#### TABERNACLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

# TOWERCHIMES







#### OUR MISSION

Tabernacle Presbyterian Church is called by God, led by faith in Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit to demonstrate the Kingdom of God through worship, discipleship and outreach. Honoring our heritage at 34th and Central, we will faithfully serve our community, city and world in the present and prepare expectantly for the future.

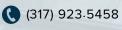
#### SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- 8:00a Communion Service Located in McKee Chapel
- 9:00a Contemporary Service Connect with God and with one another in authentic, relational worship in the Sanctuary
- 10:00a Christian Education Hour Programming for all ages

11:00a Traditional Worship Located in the Sanctuary featuring organ and choir music

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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#### TAB'S TOWER CHIMES

This monthly newsletter is also available on the church website at: www.tabpres.org

All submissions should be emailed to Kristine Seals at frontdesk@tabpres.org. The submission deadline is the 15th of each month for appearance in the upcoming month's Tower Chimes.

Cover photo: The first Tab Jams held in the courtyard on Sunday, July 23, 2017. Photo taken by Mike Cracraft.





# **Pastoral Reflection** Pentecost - More Than Just A Day

Dear Friends,

On Sunday, May 20, we celebrated Pentecost, the day God poured out His Holy Spirit on new believers, the day some call the "birthday of the Church." Pentecost, however, was more than just a "one day" event; it established the pattern for the Church's witness and mission and ministry. Still today when we gather for worship and study and when we go out in witness and service, we do so by the indwelling and empowering of the Holy Spirit.

One of Jesus' last commands to His disciples was to "go and make disciples" (Matthew 28:19) and to "be His witnesses in Jerusalem (their city), in Judea and Samaria (their region), and to the ends of the earth" (Acts 1:8). All of this again is by the empowering of the Holy Spirit.

We at Tab, take our Lord's great commission seriously. These are the ministries we support in our "Jerusalem, Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

#### Local Community

- 1. Mapleton-Fall Creek Food Pantry
- 2. Indy's Grace Place (Prison Ministry)
- 3. Unleavened Bread Café
- 4. Neighborhood Christian Legal Clinic
- 5. The Oaks Academy
- 6. Tab Tutoring
- 7. School 48
- 8. Horizons
- 9. Greater Faith House of God
- 10. Mapleton-Fall Creek CDC
- 11. Raphael Health Center
- 12. Habitat for Humanity
- 13. Tab's Open Door Soup Kitchen
- 14. Gracious Gifts

#### **Global Community**

We support missions and missionaries in:

- 1. East Asia
- 2. Kenya
- 3. Romania
- 4. Columbia
- 5. Mongolia
- 6. Africa/Philadelphia, PA
- 7. Arizona Neighborhood Ministries
- 8. Justice Ventures, Inc.

Please join us as we pray God's blessing and the Holy Spirit's empowering for these partners in the ministry and mission of Jesus Christ.

I look forward to worshiping our "calling and sending" God with you this Sunday.

Rev. L. John Gable

# **June** 2018

### Preaching Schedule

- Romans 12:1-8 3 Rev. Oscar Clavel, preaching
- 10 "Lest There Be Any Misunderstanding" Matthew 6:38-48 Romans 12:9-21 Rev. L. John Gable, preaching
- "Authorities and Authority" 17 Luke 20-20-26 Romans 13:1-7 Rev. L. John Gable, preaching
- Romans 13:7-14 24 Rev. Oscar Clavel, preaching

#### Summer Schedule Begins July 1!

On Sunday, July 1, we will begin our summer Sunday morning schedule. Plan to join us at 8:00a for the Communion Service in McKee Chapel, 9:00a Education Hour and 10:00a Summer Worship. Mark your calendars for our summer change!

