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the Baptist Caller

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

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As most of you know I am presently back in MUSC hospital. After winding down physically the doctors wanted to search for the illusive cause. After three days of testing the cause is still hidden but many reasons for thanksgiving have emerged. The donor heart is strong and healthy. The spot on the outside of my brain and the nodules in my lungs are not growing and give no appearance of being cancerous. Many viruses have been eliminated while others are being tested. Continue to pray for God to grant the doctors insight and direction in where to look as well as wisdom in interpreting the complex data from the many tests. I am improving some and am praising God for the many good things found. The kidneys continue to show weakness but have improved with increased fluids. I meet with the kidney specialist next week. Thank you for your loving acceptance and sincere love for Laretta and I. We look forward to being back together soon.

Bro Earl

We continue to pray for Pastor Earl Spivey as he is undergoing tests at the hospital. Church leadership has met and have suggested that Earl should take time away from the pulpit the next two Sundays to rest and recuperate. He is in agreement with this. We have retained speakers for these two services. Rev. Lamont Hemminger will preach January 22nd during Baptist Men's day. He and his wife, Alicia, grew up in the Riegelwood/Delco area. He has pastored for 23 years, most recently at FBC Tarboro and has recently moved back to Columbus County to be closer to family. We will have Rev. Larry Cashatt to fill the pulpit on January 29th.

At our recent Deacon's meeting, we decided to reinstate a plan for the Deacons of the church to minister to our members. We feel the responsibility to help shepherd, along with the Pastoral staff, our members and families. We will publish in next weeks Caller a breakdown of each Deacon's member responsibility. Please pray for us as we seek God's guidance in daily service to His church.

Dennis Jones – Deacon Chair

Men's Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, January 18th @ 6:45pm

Men's choir will sing for worship service on men's day, Sunday, January 22. Sam Rogers will be leading this group. All the men need to meet in the choir room immediately following Sunday school to get their music and prepare for worship.

TCBC Men & Guests


Tabor City Baptist Church men & boys weekend has been set for Saturday, January 21, 2023 & Sunday, January 22, 2023. On Saturday, a lunch "fellowship" meeting is set for 12:00, Dales, Tabor City. Burnett Coleman will be leading a discussion regarding mission opportunities in our church and community and how we may participate in them. Speaker for the worship service, Sunday, January 22, will be Rev. Lamont Hemminger. Please mark these dates/special services on your calendar and plan to attend. If you have questions, please contact the church office, 910-653-2029.

Recommendation of Changes to Bylaws

- Revise 1.4A to read as follows: On line 20: change understand to understands
- Revise 1.4A to read as follows: On line 23: after the next scheduled business meeting—ADD "or at a called business meeting by the Pastor for the purpose of presenting the candidate for membership."
- Add a 1.4B which reads, "Previous members may be reinstated by Voice Vote."
- Revise 1.8.1 to read: "Corporate Board/Trustees of the Church in line 7 and in line 9."

The Committee also discussed changing the voting age of a member from 16 to 18 to vote on Church Business.

The vote on these recommendations will be held on Sunday, January 29, 2023 at the end of morning worship.

 Thank you for the ramp you built. We appreciate y'all so much. Your hard work and dedication to our community is truly a blessing. God bless each of you.
The Family of Patty Cartrette

Finance Committee Meeting

Monday, January 23rd
6:00pm
Media Center



Senior Adult Valentine Banquet

Hosted by Youth and Children's Ministry
Sunday, February 12th @ 5:00pm
Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY'S RECORD—January 15, 2023

Morning Worship.....	75
Online Viewers.....	74
Sunday School.....	60
Wednesday Prayer Meeting.....	16
Discipleship.....	11
Wednesday (Children, Youth, Leaders).....	20
Amount Needed/Weekly Budget.....	5,786.36
Budget Offering.....	2,856.00
Baptist Men.....	100.00
Total.....	2,956.00

Year to Date Budget Needs.....	115,727.31
Year to Date Budget Receipts.....	148,753.00
Year to Date Total Receipts.....	186,151.57

Wednesday Night Supper Schedule

January 18—Subs, Chicken Nuggets, Dessert
 January 25—BBQ Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Dessert

Happy Birthday

January 17—Abi Batchelder
 January 19—Joyce Herring
 January 20—Jerry Jolly
 January 21—Winslow Phipps
 January 22—Chris Avery
 January 23—Ben Inman
 January 25—Doris Corbett
 Jeaneen Ray
 January 27—Karen Ray
 January 28—Clara Fowler
 Donald James
 Madison Ward
 January 29—Alex Jarman
 January 30—Faith Batchelder



Altar Flowers

The altar flowers for Sunday, January 22nd will be given in memory of Rossie Spivey by Tommy Spivey.

2023 Altar Flowers

The following dates are available for altar flowers. If you would like to furnish the flowers for one of these dates, please call the church office.

April 2	November 12
April 9	November 19
April 23	November 26
July 2	December 10
August 27	December 31
October 8	

THOSE WHO SERVE— January 22, 2023

Deacon Offering Collectors
 Marlette Watson, Keith Darrow
Deacons at Doors
 Ronnie Jones, Sam Rogers
Sound Techs
 Pete Rasmussen, Dunkin Lay
Video Tech
 Stan Fowler
Nursery Volunteers
 Sharon Harris, Hailey Gerald

Prayer List

Kendall Cartrette
 Teresa Bass
 Judy Caines-Surgery
 Diona Greseth (Dean Duncan Soles' daughter)
 Sue Clontz (Wallace's daughter-in-law)
 Brenda Young Singletary
 Alan Ruiz (Catherine Garrell's son)
 Ronnie Jones
 Walter Williamson
 Dan Bush
 Nikki Ague
 Bill Fowler
 Rebekah Hudson (Ellen Johnson's daughter)
 Pastor Earl Spivey
 Pam Spivey
 Tommy Spivey
 Helen Bush
 Camilla Nobles



Diona Greseth's Address

Mayo Clinic Hospital
 Saint Mary's Campus
 1216 Second Street SW
 Diona Greseth
 Patient Care Unit – Room 7-838
 Rochester, MN 55902

Shut-ins

Carole Watts
 Doris Mills
 Mary Bow
 Cynthia Inman
 Gene Burroughs, Sr.
 Freddie Long
 Wade Fowler
 Ann Lay
 Mary Currie (Audrey Greene's mother)
 Allene Dorman

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Jim's Cell: (910)207-1507
Tonya's Cell: (910)840-4818

Church Staff

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

Sunday Schedule

Sunday School—9:45am
 Sunday Morning Worship—10:45am
 Discipleship—6:00pm

Wednesday Schedule

Afterschool Activities—4:15-5:00pm
 Supper—5:00-5:45pm
 Children & Youth Studies—5:30-6:30pm
 Adult Prayer Meeting—6:00-6:40pm
 Adult Choir Rehearsal—6:45 pm

LISTEN/WATCH LIVE SUNDAYS at 10:45am

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 visit tcbaptist.net
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