



Welcome

May you truly sense God's Spirit at work in this place and in your life.

Greetings to everyone! We extend a warm welcome to those joining us in-person or for our livestream worship service this morning. As we celebrate together, we hope you will sense God's presence as we gather.

If you are a guest this morning, please fill out one of the connection cards located in the pew racks so that we can get to know each other better. Simply hand your completed card to an usher or place it in the offering box. In addition, we invite you to take a red GUEST BAG from the table outside of the Sanctuary as you leave today. If you need assistance at any time, please feel free to ask someone seated next to you or one of the ushers.

Our children are traveling around the world for the next several weeks during our Children's Ministries' Missions Unit. Children are welcome to join in LLB during the worship hour and experience our travels around the globe, or remain in worship with their family. Nurseries are available for infants along with programming for preschoolers.

Discipleship Classes

Current 2023 ROOTED IN GRACE Discipleship Opportunities

SPIRITUAL GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT | SUNDAYS 9a / PARLOR

BACK TO THE WELL— facilitated by Pastor Terri Thorn and co-leader, Shannon Woller. This study is based on the book, "Back to the Well" by Francis Taylor Gench. Purchase of the book is not necessary to participate.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY | MONDAYS 6p-7:30p / ZOOM

REDEEMING YOUR TIME — Four-session series beginning February 6.
Questions? Contact Ruth Miller at mrs.ruth.h.miller@gmail.com.

WOMEN ALIVE | TUESDAYS 10-11:30a / PARLOR

SABBATH AS RESISTANCE, SAYING NO TO THE CULTURE OF NOW
This study is based on the book by Walter Brueggemann; buy one and join us! *Questions?* Contact Sally John at sallybjohn@gmail.com.

PASTORS' BIBLE STUDY | WEDNESDAYS 9:30-10:30a / PARLOR

Our Pastors lead a Bible study covering the Scriptures for the upcoming Sunday worship.

MOMS OF TAB | 3RD WEDNESDAY MONTHLY 6:30-7:30p / YOUTH ROOM

Childcare is available.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY | SATURDAYS 8-9a / PARLOR

Currently studying the gospel of Matthew.
Questions? Contact dlconrads@yahoo.com.

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.

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8 o'clock Worship

We hope you will sense our vision for Greater Faith, Deeper Relationships, and Stronger community as you worship with us.

PRELUDE

“Hyfrydol” - *Ralph Vaughan Williams*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

✝ PASSING OF THE PEACE

“Be Thou My Vision” - *Slane*

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art;
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

✝ CALL TO WORSHIP | Rev. L. John Gable

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✝ HYMN | #260

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION | Paula Daum

Almighty God, in Jesus Christ You have called us to be Your people. Yet as we come to You we see that we have fallen far short of Your glory. We humbly confess our sin to You: our sin of selfishness which keeps us from helping others, our sin of self-sufficiency which keeps us from letting others help us, our sin of pride which keeps us from turning to You. Take away our love of sinning that we may be restored in our relationship with You and one another. This we pray together and in the silence of our hearts, in Jesus' name.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | Mark 10:44-45

Leader: Jesus said, “Whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.”

Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

UNISON: IN JESUS CHRIST, WE ARE FORGIVEN.

✝ GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
And to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be;
World without end. Amen, Amen.

Today's Worship Participants

Rev. L. John Gable
Pastor

Paula Daum
8:00a Liturgist

John Thomas
10a Liturgist

Valentina Huang
Organ

Sanctuary Choir

✝ Please stand if able.

✝ THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty. Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSONS |

Matthew 10:1-15 (pew Bible page 790)

Mark 10:35-45 (pew Bible page 823)

SERMON | Rev. L. John Gable

People Jesus Met Along the Way: The Disciples

"Then Jesus summoned His twelve disciples."

MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION AND PRAYER

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

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"Jesus Calls Us" - *Galilee*

✝ BENEDICTION

✝ POSTLUDE

"Jesus Calls Us O'er The Tumult" - *arr. by James Gilbert*

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CONGRATULATIONS!

The rose on the communion table today is in celebration of the birth of baby boy:

Caleb Clayton Shaw

born to proud parents, Douglas and Angela Shaw,
January 19, 2023.

SERMON NOTES

MISSED A SERMON?

Did you miss a sermon? Or do you want to hear it again? Or read it? All of the sermons our pastors have delivered are available on the Tab website under sermons. Check it out!

A vertical column of 20 horizontal lines for taking sermon notes.

10 o'clock Worship

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IF YOU LOSE THE WORSHIP STREAM ON SUNDAY

Check to make sure that your home internet is working. If it is, that means there's an interruption at Tab or between Tab and your house. If the issue is fixable at Tab, we will usually fix it within a few minutes, but that also means we have to start a new stream on YouTube.

