Vol. 36 | No. 16 | August 1, 2023 TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH Belong. Become. Be. TIMES

I would like to give an update in regard to our search for a new Associate Pastor and Minister for Student Ministry. As I shared with you in a previous email, Drew Langdon has begun his work as our Part-time Interim Minister to Students. Drew is currently a divinity student at Campbell Divinity School and has been serving for the past year as our Student-Intern. Drew is working closely with Dr. Andy Jung, Rev. Brooks Warren and our Student Ministry Committee during this interim period. We are grateful for Drew and the relationships he has built during his time as our intern. Pray for him as he takes on more of a leadership role.

In addition to this action, our Personnel Committee has organized a search committee for this position in accordance to our by-laws. We shared on July 16 during Church Conference the names of those individuals. Our search team will be:

Personnel Committee-

Rev. Brooks Warren (Chair), Beth Duke Student Ministry Committee-Parent Reps: Drew Hardison and Dana Sumner Program Reps: Eddie Deyo and Stephanie Tepper College Ministry Rep: Sue Glover College Student Rep: Carson Rouse

High School Rep: Maggie Adams

Our search committee is organizing and plans to meet in the next few weeks. They will begin to develop a process that will include listening sessions with parents, volunteers and students as we create our search profile. Once the profile is complete, we will begin our search for this important ministerial staff position. Once a candidate is chosen, the search committee will recommend this person to the Personnel Committee and the Church. The candidate will then be presented to the church and a church vote will take place in accordance with our by-laws.

Please keep our search committee and the process in your prayers. Pray also for our students and all of our volunteers during this transition. Finally, pray that God will lead us to the person God has for us.

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SAVE THE DATE WEDNESDAY SEPT. 6 5:30-7:30 PM



Caring Connections Grief support for church members - Volunteers needed!

Caring Connections is a lead team which supports church members who are experiencing the death of a loved one that is also a church member. We provide words of comfort and hope for one year to those grieving within our congregation after their loss.

Volunteers continue to be needed to align with this group as we minister to those in grief. Consider inquiring or serving by contacting Rev. Eickhoff, Julie Lee or Kimberley Stover if interested! Join the team of compassion!

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN WORSHIP CARE

More Information on page 13



August 6 - Deacon of the Week

Summer Swango Wright, native of Raleigh, NC, has been a member of TBC since 2010. She is married to Nathan Wright. Summer is a Senior Associate Scientist for Bridge Bio Gene Therapy. She serves as deacon for Adult 6 Coed 2 Sunday School Class along with Kayla Daffron. Summer also serves as Adult 6 Sunday School Director, TNT Small Group Leader, and Lord's Supper Committee.

August 13 - Deacon of the Week

Christy Frisbee native of Candler, NC, has been a member of TBC since 2014. She and her husband, Mark, have two children: Benjamin (14) and William (7). Christy is a Speech Language Pathologist for Wake Med Rehabilitation Hospital. She serves as a deacon for Adult 5 Coed 2 with Angie Ferree, and Adam Mills. She is also serves as Mission Friends Director, ETC and Special Needs volunteer, Church Council, and Children's Day Lead Team.

WELCOME TO TRINITY

Kathryn Williams Letter

> Derek Myers Baptism

Gurney "Reece" Dillard Letter

> Mabel Dillard Letter

OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHIES

to **TBC Members Mary Jane and Donald Hart**, **Donald and Vonda Hart**, and **Tyler Hart** upon the passing of Mary Jane's brother, Don's uncle and Tyler's great uncle, John Woods of Winston-Salem, NC, Friday, June 30th.

to **TBC Member Ron Kareiva** upon the passing of his wife **TBC Member Joan Kareiva** of Raleigh, NC, Thursday, July 13th.

STAFF ANNIVERSARIES

Bentley Williams, Preschool Director, celebrates her 4 year anniversary with Trinity Baptist Church on August 1st. Please take the time to say a personal word, write a note or place a phone call to Bentley or offer words of encouragement and support for the fine job she is doing.

Bonnie Cole, Ministerial Secretary, celebrates her 4 year anniversary with Trinity Baptist Church on August 7th. Please take the time to say a personal word, write a note or place a phone call to Bonnie or offer words of encouragement and support for the fine job she is doing.

