



# PASTORAL EMPHASIS

## For the Week of May 7, 2017

---

### PASTORAL APPRECIATION

---

Thank you to the Bus Ministry and all those who participated in celebrating what God is doing in the life of Pastor Will Hawk of Dresden, Ontario.

### FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

---

#### New Prospect Baptist Church

May 16-18, 2017, 7:00 pm

- 6330 Pembroke, Detroit, MI 48221

#### Second Baptist Church

May 23-25, 2017

- 600 Donald Adkins Dr., Benton Harbor, MI 49022
- Rev. Kenneth M. Gavin, Pastor

#### Wolverine State Congress of Christian Education 98<sup>th</sup> Annual President's Award Banquet\*

June 7, 2017, 6:30 pm (Reserve your ticket by [May 19, 2017](#))

- Horizon Conference Center, 6200 State Street, Saginaw, MI 43601
- **2017 Honorees for commitment and diligence in Christian Education and equipping disciples for Christ**
  - **Dr. Ava Lewis** - Director of Health, Prince of Peace Baptist Church
  - **Dr. Nathan Johnson** - Pastor, Tabernacle Baptist Church
  - **Deacon Bill Quarles** - Assistant Dean, First Trinity Baptist Church
- Call the church office reserve your space - \**Ticketed Event*

### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

---

#### Exercise/Dance Class (Sponsored by the Health Ministry)

Mondays, 6:00 pm (Morris Room)

- It is the mission of the Exercise Dance Class, under the leadership of Sis. Kay Lanier Jones, to reach out to members and the community and teach them good health and fellowship in the form of dance. The classes are drop in for a \$10 per person, per class fee to defray the cost of hosting the class. Scripture: Jer 31:13 (NIV)

#### Church Cleaning

May 10-13, 2017

- Tabernacle will launch a church wide spring clean up initiative to rid our church of debris and outdated materials. Your help and participation is needed.
- Please sign up to help clean the areas where you serve. You can register today in the cloak room.

#### Church in Fellowship, Study, and Prayer

May 10, 2017, 5:30 pm

- All are welcome to participate in this weekly study. There are classes for all ages. Feel free to join anytime. We would love to see you there and study God's word with you.

#### Tab Tymers

May 18, 2017, 12:00 pm

- Join the senior members in monthly fellowship.

#### Men's Day Weekend

Theme: **Prayers of Righteous Men Availeth Much**; Theme Scripture: **James 5:13-16**

May 19, 2017, 7:00 pm

- Opening session – Guest Preacher, Rev. Dr. Michael Eric Dyson

May 20, 2017, 9:00 am

- Pancake Breakfast – Guest Preacher, Rev. Micheal Evans

May 21, 2017, 11:00 am

- Sunday Morning Worship – Guest Preacher, Rev. Dr. Frank Thomas

### **Church Conference**

May 22, 2017, 7:00 pm

### **Graduation Sunday Registration Applications Available in May 2017 Newsletter**

Deadline May 26, 2017, 5:30 pm

- It's that time of year to celebrate what God is doing academically in the lives of our families. Be sure to pick up next week's May 2017 newsletter for the 2017 TAB Graduation Sunday application.
- We are encouraging families to email the information requested along with the graduate's photo

### **Bowling Fun Night (Group 25)**

May 27, 2017, 6:00 pm

- Woodland Lanes – 33775 Plymouth Rd., Livonia, MI
- Tickets are available from Group #25

### **Burch Run & Frankenmuth Trip (Group 2/16)**

June 22, 2017, 8:30 am

- See Sis. Flora Clay or Sis. Mary Lester for more information on how to participate.

### **Teen Girls' Retreat 2017**

July 7-8, 2017

- Registration for all girls 13-18 years old will be Sundays beginning May 21<sup>st</sup>. See Sis. Patti Powell for more information.

---

### **SAVE the DATES**

---

**Sing-A-Rama Theodrama Auditions (Group 10/21) -**  
June 9-10, 2017

**Fireworks Fellowship – June 26, 2017**

**Usher Ministry Prayer Breakfast - June 10, 2017, 9 am**

**Vacation Bible School (Sunday Church School) - July 17-21, 2017**

**Relay for Life (Sorosis Guild) - June 17, 2017, 9 am**

**Church Picnic (Men & Boys' Ministry) - July 22, 2017**

**Salad Extravaganza (Group 7) - June 17, 2017**

**Women's Day - July 30, 2017**

---

### **FAMILY CELEBRATIONS**

---

#### **Birthdays**

- Mary Ferguson – 5/2
- Stephen Iposu – 5/2

#### **Anniversaries**

- Craig & Alice Tillman – 5/2
- Albert & Betty Wells – 5/7

---

### **EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE RECEIVED FROM OUR FAMILY MEMBERS**

---

#### **Appreciation received...**

For the Women & Girls' Ministry Girls Growing in Grace Sleep In & for teaching her about Jesus

- Victoria Hall & Sis. Diana Hall-Wynn