### June Event Schedule WEEKLY

1	5:30p	Women's Ministry	SUN	4:00p	Tab Soccer
	6:30p	Preteen Outing		5:00p	IMPACT Youth Group
2	8:45a	Fresh Stop Produce	MON	6.30n	Cub Scout Pack
3	12:00p	Boy Scout Hot dog Luncheon			Boy Scout Troop 72
	12:00p	Home Communion		0.45p	Boy Scout 1100p 72
4	11:00a	TabFest Scouting Trip	TUE	10:00a	Women Alive
5	11:00a	SMS 2018 Meeting		6:30p	Prayer Ministry
10	12:30p	Eagle Scout Court of Honor	WED	0.30a	Pastors' Bible Study
	1:00p	Eagle Scout Reception	WED		Arts Academy Lessons
	6:30p	Tab Jams			Purls of Wisdom
11	6:00p	Food Access Task Force			Parents' Study
		Meeting			Children's Musical Reh
16	8:45a	Fresh Stop Produce			
<b>18-22</b> 9:00a		Kids' Games		0.30p	Contemporary Service Music Reh
25	12:00p	Youth Mission Trip to Arizona			Music Ren
	7:00p	Recreation Committee	FRI	7:00p	Circle of Hope
			SAT	8.000	Men's Bible Study
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			MWF	11:00a	Tab's Open Door

#### Weekly Bible Readings

- 1 Samuel 3:1-10 (11-20) 3 Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 2 Corinthians 4:5-12 Mark 2:23-3:6
- 10 1 Samuel 8:4-11 (12-15) 16-20 (11:14-15) Psalm 138 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Mark 3:20-35
- 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13 17 Psalm 20 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 (11-13) 14-17 Mark 4:26-34
- 24 1 Samuel 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23) 32-49 Psalm 9:9-20 or 1 Samuel 17:57-18:5, 10-16 Psalm 133 2 Corinthians 6:1-13 Mark 4:35-41

#### MONTHLY

<sup>1st</sup> N	ION	5:00p	HR Committee
<sup>1st</sup> T	UE	5:30p	Missions Committee
2nd N	ION	5:30p	Facilities Committee
<sup>2nd</sup> <b>T</b>	UE	7:00p	Budget & Finance Children's Ministries Worship, Music & Arts
<sup>3rd</sup> T	UE		Session Meeting Prayer Team Meeting
<sup>4th</sup> T	UE	7:00p	Congregational Life Deacons' Meeting Media Committee
2nd 🚺	/ED	10:30a	Ladies Quilting Group
4th 🚺	/ED	10:00a	Ladies Quilting Group
2nd <b>S</b>	AT	10:00a	Purls of Wisdom
4th <b>S</b>	AT	10:00a	Purls of Wisdom

Please visit tabpres.org for a complete calendar of events.

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# Spotlight Meet Kenny Phelps

Story by Paula Daum







If you had the opportunity to attend one of the Tab Jams concerts last summer, then you've had the pleasure of hearing the talented Kenny Phelps. Tab Jams is the brainchild of Tab member, Jim Babcock. Jim was interested in finding a way to invite our Mapleton-Fall Creek neighbors to Tab for music and fellowship. When Jim and Kenny met, they began this amazing concert series that will continue again this summer.

Kenny Phelps is not new to Tab, though. He grew up in this neighborhood. In fact, Kenny played basketball with the Tab Recreation program. But basketball wasn't his first love. As a young child, Kenny found his passion in percussion. Specifically, he loved banging on pots and pans! His passion for drums evolved as he grew up, and in high school, he came to the realization that music could be a job. After a brief stint at Eli Lilly, Kenny knew music was the career he wanted to have. He then jumped headfirst into practicing his craft forty hours a week - as if practice was his job.

While growing up, gospel music was the only genre on Kenny's playlist. As an adult, he made connections in the local music scene and met jazz artists such as Steve Allee and Rob Dixon. He spent time as the house drummer with the American Pianist Association. He also toured with Dee Dee Bridgewater and Arsenio Hall.

But playing drums wasn't Kenny's only calling. He also felt a calling "of the heart." For almost 10 years, Kenny led a program called "Takin' It To the Streets." In partnering with local churches and local food banks, Kenny and his partner musicians would visit different areas of Indianapolis. They brought music, food and fellowship to neighborhoods in need.

