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Every Sunday

Worship Service 11:00 am
 Sunday Church School 9:30 am
 Big Sisters - Children 2½-5 years - Child Development Center 11:00 am

Observance of the Lord's Supper • Every 1st Sunday (11:00 am)
 Baptism • Every 2nd Sunday (11:00 am) Dedication of Babies • Every 3rd Sunday (11:00 am)
 Children's Worship Celebration • Every 1st & 3rd Sunday (11:00 am)

The Church in Fellowship, Study, and Prayer • Every Wednesday (5:30 pm)

COME HOME TO FAMILY

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Reflect and Respond!

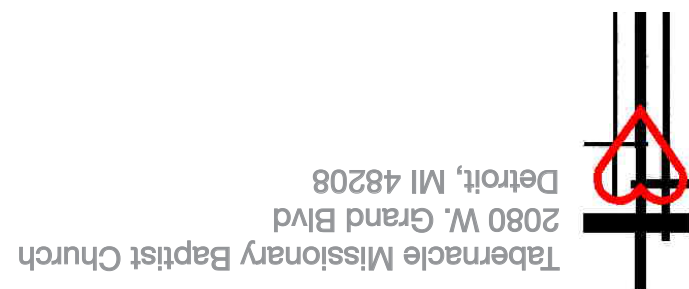
Lent is a time of reflection. We reflect on the greatest gift ever given. The Bible states: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." (John 3:16, NKJV) You and I are the beneficiaries of a giving God. God gave us His best, His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ. This gift that we received freely was a costly gift. The cost was the very life of Jesus. No amount of words can adequately describe the full nature of this gift. This gift grants to us redemption, regeneration, and reconciliation. This gift has delivered us from condemnation and eternal damnation. This gift frees us from eternal death and gives us eternal life. Paul calls this gift "God's unspeakable gift." We should utilize this Lenten season to reflect on and respond to our giving God by imitating Him in our daily lives.

We should wrestle with the question the psalmist lifts: "What can I offer the LORD for all He has done for me?" (Psalm 116:12, NLT) It is without a doubt that we cannot repay God for all He has done, however we can become a giving people. We can give. We

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It is the mission of Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church to: exalt the Savior through worship and praise, expound the scripture through biblical preaching and teaching, embrace the saved through membership and fellowship, equip the saints through Christian education and discipleship for the work of the ministry, encourage the struggling through ministries for the whole person and evangelize the sinner through the sharing of the Good News, all empowered by the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit, all done to the glory of God.

Come Home to Family is a monthly publication created to inform and encourage Tabernacle friends and family. Material must be submitted before the 15th of the month preceding each issue.

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Pastor's Schedule

February 7, 2016, 4:00 pm -
Greater Christ Baptist Church
3544 Iroquois, Detroit, MI
Rev. Dr. James Perkins, Pastor

February 23-25, 2016, 7:00 pm -
Twelfth Street Baptist Church
1840 Midland, Detroit, MI
Rev. Dr. Floyd Davis, Pastor

What's Love Got to Do With It?

Down through the ages man has searched for the meaning of LOVE. Webster's New World Dictionary defines love as; "strong affection or liking for someone or something, the object of such affection; a sweetheart or lover". Sound familiar? There have been poems, sonnets and songs written about love. Men and women confess their love for each other in courtship and marriage. Mothers and fathers love their children. There is no person on earth who is not in need of it or looking for it. Recent years of technology boast of web sites filled with potential candidates or prospects that are willing to post pictures of themselves and a description of who they claim to be, looking for love. It is not unusual today to see someone have a tattoo of a heart on their body with the name of their love interest penned in the middle sometimes with the head and tail of an arrow on either side. The arrow being symbolic of Cupid's arrow the mythical god of love that has pierced their heart and since a tattoo is pretty permanent hopefully the relationship lasts.

It would seem as though man has so many different ways to define love but God is the only authority on the subject. You see God is love. Man loves based on conditions, God loves unconditionally. He has proved Himself over and over. Knowing the condition of our heart and the sin nature of man as well as the wrongs we would commit, God demonstrated His love for us by sending His only begotten Son to suffer, bleed, and die for us and raised Him from the dead to save us from eternal damnation (see John 3:16) and bring us back into right relationship with Himself. There is no greater love than that.

Real love is an action, not a feeling (see 1 John 3:16). The bible speaks of love as patient, kind, does not envy, is not rude, not self-seeking, not easily angered, keeps no record of wrongs and does not delight in evil but rejoices in the truth (see 1 Corinthians 13:1-13). God loves us and desires that we love Him with all our heart, soul, mind and our neighbor as ourselves (see Matthew 22:37-39). Jesus asked Peter three times if he loved Him and when Peter said yes, Jesus told him to feed His sheep (see John 21: 15-17). Loving God means keeping His commandments and loving others. As we approach Valentine's Day let us reflect on the true love of Jesus Christ. The love of Christ doesn't wait for a holiday it's an everyday gift given to us by God so that we can love others. Sharing your faith is one of the greatest expressions of love and glorifies the God who loves us all.

