



Founded 1838

the Baptist Caller

**Our Mission:
Glorify God and
Make Disciples**

Volume 61, Number 50

December 15, 2020

Weekly Newsletter of Tabor City Baptist Church



The Christmas Prayer

by Brian Morgan



*On the first day of Christmas,
I pray for you joy in abundance and laughter,
for laughter cures our ills and joy makes our spirits soar.*
Isaiah 65:14

*On the second day of Christmas,
I pray for you a sigh when you need one, for a sigh clears
the heart and a cough clears the throat, and with a sigh
comes acceptance of what we cannot change.*
Psalm 5:11

*On the third day of Christmas,
I pray for you tears when you need them, for tears clear the eyes
to see the stars and cleanse the soul to let healing begin.*
Psalm 56:8

*On the fourth day of Christmas,
I pray for you serenity for fights and wars start in individual breasts
and that is where they must end.*
Micah 6:8

*On the fifth day of Christmas,
I pray for you wisdom, for our priceless gift is the gift of choice—
and we should use it well every day in word and deed.*
Proverbs 16:20

*On the sixth day of Christmas,
I pray for you patience, for most troubles pass if we wait them out,
and success comes with persistence.*
Psalm 37:7

*On the seventh day of Christmas,
I pray for you courage, for there may be many pitfalls and dangers ahead
and problems can only be solved when they are faced.*
Deuteronomy 31:6

*On the eighth day of Christmas,
I pray for you compassion, for we cannot help others until we understand
them, and we cannot understand them until we walk in their shoes.*
Zechariah 7:9

*On the ninth day of Christmas,
I pray for you a willingness to work, for work turns dream to reality—
whether the dreams are ours or belong to those we can help.*
Proverbs 22:29

*On the tenth day of Christmas,
I pray for you unwavering faith, for faith shapes our morals
and our destiny and draws us closer to God.*
Habakkuk 2:4

*On the eleventh day of Christmas,
I pray for you a mind full of hope for hope determines our
attitudes, set our goals and creates our ideals.*
Psalm 71:5

*On the twelfth day of Christmas,
I pray for you a heart so full of love that every day
you must give some away to those whose paths you cross.*
I Corinthians 13:13



Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Thursday, December 24th, 5:00pm



Thank you for your calls, prayers, and for volunteering to make a grocery run, during Ronnie's recent illness.

It is truly a BLESSING to have such wonderful Friends in Christ.

Ronnie & Cynthia

Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers at the graveside service for Miona Fonvielle. We were small in number but strong in spirit as Rev. Earl Spivey led the service. She loved her church as she was loved.

Thanks also for the great meal the church provided. We enjoyed it very much as we were used to great cooking from her kitchen!

Thanks & Love,
Pam Frost (niece)

SUNDAY'S RECORD—December 13, 2020

Morning Worship.....70
 Amount Needed/Weekly Budget.....6,169.35
Budget Offering 3,707.00
 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering1,400.00
 Given to date: 3,515.00
 NC Missions.....200.00
Total 5,307.00
Year to Date Budget Needs..... 92,540.25
Year to Date Budget Receipts 82,479.00
Year to Date Total Receipts..... 95,694.00

THOSE WHO SERVE— December 20, 2020

Sound Techs
 Pete Rasmussen, Keith Darrow
Deacon Offering Collectors
 Marlette Watson, Don Watts
Deacons at Doors
 Marlette Watson, Don Watts

Prayer List

Pastor Earl Spivey
 Shawn & Wendy Fipps (Nelson Lee's sister-in-law)
 Delond & Dana Gore
 Renae Gore Ward
 Gail Sarvis (Jerry Bullard's cousin)
 Mark Harris
 Bill Lowery-in rehab (Jim Smith's brother-in-law)
 Walter Williamson
 Wanda Ward
 Leon Edward Fonvielle
 Mary Currie (Audrey Greene's mother)
 Mary Bow
 Patsy Bullard
 Rocky Norris
 Willaree Fowler
 Katherine Coleman
 Eddie Prince
 Melva Dean Bruton
 Bernice & Barbara Gerald
 Frank Brewer
 Don Prince
 Miles Buffkin



Happy Birthday

December 15—Jimmy Tompkins
 Ella Jones
 December 17—R.C. Soles
 December 19—Sarah Greene
 Cynthia Inman
 December 21—Chessa Lee
 Harvey Fowler
 December 22—Nancy Jernigan
 John Lewis
 December 23—Eddie Prince
 Bobby Powell
 December 24—Meredith Lay
 December 25—Van Greene
 December 26—Lorena Fowler
 December 27—Evan Cribb
 December 28—Eunice Stevens
 Brandon Prince
 December 30—Anna Cribb

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers for Sunday, December 20, will be given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Henrie and Richard Gordon by their children and grandchildren.

2021 Altar Flowers

If you would like to furnish the altar flowers for a Sunday next year, please call the church office. Following dates available:

January 3, 17	August 1, 29
February 21, 28	September 5, 26
April 4, 11	October 10, 31
May 9, 16	November 7, 14, 28
June 13, 20	December 26
July 11	

Church Office Information

Hours: M-TH 8:30 am-5:00 pm
 (Closed 12-1pm for Lunch)
 F-8:30 am-1:00 pm
 Phone: (910)653-2029
 Fax: (910)653-5812
 www.tcbaptist.net

E-mail:

earljspiveyjr@aol.com
 musichefsmith@yahoo.com
 tonya@tcbaptist.net

Pastor Earl's Cell: (843)877-5722
Jim's Cell: (910)207-1507
Tonya's Cell: (910)840-4818

Church Staff

Supply Pastor—Rev. Earl Spivey
 Interim Worship Leader—Jim Smith
 Pianist—Pam Harrelson
 Ministry Assistant—Tonya Stevens
 Custodian—Coley Greene

Sunday Schedule

Sunday Morning Worship—10:45 am

LISTEN LIVE SUNDAYS at 10:45am

1370 AM or
 visit tcbaptist.net
 and click "Listen Online"



200 Live Oak Street
 PO Box 126
 Tabor City, NC 28463

«AddressBlock»

Non-Profit Organ.
 U.S. Postage
 PAID
 Tabor City, NC

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED