



TAB

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.

Children are welcome to sit with their families during worship or attend Junior Church in Lower Level B following the Children's Sermon. Nurseries are available for infants along with programming for preschoolers.

Discipleship Classes

Current Discipleship Opportunities

SPIRITUAL GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT | SUNDAYS 9a

LENT IN PLAIN SIGHT | Small groups will meet each Sunday in various locations throughout the church, or you may prefer a ZOOM meeting or group that meets another day of the week until April 9. *Questions?* Email Linda McCabe at lmccabe@outlook.com

PARISHIONERS WITHOUT PARTNERS COVENANT GROUP |

For women. This group will focus on support, encouragement and fellowship and is open to all Tab women, regardless of age. The group will meet at Janie Parr's home. *Questions?* Email Janie at mparr@iupui.edu.

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

SOUL CARE | Spring 2023 (March 6-April 10) 6-7:30p. *Questions?* Email Ruth Miller for details: mrs.ruth.hmiller@gmail.com.

WOMEN ALIVE | TUESDAYS 10a-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 9:30a-10:30a / PARLOR

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

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

Childcare is available.

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

Currently studying the gospel of Matthew. *Questions?* Contact dconrads@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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COVER ART CREDIT:

Jesus: Sacred Heart of Love (2013)
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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

"Abbot's Leigh" - *Austin C. Lovelace*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

✝ PASSING OF THE PEACE

"In the Cross of Christ I Glory" - *Rathbun*

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All the light of sacred story gathers round its head sublime.

✝ CALL TO WORSHIP | Rev. Terri Thorn

Leader: Sing praise to God, who changes our mourning into dancing.

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UNISON: Singing God's praises, we come to worship and pray.

✝ HYMN | #305

"Come Sing, O Church, in Joy" - *Darwall's 148th*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION | Keva Rop, Elder

Gentle, strong and gracious God, we know that we have let You down in many ways. We have not lived up to Your high and good intentions for us. You send us out as ambassadors of peace, but we posture ourselves in disagreement with others. You commission us to travel light, yet we cling tightly to our possessions. You ask us to help ease the burdens others carry, but we add to them instead. Redeeming God, You call us to joy in Your inclusive realm, yet we hesitate with fear and separation. In Your mercy forgive us, we pray. Fill us anew with grace and strength that we may serve and love Your world even as You serve and love us so generously. This we pray together and in the silence of our hearts, in Jesus name.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Peace!

Peace is what we receive when we know that our sins are forgiven.

Peace is what we experience when we know that the destruction of sin cannot harm us.

Peace is what we have when we know we are not alone on the journey. Therefore, friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel and be at peace.

UNISON: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

✝ 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. Terri Thorn

Associate Pastor/Missions

Keva Rop

Liturgist 8a

Rev. James Pfeiffer

Liturgist 10a

Valentina Huang

Organist

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 READINGS

Romans 10:14-17 (pew Bible page 921)
Luke 10:1-9 (pew Bible page 844)

MESSAGE | Rev. Terri Thorn

A People With A Purpose: Mission

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MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION AND PRAYER

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Please join in singing during the serving of the Sacrament of Communion

"Let Us Break Bread Together" - *Let us Break Bread*

Let us break bread together on our knees; let us break bread together on our knees.

REFRAIN:

When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink wine together on our knees; let us drink wine together on our knees.
(Refrain)

Let us praise God together on our knees; let us praise God together on our knees.
(Refrain)

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER (Please join in singing)

Our Father, which 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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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!

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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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✝ HYMN | #761

“Called as Partners in Christ’s Service” - *Beecher*

CHILDREN’S SERMON | Rev. Terri Thorn

ANTHEM

“Create In Me, O God” - *Johannes Brahms*

*Create in me, O God, a pure heart,
And grant anew, grant a right spirit within me.*

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“Agnus Dei” - *Morten Lauridsen*

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,
Dona eis requiem.
Grant them rest.
Dona eis requiem sempiternam.
Grant them rest eternal.*

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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](mailto: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](tel:317-805-1281) for an appointment with Terri Thorn.

Please join us in the Parlor immediately following worship for Coffee/Conversation Fellowship time.

✝ Please stand if able.

Announcements

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS

Spring forward, you must—or late to church you will be! Don't forget to set your clocks AHEAD one hour before bed this upcoming **Saturday, March 11**.

A-MAIZING LUNCH FOR KENYA

Sunday, March 19 at 11a
in the Dining Room

NAME	<i>Umoja Project</i>		
ADDRESS	<i>Kenya</i>	DATE	<i>2023</i>
Rx <i>Maise and beans</i>			
DISP:	<i>#determined by donations</i>		
SIG:	<i>One A-maizing Lunch every day</i>		
<i>Tab Missions</i>			
SIGNATURE			

Did you know that one of the core activities of the Umoja Partnership is providing a warm, nutritious lunch for orphaned and vulnerable children in Kenya five days a week? Why? Because it is proved that

improving food security increases students' school attendance, performance, graduation rates from primary school, and enrollment in secondary school. Come learn more about the work of Umoja Partnership and how you can help at the **A-maizing Lunch**. Watch for sign-ups in McKee Hallway.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Plan to join us for this season's Holy Week services. Mark your calendars now for these special times of worship:

PALM SUNDAY — April 2 @ 8a & 10a

MAUNDY THURSDAY — April 6 @ 7p

GOOD FRIDAY — April 7 @ 7p

EASTER — Sunday, April 9

Sunrise Service

@ 7:30a in McKee Chapel

Youth Easter Breakfast

@ 8:30-10a in the Dining Room

Easter Celebration

@ 10a in the Sanctuary

EASTER FLOWERS

If you would like to help fill our Sanctuary and McKee Chapel with beautiful flowers on Easter in honor or in memory of

someone, **please return your order form no later than Sunday, April 2**. Order forms are available in the March Chimes or at the Front Desk.

