



Out of the Heart

A newsletter for and about
Trinity Avenue
Presbyterian Church and
its ministry
For people who minister
from the heart of God

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RALLY DAY! AUGUST 22

Make plans to attend! Here's what's going on.

COVERED DISH LUNCH: Follows our 11:00 worship service on the 22nd. Bring yourself and your food and get ready for fellowship!

TEACHER RECOGNITION: During our 11:00 worship service on the 22nd we'll be recognizing all our teachers and superintendents who have dedicated themselves to teaching our young people and adults.

FOUR PART SERMON SERIES begins on the 22nd. The topic will be on **Spiritual Maturity**. We will explore themes of forgiveness, generosity, humility and self control. Join us as we look at ways we can grow in our faith.

Family of Faith Campaign Update

From biblical times our campaign leaders are like "gleaners" who have had a good harvest, but we are still looking for those needed dollars to reach our three million dollar mark.

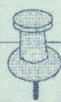
A special committee has been working on space allocations and needs. This document and the people who have made it possible are to be commended on this phase for our future building.

This campaign has not been only money, but providing resources to do God's work more effectively, now, and for the foreseeable future.

The outpouring of dollars has slowed, but the will to fulfill our dollar needs is still flowing.

198 people have pledged or contributed to the campaign. Thus far \$2,762,637.49 has been received. We will stay the course until our job is done!

Family of Faith



Wednesday Night Lite

Begins again on
September 8th
at 6:00 p.m.

Food, fellowship, fun – and
if you're not too careful,
you may learn something!

From the Pastor



As you well know, my parents four day stay in Durham was extended after my Mom fell down our steps and broke her ribs, and my Dad began to have chest pains, which led to triple by-pass heart surgery. McKenzie, our youngest, became quite the nurse, offering care first to her Grandma and then when her Grandpa came home she greeted him with the words, "Grandma has broken ribs, but you have a broken heart. I'll take care of you!"

In a day in the age when power is often measured in wealth and prestige, it is nice to be reminded that real power is often found, not in what you have, but what you care to give away. It is the essence of our faith.

The mother who holds the crying child in her arms, knows the power of care. The youth who give his boots away to a Jamaican man knows it. The man who jumps into icy waters to save a stranger knows it. The four year old girl who hugs her Grandfather knows it. You know it!

Which is to say, all the Drake family has been empowered by your prayers, cards, and all your care. It will be long felt and remembered. And through it all we have been reminded of our God who is always keeping an eye out for those who are broken and has said in Word and Deed "I'll take care of you!" And so he does.

In Christ,

Donovan Drake

General Assembly News

Freda Gardner Elected Moderator on Second Ballot

The only woman candidate for Moderator of the 211th General Assembly, Elder Freda A. Gardner, was elected on the second ballot with 270 votes. She led the voting on the first ballot, but attained the majority needed on the second.

A former Princeton Seminary professor of Christian education, she was applauded along with the other three candidates for doing an outstanding job of addressing concerns of the Assembly through statements and responses to questions. The other candidates, Frank Diaz, Charles Kim and Walter Ungerer, received significant support in the voting process, but Freda Gardner was the clear choice to lead the denomination in the coming year.

Speaking to the Assembly, Gardner said that if elected she would tell the "amazing story of the Presbyterian Church...not the story that divides us but the stories of the many ways in which Christian ministry is being carried out." She also promised to encourage renewed commitment to prayer: "to gather in stillness to hear the voice that can lead us to wholeness, the glory that is Christ's and our privilege to witness to it"

Assembly Approves Church Growth Strategy Report

Fort Worth—By voice vote June 23 the 211th General Assembly approved the report of the Church Growth Strategy Team. Team chair, Ginny Miller, presented the report and its themes of mission, diversity and spiritual enrichment and encouragement for presbyteries and congregations to strategize for growth. For 39 years she said, the Presbyterian Church has been losing members. The Church Growth Strategy Report provides four challenges to churches asking if they want to be well (grow), if they are willing to change, if they dare take risks and will they take responsibility for themselves, rather than blaming their losses on other factors. This report will free churches from unnecessary structure and enable them to engage in mission and strategies which will provide growth spiritually and numerically.



MUSICAL NOTES

It seems like we just completed the choir program for 98/99 just yesterday and here we are, gearing up for a full Fall program again!

Due to the growing number of children in our program, the choir program is expanding to include a youth choir for **Jr/Sr highs**. While this choir is yet to be named, it is open to all youth from 6th through 10th grade. All of the former 5th graders from **Chapel Choir** will move up to this choir as well as those who are planning to join from the other grades.

