

TABERNACLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

TOWER CHIMES

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TAB

Tabernacle Presbyterian Church

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*

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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.



Pastoral Reflection

Be Strong and of Good Courage!

Have you ever wanted to feel like a child again? Well, now's your chance!

We are going to offer Vacation Bible School for the whole church family the week of June 17-21 and YOU are invited whether you have a child or are a child at heart.

There are more details in this edition of the Chimes and online, but here are the basics.

We will have dinner together as a church family at 5:30p, followed by programming for children, teens and adults, ending each evening at 8:30p after a time of praise and worship.

The theme for the week will be Babylon: Daniel's Courage in Captivity. The children will have a chance to visit ancient Babylon and meet Daniel, as the teens and adults study the Old Testament book of Daniel and share insights for living our lives of faith and courage today. Rumor has it that Daniel is going to visit with everyone on Friday evening!

There is no cost to attend VBS but registration is required and is open online on Tab's website, www.tabpres.org. If you have questions you can call Jennifer Wirt at 317-923-5458, ext. 140.

I commend the Children's Ministry Committee for offering this new version of VBS. I know they have been talking about offering an evening VBS for all ages for several years. I hope you will support this "we've never done it this way" idea with your participation, either as a volunteer or as a "kid at heart of any age."

Some of my earliest "faith" memories were when I was a child at VBS. I hope you will help us make some "faith" memories for the children of Tab and our neighborhood, and perhaps even make some new ones for yourself.

Be strong and of good courage!

Rev. L. John Gable

June 2019

Preaching Schedule

- 2** The Apostles' Creed - "The Communion of Saints"
Rev. L. John Gable, preaching
- 9** The Apostles' Creed - "The Forgiveness of Sins"
Rev. Oscar Clavel, preaching
- 16** The Apostles' Creed - "The Resurrection of the Body"
1 Corinthians 15:42-44
John 1:10-13
Rev. L. John Gable, preaching
- 23** What Are You Going to Do Forever?
The Apostles' Creed - "The Life Everlasting"
Revelation 19:1-10; 21:1-27
Rev. L. John Gable, preaching
- 30** Amen
The Apostles' Creed - "Amen"
Isaiah 65:16
2 Corinthians 11:20
Rev. L. John Gable, preaching

Weekly Bible Readings

- 2** Acts 16:16-34
Psalm 97
Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21
John 17:20-26
- 9** Acts 2:1-21 or Genesis 11:1-9
Psalm 104:24-34, 35b
Romans 8:14-17 or Acts 2:1-21
John 14:8-17 [25-27]
- 16** Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31
Psalm 8
Romans 5:1-5
John 16:12-15
- 23** 1 Kings 19:1-4 [5-7] 8-15a
Psalm 42 and 43
Galatians 3:23-29
Luke 8:26-39
- 30** 1 Kings 19:1-4 [5-7] 8-15a
Psalm 42 and 43
Galatians 3:23-29
Luke 8:26-39

June Event Schedule

SPECIAL

- 1** 8:30a Inquirers' Class
- 12:00p Owl Music Group Program
- 2** 10:00a Special Session Meeting
- 12:00p Deacons' Pitch-In
- 5** 9:30a Parking Lot Construction Meeting
- 8** 12:00p Owl Music Group Program
- 9** 5:00p Tab Jams
- 14** 7:00p Women's Ministries Event
- 15** 9:00a Missions Committee Fan Distribution
- 17-21** 5:30p VBS Dinner
- 17-21** 6:00p VBS
- 19** 9:30a Parking Lot Construction Meeting
- 22-29** Phoenix Youth Mission Trip
- 22** 7:00a Deacons' Golf Outing
- 26** 11:00a Endowment Fund Planned Giving Committee
- 30** 6:00p Music Ministry Cookout