Sick and Shut-In

AYOLA, Sis. Patricia

BENTLEY, Sis. Elois

BENTLEY, Bro.
Christopher

BERRY, Deaconess
Rudelle

BERYL-BANKS,
Sis. Cynthia

BRADLEY, Bro. James

BRUNSON, Bro. Todd

BRYANT, Sis. Mattie

BURKE, Bro. Louis

BUSCH, Bro. Leon

BYAS, Sis. Flora

CALLOWAY, Sis. Autry B.

COLLINS, Sis. Ruth

DAVIS, Bro. Audtry

FERGUSON, Sis. Mary

GALTNEY, Sis. Maxine

GEORGE, Deacon John

GILCHRIST, Sis. Doris

HAMLIN, Sis. Eugenia

HAWKES, Bro. Earnest

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HICKS, Rev. Dr.
Gwendolyn

HICKS, Sis. Mary

HINES, Sis. Bernadine

HORTON, Sis. Carrie

HUNTER,
Deaconess Hassie

HUNTER, Bro. James

JACKSON, Bro. James

JOHNSON, Sis. Audrey

JOHNSON, Sis. Lois

JOHNSON, Sis. Ruby

JOHNSON, Sis. Verdell

JONES, Sis. Jennie

LINEBARGER,
Deaconess Nazell

LOGAN, Sis. Norma

LYNCH, Sis. Willie B.

MARTIN, Disciple Joan

MAYFIELD, Dr. Jean

MILLENER, Bro. Michael

NEAL, Sis. Lois

RANDALL, Sis. Jessie

ROBERTS, Sis. Mildred

SINGLETON, Sis. Martel

SMITH, Sis. Chanel

SNODGRASS, Bro. James

SPENCER, Sis. Nicole

STEWART, Sis. Sharon

THOMAS, Sis. Margaret

TYLER, Bro. Eddie

WARREN, Bro. Bruce

WARREN, Sis. Thelma

WHITE, Sis. Helen

WHITE, Sis. Thelma

WILLIAMS, Sis. Gola

WINDOM,
Sis. Eddie June

Condolences

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Sis. Willa Knowles for the loss of her uncle  
Bro. Peter Cummings

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Sis. Ann Lewis for the loss of her daughter, Sis.
Nicole Andrews

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Bro. Emery Howard for the loss of his mother,  
Sis. Mary Frances Howard

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Rev. Johnnie Green II, Sis. Kathi Green, Sis.
Deborah Virgiles, Sis. Juanita Green for the
loss of their mother, Sis. Bertha Green

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Sis. Edith Hayes for the loss of her husband,  
Bro. George Washington Hayes

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Sis. Flora Clay for the loss of her niece,
Sis. Jessica Bell

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Sis. Mary Carey for the loss of her aunt,  
Sis. Melissa Wood

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Sis. Diane Moore for the loss of her sister,
Sis. Juanita Merritt

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Bro. Reginald Grady for the loss of his mother,  
Sis. Marion Grady

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Bro. Elmer Carver for the loss of his sister,
Sis. Cleodis Harris

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Bro. Benjamin & Sis. Jonetta Cocroft for the  
loss of their son, Bro. Benjamin Cocroft Jr.

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Bro. Joe Williams for the loss of his brother,
Bro. Derral Williams

Flowers Enhancing the Beauty of the Sanctuary

are dedicated...

February 7, 2016

In loving memory of **Joseph A. Humphrey**. Forever in our hearts. Placed there by Deaconess Mamie M. Humphrey & Family.

February 14, 2016

In honor of our beloved first lady, **Sis. Michael Michelle Johnson**. Happy birthday - February 12th. Placed there by the Women's Council.

February 21, 2016

In loving memory of **Irene Collier**. Beloved wife & mother. Placed there by Norris & Gregory Collier.

February 28, 2016

In loving memory of **Deaconess Mary Frances (Watkins) Hale**. Forever in our hearts. Placed there by husband, Deacon Redus Hale & Family.

Sermon Topics

(all sermons by Pastor Johnson unless otherwise noted)

January 3

Lessons Learned from Ai
Joshua 7:1-9

January 10

An Opportunity for A Do-Over
Joshua 8:1-2

January 17

Do What Is Right
Psalm 33:4-11

January 24

The Call to Nonconformity
Romans 12:1-2

January 31

Don't Get Played!
Joshua 9:3-15

Fellowship Hour

February 7 / March 6

Fellowship Experienced through
Observance of the Lord's Supper

February 14
Bus Ministry

February 21
Nurses Guild & Big Sisters

February 28
Marr-o-Not Fellowship

Writer's Ministry - Deacon's Lesson

Lesson 4: We Solemnly and Joyfully Enter into Covenant

Scripture: Psalm 100:3 "Know ye that the Lord He is God: it is He that hath made us, and not ourselves; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.

Goal: To embrace and fulfil our covenant relationship with God and one another.

Objective: To understand why our entering into covenant with each other in the presence of God is both an occasion of solemnity and joy.

Introduction: During the past six months, our church family has studied and been introduced to four lessons about the meaning of our church covenant. In our first few lessons, we discovered that we were chosen by God, consecrated (set apart) to live holy and righteous lives as we served and glorified Him. We learned that this 'peculiar' status as God's people was because we shared the blessing of being led by the Spirit of God to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Savior. It is because we have received this gift of faith that we've been joined together as a genuine community of believers and empowered to walk with Christ and each other. In addition, the Holy Spirit has begun the sanctification process - making us holy individually and corporately.

