

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. 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 2. Questions? Email Linda McCabe at lkmccabe@outlook.com

PARISHIONERS WITHOUT PARTNERS COVENANT GROUP

This group will focus on support, encouragement and fellowship and is open to all single, widowed or divorced Tab women, regardless of age. The group meets 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

ANAM CARA, A BOOK OF CELIC WISDOM. This study is based on the book by John O'Donohue. *Questions*? Email 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 finishing up the study on the gospel of Matthew. Starting April 15, we will start the New Testament book of Romans. *Questions?* Email 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

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PRELUDE | "What Wondrous Love is This" — Jeanne E. Schaffer

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦ PASSING OF THE PEACE | "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" — Hamburg

When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died, My richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.

CALL TO WORSHIP | Rev. L. John Gable

Leader: Blessed is Jesus, who comes in the Name of the Lord.

People: Hosanna in the highest!

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UNISON: In the unity of faith, let us worship the God of our salvation.

♦ HYMN # 196 | "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" — Valet Will Ich Dir Geben

SCRIPTURE READINGS & SILENT REFLECTION

The Triumphant Entry | Matthew 21:1-11 (pew Bible page 734)

The Last Supper | Matthew 26:14-29 (pew Bible page 740)

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER The Invitation

PRAYER OF PREPARATION AND CONFESSION

Eternal God, in Jesus Christ You rode into Jerusalem to die for our sins, and by Your mercy, in His suffering and death, our sins are forgiven. You raised Jesus from the grave and opened to us the way of salvation. We praise You that You are a God who is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. You are free to act, strong to redeem and loving in all Your ways. For these and all things we give You humble thanks and eternal praise, through Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom, by whom and for whom we are forgiven.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Hear the Good News! This statement is completely reliable and should be universally accepted: Christ Jesus entered the world to rescue sinners. He personally bore our sins in His body on the cross so that we might be dead to sin and alive to all that is good. Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

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Today's Worship Participants

Rev. L. John Gable
Senior Pastor

Rev. Terri ThornAssociate Pastor

Valentina Huang Matt Kauffman Organists

Sanctuary Choir Tab Handbell Choir

RESPONSE # 805 | "Gloria Patri" — Greatorex

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.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

"Let Us Break Bread Together" (Please join in singing)

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

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)

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND 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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SILENT REFLECTION AND PRAYER

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- THE APOSTLES' CREED

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- BENEDICTION
- POSTLUDE | "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" Jan Bender

Please stand if able.

Please join us in McKee Hall immediately following worship for Coffee/Conversation Fellowship time.

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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!



CHANCEL FLOWERS

Today's beautiful flowers are given in loving memory of **Katy Reel** by her family to celebrate her birthday.

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PALM PROCESSION

HYMN # 197 | "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" — *Ellacombe* (*Please remain seated for the Children*'s *Palm Procession*.)

CHILDREN'S SERMON | Rev. L. John Gable

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COMMUNION ANTHEM | "Ave Verum" — W. A. Mozart

Ave verum corpus natum ex Maria Virgine, vere passum, immolatum in cruce pro homine, cujus latus perforatum vero fluxit et sanguine, esto nobis praegustatum mortis in examine.

Jesu, Word of God Incarnate, of the virgin Mary born, On the cross Thy sacred body for us men with nails was torn Cleanse us, by Thy blood and water streaming from Thy pierced side; Feed us with Thy body broken, now in death's agony!

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OFFERING INFORMATIONIf 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

GET IN TOUCH, STAY IN TOUCH

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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 & 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.

Announcements

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

We would like to welcome all of our recent new members to the Tab family. David & Karen Amstutz, Rob & Debra Bush, Kirby Moffatt, Jim & Karlee Moore, Kit Moorman, and Amy Riesmeyer were accepted into membership back in February and Dan & Robyn Pollom in March. As a reminder, new members have a yellow ribbon on their nametags so please seek them out on Sundays and welcome them to the Tab family! Please also remember to wear your name tags.

EASTER FLOWER ORDERS

Today is the last day to return your order forms for beautiful flowers to help fill our Sanctuary and McKee Chapel on Easter in honor or in memory of someone. You can pick up an order form at the Front Desk.

MUSIC FOR GOOD FRIDAY

Join us at 6:45p on Good Friday for a mini-concert of "Music for Good Friday" presented by the Music Ministry of Tabernacle Presbyterian Church. This short concert will feature music by Tomas Luis de Victoria and Samuel Barber as we begin our service to remember the crucifixion of our Lord.

EASTER EGG HUNT

Grab your family and friends and join us as we decorate cookies, play a game or two and do a fun craft at the north end of the parking lot. Afterward, hunt for eggs in Tab's Courtyard. All families with children ages 12 years and younger and their friends are welcome! This is a FREE (no registration required) event—come and have some Easter fun!