Part of the challenge/goals for this choir will be a Spring 2000 trip to one of our neighboring states, sort of "mini-tour" if you will! Plans are in the works to make this a highlight of their year.

FALL CHOIR REGISTRATION WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE CHOIR ROOM ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 1999 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE 11:00 A.M. SERVICE.

As always, your support for our choir program is wonderful, and I encourage any new but slightly hesitant young singers to join their friends in any of the three choirs to sign up at the **Fall Choir Registration on Sunday August 22nd**.

FIRST REHEARSAL FOR EACH CHOIR IS LISTED BELOW.

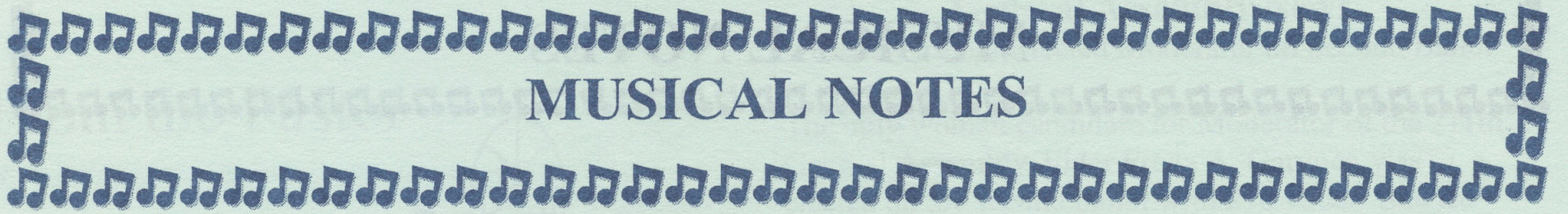
ANGELUS CHOIR begins **Wednesday, August 25, 1999 at 5:00 p.m.**

CHAPEL CHOIR begins **Sunday, August 29, 1999 at 12:15 p.m.**

JR/SR HIGH CHOIR begins **Sunday, August 29, 1999 at 4:00 p.m.**

I am looking forward to a great church year!!

Harry Jansen



MUSICAL NOTES

CHANCEL CHOIR begins with their Fall "Kick-off" at Westminster Presbyterian Church on **Saturday, August 21, 1999 from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.** This is a great time for all new members to participate in the events of the day and become acquainted with everyone.



TRINITY AVENUE
PRESBYTERIAN

CHANCEL CHOIR FALL "KICK OFF"

WHEN: Saturday, August 21, 1999

**WHERE: Westminster Presbyterian
Church, Durham**

WHAT TIME?: 8:30 am until 4:00 pm

LUNCH INCLUDED. Cost: \$10.00

FOOD! FELLOWSHIP!

**WORKSHOP ON SIGHT-
SINGING**

NEW MUSIC READING

AND...

**THE FIRST EVER
IN THE TRIANGLE...**

"MUSICAL JEOPARDY"

*(beware, the famous CLAP TRAP in
DOUBLE JEOPARDY!!)*

AND MORE...

Contact person: Harry Jansen

Phone: (919) 682-3865

Email: hjtapc@aol.com

The *Special Summer Music Series* continues at TAPC with Bob Clarke performing solo works at the 10:00 a.m. service on Sunday, August 1st. Music includes works from "Godspell", works by the great Christian group GLAD, and other surprises. Be prepared for a different, wonderful kind of sound from Bob as we worship God with joyful sounds!

Exploring the Life of Jesus



Come along and dig into Bible lands and Bible times. Together, kids and teachers will dig, create, build and learn while we explore the life of Jesus.

August 16-20
9:00 am - 12:00

Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church
Preschoolers ages 2-5

Please turn in registration form below to the church office by
August 2, 1999

If you have any questions, please call Diane Moore 477-7696
or Lisa Drummond 477-9818

Student's Name _____

Birth Date _____ Age _____

Parent Name _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Emergency Contact and
Phone number _____

Are there any allergies or health concerns we need to
we need to know about your child? _____

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN NEWS

Family of Faith brochures and commitment forms have been mailed to members at large. If you did not receive your copy and would like to have one, please call the church office at 682-3865. We apologize if your name was left off the mailing list.