Sunday School News

We are a group of baptized believers living life with each other in community, learning God's truths and growing in Discipleship. Let us help you connect with a class or a group in fellowship in order to study God's word together. If you don't have a Sunday School class, reach out to Rev. Karen Eickhoff to find a Sunday School class where you can plug in.

Discipleship Classes This Fall

GriefShare | Beginning Aug. 13 | 4:30pm | C101

GRIEFSHARE is a safe and welcoming place of support. It offers a 13-week grief and loss support group where you will discover what to expect in the days ahead and what's "normal" in grief. Since there are no neat, orderly stages of grief, you'll learn helpful ways of coping with grief, in all its unpredictability –and gain solid support each step of the way.

Check website: **griefshare.org** or contact the church office or Larry Autry, Stephanie Johnson, or Kimberley Stover about attending.

Divorcecare | Beginning Aug. 23 | 7:00pm | D360

DIVORCECARE is a 13 week, video based series that provides comfort and hope through a support group. You will find welcome and hope while seeking recovery and healing after the hurt of divorce.

Please check DivorceCare website: **divorcecare.org** or contact the church office or Shay and Jeff Greene about interest or attending.

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

is currently asking leadership about returning for the 2023-2024 church year. We know we will have needs next year. Please consider what your role might be in teaching leadership. Please consider how God can use your gifts for His service.

Women's Wednesday Morning Bible Study "Abide", a Study of 1,2, and 3 John by Jen Wilkin

September 6, 2023 through November 15, 2023, Time: 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Study guides available through Lifeway and Amazon (includes video access).

Contact person is Susan Burnette 919-623-5333



Registration is now open for the Weekend Getaway Register Now to attend "Love is Something You DO," a

marriage enrichment experience in central North Carolina! Join sessions with other couples and leaders to explore how "Love" can be an action verb in your relationship.

Topics and leaders of the sessions are as follows: **Growing Deeper in Love with Inside Info:** Hal & Roberta Melton **Falling in Love, It's More than Butterflies:** Candy & Doug Murray **Love is Appreciating Our Differences:** Dave & Sue Long **Love is not Something You Look For, It's Something You Become:** Eddie & Sylvia Robertson **Love is Something, If You Give It Away, You End Up Having More:** Kathy & Jim Weidner of Charlotte

Getaway Registration Includes.

- All General Sessions
- All meals during the conference
- The opportunity to spend time growing and enriching your relationship in the company of others dedicated to the same pursuit.



Register online by scanning this code or visit https://shorturl.at/cvDM0

ALWAYS ROOM FOR YOU!

Find your place in music ministry in 2023! 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!

Our students and leaders had an awesome time at Passport Camp this year. Getting to know our students was an important part of going with them, and I enjoyed being a part of their lives and the Passport experience. I really encourage families to consider Passport as a part of their summer activities.

Special thanks to Joy Blashaw and Sam Pearce for leading the musical rehearsals and worship while I was away. What a joy it is to have faithful musicians to carry the torch while I'm away!

The Trinity Orchestra resume rehearsals on August 2. The summer is a good time to get those "chops" back in shape and come join us! If you are interested in joining the orchestra, shoot me an email or give me a call.

Rising 6th Graders and families, we will begin rehearsals for Student Choir on September 10 at 6:00 pm. This is a good time to evaluate your participation in our music ministry and join in the fun with our Student Choir. Trinity has had a rich tradition of providing a musical group for our student in 6th through 12th grades, and the music we offer in worship is so needed. And so are you! Make plans for this in your future calendars and get involved!

Make plans for Wednesdays in the Fall 2023 Preschool and Children's Choir ministry. We will begin our choir kick-off on September 6 and the first night of rehearsals on September 13. Preschool and Children's Choirs exist to help teach and disciple students about Jesus using music as a bridge in their faith development. Each choir has opportunities to sing in worship and especially for the Hanging of the Greens Service that begins Advent. Mark your calendars!

Until we meet again! Steve

> Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts

> > - Colossians 3:16

Sunday School Leadership Celebration



SAVE THE DATE | August 13 Lunch 12:00-2:30pm Fellowship Hall

An opportunity for current teachers, new teachers and upcoming teachers! Let's celebrate Teaching the word!