Six years ago, Kenny entered a new phase of life when he became the owner of Owl Music Group. Owl Music Group is a record company, by definition, but it is really much more. Their mission is that the company"... *exists to create a diverse and thriving community through mentorship and collaborative musical experiences.*" In short, Kenny wants to help young musicians learn what he learned growing up. He wants to help musicians learn that music is a career option. But it is not just about playing music or being center-stage. It's about marketing, networking, collaboration, planning, and so much more. And Kenny is there to help them learn about these aspects of the business. It's his passion for music and a belief - driven by his faith in God - that calls him to serve young musicians in this way.

As we look forward to the coming summer, we're excited for this season of Tab Jams. **This year's concerts will again be held in the courtyard, and they are scheduled for June 10, July 8 and August 12 at 6:00p.** Kenny, his talented wife, Valerie, and a variety of other local musicians, will be performing. Come join us for some great evenings of music!

# New Members Welcome!

On Sunday, April 29, we welcomed the following new members to our Tab Church family. Here is some information about each of them that you can print out and add to your Pictorial Directory. Their pictures are on display in McKee Hallway. Please seek out these new members and do your part to welcome them to the fellowship of Tab!



#### **JANET & RANDY BELDEN**

203 Harbour Circle, Fishers, 46037. Phone: (317) 842-8727 (home) and (317) 753-6730 (cell). Email: thebeldens@aol.com. Randy is in sales with ESL/Spectrum Lighting. We welcome Janet and Randy!



#### **KRISTIN BUCKINGHAM AND CALEB GOSS**

2414 N. Delaware Street, Unit B, Indianapolis, 46205 (Kristin) and 7101 Winslet Blvd., Apt. 3D, Indianapolis, 46217 (Caleb). Phone: (317)366-6311 (Kristin - cell) and (812-322-8840 (Caleb - cell). Email: kristin.buckingham@gmail.com and caleb.goss@gmail.com. Kristin (not pictured) is a labor and delivery nurse at IU Health Methodist Hospital and she is in graduate school to become a family nurse practitioner. Caleb is a Senior Process Engineer at Eli Lilly & Co. Kristin loves kittens and traveling, and Caleb loves all kinds of sports. They are engaged to be married here at Tab in May of 2019!



#### **RYAN & RUTH MILLER**

4104 East 79<sup>th</sup> Street, Indianapolis, 46250. Phone: (317) 496-8022 (Ryan - cell) and (260) 615-1572 (Ruth - cell). Email: cwrmiller@yahoo.com and mrs.ruth.h.miller@gmail.com. Ryan is an architect at Browning Day Mullins Dierdorf. Ruth is a graphic designer for Southern Food Systems. Ryan grew up at Tab and is the son of Tab members Greg and Kathy Miller. Ruth and Ryan were married here at Tab in October of 2016.



#### **JASON & MOLLY SIMONS**

5649 Sly Fox Lane, Indianapolis, 46237. Phone: (765) 404-6940 (Jason - cell) and (706) 482-8119 (Molly - cell). Email: jason.simons08@gmail.com and molly.poitevint@gmail.com. Jason is the Chief Development Officer for Indianapolis Classical Schools (formerly Herron High School). Molly is the Assistant Director of Championships and Alliances for the NCAA. Jason is a native Hoosier, while Molly grew up in Georgia and is an avid Georgia Bulldogs fan!



#### JACKIE VELASQUEZ

1649 Union Street, Indianapolis, 46225. Phone (317) 432-0143. Jackie is retired after working for several organizations, including ITT Educational, the Children's Museum and with Perry Township Special Needs. She has six children, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Jackie likes to "crochet in the winter and dig in the garden in the summer."







# June 18-22

Bible-based, sports-themed VBS for ages 6-12

Free. Register at tabpres.org

# Rhythms of the World Inter-Cultural Music and Arts Summer Camp



July 23 - July 27 10:00a - 1:00p

Ages 7 through 12

Free Admission! Register today by stopping by the Front Office or contacting Matt Kauffman at matt.kauffman@tabpres.org

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# Tab News Announcements & Events

#### HOME COMMUNION

The Deacons and Elders will be serving Home Communion on Sunday, June 3. Please notify Adam Packer by May 30 if you know of someone who would like to be served. Contact: Adam Packer at adamfpacker@gmail.com or 317-809-6264

#### **TROOP 72 BOY SCOUT HOT DOG LUNCH**

On Sunday, June 3, *be prepared* to celebrate the last twenty years of scouting at Tab. The troop will be recognized during both services. Following the 11:00a service, *do a good turn* and join us for a delicious hot dog lunch in Tab's Courtyard.

#### PARENT FELLOWSHIP GATHERING

On Wednesday, June 6, all Tab parents of children in our Children's Ministries programs are invited to a "grown-ups only" pitch-in supper in Lower Level A at 6:30p while the elementary students are enjoying our Summer Musical kickoff pizza party. Children's Ministries will provide pizza, paper goods and beverages. Parents are asked to bring a side dish or dessert to share with the other parents. During the gathering, there will be plenty of good fellowship in addition to a discussion about the possibility of continuing to meet on Wednesday evenings while the elementary students are rehearsing each week. Childcare will be provided for those children too young to participate in the musical. If you have questions, please contact Jennifer Wirt at jennifer.wirt@tabpres.org or 317-923-5458, ext. 140.

#### **KIDSGAMES 2018**

Registration for this summer's Kidsgames (which runs from June 18-22 at Tab) is open. The link to register is available via the Tab website at www.tabpres.org. All children who have finished grades K-6 are invited to join us for a fun week of sports, games, Bible lessons, crafts, music, movies, and a trip to the Riviera Club. We still need volunteers. If you would like to spend a day or two with a great group of children, contact Jennifer Wirt at jennifer.wirt@tabpres.org or 317-923-5458, ext. 140.

#### **PRETEEN OUTINGS**

On June 1, Tab's fifth and sixth-graders are invited to an Escape Room adventure followed by dessert downtown on the Circle. On June 28, the preteens will be taking our annual summer trip. This year's trip will be to Amish Acres in Nappanee, Indiana. While we are there we will take a hayride, full tour, have a gigantic lunch in the renovated barn and see a musical in the Round Barn Theater. Students interested in participating in either or both of these outings should contact Mrs. Wirt.

#### TAB JAMS IS RETURNING - SAVE THE DATES!

Mark your calendar for June 10, July 8 and August 12, as the Tab Jams concert series returns for 2018! Join family, friends and neighbors for live jazz, gospel and R&B in Tab's Courtyard at 6:00p each of those evenings. Tab is partnering again with Kenny Phelps and Owl Music Group, which means you will be hearing some of the city's top musicians. If you're interested in volunteering with Tab Jams, contact Jim or Barb Babcock at 317-257-3005.

#### SACRED MUSIC SYMPOSIUM 2018

Mark your calendars and plan to help out for the third annual Sacred Music Symposium on September 12, 13 & 14! This gathering of church musicians from across the country gives them an opportunity to learn more about their effectiveness in their churches while fellowshipping with one another. We will need a lot of volunteers throughout the days and evenings for this event; just bring a warm smile and a helping hand. Consistently throughout the past three years, our participants have commented on the warmth that they felt while being at Tab. Let's show them again that "Tab hospitality" and join together in welcoming our brothers and sisters from across the country. More details will be forthcoming on how you can help, but start saving the dates today.

# Christian Adult Education

A new round of Sunday school classes starts on June 3.

#### June 3-June 24

#### **Beloved Prodigal**

The prodigal child is not just a figure in an ancient parable. Many Christians have family members who were raised in the church and have now turned their backs on all they once believed. How did this happen? How do we deal with the heartbreak? Is there anything we can do? We will look at the Scriptures and evaluate current resources for help in relating to and caring for our loved ones. Join us in the Resource Center at 9:00a.

