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Make Disciples**

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Weekly Newsletter of Tabor City Baptist Church

I find it joyful to see what is unfolding here at Tabor City Baptist. It has been a long time of inactivity but the waters are now stirring again. If you haven't noticed allow me to share some of it with you.

Sunday School is making plans to restart this summer. I am not sure of the details but the planning is taking place and arrangements are in process to enable us to return to our familiar routine of fellowship and Bible study. We have already started Sunday School for the children and preschoolers.

A couple of weeks ago we started a mid-week Bible study for the church and community. All are encouraged to attend at 11:00 AM each Wednesday. A meal is being planned to encourage fellowship after being distanced for so long.

This summer we are making plans to have a Vacation Bible School. It will be a great time to teach the children about God's love through Jesus, and maybe some of us older ones too. Make your plans to participate and invite family and friends to come with you.

Last week 18 gathered to investigate discipleship. We saw that disciples do more than make a public declaration of their faith in Jesus Christ. The New Testament teaches that disciples are followers and students of Jesus. We have about 14 wanting to participate in a discipleship ministry I outlined for us.

Yes, I am excited about all of these and how they will grow our fellowship. If you want to know more about any of these just contact the church office. Blessings upon you all.

Bro. Earl

Wednesday Bible Study

You are invited to join others in studying the Bible together each Wednesday morning at 11:00. May 5 we will look at king Asa and the danger of growing angry and bitter toward God. Then on May 12 we will see the first study on king Jehoshaphat. Though a good king he failed to remain true to God's commands and brought much trouble on Judah.

Baby Dedication

Sunday, May 9th

Maggie McKinley Richardson

March 2, 2021

Daughter of Drake &
Lauren Richardson

Wednesday Bible Study Lunch Menu

5/05: Sour Cream Chicken Enchiladas, Refried Beans, Lettuce/Tomato, Tortilla Chips/Guacamole, Mexican Dessert, Fruit
Helpers: Debbie Rogers/Mary Coleman

5/12: Pork Loin, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, Fruit, Dessert
Helpers: Margaret Jones/Sara Jones

COMING SUNDAY

Mother's Day is a cherished American tradition. Most of us can look back and see the amazing influence our mothers have had upon our lives. Perhaps that is just what God intended for mothers. Perhaps that influence could lead to world change.

Note from Jim

We enjoyed our opportunity to visit with Jenny and her family this past weekend. Thank you to Dennis Jones for leading the music in my absence.

A NOTE OF



I'm so grateful to each and everyone of you who came to my bridal shower. Thank you so much for the gifts.

Abby Leonard



BABY SHOWER

Please join us to honor

Kathryn and Brian Ayres

Drive-up, Park,

and Party Indoors!

Sunday, May 16th

2 to 4 PM

Tabor City Baptist Church

Registered at Target & Walmart

RSVP to Tricia Clontz @ 910-840-1908,
Margaret Ann Dameron @ 910-640-7749,
or Kathryn Ayres @ 910-642-6523



SUNDAY'S RECORD—May 2, 2021

Morning Worship.....	49
YouTube/Mixlr Views.....	21
Sunday School.....	32
Amount Needed/Weekly Budget.....	6,169.35
Budget Offering	7,050.00
Benevolence	50.00
NC Missions.....	100.00
Helping Hands/Mission Activity Fund.....	510.00
Total	7,710.00

Included in the above figures are memorials for Kevin Norris, Brandon Herring and Scott Blackmon.

Year to Date Budget Needs.....	215,927.25
Year to Date Budget Receipts	213,341.91
Year to Date Total Receipts.....	254,749.92

THOSE WHO SERVE— May 9, 2021

Sound Techs

Pete Rasmussen, Justin Hughes

Deacon Offering Collectors

Burnett Coleman, Keith Darrow

Deacons at Doors

Marlette Watson, Don Watts

Nursery Volunteers

Audrey Greene, Molly Greene

Prayer List

Doris Corbett
 Randy Watts (Don & Mary's son)
 Jerry & Patsy Bullard
 Margaret Ann Dameron
 Helen Bush
 Camilla Nobles
 Wade & Lorena Fowler
 Roy Yarbrough
 Pastor Earl Spivey
 Russell Wright
 Alma Lanier
 Wanda Ward
 Mary Currie (Audrey Greene's mother)
 Mary Bow
 Willa Ree Fowler
 Katherine Coleman
 Eddie Prince
 Bernice & Barbara Gerald
 Frank Brewer
 Don Prince
 Miles Buffkin



Happy Birthday

May 6—Walter Williamson
 May 10—Lauren Ford
 May 11—Jeanette Coleman
 May 15—Cathy Jones
 May 17—Shannon Christmas
 May 19—Ryder Shelley
 May 20—Rett Lee

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers for Sunday, May 9th, will be given by Pat Kirsch in memory of her mother, Mrs. Ann Sabados.

TCBC Scholarship Applications

Applications are available at the church office. Applicants must be a high school senior or a student currently enrolled in a college or university. Applicants must also be a member in good standing.

National Day of Prayer

Thursday, May 6th, 12 Noon
 Tabor City Visitor's Center

Baccalaureate Service Sunday, May 23rd

If you are graduating from high school or college please call the church office and let us know.

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Church Staff

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

Sunday Schedule

Children's Sunday School—10:00 am
 Sunday Morning Worship—10:45 am

Wednesday Schedule

Bible Study—11:00 am
 Adult Choir Rehearsal—6:30 pm

LISTEN/WATCH LIVE SUNDAYS at 10:45am

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