Keep refreshing your browser until the new stream appears on our YouTube page.

Better yet, subscribe to Tab's YouTube page, **tabindy**. Hit the big red SUBSCRIBE button on the page, then the little notification "bell" next to the button. Set your notifications to "All" and you will be notified via email or on your phone whenever we go live with the new stream or post a new video. You can always change this setting later.

If the problem is not fixable, (e.g., power failure, interruption of Tab's internet service) we will post the service or sermon later, often later that day, but always within 48 hours.

Thank you for all of your patience and support!

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ANTHEM

“Psalm 100” - *John Weaver*

*Make a joyful noise unto the Lord.
Serve the Lord with gladness,
Come before His presence with singing;
Know ye that the Lord, He is God.
It is He that hath made us, and not we ourselves.
We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.*

*Enter into His gates with thanksgiving.
And into His courts with praise.
Be thankful unto Him and bless His name.
For the Lord is good: His mercy is everlasting.
And His truth endureth to all generations.*

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“Will You Let Me Be Your Servant” - *The Servant Song*

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Thank you!

Rod Iberg, our *Director of Operations*, is leaving us to accept a new position effective this week. Rod joined our staff in April 2017 and has managed our facility and overseen all of the construction and renovation during that time. We will miss him as a good friend and faithful partner in this ministry. We are so grateful for Rod and wish him Godspeed in his new venture.

Offering Information

If you would like to bring your offering to church on Sunday mornings, we have offering boxes available in both the 34th Street Narthex and Bell Tower Entrance to the Sanctuary. Extra envelopes are also available. Feel free to drop off your offering either before or after worship. Thanks for your continued support of the ministry and mission of Tab!

Get in Touch, Stay in Touch

The easiest and most effective way to receive news about our church and church family is to subscribe to our email. The office sends out a digest every Thursday, with updates as needed at other times. To subscribe, go to **tabpres.org**, then scroll to the bottom of the homepage and tap “Sign up for email updates.”

Tab's Benevolence & Community Care Funds

Did you know that Tab has two distinct funds set up to support individuals and families during difficult times? Tab's Deacon Benevolence and Community Care Funds allow us as a church family to come alongside people with immediate, significant needs inside and outside the church. Please reach out to the church if you or someone you know is in need.

If you are a member or friend of Tab in need, please contact **Kristine Green at kristine.green@tabpres.org** for more information and confidential application procedures.

If you know of one of our neighbors in need, let them know they can call the **Community Care line at 317-805-1281** for an appointment with Terri Thorn.

Announcements

ANNUAL MEETING

is hereby called for today, January 29, 2023 at 9:00a the purpose of: reviewing the Annual Report, receiving the approved Operating Budget for 2023, acting on the Pastors' Terms of Call, electing an elder for the Class of 2025 and the 2023 Church Nominating Committee and any other business that may be properly discussed. The meeting will be held in the Sanctuary and all members are encouraged to attend.

Rev. L. John Gable, *Moderator*
Sharon Marshall, *Clerk of Session*

The following persons are to be elected to the All-Church Nominating Committee: *Brittany Barnett, Jane Harvey, Dan Hursh, Ruth Miller and Jeff Poole.*

Printed copies of the Annual Report are available this morning at the Front Desk and are also available on our website at tabpres.org.

CHILDREN'S MISSIONS UNIT

This week, Tab's elementary students will be visiting Nigeria, where we will learn some words and phrases in Yoruban, play an "mbira" (a type of thumb piano), learn the "Warrior Dance" and the "Maiden Dance", make Mancala games (and learn how to play), find out first-hand how difficult it is to carry a water pitcher on one's head, play a traditional schoolyard game called "Chiwewe" in the gym, and taste Suya beef skewers and a dessert known as "Shuku Shuku" at the Food Center. Fun facts about Nigeria: Nigeria has the highest percentage of twin births per year in the world. Also, the film industry in Nigeria is known as "Nollywood" and produces the second-largest number of feature films in the world each year.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteers play a significant role in all ministries at Tab. God has given each of us unique talents and when we use them together we can accomplish much more than we can on our own. Do you find yourself with little free time during the day? Our office staff welcomes your assistance with a variety of tasks in support of church ministries and

activities. If you would like to be called upon to help with future mailings, assembling the monthly Chimes newsletter or other special projects on an as-needed basis, please email Janna (Front Office Administrator) at janna.clegg@tabpres.org.



UPCOMING INQUIRERS' CLASS

Saturday, February 11, from 9a–11a in the Parlor. This class is 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 those participating in the class will be invited to become members of Tab, but membership is optional. For more information or to register for this class, contact **Paula Daum** at (317) 923-5458, ext. 104 or paula.daum@tabpres.org.

