



Tabernacle Presbyterian Church
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

June 16, 2024 | 4th Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome

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

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.

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 Message. Nurseries are available for infants along with programming for preschoolers.

Discipleship Classes

2024 Spiritual Growth & Development Opportunities

The Psalms: Let's Get Real With God! | SUNDAY 9a PARLOR

Over the next few weeks, we will be looking at the Book of Psalms, its poetry, genres, and relevance to our lives, worship, and ministry. Please, come join us for an entertaining and informative time exploring our personal connection with God.

Pastor's Bible Study | WEDNESDAY 9:30a-10:30a PARLOR

Join us as our pastor leads a Bible study covering the Scriptures for the up-coming Sunday worship service.

Men's Bible Study | SATURDAY 8a-9a PARLOR

The men of Tab are studying the book of II Corinthians. Questions? Please contact Doug Conrads at dlconrads@yahoo.com for more information about this wonderful opportunity for fellowship and study.

Cover Art:

Pentecost

by Jim Whalen

8 o'clock Worship

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is a time of worship offering praise to God as well as giving each of us an opportunity to prepare our hearts for worship. Please use this time to pray, meditate and reflect on how God might speak to you during the service this morning.

PRELUDE

“Prelude and Fugue in D Major” *Dietrich Buxtehude*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

+ PASSING OF THE PEACE

“You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim” *Hanover*

*You servants of God, your Master proclaim,
and publish abroad Christ's wonderful name.
The name all victorious of Jesus extol,
whose kingdom is glorious, who rules over all.*

Gathering In God's Name

+ CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 100)

Leader: Jesus says, ‘I am the Way for you.’

People: And so we come to follow him.

Leader: Jesus says, ‘I am the Truth for you.’

People: And so we come to dwell in the light.

Leader: Jesus says, ‘I am the Life for you.’

All: *And so we come, leaving behind all else to which we cling!*

+ HYMN #258

“A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing!” *Deo Gracias*

CALL TO CONFESSION

MOMENT OF SILENCE & PRAYER OF CONFESSION

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ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE

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Interim Senior Pastor

Rev. Terri Thorn, Associate Pastor

Matt Kauffman, Organ

Call To Worship & Affirmation Of
Faith adapted from *The Iona Abbey
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Prayer of Confession adapted from
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*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:
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World without end. Amen. Amen.*

Proclaiming God's Word

NEW TESTAMENT READING

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MESSAGE

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SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

“Let Us Break Bread Together” *Let Us Break Bread*
(Please join in singing during the serving of the Sacrament of Communion.)

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)

Book of Order

F-1.0202 Christ Calls and Equips the Church

Christ calls the Church into being, giving it all that is necessary for its mission in the world, for its sanctification, and for its service to God. Christ is present with the Church in both Spirit and Word. Christ alone rules, calls, teaches, and uses the Church as he wills.

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

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COMMISSIONING OF YOUTH MISSION TRIP PARTICIPANTS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

ANTHEM

“Prayer of St. Francis” *Allen Pote*

*Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love.
Where there is injury, thy pardon, Lord.
Where there is doubt, let there be faith.*

*Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace.
Where there's despair let me bring hope.
Where there is darkness, let there be light.
Where there is sadness, let there be joy.*

*O divine master,
Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled,
As to console.
To be understood as to understand,
To be loved as to love.*

*Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace.
For it is in giving that we receive,
And it is in pardoning that we are pardoned.
And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.
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Amen.*

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Calendar

June 16 – June 22, 2024

THIS WEEK AT TAB:

Sunday, June 16

- 8a Communion Service *McKee Chpl*
- 8:45a Coffee & Fellowship *McKee Hlwy*
- 9a Spiritual Growth & Dev. *Parlor*
- 9a Children's Ed *Lower Level B*
- 9a Youth Education *Youth Room*
- 10a Worship Service *Sanctuary*
- 10a Junior Church *Lower Level B*
- 11a IMPACT Youth Group *Youth Rm*
- 3p Tab Recreation Visioning Mtg
Tabitha Room