WEEKLY

- SUN** 5:00p IMPACT Youth Group
- MON** 6:00p Cub Scout Pack
6:00p Women's Bible Study
6:45p Boy Scout Troop 72
- TUE** 9:45a Women Alive
6:30p Prayer Ministry
- WED** 9:30a Pastors' Bible Study
12:30p Arts Academy Lessons
6:30p Contemporary Worship Band Rehearsal
- FRI** 7:00p Circle of Hope
- SAT** 8:00a Men's Bible Study
- MWF** 11:00a Tab's Open Door

MONTHLY

- 1st MON** 5:00p HR Committee
- 1st TUE** 5:00p Adult Ministries
5:30p Missions Committee
- 2nd MON** 5:30p Facilities Committee
- 2nd TUE** 5:00p Budget & Finance
7:00p Children's Ministries
7:15p Worship, Music & Arts
- 3rd TUE** 7:00p Session Meeting
7:15p Prayer Team Meeting
- 4th TUE** 5:30p Congregational Life
7:00p Deacons' Meeting
7:00p Media Committee
- 2nd WED** 10:30a Ladies Quilting Group
- 4th WED** 10:30a Ladies Quilting Group
- 2nd SAT** 10:00a Purls of Wisdom
- 4th SAT** 10:00a Purls of Wisdom

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

Meet Our Kitchen Interns

Cristo Rey Students Build Life Skills at Tab

Story by Rhonda Kaley, Kitchen Assistant, Open Door Ministry

During the past school year, Kitchen Manager James Bryant and I have had the pleasure of working with students from the corporate work study program of Providence Cristo Rey High School. We have just finished mentoring five PCRHS students down in Tab's kitchen, and we would like you to meet them.



Justice Majors is a senior and has interned for three years at Tab. Her first two years were at the Front Desk, and this year was her first in the kitchen. According to Justice, "working at Tab has been an amazing journey because I have built relationships with my supervisors and people throughout the church." Justice will be attending St. Mary of the Woods to study Nursing in the fall. We wish her the best in her newest adventure.



Kameen Mitchell is a junior and this was his first year working with us at Tab. It has been our pleasure to watch him grow and mature throughout the year. He says his favorite part of Tab is that "It doesn't really seem like work because you make it enjoyable to be here." Kameen hopes to join us for his senior year next year.



We had two sophomores from Providence Cristo Rey. We have watched **Nevaeh Kendrick** (pictured right) grow in maturity throughout the year. One of the skills I taught her this year was how to make a pizza from scratch. Although **Kevine Mumporeze** (pictured left) was with us for only about a month, she was able to learn quickly. A few weeks ago, Kevine and James made the meal that we served for the day, a delicious chicken enchilada soup!



Freshman **Ivette Casimiso** was with us every Thursday. Though she was only with us for a short time, we have watched her grow and become more confident with her communication skills. We look forward to watching her grow in the years to come with us here at Tab.

Having the interns with us every week helped James and myself grow as well! Besides giving us an opportunity to mentor, we've been able to focus on and bring awareness to our mission, that of helping to feed the community and develop partnerships with our neighbors. The interns have also had a positive impact on our volunteers, and it has been a joy to watch the relationship between the volunteers and interns grow throughout the year. We are truly blessed to be at Tab in the kitchen!

Meet Tab Recreation's New Intern

Story by Ben Hughes, Recreation Director



Tab Recreation is excited to welcome Armond Jones as its new intern, beginning June 1. Armond, 25, is a recent graduate from the University of Southern Indiana with a BA in Sport Management and a minor in Exercise Science/Strength Conditioning. He brings a lot of experience to Tab Rec, including working with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at Indiana University, as well as various coaching and training positions.

Armond is originally from the west side of Indianapolis and graduated from Cardinal Ritter Catholic High School where he played football, basketball and track.

His desire is to pursue “a career in inner-city ministry bringing the Gospel message of Jesus Christ” to the city of Indianapolis. Armond will be with Tab Rec for three months with an opportunity to do just that. His duties will be building a social media presence for the ministry, working with Nigel Foreman, Tab Rec Chaplain, developing devotional materials, facilitating group discussions, building relationships with players and coaches, and assisting with the football program and rental groups.