BBQ Pork or Chicken - or Pimento Cheese Panini | Skits and Fun! | Extra Resources: Age group teachers will receive class rolls! | Special guest speaker: Bo Prosser. Please respond to your department director or to Mary Brown at mpbrown57@gmail.com about your menu preference!



Register with this QR code or https://onrealm.org/ TrinityBaptistC/PublicRegistrations/Event?linkString=NDUw YWI3ZmUtMjNhNC00N2ExLWIyZjctYjAyZjAwZjJiYmYx



wednesday night summer study THE CHOSEN

6:00PM-7:30PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

These sessions will work in tandem with an episode from the show, bringing the Old and New Testament to life in a fresh way. Each session will begin with a scripture introduction followed by a viewing of the show with simple discussion/questions around the tables.

AUGUST 2 Episode 7 AUGUST 9 Episode 8

IF YOU MISS A WEEK, FEEL FREE TO WATCH ON NETFLIX, AMAZON PRIME OR DOWNLOAD THE APP.

A Zoom link will be available for any who would like to participate in "The Chosen" online each Wednesday. Please let Karen, Dr. Roberts, or Bonnie Cole know if you would like to have the link.



Register preschoolers and children for activities during The Chosen study. (Please provide Name and ages of children if allowed.)

SUNDAY SCHOOL ADVANCEMENT DAY IS AUGUST 27!

TRINITY SUMMER MISSIONS

August 12-19 TBC NATIONAL MISSION TEAM KENTUCKY MISSION TRIP

For more information contact: Brenda Lowrance at bhlowrance@gmail.com

August 20 | 6:00p.m. in the Fellowship Hall TRINITY MISSIONS CELEBRATION NIGHT

Come hear how God is working in the lives of our Trinity members through this years missions trips and projects! Ice Cream to follow!

FAMILY PROMISE PARTNERS NEEDED HOSTING WEEK: AUGUST 20 - 27

Please use Signup Genius (https://bit.ly/FPSignupAug2023) to volunteer.

Dinner Hosts - SS classes or other groups provide a hot meal for our Family Promise families. Coordinator: Stephanie Treadway (919.360.3632) satread1@att.net

Thursday Night Event - Plan/host an onsite event (i.e., cookout, game/ movie night) for the Family Promise families. Coordinator: Angie Ferree (919.274.4350) angieferree78@gmail.com

Food Lion Gift Cards - Donate \$10 Food Lion gift cards to be used for purchasing breakfast, lunch and other miscellaneous items. Coordinator: Beverly Munday (919.848.2451) tgimunday@msn.com

Prayer Partners - Individuals will receive emails guiding them to pray daily for Family Promise families, workers, and volunteers. Coordinator: Charla Peel (919.614.6322) cpchoc@aol.com

If you have any questions about Family Promise and our volunteer opportunities, please contact the appropriate Team Coordinator, or contact one of the TBC Family Promise Coordinators, Beth Duke (919.880.7454) bethwduke@gmail.com or Beverly Munday (919.848.2451) tgimunday@ msn.com.

NORTH RALEIGH MINISTRIES DESPERATELY NEEDS: BARS OF SOAP & SHAMPOO

While you are out shopping this week, please pick up some extra bar soap and shampoo and drop it by NRM at 9605 Strickland Road, Unit 161!

DID YOU KNOW YOU DO NOT NEED TO WAIT UNTIL OUR MONTHLY DRIVE TO DONATE?

As you go about your weekly grocery shopping, our local ministry partners have certain items that are always needed. Consider adding one or more of these items each week to your list and drop them off in our permanent collection bins in the B200 hall.

RALEIGH RESCUE MISSION

Juice boxes | Individual Snack Packs

NORTH RALEIGH MINISTRIES

Jelly | Canned Vegetables | Paper Towels Personal & House Cleaning Products

AUGUST MINISTRY PARTNER SUPPLY DRIVE SUNDAY, AUGUST 13, 2023

Raleigh Rescue Mission, North Raleigh Ministries, Family Promise's Back to School Preparations & Kentucky Mission Team Efforts

RALEIGH RESCUE MISSION

- New men's white undershirts sizes medium 5XL (most needed L-2XL,)
- Body wash + Body lotion
- Men's black dress socks (only dress socks)
- New white twin sheets flat and fitted sheets