We publicly acknowledge and profess our faith in Jesus through the ordinance of Baptism. Through this sacred ceremony, we declare that we no longer belong to the world or ourselves, but to God! Because we are children of the living God, we embrace His intention for us - to live under the control of the Holy Spirit.

We have also come to understand that Baptism in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost reveals just how precious a gift we have been given. When we are baptized in the name of the Father, we declare that our relationship is with the one true sovereign and Holy God - the Creator of all that exists. This relationship with our heavenly Father defines the very purpose for our existence - to glorify Him with all that we are. In being baptized

in the name of Jesus, we acknowledge the depth of the Father's love for us in that He gave His only begotten Son, Jesus to redeem us though His death, His burial, and resurrection. Jesus broke sin's deathly grip and rescued us from its penalty - eternal death. Furthermore, our baptism in the name of the Holy Spirit represents God's ability to keep us until we grow into full actualization of our relationship to the Father. God's gift of salvation is one that is complete - lacking nothing. and so our covenant states: We do now in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another as one body in Christ. Why is entering into this covenant both an occasion of solemnity and joy?

We Joyfully Enter Into Covenant

We gather in God's presence to celebrate His unconditional love and receive His tender mercies that are renewed everyday. We stand in awe of His sovereign power knowing that He is supreme, Holy and His glory lasts forever and ever. As we sincerely praise and worship God, we strengthen the church family and bring glory to God which is our ultimate purpose. We can experience joy by trusting and obeying God. As the community of believers it is the joy of knowing that we have been united with Christ through the divine presence of the Holy Spirit. Even when we arrive to Sunday worship burdened, persecuted and bruised by the world, we 'count it all joy' because our faith is being perfected [James 1:2]. Joy is the gift we receive from praising and worshipping Him. "For the joy of the Lord is our strength" [Nehemiah 8:1].

Experiencing worship with an assembly of believers deepens our commitment to God. All of God's creation gives Him praise! Our worship experience is the moment in time in which we join with God's angels in their unending praise to Him in the heavenly realm. We ask God to manifest His divine presence and fill His sanctuary, that we might be blessed as He inhabits our worship and praise. We draw nearer to God as He nurtures and continues to fill an emptiness we once had, and sustains us on our journey as we join in glorifying Him in the highest!

The Church in Fellowship, Study, & Prayer

The Church in Fellowship
5:30 pm

February 3
Group #15

February 10
Ash Wednesday @
Hartford Memorial Baptist Church

February 17
Leadership Council

February 24
Leadership Council

The Church in Study
6:30 pm

Highlighted Dates

February 17
BEGINNING OF SESSION II

The Church in Prayer
7:30 pm

February 3
Need for Clear Assignment

February 10
Ash Wednesday @
Hartford Memorial Baptist Church

February 17
Praying for Believers

February 24
Praying for the lost &
Societal Impact

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Pastor's Pen Continued

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can give our time to God. We live in an age of great technological advancement. This advancement has brought forth many “time saving” devices. Yet, we find ourselves with less time for God. We should find time to serve God by taking advantage of ministry opportunities. You and I can offer God our talents, our skills, the things we do well. It is God who has endowed you with talents and enabled you to develop and refine those talents. You can present your professional skills to God. Our talents and skills can be used to advance the kingdom of God. We also can give God our treasure. It we say that our hearts belong to God, than according to scripture our treasure should be there. “Don’t store up treasures here on earth, where moths eat them and rust destroys them, and where thieves break in and steal. Store your treasures in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy, and thieves do not break in and steal. Wherever your treasure is, there the desires of your heart will also be.” (Matthew 6:19–21, NLT) The apostle Paul gives us the challenges us with these words: “So here’s what I want you to do, God helping you: Take your everyday, ordinary life—your sleeping, eating, going-to-work, and walking-around life—and place it before God as an offering. Embracing what God does for you is the best thing you can do for Him. ” (Romans 12:1, The Message)

As you reflect and respond this Lenten season on what God has given us through Jesus Christ, consider the words of this great hymn.

Give of Your Best to the Master

Give of your best to the Master; Give of the strength of your youth;

Throw your soul's fresh, glowing ardor into the battle for truth.

Jesus has set the example; Dauntless was He, young and brave;

Give Him your loyal devotion, Give Him the best that you have.

Give of your best to the Master; Give Him first place in your heart;

Give Him first place in your service, Consecrate ev'ry part.

Give, and to you shall be given; God His beloved Son gave;

Gratefully seeking to serve Him, Give Him the best that you have.

Give of your best to the Master; Naught else is worthy His love;

He gave Himself for your ransom, Gave up His glory above:

Laid down His life without murmur, You from sin's ruin to save;

Give Him your heart's adoration, Give Him the best that you have.