PEOPLE WHO HAVE PLEDGED TO THE TRINITY AVENUE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN (as of 7/19/99)

Anonymous

George & Martha Aitkens
Carl & Connie Badger
Frank & Harriet Barr
Joe & Reba Beavers
Daryn & Kirsten Berlin
Carol Berman
Virginia H. Barrett
Mrs. Maelee P. Barringer
Mrs. R. Irvin Beavers (Rosa)
R. Thomas & Betty B. Beavers
Uwe & Anna Beckmann
Tom and Chris Berry
C. Randolph & Judith Bishop
Florence M. Bivins
Bob & Hildur Blake
Mrs. Elizabeth Blanchard
Ms. Becky Bowden
Betty Bradford
Linda Trent Braddock
William Breeze
Dorothy Brock
Jean S. & George W. Brumley
Joyce Bumann
Bob & Mary Burger
Daniel & Phyllis Cagle
Mrs. Anne Carpenter
Mrs. Henry Carr
Tom & Nancy Carstens
Bob & Margaret Clarke
Larry & Phyllis Clark
Mr. & Mrs. Lee Clement
Dr. & Mrs. A. Stanton Colvin
Mr. & Mrs. Edward M. Coman
David & Sherry Coulter
Lois & H. C. Cranford, Jr.
Mrs. Jacksie Crossman
Mr. & Mrs. Jack T. Crumpacker
Etheline P. Cupp
R. Duncan Cuyler
Jo & Danny Deckard
Shuford & Julia Dobson
Joanne Douglas
Kerry & Julie Draeger

Rev. & Mrs. Donovan Drake
Ms. Gloria Driver
Bill & Lisa Drummond
Donna Dzubay
Mr. & Mrs. Crawford M. Eakle
Steve & Marlene Edwards
Jim & Beth Elkins
Arland W. Eyl, Jr.
John & Dott Faulkenbury
Jean Findlay
Rick & Susanne Freeman
Sandy Freeman & Amy Daniels
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Gibson
Margaret M. Gilbert
Susie W. Gilbert
Ms. Carrick Glen
Ralph & Mary Gunderson
Ms. Marie Grauerholz
Tom Hadzor & Susan Ross
Eva Haltom
Mayme Hampton
George & Marsha Hare
Mr. Boyd W. Harris, Jr.
Craig & Bobbie Harris
Walter & Tammy Havener
Mr. & Mrs. Clark Havighurst
Mrs. Eugene Henry & Thomas Henry
Helen Higgins
Helen L. Hilderman
Frederick Hine & Anne Hayes
R. James & Elizabeth Henderson
Rob & Jenny Hirtz
Norris Hodgkins, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Hofmann
Gary B. & Cynthia Huffman
Lloyd & Sarah Humphrey
Helen Idol
Jon & Kathy Inglefield
Harry & Jeanette Jansen
Jeff & Ellen Jeffrey
Judy Johnson
Wade & Ann Johnson
Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Johnston
Mr. & Mrs. Noel Johnston

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN NEWS (CONT)

Kelly A. & Lisa L. Joyner

Phil & Connie Kearney

Russ & Joanne Kesler

Mrs. L. D. Kirkland, Jr.

Mr Edward J. Klesker

Dr. Edward Krabill

Esther Krigbaum

Carol Kurtz

Nelda LaBorde

John & Ginger Lane

Chris, Carol, Sarah & Andy Leach

Sharon A. LeSoine

Bruce, Leslie, Trevor, Stephanie & Ian Lobaugh

Marion T. Maiwurm

Emily & Julian Maness

Michael & Julie Mangano

Harold & Betty Mann

William & Ann Martin

Steve, Caroline & Doris Massengill

Cynthia C. McCaskill

Dave & Allison McClay

Duffy & Linda McDonald

Mr & Mrs. Donald E. McIntire

Mr. & Mrs. W. L. McLeod

Bill & Gerda Medley

Pat Miller

Kate Milliken

Dan Minor & Susan Peak

Dutton (Guthrie) & Lang Moore

E. Towson & Linda L. Moore

Jess T Moore

Sandra Mosher

Martha Newsome

Charles R. Noel

William & Louise Noel

William Walker Noel III & Family

Jim & Elise Nunley

Mrs. Arthur Pappas

Roger & Lori Parro

Dave & Judy Patton

Mr & Mrs. Robert S. Peake

Gary & Beverley Pellom

Tod & Catherine Penney

Chris & Cathy Perry

Jim & Ruth Petrea

Beth Pierce

Mr & Mrs. Paul E. Pierce

Marty & Joyce Pierson

Jane & Travis Porter

Carol Knott Price

PrimeTimers

Ashley Ray

B. Leslie Ray

Randy & Bridget Ray

Jeff & Kathy Reedy

Mr. & Mrs. John M. Reeves II

Mrs. Sarah C. Reeves

E. T & Frances Rollins, Jr

Mr. & Mrs. William M. Ross

Bobby and Harriett Ross

Mr J. David Ross

Joe & Beth Rusnak

Mr. & Mrs. James S. Russell

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Schoenhut, Jr.

Dr & Mrs. James H. Semans

Mr. Bill Shore

Mr & Mrs. Perry A. Sloan, Jr.