NORTH RALEIGH MINISTRIES

- Bars of Soap
- Rice

• Diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5, 6)

- Shampoo
- Jelly

FAMILY PROMISE

- No. 2 Pencils
- Notebooks (Wide-ruled and College-ruled)
- Solid Color Folders (red, black, yellow, green, blue, and purple)
- Loose Leaf Paper (Wide-ruled and College-ruled)

MIKE'S FARM

Beulaville, NC | Saturday, August 12 | 12:30 pm - 9:00 pm Sign-up Sheet is posted on the Senior Board at B200 Hall Trip Leader Anita Yeargin - 919-389-1299

SUMMER LUNCH & LEARNS

10:30a.m.-12:30p.m. | Bring Lunch | Drinks + Desserts Provided

AUGUST 15 - NC Department of Justice | Is Someone Trying to Take Your Children's Inheritance? Learn about Scams and Fraud, How to Identify Scams and What to Do if Scammed, and Keeping Information Safe. Sign-up on the Senior Adult Sign-Up Board on the B200 Hall

FALL RBA SENIOR ADULT RALLYSEPTEMBER 199:00A.M.-1:00P.M.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH | 11109 POOLE RD | \$15/PERSON

Keynote Speaker: Clay Warf of the NC Baptist Foundation & Trinity Baptist Church Sanctuary Choir!! Sign-up will be posted on the B-200 Hall Senior Activities Board Sunday, August 6

NORTHWOOD TEMPLE DINNER THEATER PRESENTS... DON'T LET THE TIME TRAIN RUN YOU OVER!

12:30pm Saturday October 7, 2023 | Buses will depart from Trinity at 10:30am \$30/person Due At Signup - Seats are Limited

What happens when you suddenly notice that life is passing you by so fast that you can't keep up? Featuring the characters of the little town called Smith Corners

Sign-up Sheet will be posted August 27 on the Senior Activities Board at B200 Hall Trip Leader Mark Meyen (919)870-7251

CHRISTMAS BY THE SEA FORT CASWELL, OAK ISLAND, NC | DEC. 4-6, 2023

Sign ups are posted on the Senior Trips board at the entrance to the B200. Cost \$198.00 per person Due at Signup (NO SINGLE ROOMS this trip.)

Worship, Entertainment, Crafts, and Bingo, lodging, dinners, and breakfasts, as well as the Christmas show at the Alabama Theatre in Myrtle Beach!

Call Bill Gard (919) 618-5519 with any questions.

save the date 9.10.23

Immediately Following the 10:55 Worship

STUDENT MINISTRY FAMILY LUNCHEON

Our Student Ministry will host a luncheon for our youth and their families to share where we are headed and what we can expect. An annual calendar will be shared along with updates on upcoming events. Look for additional information soon in your inbox to RSVP to this event.

PASSPORT MISSIONS CAMP Berea College, Berea, KY

Last week, our students and adult leaders worked with Madison House in Richmond, KY, an organization that helps provide clothing, food, and a place of rest for the homeless. Our students helped paint their kitchen so they can begin to cook and serve the homeless community. We also did some yard clean up for neighboring churches and got to meet amazing people!

Here are some pictures of some of the things we have done throughout the week! We have had a lot of time for fellowship as well and had a huge rec party as well as a dance party! Thank you for your continued prayers and support during this past week!









Sept. 15-17, 2023 @Betsy-Jeff Penn Camp

For 3rd-5th graders (* this is for the 2023-2024 school year*)

SAVE THE DATES

AUG 4TH-6TH 6th and 7th Grade Beach Retreat

AUGUST 20TH 5th Grade Celebration at Kanki

AUG 27TH Advancement Day Children Promote to their new Sunday School Classes

> SEPT 6TH Fall Kickoff

SEPT 13TH Missions and Music begins!

SEPT 15TH-17TH FRIENDS CAMP

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN WORSHIP CARE

Our worship care, also known as ETC, is child care that is provided during each of our services. This allows parents and caregivers to worship while our children play, learn about God, and learn that church is a safe place where they are loved. This such a VITAL ministry for our families with children birth to age four.

> The other good part? You are serving FOUR times a year for ONE hour!



We offer ETC during both our 8:45 service and our 10:55 service. Scan the QR to sign up!