Shalom,
Pastor Johnson

Weekly Sunday School Lessons

PASSOVER

Lesson 10

February 7, 2016

Devotional Reading: Matthew 26:20-30
Background Scripture: Numbers 28:16-25; Mark 14:12-26
Print Passage: Exodus 12:1-14
Key Verse: Exodus 12:14
1 Jesus and the Passover Luke 2:41-49
2 The 'Last' Passover Matthew 26:20-30
3 The Fourth Plague Exodus 8:20-29
4 The Eighth Plague Exodus 10:12-20
5 Detailed Instructions Numbers 9:1-4,13
6 When Your Children Ask Joshua 4:1-7
7 Passover Exodus 12:1-14

FEAST OF WEEKS

Lesson 11

February 14, 2016

Devotional Reading: Romans 7:14-25
Background Scripture: Leviticus 23:15-22; Numbers 28:26-21
Print Passage: Leviticus 23:15:22
Key Verse: Leviticus 23:16
8 Praise the Lord Psalm 147:1-11
9 Thanks Be to God 1 Chronicles 17:16-27
10 In All Things, Thanks Ephesians 5:15-20
11 In Spite of Everything, Thanks Romans 7:14-25
12 Increasing Thanks 2 Corinthians 4:7-15
13 In the End, Thanks Revelation 11:15-19
14 Feast of Weeks Leviticus 23:15-22

DAY OF ATONEMENT

Lesson 12

February 21, 2016

Devotional Reading: Hebrews 3:1-6
Background Scripture: Leviticus 16; 23:26-32; Numbers 29:7-11;
Print Passage: Leviticus 16:11-19
Key Verse: Leviticus 16:16
15 Perfect Atonement Hebrews 3:1-6
16 Appointed for Atonement Hebrews 3:1-6
17 Completed Atonement Romans 3:21-26
18 Preparation and Atonement Exodus 30:1-10
19 Obedience and Atonement Leviticus 8:30-36
20 Sin Offering for Atonement Leviticus 16:1-10
21 Day of Atonement Leviticus 16:11-19

THE FEAST OF BOOTHS

Lesson 13

February 28, 2016

Devotional Reading: Deuteronomy 8:1-11
Background Scripture: Leviticus 23:33-43 Numbers 29:12-40
Print Passage: Leviticus 23:33-43
Key Verse: Leviticus 23:42-43
22 God of the Journey Psalm 68:5-10
23 The Journey Begins Exodus 3:1-6
24 The Journey Falters Deuteronomy 1:29-33
25 Remember the Journey John 3:14-21
26 Jesus and the Journey John 3:14-21
27 Stephen and the Journey Acts 7:30-42a
28 The Feast of Booths Leviticus 23:33-43

Powerful Faith

Lesson 1

March 6, 2016

Devotional Reading: Genesis 50:15-21
Background Scripture: Mark 9:14-29
Print Passage: Mark 9:14-29
Key Verse: Mark 9:24
29 Faithful God Genesis 15:1-6
1 Saving God Genesis 50:15-21
2 Powerful God Isaiah 43:5-13
3 Healing God Matthew 9:27-33
4 Forgiving God John 5:19-24
5 Fulfilling God John 6:35-40
6 Powerful Faith Mark 9:14-29

Reading Through the Bible in a Year

February

7 Leviticus 1, 2, 3	Matthew 24:23-51
8 Leviticus 4, 5, 6	Matthew 25:1-30
9 Leviticus 7,8,9	Matthew 25:31-46
10 Leviticus 10,11,12	Matthew 26:1-19
11 Leviticus 13	Matthew 26:20-54
12 Leviticus 14	Matthew 26:55-75
13 Leviticus 15,16,17	Matthew 27:1-31
14 Leviticus 18,19	Matthew 27:32-66
15 Leviticus 20,21	Matthew 28
16 Leviticus 22,23	Mark 1:1-22
17 Leviticus 24,25	Mark 1:23-45
18 Leviticus 26,27	Mark 2
19 Numbers 1,2	Mark 3:1-21
20 Numbers 3,4	Mark 3:22-35
21 Numbers 5,6	Mark 4:1-20
22 Numbers 7	Mark 4:21-41
23 Numbers 8,9,10	Mark 5:1-20
24 Numbers 11,12,13	Mark 5:21-43
25 Numbers 14,15	Mark 6:1-32
26 Numbers 16,17	Mark 6:33-56
27 Numbers 18,19,20	Mark 7:1-13
28 Numbers 21,22	Mark 7:14-37
29 Numbers 23,24,25	Mark 8:1-21

March

1 Numbers 26,27	Mark 8:22-38
2 Numbers 28,29	Mark 9:1-29
3 Numbers 30,31	Mark 9:30-50
4 Numbers 32,33	Mark 10:1-31
5 Numbers 34,35,36	Mark 10:32-52

Announcements

Doing Family God's Way Family Weekend - Growing Families Rooted in the Word of God - Psalm 1:3 February 26-28, 2016

Friday Family Fellowship - 5:30 pm;
Friday General Assembly - 7:00 pm;
Saturday Lunch & Learn Workshops - 10:00 am;
Bring Your Family to Church Sunday - 11:00 am

New Members' Fellowship Dinner February 28, 2016, immediately after worship

RSVP in the New Members' Class to Sis. Bernice Bond or Sis. Dorothy Few. Pre-registration is required.