If you see Armond in the next few months, be sure to stop and say hello.



2020 Kenya Trip

Join us on a visit to the Umoja Project in western Kenya. The purpose of the trip is to strengthen the relationships among Umoja partners in Indiana and western Kenya. The trip will take place in the second half of February 2020.

Primary activities include: visiting schools and homes; getting to know current and former Umoja students; meeting with guardians, teachers and faith leaders; spending time with staff and advisory council; and joining the community to build a home for a student.

We will also explore Kenya's natural beauty and wildlife with visits to sites such as Lake Victoria, Hippo Point and a game park safari.

Accommodations are modest, clean and safe. We contract with a Kenyan travel company to provide in-country transportation throughout our visit.

There is room for you and we would love to have you join us! For more details, contact Kathy Miller, kathymiller1976@yahoo.com, (317) 414-7159.

Here's what's going on with the Umoja Project this month:

In this season of celebrating mothers and fathers, we are grateful for the many Umoja volunteers who nurture our orphaned children. Sharon is a post-secondary student who says Umoja is shaping her “to be someone.” Sharon's story illustrates Umoja's coordinated effort to surround students with encouragement and support. Bolstered by their Umoja family, these vulnerable young people gain confidence and pursue their dreams. Some, like Sharon, are even returning to lift up their younger peers by mentoring and providing financial support.

To hear Sharon's story, go to tabpres.org/missions.

**"Portraits of
Community"
Strawberry
Fest**



**Friday, June 14
@ 7:00p-9:00p**

Please join the women of Tab at Raphael Community Center! We will have a time of fellowship, a panel discussion of living in community, and of course strawberry shortcake! A sign-up sheet will be available in McKee Hallway on Sundays.

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Tab News

Announcements & Events

UPCOMING ONE-DAY INQUIRERS' CLASS

A one-day Inquirers' class will be offered on Saturday, June 1, from 9:00a to noon in the Parlor for anyone interested in knowing more about the mission and ministry of Tab or is considering church membership. The class will be led by John Gable and Oscar Clavel. Those participating in the class will be invited to become members of Tab, but membership is optional. For more information contact Paula Daum at paula.daum@tabpres.org or 317-923-5458, ext 104.

TAB LADIES WALK

Join us and get moving on Saturday, June 1, at 8:00a for a 30-minute walk in the Butler University Gardens and on the Towpath. Meet us at the visitor parking area by the Recreation Center, just west of the Hinkle Fieldhouse entrance at 49th and Rookwood. Water and snacks will be provided after our stroll. We will be walking each month this summer at Eiteljorg Museum, Fort Harrison, Fall Creek and Holliday Park. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Dougherty 317-535-5247 or Donna Garrett at dgarrett1957@gmail.com.

DEACONS' SPRING PITCH-IN

If you enjoy homemade fried chicken and other tasty food, mark your calendar for the Deacons' Spring Pitch-In. It will be held on Sunday, June 2, immediately following the 11:00a worship service in the Dining Room. We will provide the chicken and attendees can bring their favorite side dish. This will be a great time of fellowship, and an opportunity to learn how you can help the deacons serve our church family and our community at 34th & Central.

SUMMER MUSICAL KICKOFF

It's time for us to begin rehearsing this year's Summer Musical, "Go, Go, Jonah." Tryouts will be on June 2, and June 5. On June 5, we'll also begin our weekly Wednesday evening rehearsals with a kickoff supper at 6:30p. All students entering grades K-7 are encouraged to join us for a summer full of singing, dancing, fellowship and fun.

FAN COLLECTION

In anticipation of a warm summer, the Missions Committee is once again collecting fans for our neighbors. *Please bring a box fan to the Front Office by Saturday, June 8.* We will distribute the fans on Saturday, June 15, from 9:00a-1:00p. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Matthews at 317-435-7757.

