



# PASTORAL EMPHASIS

## For the Week of August 9, 2015

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### PASTORAL APPRECIATION

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Thank you to the new members and new member guides who responded and participated in the Discipleship workshop.

### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

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#### The Teaching Ministry of Tabernacle Presents a Weekend Experience (Sponsored by the Sunday Church School)

August 14-15, 2015

- Registration is required for all attendees.
- *Friday, August 14, 2015, 6:30 pm – “A Time for Fellowship: Dinner and a Play”*
  - Open to everyone
- *Saturday, August 15, 2015, 8:30 am – “A Time for Instruction: Workshops and Training”*
  - Pastor Johnson will bring the keynote presentation followed by interactive workshops for all attendees.
  - Workshops include sessions for those teaching in any capacity of the church (Women & Girls’, Men & Boys’, Children’s Ministry, Deacon’s Groups, Bible Studies, etc.)
  - Pastor Johnson will facilitate the workshop for support workers/class secretaries/table ministries

#### Back to School Rally School Supplies & Uniform Collection

Now through August 10, 2015 – (in the Cloak Room on Sundays; during the week to the Door Monitors)

- The Women & Girls’ Ministry is coordinating the school supplies collection. Pick up your list of supplies needed from the hospitality desks.
- The Clothing Den ministry is coordinating the uniform collection. Specific instructions are available at the hospitality desks as well.

#### Claiming Our Jerusalem – Back to School Rally “A New Beginning” (2 Corinthians 5:17)

August 22, 2015 – 12 noon-4:00 pm

- Live music, backpack/uniform give-a-way, games, entertainment
- Meet at the corner of Beechwood and Cobb
- See Rev. Will Hawk for more information and to volunteer

#### Women & Girls’ Ministry Summer Fellowship (Sponsored by the Women & Girls’ Ministry)

August 29, 2015, 9:00 am

- Join the Women for this Summer Fellowship at Michigan Sea Life Aquarium in the Great Lakes Crossing Mall.
- See Sis. Judi Caliman for more information after service on August 9th or 16<sup>th</sup>. As this is a ticketed fellowship all attendees need to register no later than August 16<sup>th</sup>.
  - *Girls Growing in Grace (G3 girls) should register through Dr. Kimberly Elyse no later than Friday, August 14<sup>th</sup>.*

## Pastoral Emphasis for the Week – Continued

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### **Nurses Ministry is OPEN to new volunteers**

*Tab's Nurses Guild is a skilled, dedicated, compassionate group of nurses able to provide comfort, support, and immediate care to any person who becomes ill during church services or special events.*

- Membership is open to all church members ages 16 and up.
- All applicants will be trained in first aid, CPR, AED monitor usage and will be certified through the American Red Cross.
- Men and Women are welcome to apply
- See any Nurse for further information

**\*\*\*SAVE THE DATE\*\*\***

### **Metropolitan District Congress of Christian Education (MEDCCE)**

September 19, 2015 – 9:00 am-12 noon

- Join us as we launch a new year of study with our District.

### **Tabernacle Tastefest is Coming Soon!**

September 19, 2015

- Signup early if you'd like to be included in this year's Talented Tastefest Team of Chefs! See Trustee Kerry Caliman for more details.

### **Loyalty Sunday**

September 20, 2015

- Groups, ministries, and auxiliaries are reminded to do your best in this annual recommitment celebration.

### **Christian Education Week**

September 21-25, 2015

- More information coming Soon

### **Usher Ministry Anniversary Fellowship Concert**

September 27, 2015, 4:00 pm

- Join the Usher Ministry in celebration of 93 years as Doorkeepers.
- "Still Standing, Still Praying, Yet Serving." John 12:26 with special guest Mr. Ron English and Psalm 150 ensemble.

## **FAMILY CELEBRATIONS**

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### **Birthdays**

- Elma Carey – 8/5
- Juliette Turner – 8/8