Black History Observance (Secondary Division Sunday Church School) February 28, 2016, 9:00 am, Morris Room

The Secondary Division of the Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church Sunday School Department will have a special division General Assembly in which the contributions of the black church in Detroit's rich history will be discussed. All are welcome.

Big Sisters Ministry Seeking Volunteers Call the Church

Nurse's Ministry Seeking Volunteers Call the Church

Important Announcements

Family Super Bowl Fellowship February 7, 2016, 5:00 pm

Bring a dish to share in the Annual cook-off. See Rev. Dennis Kitchen for more information.

Ash Wednesday February 10, 2016, 7:00 pm

Join us as we go to the Hartford Memorial Baptist Church in our annual fellowship launching the Lenten season.

Family Game Night - Family Feud February 12, 2016, 6:00 pm

Join the Youth Ministry as they host the annual Game Night Fellowship.

Metropolitan District African-American History Banquet February 13, 2016, 8:45 am

Join with the extended family at this year's Banquet to be held at Church of Our Father Baptist Church, Rev. Burnard Byles, Pastor. Reserve your space by contacting Church of Our Father.

Session II - The Church in Study Begins February 17, 2016, 6:30 pm

Join the Tabernacle family in study as we begin a new set of class sessions. Be sure to register. It is not too late to participate. Registration open on Wednesdays in the Christian Education Office.

The Tabernacle Bookstore is available for your study resources.

NEW DATE *** Super Saturday *** NEW DATE February 20, 2016, 9:00 am

Note the date change for February!
Men & Boys' Ministry AND Women & Girls' Ministry join for this family fellowship and study.

Family Movie Night - War Room February 20, 2016, 4:00 pm

Join the Young Adult Ministry as they host this family friendly evening.

Family Heart Awareness Day The Heart of the Matter - Wear Red Sunday February 21, 2016, 11:00 am

THE CHURCH FAMILY IN STUDY & PRAYER

Session II Begins February 17, 2016

13-Week Courses

Everyone must register for the new session.

BIBLICAL STUDIES

Survey of the Old Testament
Survey of the New Testament
Faith Fundamentals

DISCIPLESHIP STUDIES

Disciple Making
Disciple Maturing

EVANGELISM STUDIES

Beginners Evangelism
Intermediate Evangelism
Advanced Evangelism
World Religions
Apologetics

FORMATION STUDIES

True Fellowship
Spiritual Formation
Christian Stewardship

CHRISTIAN FAMILY STUDIES

Christian Parenting
Christian and Single
Healing Damaged Emotions
Say Yes to No Debt

CHILDREN AND YOUTH STUDIES

Toddler Bible Lessons
Children's Studies (5-12)
Youth Studies (13-18)

The Church in **Fellowship** - 5:30 pm - 6:25 pm

The Church in **Study** - 6:30 pm - 7:25 pm

The Church in **Prayer** - 7:30 pm - 8:15 pm

Tabernacle Ministry Monthly Praise Report

Recently, Teaching Ministry Instructors were asked to share testimonials of what God is doing in and through their classes. The teachers responded overwhelmingly with praise for what God is doing in our midst.

- **Bro. Ernest Purnell** speaks of class as a "God Space" where students have learned "good wondering questions that disarm the most hardened heart of not-yet-Christians" - **Intermediate Evangelism Class**
- **Rev. Arthur & Sis. Katina Rushin** say that "teaching this course has caused us to make changes to our parenting style and encouraged us to transfer their dependence from us to God." - **Christian Parenting Class**
- **Rev. Patricia Mobley** has found that "as we come to understand deep truths of God, who we are in Christ, and our relationship to God, we are growing, rooted, rejuvenated, and built up spiritually." - **Spiritual Formation Class**
- **Rev. Debra Carter** has taught her class to "go beyond cake and punch socials to reveal the true meaning of the fellowship of believers." - **True Fellowship Class**
- **Rev. Dennis Kitchen** has seen "more involvement and more activity in study and discussion." - **Youth Class**
- **Rev. Willie Hawk** says "apologetics has opened another door of opportunity for the diligent student. To be who God desires you to be in a world that is constantly trying to make you something else is the greatest accomplishment." - **Apologetics Class**

Do not miss this wonderful opportunity to join in fellowship and study! The next session begins February 17, 2015. There is a class for you!