EASTER EGG HUNT FOR THE FAMILY

Saturday, April 8, 10a in Tab Park. We will decorate cookies, play a game or two and do a fun craft at the north end of Tab's parking lot. After that, we will hunt for eggs in Tab Park. This event is open to all children ages 12 and younger and friends are welcome! There's no cost and no registration required— just come and have some Easter fun!

LET'S GET EXCITED!

TabJAMS REVEAL PARTY

Join us **Sunday, April 23, at 11a** for the **TabJAMS** summer concert series "Reveal Party." We will announce the musical artists who will perform at our June 11, July 9 and August 13 concerts. Stick around for a short performance by one of the featured musicians, enjoy some refreshments and learn how you can get involved in this exciting community-building event. The Reveal Party will be held in the passenger drop-off area on the north side of the church. **For more information, email Sandy Roob at sroob16@gmail.com or John Thomas at John@princ.com.**

GIVING WHILE LIVING

The Tab Endowment Fund is our Savings Account for future program and capital pro-

JOSH KAUFMAN

IN CONCERT

Saturday, March 25 | 7p

Josh Kaufman is a singer/songwriter who lives in Central Indiana. He has been a part of the Indianapolis music scene for more than two decades, but is probably best known as the winner of season six of NBC's *The Voice*. While here at Tab, he will be sharing the story of his journey from Christianity to agnosticism/atheism and back to Christianity. This solo presentation will explore themes of philosophy, religion, doubt and a return to faith by way of storytelling and original music. Join us as we welcome Josh for this special presentation of his journey.



ject needs. The vision and generosity of two family members have challenged us to increase the Fund by \$3M if an additional \$1M in pledges (3-year) are made by March 31. We thank the members who have pledged a total of \$866,600 to date. Please join us in raising the remaining \$133,400 by March 31.

CARINGBRIDGE/Patty Reel

Many of you have asked about how you can be of help to **Rick and Patty Reel** in this time of an uncertain future. If you would like, you can log into <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/pattyreel> for up-to-date information on the organized meals that are being provided. Your prayers are also greatly appreciated at this time. Thanks so much to Tab for your love and care.

STAY CONNECTED

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Tab's CHURCH CALENDAR

If you have a new event or meeting that needs to be scheduled at Tab or simply need to check on a date, please send all requests to frontdesk@tabpres.org. All calendar requests will now be handled by Janna Clegg, Tab's Front Office Administrator.

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT!

100 years ago, in 1923, the Sanctuary of Tabernacle Presbyterian Church was built at the corner of 34th and Central in Indianapolis. Tab's Media and Worship Committees created a short video about the history of the building and what it means to the work of Christ on this corner and around the world. Check it out at [YouTube/users/tabindy](https://www.youtube.com/users/tabindy).

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 in McKee Hallway.

SAVE THE DATE!

TabFEST 2023 is coming November 10-12 at Brown County State Park!



CONGRATULATIONS!

The roses on the communion table today are in celebration of two, new births!

Isaac Lee Hamilton

born to proud parents, **Andrew & Aubrey Hamilton**
and grandparents, **Dan & Elizabeth Hamilton** on February 25.

Theodore Jay Lipana Miller

born to proud parents, **Kyle & Nicole Miller**
and grandparents, **Greg & Kathy Miller** on February 26.

THIS WEEK AT Tab

for the week of March 5—11, 2023

SUNDAY, March 5

Communion Service | 8a, McKee Chapel
SG&Ds 'Lent In Plain Sight' | 9a, Parlor
Children's Education Hour | 9a, LLBN 001
Youth Sunday School | 9a, YR
Junior Church | 10a, LLBN
Worship Service | 10a, Sanctuary
IMPACT Youth Group | 11a, YR

MONDAY, March 6

Open Door Café | 11a, DR
Cub Scout Troop 72 | 6:30p, LLBN, DR, G, AR

TUESDAY, March 7

Women Alive | 10a, Parlor
Bible Study Fellowship | 6:15p, DR, G
Prayer Meeting | 6:30p, McKee Chapel
Spiritual Growth & Development | 7p, Parlor

WEDNESDAY, March 8

Pastors' Bible Study | 9:30a, Parlor
Preschool Play Day | 10-11:30a, 3s/4s RM
Open Door Café | 11:00a, DR

THURSDAY, March 9

Tab Tutoring | 3:45p, Various Rooms Onsite
Circles | 6:00p, LLBN, G
Handbell Choir Rehearsal | 6:00p, Sanctuary
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal | 7:00p, CR

FRIDAY, March 10

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

SATURDAY, March 4 *

Men's Bible Study | 8a, McWRR
Purls of Wisdom | 10a, SR

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AR = Airplane Room CR = Choir Room
DR = Dining Room FO = Front Office
G = Gallery SR = Session Room
TP = Tab Park YR = Youth Room

LLBN = Lower Level B North
McWRR = McWhirter Resource Room