Monday, June 17

- 9a Kids' Games
- 11a Open Door Café *Dining Room*

Tuesday, June 18

- 9a Kids' Games
- 10a Women Alive *Off-Site*
- 6:30p Prayer Meeting *McKee Chapel*
- 7p Session Meeting *Parlor*

Wednesday, June 19

- 9a Kids' Games
- 9:30a Pastor's Bible Study *Parlor*
- 11a Open Door Café *Dining Room*
- 6:30p Children's Musical Rehearsal
Lower Level B

Thursday, June 21

- 9a Kids' Games
- 6p Circles *Dining Room*

Friday, June 14

- 9a Kids' Games
- 11a Open Door Café *Dining Room*
- 3:30p Circle of Hope *Parlor*

Saturday, June 15

- 8a Men's Bible Study *Parlor*
- 10a Purls of Wisdom *Session Room*

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TAB'S WEEKLY
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SCAN HERE ↗



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for Coffee & Fellowship

Announcements

Week of June 16 – June 22, 2024

TAB FAN DRIVE

Our friends at the Open Door Cafe thank you for your support of the Fan Distribution this year to help keep our neighbors cool as temperatures rise. Sixty box fans were provided by request this year on Wednesday, June 5. Your support of this ministry is greatly appreciated!

Thanks so much!!

COMMUNICATIONS SURVEY

Tab is working with Fishhook, Inc, a communications agency specializing in marketing and communications for churches, schools, and faith-based non-profits. As part of this collaboration, Fishhook is analyzing the effectiveness of our marketing/communications tools. To collect additional information and insight from our congregation, Fishhook has provided a brief survey.

All submissions are anonymous and should be completed by Sunday, June 23. To take your survey, visit tabpres.org/fishhooksurvey or scan the QR code. Thank you so much!



ATTENTION GOLFERS

Save the Date for the Tab Golf Classic

Saturday, October 19, 2024

Benefitting the Deacons' Benevolence and Community Care Funds

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

In celebration of all men and fathers, the Tab Deacons have a special treat for you. Please stop by the McKee Hallway for your donut following the services this morning.

EVENT COORDINATOR NEEDED

An Event Coordinator is needed for the 2024 Mapleton-Fall Creek Back to School Event at Tab scheduled for Sunday, July 21, from 1p–3p. Collaborative planning with our partners has begun and a volunteer is needed to represent and coordinate on Tab's behalf. Anyone interested in taking a lead role in coordinating the event should contact Pastor Terri Thorn at terri.thorn@tabpres.org as soon as possible.

YOUTH MISSIONS TRIP

As we send our youth off to Arizona for this year's week-long missions trip, please keep our youth and their chaperones in your prayers throughout the week. They will be working with Neighborhood Ministries at their summer camp program. Our youth going are Emory Clement, Tate Turman, Oakley Asare, Caleb Fowles, Theodore Clement, Gavin Green, Claire Turman, Lainey Meils, Stella Fowles, Delia Pinero, Megan Pike, Lily Sturgis, Charlotte Prible, Sarah Pike, Margaret Pinero, Shaniya Westmoreland, Heidi Harmless, Sadie Rexroth, Madeline Prible & Elizabeth Harmless. Adult Chaperones are Grace Rexroth, Terri Thorn, Amy Rexroth & Daniel Rexroth.

TAB JAMS
2024 FREE CONCERT SERIES

34TH & CENTRAL, TAB PARK
IN CASE OF RAIN, CONCERT MOVES INSIDE TAB

SUNDAYS 6-8 PM
JUNE 9, JULY 14, AUGUST 11
BRING A LAWN CHAIR!

STRONGER COMMUNITY THROUGH MUSIC!

6/9 FRANK BRADFORD
6/9 HURRICANE & THE GANG
7/14 SARAH SCHARBROUGH MCLAUGHLIN
8/11 STACI MCCRACKIN
7/14 JEFFERY THOMAS II
6/9 ALLISON VICTORIA