GRADUATION SUNDAY

We would like to recognize our graduates of the 2018-2019 academic year on Sunday, June 9. If you are graduating from

high school, undergrad, graduate or a doctorate program, please send a few photos with your name, future plans and connection to Tab. Optional info: funny memory at Tab, exciting opportunities presented to you after graduation and prayer request. Please email to Amy Rexroth at amy.rexroth@tabpres.org by Sunday, June 2.

LOOKING TO RECYCLING YOUR ELECTRICAL ITEMS?

The Sertoma Club of North Downtown Indianapolis will have a Recycle Force collection point on Saturday, June 15, from 10:00a-2:00p at Indianapolis Public School #48 (across the street from Tab). Collection items are TVs, computers, radios, toasters, microwaves, kitchen appliances, and basically anything with an electrical plug. Please save your items until June for disposal. All proceeds go to the many charities supported by the Sertoma Club. If you have questions, please contact Don Heitman at heitmand@aol.com or 317-253-2925.

PRETEEN SUMMER TRIP

All Tab students entering grades five, six and seven are invited to join us for our annual summer trip. This year we will visit Mammoth Cave National Park on July 8-9. We will travel to Cave City in the Tab van, stay in the inn inside the national park and tour the cave twice. Then we will take a side trip to Kentucky Action Park to enjoy bumper cars, bumper boats, go-carts, a bungee swing and the Alpine Slide. Cost will be \$40 per student to help offset expenses. Please RSVP to Mrs. Wirt at jennifer.wirt@tabpres.org or 317-923-5458, ext. 140 no later than June 28.

PARKING LOT UPDATE

The parking lot will be unavailable until the end of July. The elevator can still be accessed during construction via the doors on the north side of the church under the overhead drop off. On Sundays, those interested in accessible parking and/or use of the elevator are encouraged to park on 34th street. From there we will have a golf cart available to transport you to the north entrance. For normal business and evening activities, the building can be accessed as follows:

- North doors - Unlocked and available as usual during office hours. After hours, please ring the doorbell for admittance.
- McKee Hallway South Doors (temporary entrance during construction) - Unlocked and available during office hours and up until just after the beginning of evening meetings/events. (Look for the temporary entrance sign near 34th street curb.)

June 2019 Read Through the Bible

1	Romans 7	1 Samuel 16	Psalms 61
2	Romans 8	1 Samuel 17:1-54	Psalms 62
3	Romans 9:1-29	1 Samuel 17:55-18:30	Psalms 63
4	Romans 9:30-10:21	1 Samuel 19	Psalms 64
5	Romans 11:1-24	1 Samuel 20	Psalms 65
6	Romans 11:25-36	1 Samuel 21-22	Psalms 66
7	Romans 12	1 Samuel 23-24	Psalms 67
8	Romans 13	1 Samuel 25	Psalms 68
9	Romans 14	1 Samuel 26	Psalms 69
10	Romans 15:1-13	1 Samuel 27-28	Psalms 70
11	Romans 15:14-33	1 Samuel 29-31	Psalms 71
12	Romans 16	2 Samuel 1	Psalms 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



VBS

June 17- June 21

6:00p to 8:15p

(Free Dinner at 5:30p)

Registration is open for this year's all-ages Vacation Bible School, centered around Daniel in Babylon. You can register via a link on Tab's website, www.tabpres.org. VBS will take place June 17- June 21, with a free dinner at 5:30p and programming for all ages from 6:00p-8:15p. We'll end each evening with a time of praise and singing. We're also looking for many volunteers to help with the children's portion of the evening. If you're willing to be part of the team, contact Jennifer Wirt at jennifer.wirt@tabpres.org or 317-923-5458, ext. 140.