TMBC Monthly Meetings

Sunday – February 7, 2016 8:15 Dawn Seeker's Class (Wilcoxson) 9:30 Sunday Church School 11:00 Morning Worship (Lord's Supper, 1st Sundays) 11:00 Children's Ministry (1st & 3rd Sundays, Morris) 1:30 Cherub Choir Rehearsal (1st & 3rd Sundays, Choir Room) 1:30 Group #7 (1st Sundays, Wilcoxson) 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus) ----- 4:00 Greater Christ Baptist Church Fellowship 6:00 Family Super Bowl Fellowship (Wilcoxson/Story)	Sunday- February 14 8:15 Dawn Seeker's Class (Wilcoxson) 9:30 Sunday Church School 11:00 Morning Worship (Baptism, 2nd Sundays) 1:30 Group #15 (2nd Sundays, Story Room) 1:30 Group #2/16 (2nd Sundays, Morris Room) 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus)
Monday – February 8 4:30 Prayer Partners (Mondays, Quiet Room) 6:00 Hospitality (Monday after first Sunday, Wilcoxson Room) 6:00 Super Saturday Women & Girls' Committee Meeting (Monday after 1st & 3rd Sundays, Room 2157) 6:00 Women's Retreat Meeting (Room 2156)	Monday – February 15 10:00 AARP Chapter 4803 (Morris Room) 4:30 Prayer Partners (Quiet Room)
Tuesday – February 9 9:15 Staff Meeting 10:00 AARP Chapter 4803 (2nd Monday/1st Tuesday, Morris) 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus)	Tuesday – February 16 9:15 Staff Meeting 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus)
Wednesday – February 10 12:00 Noon Bible Study (Wednesdays, Morris) ----- 7:00 Ash Wednesday at Hartford Memorial Baptist Church	Wednesday – February 17 12:00 Noon Bible Study (Wednesdays, Morris) 5:30 Church in Fellowship (Wednesdays, Wilcoxson/Story) 6:00 Teacher's Preparation (Wednesdays, Chapel) 6:30 Church in Study (Wednesdays, Educational Wing) 7:30 Church in Prayer (Wednesdays, Sanctuary)
Thursday – February 11 5:00 Male Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room) 6:00 Silent Ministry (Thursdays, Room 2164) 6:30 Tabernacle Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room) ----- 7:30am Metropolitan Women's Auxiliary (Wilcoxson/Story)	Thursday – February 18 2:00 Westsider Fellowship (Morris Room) 5:00 Male Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room) 6:00 Northwestern Alumni Association (Thursday after 2nd Sunday, Wilcoxson Room) 6:00 Silent Ministry (Thursdays, Room 2164) 6:30 Tabernacle Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room)
Friday – February 12 6:00 Family Game Night (Wilcoxson/Story)	Friday – February 19 6:00 Fellowship Friday (Youth Ministry)
Saturday – February 13 12:00 Quilting, Crocheting, and Knitting Class (Saturdays, Room 2159) 12:00 Narcotics Anonymous (NA, Beechwood Campus) 1:00 Sorosis Guild (Saturday after 1st Sunday, Room 2156) 1:00 Contemporary Christian Chorale Rehearsal (Saturdays, Choir Room) 2:00 Blessed Hearts Rehearsal (Saturdays, Choir Room) 2:30 Women & Girls' Choir Rehearsal (Saturdays, Chapel) ----- 9:00am MEDCCE African-American Celebration at Church of Our Father Baptist Church	Saturday – February 20 11:00 Evangelism Meeting (Saturday before 3rd Sunday, Room 2156) 12:00 Quilting, Crocheting, and Knitting Class (Saturdays, Room 2159) 12:00 Narcotics Anonymous (NA, Beechwood Campus) 1:00 Contemporary Christian Chorale Rehearsal (Saturdays, Choir Room) 2:30 Women & Girls' Choir Rehearsal (Saturdays, Chapel) ----- 9:00am Super Saturday (DATE CHANGE THIS MONTH ONLY) Men & Boys' (Morris Room) Women & Girls' (Wilcoxson/Story) 10:00 Columbus Block Club (Room 2156)

