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

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A NOTE FROM JIM

It is exciting to start a new year with you here at Tabor City Baptist Church. I really enjoyed the worship services on Christmas day and New Years day. It was so very special to begin those days with church family in worship. Thank you for the special love offering gifts given to Donna and I for Christmas. You are truly a generous and special people. I want to again thank the Adult Choir, Pam, Phyllis, and the sound techs, the children and their leaders and the orchestra for the beautiful Christmas music. It was a joy to work on and sing. I'm still singing the songs. I pray we enjoy the new year as we serve God together at Tabor City Baptist Church.

Love, Jim

A NOTE FROM PHYLLIS

"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayer for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. It is right for me to feel this way about all of you, since I have you in my heart..." (Philippians 1:3-7a). Paul said it better than I ever could. It has indeed been my honor and privilege to serve you in 2022. May God continue to bless and use TCBC mightily for His Kingdom in 2023 and beyond.

I love you all,
Phyllis

Sunday Evening Discipleship

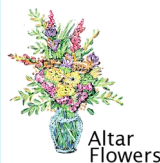
The discipleship study focused on a survey of the Bible will resume Sunday, January 8th at 6:00 PM. We have completed a survey of the Old Testament and now begin our survey of the New Testament. All are welcome to attend.

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. Members were encouraged to pray over this matter until our next meeting on Monday, November 21, 2022, at 6pm.

2023 Altar Flowers



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	October 29
April 9	November 5
April 23	November 12
June 11	November 19
July 2	November 26
July 30	December 10
August 27	December 17
October 8	December 31

Building & Grounds Committee Meeting

Monday, January 9th 7:00pm
Media Center

Deacons Meeting

Sunday, January 15th 5:00pm
Media Center

SUNDAY'S RECORD—January 1, 2023

Morning Worship.....	74
Sunday School.....	50
Online Viewers.....	37
Amount Needed/Weekly Budget.....	5,786.36
Budget Offering.....	19,902.00
Lottie Moon.....	2,825.00
(Church Goal: 7,500.00—Given to Date: 25,003.00)	
NCBF.....	2,500.00
Bethesda.....	125.00
Matthew 25.....	100.00
Total.....	25,452.00

Year to Date Budget Needs.....	104,154.59
Year to Date Budget Receipts.....	143,092.00
Year to Date Total Receipts.....	180,190.57

THOSE WHO SERVE— January 8, 2023

Deacon Offering Collectors

Marlette Watson, Keith Darrow

Deacons at Doors

Barbara Harrelson, Judy Prince

Sound Techs

Pete Rasmussen, Lawson Richardson

Video Tech

Stan Fowler

Nursery Volunteers

Margaret Jones, Mary Coleman

Prayer List

Kendall Cartrette
 Teresa Bass
 Judy Caines-Surgery
 Diona Greseth (Dean Duncan Soles' daughter)
 Sue Clontz (Wallace's daughter-in-law)
 Ash-Leigh Stevens (Judy Prince's niece)
 Eddie & Faye Grainger
 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



Shut-ins

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

Wednesday Night Supper Schedule

January 4—Spaghetti, Salad, Dessert

Happy Birthdays

January 7—Greg Greene
 Catherine Christmas
 January 8—Brady Ivey
 January 10—Jordan Ford
 January 14—Emma Ann Lay
 January 15—Bernice Gerald
 January 16—Mary Bow
 Jaelyn Ray
 January 17—Abi Batchelder
 January 19—Joyce Herring
 January 20—Jerry Jolly
 January 21—Winslow Phipps

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers for Sunday, January 8th will be given to the Glory of God and in honor of Mary Bow (birthday—January 16th) and in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Reece Burroughs by Mr. & Mrs. Gene Burroughs.



Finance Committee Meeting

Monday, January 23rd
 6:00pm
 Media Center

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Church Staff

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

Sunday Schedule

Sunday School—9:45 am
 Sunday Morning Worship—10:45 am

Wednesday Schedule

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

LISTEN/WATCH LIVE SUNDAYS at 10:45am

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 visit tcbaptist.net
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