If you already serve you do not need to sign up!

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An opportunity for current teachers, new teachers and upcoming teachers! Let's celebrate Teaching the word!



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RECREATION OUTREACH CENTER

Laury Holley

MONDAY	
AUG 7	

9:00am - 12:00pm Frank Evans

12:00pm-3:00pm Pat Pierce Linda Perry

3:00pm-6:00pm Alice Summerlin

TUESDAY AUG 8

9:00am - 12:00pm Pat Nelson 12:00pm-3:00pm Brenda Lowrance 3:00pm-6:00pm

Tish Nabors

WEDNESDAY AUG 9

ROC VOLUNTEERS

9:00am - 12:00pm Mike Newton 12:00pm-3:00pm HL Warren 3:00pm-6:00pm Alan Holley

THURSDAY AUG 10

9:00am - 12:00pm Moose Beaudreau

12:00pm-3:00pm Pat Altman Tricia McCoy

3:00pm-6:00pm Stephanie Tepper

FRIDAY AUG 11

9:00am - 12:00pm Wayne Hill

12:00pm-3:00pm Donna Munley

3:00pm-6:00pm ROC CLOSED



\$25 provides a backpack of meals for 3 children for one weekend. For your donation, we are offering a yard sign to advertise in your neighborhood. We appreciate your support as we seek to raise funds to eradicate child hunger in Wake County with our partner, Inter-Faith Food Shuttle.

Yard signs are optional and available in the TBC Office

Contact Christie Fry @ christie.fry@outlook.com or Amanda Gayle @ amandalgayle@gmail.com

REGISTER TODAY!

NorthHills5K.com

Early registration BEFORE August 21 guarantees a tshirt

VOLUNTEER TODAY!

satread1@att.net

Contact Stephanie Treadway. This outreach event needs you!

TBC FITNESS FITNESS CLASSES ARE CONTINUING DURING THE SUMMER.

Chair Yoga ANJANA Tues | 5-6pm Thurs | 5-6pm UNDERGROUND

Strength & Stretch MICHELLE Wed. 11:30am-12:30pm Thurs. 12-1:00pm UNDERGROUND Dancelt KATHY Tues | 9-10am Thurs | 9-10am FELLOWSHIP HALL

Laury Holley

RECREATION OUTREACH CENTER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
AUG 14	AUG 15	AUG 16	AUG 17	AUG 18
9:00am - 12:00pm	9:00am - 12:00pm	9:00am - 12:00pm	9:00am - 12:00pm	9:00am - 12:00pm
Beverly Munday	Moose Beaudreau	Johnny Teal	Moose Beaudreau	Billy Joyner
12:00pm-3:00pm	12:00pm-3:00pm	12:00pm-3:00pm	12:00pm-3:00pm	12:00pm-3:00pm
Pat Pierce	Mark Wheeless	Betsy Thompson	Karen Simms	Wayne Hill
Linda Perry	3:00pm-6:00pm	Carol Caroll	3:00pm-6:00pm	3:00pm-6:00pm
2:00nm 6:00nm	Mike Newton	3:00pm-6:00pm	HI Warren	ROC CLOSED
3:00pm-6:00pm Laury Holley		Alan Holley		NOC CLOJED

We are always looking for some additional volunteers! If you are interested, please contact Laury at recreation@tbcraleigh.com.

4x4 Basketball league is coming to an end for the summer of 2023.

A very sincere "THANK YOU" to Sammy Pearce for his organization and leadership in the facilitation and implementation of this outreach ministry and to all those who participated this summer!



Any one interested in playing softball in the Fall Church league, please contact Stewart Price at stewp041178@gmail.com soon so that he can add you to the roster.

BASKETBALL & CHEER

Registration opens for TBC members September 5th! More info coming soon!

The ROC will be closed to all users the week of August 21-25 in order to refinish the gym floor. The products used elicit a very strong smell for about a week, so for everyone's health, we will be closed for that week. We will re-open on Monday, August 28 @ 9:00 am.

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

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Stewardship (YTD total through 06/30/2023) YTD General Funds Needs (Budget) YTD Operating Receipts YTD Operating Expenses

\$1,788,730.58 \$1,609,852.40 \$1,582,770.02

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