OPEN DOOR PEW CARDS

Check out the new Open Door pew cards in McKee Chapel and the Sanctuary so you can keep a list handy of needed items for our neighbors. Your donations make the blessing table's offerings to our Open Door neighbors possible. Thank you for your generous gifts. You may drop them off at the Church Office.

2023 SUNDAY MORNING FLOWERS

Would you like to give flowers on a Sunday morning for in "Memory of" or "In Honor of" someone or a ministry? Please contact Linda Fledderjohn for more information at (317) 439-9829 or email her at fledder@comcast.net.

NEW STUDY OPPORTUNITIES COMING SOON

PARISHIONERS WITHOUT PARTNERS

This is a new, Covenant Group for Women (beginning February 26, meeting off-site) that will meet monthly and focus on support, encouragement and fellowship. The group is open to all single, widowed or divorced Tab women, regardless of age. *Questions?* Contact Janie at mparr@iupui.edu.

LENTEN SERIES ALL-CHURCH READ

Please sign up in the Front Office to receive your copy of the book, "Lent in Plain Sight" for our Lenten All-Church Read that begins on Sunday morning, February 26 through April 2. Small groups will meet in various locations throughout the church, or you may prefer a Zoom meeting or group that meets another day of the week. Just let us know your preferences when you register. "Lent in Plain Sight" was written by Jill Duffield, a PC(USA) minister of the Word and editor/publisher of *The Presbyterian Outlook*. She invites us to reflect on love, redemption and God's promise in simple, ordinary, yet extraordinary reality of the gospel in our everyday lives. (This study and small group discussions will take the place of our regular Sunday morning adult education classes.)

SOUL CARE

NEW Women's Monday Night Bible Study starting Spring 2023 (March 6–April 10) 6-7:30p, Online (ZOOM). Starting March 6—April 10. Join us for a six-part series on Soul Care and learn to tend of the garden of your inner life. Discover what it means to apprentice under the Master, Jesus—not just by believing His teachings, but by living the way He lived. As you adopt His rhythms of rest and relationship, and practice His habits of silence, solitude, Sabbath, and simplicity, your soul will begin to thrive and bear fruit. Email Ruth Miller for details: mrs.ruth.hmiller@gmail.com.



CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION BANQUET

Saturday evening, February 4 | 6:00p

at the Riviera Club (5640 N. Illinois St., Indy)

Cost is \$20 for adults; \$10 per child. This is the last week to sign up— you may register and pay either at the Front Office today, online at tabpres.org/giving or for those on Realm, go to Events and Register. Music will be provided that evening by our own Leah Crane and Pavel Polanco-Safadit. Plan to join us for this very special event!

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION WORSHIP

Sunday, February 5, 2023 | 10:00a

NO 8a SERVICE

Plan to join your Tabernacle family as we celebrate our 100th year at the corner of 34th and Central with a special celebration service on Sunday, February 5.

The Stated Clerk of the PC(USA), [REV. DR. J. HERBERT NELSON](#), will preach the message and music will include selections that were presented during the original dedication service in 1923. This service will celebrate our past, our present and our future as we step into the next 100 years!

CELEBRATION—COFFEE & CONVERSATION

Immediately following the 10:00a Service, February 5
Dining Room

We will enjoy birthday cake in honor of Tab's 100 years of worship and service at 34th and Central and will also unveil the "100 Crosses" mixed-media art piece. This piece was the idea of Tab member and artist Sandy Roob who has curated this piece with contributions from Tab's members at the November 2022 TabFest retreat. Join us next week for this special celebration!

THIS WEEK AT Tab

January 29—February 4, 2023

SUNDAY, January 29

Communion Service | 8:00a, McKee Chapel
Children's Missions Unit | 9:00a, LLBN 001
SG&D Back to the Well | 9:00a, Parlor
Youth Sunday School | 9:00a, Youth RM 201
Worship Service | 10:00a, Sanctuary
IMPACT Youth Group | 11:00a, Youth RM 201

MONDAY, January 30

Open Door Café | 11:00a, Dining Room
Cub Scout Pack 72 | 6:30p, Dining Room, Gallery, LLBN, Airplane Room

TUESDAY, January 31

Women Alive | 10:00a, Parlor
Prayer Meeting | 6:30p, McKee Chapel

WEDNESDAY, February 1

Pastors' Bible Study | 9:30a, Parlor
Open Door Café | 11:00a, Dining Room

THURSDAY, February 2

Tab Tutoring | 3:45p, Various Areas
Circles | 6:00p, LLBN and Gallery
Handbell Choir Rehearsal | 6:00p, Sanctuary
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal | 7:00p, Choir Room

FRIDAY, February 3

Open Door Café | 11:00a, Dining Room
Circle of Hope | 3:30p, Parlor

SATURDAY, February 4

Men's Bible Study | 8:00a, Parlor
Centennial Banquet | 6:00p, Riviera Club