Sunday – February 21 8:15 Dawn Seeker's Class (Wilcoxson) 9:30 Sunday Church School 11:00 Morning Worship (Baby Dedication, 3rd Sundays) 11:00 Children's Ministry (1st & 3rd Sundays, Morris) 1:30 Cherub Choir Rehearsal (1st & 3rd Sundays, Choir Room) 1:30 Group #1 (3rd Sundays, Chapel) 1:30 Group #10/21 (3rd Sundays, Room 2173) 1:30 Group #12 (3rd Sundays, Wilcoxson) 1:30 Group #18 (3rd Sundays, Story) 1:30 Group #25 (3rd Sundays, Room 2176/2179) 1:30 Group #29 (3rd Sundays, Room 2161) 1:30 Group #4 (3rd Sundays, Room 2165) 1:30 Teen Council Meeting (3rd Sunday, Room 2159) 1:30 Marr-O-Nots Fellowship (3rd Sunday, Room 2156) 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus)	Sunday – February 28 8:15 Dawn Seeker's Class (Wilcoxson) 9:30 Sunday Church School 11:00 Morning Worship 1:30 Group #19/26/28 (4th Sundays, Wilcoxson) 1:30 Group #24 (4th Sundays, Morris) 1:30 Group #6/23 (4th Sundays, Room 2151) 1:30 Health Ministry (4th Sunday, Usher Board Room) 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus) ----- 1:30pm New Members' Fellowship Dinner (Wilcoxson/Story)
Monday – February 22 4:30 Prayer Partners (Mondays, Quiet Room) 6:00 Super Saturday Women & Girls' Committee Meeting (Monday after 1st & 3rd Sundays, Room 2157) 6:00 Deacon's Ministry (Monday after 3rd Sunday, Board Room) 6:30 Sunday School Worker's Conference (Monday after 3rd Sunday, Wilcoxson/Story Room)	Monday – February 29 4:30 Prayer Partners (Mondays, Quiet Room)
Tuesday – February 23 9:15 Staff Meeting 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus)	Tuesday – March 1 9:15 Staff Meeting 6:00 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA, Beechwood Campus)
Wednesday – February 24 12:00 Noon Bible Study (Wednesdays, Morris) 5:30 Church in Fellowship (Wednesdays, Wilcoxson/Story) 6:00 Teacher's Preparation (Wednesdays, Chapel) 6:30 Church in Study (Wednesdays, Educational Wing) 7:30 Church in Prayer (Wednesdays, Sanctuary)	Wednesday – March 2 12:00 Noon Bible Study (Wednesdays, Morris) 5:30 Church in Fellowship (Wednesdays, Wilcoxson/Story) 6:00 Teacher's Preparation (Wednesdays, Chapel) 6:30 Church in Study (Wednesdays, Educational Wing) 7:30 Church in Prayer (Wednesdays, Sanctuary)
Thursday – February 25 5:00 Male Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room) 6:00 Silent Ministry (Thursdays, Room 2164) 6:30 Tabernacle Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room)	Thursday – March 3 5:00 Male Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room) 6:00 Silent Ministry (Thursdays, Room 2164) 6:30 Tabernacle Choir Rehearsal (Thursdays, Choir Room)
Friday – February 26 FAMILY WEEKEND - DOING FAMILY GOD's WAY 7:00 Family General Assembly (Sanctuary)	Friday – March 4 6:00 Fellowship Friday (Youth Ministry)
Saturday – February 27 FAMILY WEEKEND - DOING FAMILY GOD's WAY 10:00 Family Lunch & Learn Workshops (Educational Wing/FH)	Saturday – March 5 7:00 Minister/Disciple's Meeting (Morris Room) 10:00 Leadership Council (Saturday before first Sunday, Room 2156) 12:00 Quilting, Crocheting, and Knitting Class (Saturdays, Room 2159) 12:00 Narcotics Anonymous (NA, Beechwood Campus) 1:00 Contemporary Christian Chorale Rehearsal (Saturdays, Choir Room) 1:00 Usher Instruction (Saturday before 1st Sunday, Usher Board Room) 2:00 Usher General Meeting (Saturday before 1st Sunday, Usher Board Room) 2:00 Blessed Hearts Rehearsal (Saturdays, Choir Room) 2:30 Women & Girls' Choir Rehearsal (Saturdays, Chapel)

The Teaching Ministry of Tabernacle presents

THE CHURCH FAMILY IN STUDY & PRAYER

Session II Begins February 17, 2016

13-Week Courses

Everyone must register for the new session.

BIBLICAL STUDIES

Survey of the Old Testament
Survey of the New Testament
Faith Fundamentals

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Spiritual Formation
Christian Stewardship

DISCIPLESHIP STUDIES

Disciple Making
Disciple Maturing

CHRISTIAN FAMILY STUDIES

Christian Parenting
Christian and Single
Healing Damaged Emotions
Say Yes to No Debt

EVANGELISM STUDIES

Beginners Evangelism
Intermediate Evangelism
Advanced Evangelism
World Religions
Apologetics

CHILDREN AND YOUTH STUDIES

Toddler Bible Lessons
Children's Studies (5-12)
Youth Studies (13-18)

The Church in **Fellowship** - 5:30 pm - 6:25 pm

The Church in **Study** - 6:30 pm - 7:25 pm

The Church in **Prayer** - 7:30 pm - 8:15 pm

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And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.

Psalm 1:3

Friday Family Fellowship
February 26 5:30 pm

Friday Night General Assembly
February 26 7:00 pm

Saturday Lunch & Learn
(Registration Required)
February 27 10:00 am

Sunday Morning Worship
February 28 11:00 am



Friday Night Speaker
Pastor Christopher Brooks
Evangel Ministries
Radio Host - Equipped for Life
Campus Dean -
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HOW TO DEVELOP A FAMILY BIBLE STUDY

This workshop seeks to provide families of all sizes with ideas and suggested curriculum that develop an effective home based family bible study rooted in the Word of God.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

You've heard the expression often used referring to money, "You can't take it with you." Come learn ways that will change the way you view money and material possessions that please God.

EQUIPPING OUR CHILDREN TO DEAL WITH VIOLENCE

Sadly domestic violence involving children has become a serious problem in within the urban community. Learn the signs of abuse and ways to find help with domestic violence.

PROTECTING CHILDREN'S INNOCENCE IN AGE OF SOCIAL MEDIA

Discover ways to protect your children's innocence on social media and learn about the legal ramification if they misuse social media.

SENIOR PROTECTION (CYBER FRAUD – SCAMS)

God's word wants us to be wise to the trickeries of the enemy. Learn ways to avoid being a victim of fraud and identity thief.

PROTECTING YOUR GOLDEN YEARS

Financial planning for seniors is a must. Learns ways to enjoy your golden years of retirement and planning for the unexpected pitfalls seniors face when they do not know where to go to find help.

CHAT TIME FOR TEENS

This workshop gives teens a forum to ask questions and dialogue about issues and concerns they have about life.