BAPTISMS

May 19 - Colin James Graner

May 26 - Cyra Joyce Smith Wade

May 26 - Samson Douglas Joseph Wade

WELCOME LITTLE ONE

Congratulations to Kevin and Lucy King on the birth of their baby boy, Henry David King on May 19. He is the grandson of David and Maryann King.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Income:

YTD budgeted income: \$799,597

YTD actual income: \$821,595

Income exceeds budget by: \$ 21,998

Expenses:

YTD budgeted expenses: \$849,611

YTD actual expenses: \$795,850

Expenses under budget by: \$ 53,761

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

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

June

- 2 Tim & Cindy Moore (40 years)
- 4 Bart & Ann Ost (42 years)
Patrick & Katie McHugh (14 years)
- 5 Ray & Emily Featherstone (54 years)
- 6 Craig & Candice Hammond (49 years)
- 7 Jim & Barb Babcock (50 years)
- 9 Bruce & Ruth McDonald (40 years)
Dan & Jean Hursh (35 years)
- 11 Charles & Kate Warren (25 years)
Jeremy & Charity John (14 years)
- 12 Ray & Kathy Albrektson (48 years)
- 14 Doug & Angela Braly (33 years)
- 16 Steve & Jennifer Weyreter (40 years)
Jere & Tracey Krueger (35 years)
Matt Hand & Taylor Browning (1 year)
- 18 David & Libby Pike (14 years)
- 19 Paul & Nina Kauffman (64 years)
- 20 Michael Schwanke & Beth Buchanan (38 years)
Tim & Wrenne Taylor (32 years)
- 23 Alan & Ann McKenzie (57 years)
Joshua & Doressa Kupke (7 years)
Peter Harding and Gayle Berger (17 years)
Heather & Joshua Gillespie (1 year)



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY! (CONTINUED)

June

- 24 Scott & Virginia Browning (53 years)
Rob & Ann Weller (41 years)
Barb & Fred Sullivan (63 years)
- 25 Kyle & Kate Ems (8 years)
- 26 Brian & Anna King (9 years)
- 27 Kevin & Paula Luzader (38 years)
- 28 Kyle & Carly Hughes (5 years)
- 29 Doug & Constance Brown (34 years)
- 30 Larry & Ellen Tovsky (19 years)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June

- | | |
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| 1 Eleanor Fedor
Rick Reel | 18 Janet Keith
Malcom Kiger |
| 2 Randy Green
Marsha Robinson | 19 Josh Strodman
Jacquie Green |
| 3 Anne Steger
Kathy Blum
Todd McLean | 20 Cobey Whaley
Chris Iverson |
| 4 Janet Humston | 21 Sally Kennedy
Jackie Gilroy
Mark Ahearn
Deborah Amo
Cyra Wade
Samson Wade |
| 5 William Jefferies
Bev Rice | 22 Bill Gordon
Leslie Russell
Bea Smith |
| 6 Dave Liebel
Noah Strodman | 23 Debbie Midkiff
Cheryl Herzog |
| 7 Ella Fraser
Ryan O'Banyel | 24 Caroline McHugh
Helen McGuire
Sarah Hart |
| 8 Judy Fraps
Betsy Terry
Ruth Miller | 26 Doug Brown
John Mohr |
| 9 Sharon Marshall
Emaline Morse | 27 Art Rhodes
Sandra Galinger
Bob Donaldson
Nancy Peterson
Tyson Chastain
Nancy Schneider |
| 10 Susie Batt | 28 Dave Perry
Sue Anne Gilroy |
| 11 Elijah Webb | 29 Sandra Simpson
Sean O'Banyel
Charlotte Prible |
| 12 Steve Reynolds
Scott McClelland
Nathaniel Cantwell
Wayne Weber | |
| 13 Lachlan O'Banyel | |
| 14 Steve Frazer
Michelle Schumm | |
| 15 Andrew Hart | |
| 16 Cindy Moore
Becky Kegg
Margaret McWhirter
Larry Simonel
Megan Ojala
Amanda Thornburg | |

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June 9, July 14, August 11
6:00 to 8:00p in Tab Courtyard

Join us for FREE concerts
featuring our friends at Owl
Music Group. Listen to
great jazz, blues, pop and
Motown. Bring a friend and
make new ones.

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