pm-4:00pm Betsy Thompson Carolyn Studeman **THURSDAY** APRIL 21

9:30am - 12:45pm Moose Beaudreau 12:45pm-4:00pm

**FRIDAY** APRIL 22

9:30am-12:45pm Billy Joyner

12:45pm-4:00pm George Mathis

**MONDAY** APRIL 25

9:30am-12:45pm Beverly Munday 12:45pm-4:00pm Pat Pierce Linda Perry

**TUESDAY** APRIL 26

Pat Nelson 12:45pm-4:00pm Jan Mills

9:30am-12:45pm

**WEDNESDAY APRIL 27** 

9:30am-12:45pm Mike Newton 12:45pm-4:00pm Alan Holley

**THURSDAY** APRIL 28

Karen Simms

Moose Beaudreau 12:45pm-4:00pm Elaine Smith

9:30am - 12:45pm

**FRIDAY** APRIL 29

9:30am-12:45pm Wayne Hill 12:45pm-4:00pm George Mathis

If you would be interested and feel comfortable volunteering in the ROC, please email cdavis@tbcraleigh.com.

### **BREAD MAKING CLASS**

May 3rd at 12:00 pm | Multi Purpose Room | ONLY 12 SPOTS AVAILABLE

Love the smell of fresh bread but never knew how to make your own? Come learn from, frequent ROC Member and Expert Chef, Theo!

Email cdavis@tbcraleigh.com for more details and to sign up.

### 2022 TBC Summer Camps

Registration for students who have completed Kindergarten - completed 5th grade: March 1st - June 1st

TBC TRIANGLE EXPLORERS CAMP

June 13-17

CHEER CAMP July 18-22 (Afternoon)

**SPORTS CAMP** 

June 20-24

**BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP** 

July 25-29

**GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP** 

July 18-22 (Morning)

**CAMP CREATE** 

August 1-5

No Online Payment Available | Please Mail or Bring Check or Cash to Trinity Baptist Church Church Office | Checks should be issued to Trinity Baptist Church with the Name of the Camp(s) in the memo line.

All Camps will be located At Trinity Baptist Church | All campers must bring a packed lunch.



### STAY CONNECTED

We use social media as a tool for connecting, learning, and informing you about new information. All of our social media accounts are active and posting. We encourage you to interact on all platforms and with all accounts. Lets make a point of intergenerational fellowship even online!



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@tbcraleigh & @tbcstudentsraleigh



tbcraleigh.podbean.com

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Stewardship

(YTD total through 03/31/2022)

YTD General Funds Needs (Budget)

YTD Operating Receipts YTD Operating Expenses \$845,225,94 \$831,710.56

\$740,920.77

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