Tab YOUTH CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

Please join your Tab family for a light continental breakfast on **Easter Sunday, April 9, from 8:45-10a in the Dining Room**. All donations will support and help fund the Youth Ministry summer mission trip in Phoenix, Arizona. They are so excited to return again this year! Reservations for the breakfast are not required. See you there!

LET'S GET EXCITED! TabJAMS REVEAL PARTY

Save 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. We will have live music and refreshments and offer opportunities to 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 John@jtprinc.com.

A CONVERSATION WITH TAMIKA CATCHINGS

You are invited to a conversation with activist, entrepreneur, WNBA All-Star, Tamika Catchings on Sunday, April 23, 2-4p in the Sanctuary and Gym. More details are coming soon!

A NIGHT OF PRAISE: A CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP GATHERING

Sunday, May 7, 6p. Mark your calendars now to join us for a wonderful evening of music and worship you do not want to miss, led by Dave Noel. Keep your eyes out for more info!

CAMP PYOCA

Tab's Children's Ministry is providing half scholarships for all Tab students who would like to attend a week at Camp Pyoca this summer. Various dates are available. To get a better look at what a week at Pyoca looks like, visit http://pyoca.org/summer_camp. If you would like to apply for a scholarship for your child to attend, please contact Jennifer at Jennifer.wirt@tapres.org.

KIDS GAMES — 2023 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! June 19-23, 9a-NOON. Tab Children's Ministries and Recreation are joining forces by bringing sports, games, Bible lessons, crafts, music and snacks for this year's VBS, open to all students entering grades 1-7. The week is FREE but pre-registration is required so we can plan for supplies, snacks and volunteers. You can find the registration link on Tab's website at tabpres.org.

TabFest 2023 — SAVE THE DATE!

TabFest 2023 is coming **November 10-12** at Brown County State Park! Planning is underway—look for details soon!

ROMANIA TRIP CALL-OUT

Are you interested in spending some time traveling with Tab friends to Romania? Tab is planning a trip in late 2023 and you are invited! Several locations across central and southern Romania will be seen and you will travel through the Carpathian mountains and down to the Danube River. This will be a great time to show support to our partners in Romania that we have worked with for thirty years. To find out more, email Matt Gall at MGALL2112@gmail.com.

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 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 for the Reel family.

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IF EVER YOU ARE IN THE HOSPITAL OR A CARE FACILITY...

Please remember to call the church office or ask someone to call us on your behalf. Tab's pastors visit regularly in the hospital. It is on occasion that we hear news that someone has been admitted and we were not aware, which can be a source of frustration or disappointment for the patient, pastors and prayer warriors. So please let us know if you would like a pastoral visit, or even if you simply just want us to remember you in prayer.

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.

HOLY WEEK

SCHEDULE









THIS WEEK AT Tab

for the week of April 2-8

Tab's WEB Calendar: tabpres.org/calendar/

PALM SUNDAY, April 2

Communion Service | 8a, McKee Chapel **Coffee & Fellowship |** 8:45a McKee Hallway SG&D's "LENT IN PLAIN SIGHT" | 9a DR, McWRR, Parlor Children's Education Hour | 9a, LLBN 001 Youth Sunday School | 9a, YR Junior Church | 10a, LLBN Worship Service | 10a, Sanctuary **Coffee & Conversation** | 11a, Dining Room **IMPACT Youth Group |** 11a, YR

MONDAY, April 3

Open Door Café | 11a, DR **HR Committee MTG** | 5p, Online **Cub Scout Pack 72** | 6:30p, AR, LLB

TUESDAY, April 4

Women Alive | 10a, Parlor Media Committee MTG | 3:30p McWRR Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) | 6:15p, DR **Prayer Meeting** | 6:30p, McKee Chapel **Spiritual Growth & Development MTG** | 7p, Parlor

WEDNESDAY, April 5

Pastors' Bible Study | 9:30a, Parlor Open Door Café | 11a, DR Missions Committee MG | 11a Parlor

MAUNDY THURSDAY, April 6

Tab Tutoring | 3:45*p* Various Rooms Circles | 6p, LLBN, G Getting Ahead Class | 6p, McWRR Maundy Thursday Service | 7p, McKee Chapel Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal | 7:45p, CR

GOOD FRIDAY, April 7

Open Door Café | 11a, DR **Good Friday Worship** | 12:30p Sanctuary **Circle of Hope** | 3:30*p*, *Parlor* **Music for Good Friday** | 6:45p, Sanctuary **Good Friday Worship** | 7p, Sanctuary

HOLY SATURDAY, April 8

Easter Decorating | 8a, McKee Chapel, Sanctuary Men's Bible Study | 8a, Parlor **EASTER EGG HUNT** | 10a-12p, Courtyard, East Lawn **Purls of Wisdom** | 10a, SR Easter Rehearsal | 10:30a, Sanctuary

AR = Airplane Room DR = Dining Room G = Gallery TP = Tab Park

CR = Choir Room FO = Front OfficeSR = Session Room YR = Youth Room

LLBN = Lower Level B North

McWRR = McWhirter Resource Room