**Young Adult Ministry
presents**

Family Movie Night

**Saturday,
February 20, 2016
4:00 pm**




Know Your Story. Know Your Power.
Take Action at GoRedForWomen.org



**Go Red For
Women**

**February 21,
2016
11:00am**

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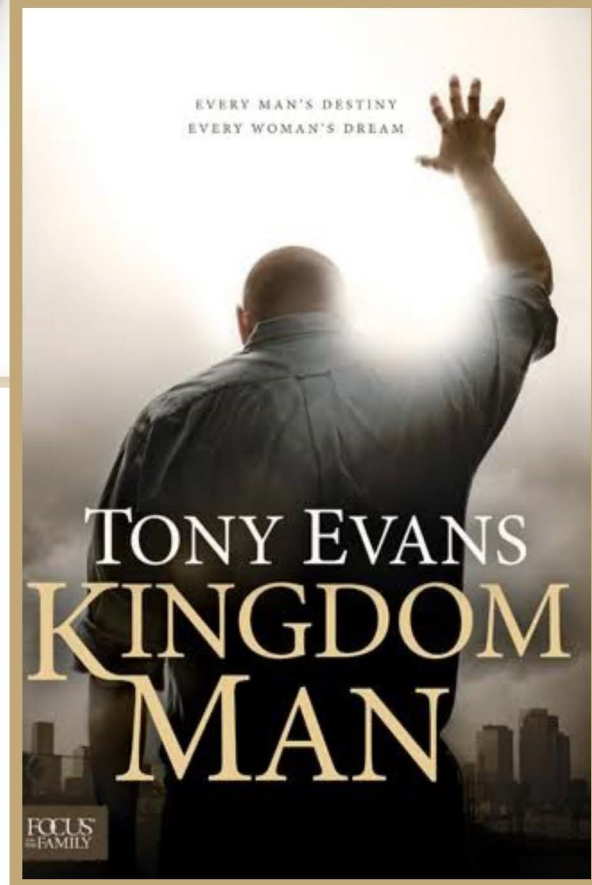
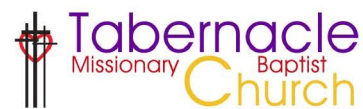
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Men & Boys' Ministry
Formation of a Kingdom Man

Super Saturday
February 20, 2016, 9:00 am
Morris Room - Tabernacle Fellowship Hall



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Super Bowl Fellowship

(Game Day Style Potluck)

Sunday, February 7, 2016
6:00 pm

Fun & Games for the Entire Family

*Trusting Always in
the Promises of God*

The Women & Girls' Ministry invites
Girls, Teens, and women to Super Saturday

FEBRUARY 20, 2016, 9:00 AM

Join us as we journey through the Scripture learning
how to **Trust Always in the Promises of God.**

Bring your Bible & dress comfortably for this interactive experience.

Rev. Debra Carter, February Presenter



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GAME SHOW FELLOWSHIP
Come Watch or Participate
Friday, February 12, 2016
6:00 pm

WE WELCOME AND THANK GOD FOR OUR NEWEST FAMILY MEMBERS

January 1, 2015 - January 31, 2016

Adkins, Micheal
Alexander, Brittney
Alexander, Camry
Alexander, Jamyra
Anderson, Quan
Banks, Derrick
Bembry, John
Blake, Kamaree
Brown, Anna
Brown, Jamie
Brown, Kenneth
Bundrage, Joe
Calhoun, Ricky
Chambers, Julian
Coach, Devonte
Coleman, Tawanda
Cook, Tiffany
Cox, Mary
Crawford, Norma
Crawford, Samaria
Crawford, Seandrea
Cunningham, Stanley
Dunbar, Ta'Miya
Ekpe, Oyo
Ellis, Ashyrah
Ellis, LaNora
Fails, Delbert
Featherstone, Medgar
Fleming, Lisa
Fleming, Natalia
Flowers, Jeanette

Frances, Madison
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Glenn, Kevin
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Granger-Davis, Sandra
Gwinner, Xavier
Hawkins, Jalesha
Headings Jr, Vidal
Headings, Cierra
Heard, Valerie
Hickman, Charles
Hodge, Olga
Horton, Rhonda
Isom, Evangeline
Jackson, Carey
Jeter, Richelle
Johnson, Elizabeth
Johnson, Kareem
Johnson, Korneilus
Jones, Latasha
Lawson, Kameelah
Lewis, Lyn
Lindsay, Monique
May, De'Andre
McComb, Sanchez
McGhee, Eric
Miles, Bobby
Miles, Zelma
Miller, Justin
Moore, Louis
Mosley, Telesze

Murray, Takeshia
Murry, Deonta
Nelson, Asa
Nuckolls, Luke
Nunn, Darnella
Oree, Shawn
Powell, Dania
Price, Kimberly
Pugh, Branden
Reed, Ronald
Reid, Skylar
Rogers, Luvinta
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Sampson, Valerie
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Spencer, Nicole
Stallings, Stephone
Tansil, Adrionna
Thomas, Phillip
Travis, Riley
Turner, Cynthia
Turner, Kelsey
Wesley, Robyn
Wilson, Tinesha
Wilson, Willie
Woods, Phyllis

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