#### June 3-June 24

#### Why Jesus?

There seem to be two basic opinions about Jesus of Nazareth: Jesus is a unique figure whose life and ministry have ultimate significance for human destiny, or Jesus is one of many great religious teachers who offers humankind a basic message similar to all other great religious teachers. We will consider these options by comparing Jesus' life and ministry to other important religious figures from human history and will address the question, *"What difference does Jesus make?"* Join us in the Parlor at 10:00a.

# **June** 2018

## Read Through the Bible

1	Romans 7	1 Samuel 16	Psalm 61
2	Romans 8	1 Samuel 17:1-54	Psalm 62
3	Romans 9:1-29	1 Samuel 17:55-18:30	Psalm 63
4	Romans 9:30-10:21	1 Samuel 19	Psalm 64
5	Romans 11:1-24	1 Samuel 20	Psalm 65
6	Romans 11:25-36	1 Samuel 21-22	Psalm 66
7	Romans 12	1 Samuel 23-24	Psalm 67
8	Romans 13	1 Samuel 25	Psalm 68
9	Romans 14	1 Samuel 26	Psalm 69
10	Romans 15:1-13	1 Samuel 27-28	Psalm 70
11	Romans 15:14-33	1 Samuel 29-31	Psalm 71
12	Romans 16	2 Samuel 1	Psalm 72
13	Mark 1:1-20	2 Samuel 2:1-3:1	Daniel 1
14	Mark 1:21-45	2 Samuel 3:2-39	Daniel 2:1-23
15	Mark 2	2 Samuel 4-5	Daniel 2:24-49
16	Mark 3:1-19	2 Samuel 6	Daniel 3
17	Mark 3:20-35	2 Samuel 7-8	Daniel 4
18	Mark 4:1-20	2 Samuel 9-10	Daniel 5
19	Mark 4:21-41	2 Samuel 11-12	Daniel 6
20	Mark 5:1-20	2 Samuel 13	Daniel 7
21	Mark 5:21-43	2 Samuel 14	Daniel 8
22	Mark 6:1-29	2 Samuel 15	Daniel 9
23	Mark 6:30-56	2 Samuel 16	Daniel 10:1-21
24	Mark 7:1-13	2 Samuel 17	Daniel 11:1-19
25	Mark 7:14-37	2 Samuel 18	Daniel 11:20-45
26	Mark 8:1-21	2 Samuel 19	Daniel 12
27	Mark 8:22-9:1	2 Samuel 20-21	Hosea 1:1-2:1
28	Mark 9:2-50	2 Samuel 22	Hosea 2:2-23
29	Mark 10:1-31	2 Samuel 23	Hosea 3
30	Mark 10:32-52	2 Samuel 24	Hosea 4:1-11



#### **BAPTISMS**

May 13 - Jackson James Flanagan, son of Ian and Elizabeth Flanagan

May 13 - Rachel Jean McClelland, daughter of Scott and **Emily McClelland** 

#### **WEDDINGS**

April 21 - Kelsey Jones and Will Hobbs

May 12 - Sarah Mohr and Nicholas Schroeder

May 19 - Allison Hart and Nathan Wadley

#### BIRTHS

Congratulations to Rick and Patty Reel in the birth of a grandson, Leonard "Leo" Raymond Reel V on May 3, 2018. Leo is the son of Lenny and Gricelda Reel.

#### **OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY**

The Tab Church family extends our sympathies to Bill and Helen McGuire in the passing of Bill's uncle, Bob McGuire, on May 3; to David and Meg Sterchi in the passing of David's mother, Norma Sterchi, on May 16; to Bob and Debby Pardue and their family in the passing of Bob's mother, Betty Zahn, on May 19; and to Marion Hoopingarner and her family in the passing of her brother, Richard "Rick" Ward, on May 21. Please keep these families in your prayers.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORT** Inco

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YTD budgeted income:	
YTD actual income:	
Income exceeds budget by:	

\$742,006 \$821,696 \$ 79,690

#### Expenses:

YTD budgeted expenses: YTD actual expenses: Expenses under budget by: \$810,847 \$791,450 \$ 19,397

We thank you for your commitment to God's work here at Tab!

#### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!** June

- 2
- Tim & Cindy Moore (39 years) Bart & Ann Ost (41 years) 4
  - Patrick & Katie McHugh (13 years) Ray & Emily Featherstone (53 years)
- 5 Craig & Candice Hammond (48 years) 6
- 7 Jim & Barb Babcock (49 years)
- 9 Bruce & Ruth McDonald (39 years)
- Dan & Jean Hursh (34 years) Charles & Kate Warren (24 years) 11
- Jeremy & Charity John (13 years)
- 12 Ray & Kathy Albrektson (47 years)
- 14 Doug & Angela Braly (32 years)
- 16 Steve & Jennifer Weyreter (39 years) Jere & Tracey Krueger (34 years)
- 18 David & Libby Pike (13 years)
- Paul & Nina Kauffman (63 years) 19
- Michael Schwanke & Beth Buchanan (37 years) 20





#### **ANNIVERSARIES (CONTINUED)**

- June
  - 23 Alan & Ann McKenzie (56 years) Joshua & Doressa Kupke (6 years) Peter Harding and Gayle Berger (16 years)
  - 24 Scott & Virginia Browning (52 years) Rob & Ann Weller (40 years) Andy & Mariann Bernlohr (12 years)
  - 25 Kyle & Kate Ems (7 years)
  - 26 Brian & Anna King (8 years)
  - 27 Kevin & Paula Luzader (37 years)
  - 28 Kyle & Carly Hughes (4 years)
  - 29 Doug & Constance Brown (33 years)
  - 30 Larry & Ellen Tovsky (18 years)

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June

- 1 Eleanor Fedor Rick Reel
- 2 Randy Green Marsha Robinson
- 3 Anne Steger Kathy Blum
- Todd McLean 4 Janet Humston
- 5 William Jefferies Bev Rice
- 6 Dave Liebel
- 7 David Voelker
- Ryan O'Banyel 8 Judy Fraps Betsy Terry Ruth Miller
- 9 Sharon Marshall Emaline Morse
- 10 Susie Batt
- 11 Elijah Webb
  - 12 Steve Reynolds Scott McClelland Nathaniel Cantwell
- 13 Lachlan O'Banyel14 Steve Frazer
- 14 Steve Frazer Michelle Schumm15 Andrew Hart
- 16 Cindy Moore
  - Becky Kegg Margaret McWhirter Larry Simonel Megan Ojala Amanda Thornburg

- 17 Andrew Perry Alex Gable
- 18 Janet Keith Malcom Kiger10 Jack Streethered
- 19 Josh Strodtman Jacquie Green
- 20 Cobey Whaley Reese Williams Chris Iverson Eli Dieterich
- 21 Sally Kennedy Jackie Gilroy Mark Ahearn Deborah Amo
- 22 Bill Gordon Leslie Russell Bea Smith
- 23 Debbie Midkiff Cheryl Herzog
- 24 Caroline McHugh Helen McGuire Sarah Hart
- 26 Doug Brown
  27 Art Rhodes
  Sandra Galinger
  Bob Donaldson
  Nancy Peterson
  Tyson Chastain
  Nancy Schneider
  28 Dave Perry
- Sue Anne Gilroy Sandra Simpson Sean O'Banyel

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## Parking Lot Update

By Rod Iberg

In the last report we were beginning the bid process for work on the new parking lot. Unfortunately, there were two very surprising outcomes of that process. One is that we only had one bidder, and two, their price was almost double the amount we were expecting.

It was obvious that we were the victims of a bad time of year to be bidding. Most paving companies now have an abundance of business repairing our city streets and are not being very aggressive in seeking other projects.

Given that information, the committee quickly determined that the project is not viable at this price. It would not be wise stewardship moving forward with only one bid, and with the bid being that high an amount.

We will continue in the near-term to examine any planning options for the future and we will release a package for a second round of bidding in December of 2018. We anticipate a start date of early April 2019. Contact: Rod Iberg at rod.iberg@ tabpres.org or 317-923-5458, ext. 171