Mrs. Frances C. Smith

B. Martha Sparks

Nick & Carolyn Staffa

Stanley, Dale, Gregory & David Stasiewicz

Len & Janet Stockburger

Robert & Tonya Stockburger

Louis & Geraldine Swanson

Doris & Elwood D. Swartz

Mrs. Hubert O. Teer (Betty Jean)

Ethel Teer

Bill & Marcie Telford

Nick & Jennifer Tennyson

Al Thorn

Ms. Jane Thorn

Noell & Kathy Tillett

Mildred Tilley

Peter & Janene Tompkins

Dr & Mrs. Richard L. Tuthill

Mr. & Mrs. Heath Tuttle

Hazel C. Tyson

Jim & Gail Vander Weide

Mr. & Mrs. Harold Van Hise

Bill Waddell & Teresa Roberts

Calvin & Suzanne Ward

Peggy and Marvin Waters

John Weistart

Bill & Carol Wilcox

Dorothy Wilkinson

Sara Williams

Mrs. James S. Wilson, Sr (Ted)

Wilbur E. Wilson

Agnes Winstead

Carolyn Withers

Bert Wolf & Karen Welty Wolf

Barry & Ann Wood

Corlis J. Wood

Sunny & Judy Wooden

Marian & Ernest Wright

Dr. James B. Wyngaarden

Jann & Chris Yankee

Steve Yova

Dr & Mrs. Robert K. Yowell & Family

Mrs. Arline Zinger

MID-YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT

07/01/99

Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church - Durham NC 27701-1715
Treasurer's Report for Jan, 1999 through Jun, 1999 (Operating Fund)

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Account Number	Account Name	Current Month	Year to Date	1998 Year to Date	Budget Year to Date	% of Budget YTD	Annual Budget	Annual Budget Remaining
<i>Income</i>								
	Total Regular Contributions	\$29,372.00	\$198,149.85	\$182,877.75	\$230,800.00	86	\$460,000.00	\$261,850.15
	Total Other Contributions	\$469.50	\$3,485.63*	\$2,783.49	\$3,000.04	116	\$5,600.00	\$2,114.37
	Total Other Income	\$11,011.48	\$54,356.62*	\$53,685.85	\$45,599.94	119	\$91,200.00	\$36,843.38
	Total Income	\$40,852.98	\$255,992.10	\$239,347.09	\$279,399.98	92	\$556,800.00	\$300,807.90
<i>Expense</i>								
	Total Worship	\$1,140.00	\$9,217.94	\$2,637.31	\$10,162.52	91	\$12,325.00	\$3,107.06
	Total Music	\$337.81	\$2,361.37	\$1,838.23	\$3,857.52	61	\$8,715.00	\$6,353.63
	Total Benevolence	\$3,754.09	\$22,685.04	\$21,066.96	\$24,110.06	94	\$47,765.50	\$25,080.46
	Total Program/Fellowship	\$216.36	\$3,385.02	\$2,069.62	\$4,557.44	74	\$8,995.00	\$5,609.98
	Total Christian Education	\$1,605.68	\$9,538.54	\$4,791.07	\$9,654.96	99	\$15,840.00	\$6,301.46
	Total Weekday School	\$4,539.27	\$36,525.38	\$36,224.26	\$38,183.46	96	\$75,467.00	\$38,941.62
	Total Grounds	\$690.00	\$3,806.97	\$1,921.03	\$4,600.02	83	\$9,200.00	\$5,393.03
	Total House	\$2,897.47	\$22,720.44	\$14,860.87	\$32,449.98	70	\$64,900.00	\$42,179.56
	Total Administration: Office	\$3,183.81	\$13,137.46*	\$10,502.57	\$12,713.44	103	\$23,427.00	\$10,289.54
	Total Administration: Finance	\$1,672.17	\$9,970.70	\$10,863.52	\$12,142.94	77	\$23,586.00	\$14,188.40
	Total Administration: Staff	\$599.57	\$4,181.90	\$6,866.84	\$8,086.63	52	\$16,116.65	\$11,934.75
	Total Salary: Pastor	\$6,695.69	\$41,433.61	\$28,527.59	\$41,832.61	99	\$83,629.00	\$42,195.39
	Total Salary: Assoc. Pastor	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15,390.00	0	\$30,780.00	\$30,780.00
	Total Salary: Music Director	\$4,882.26	\$28,480.47	\$23,978.57	\$29,010.38	98	\$59,745.06	\$31,264.59
	Total Salary: DCE	\$0.00	\$10,447.22	\$16,298.35	\$10,447.22	100	\$10,447.22	\$0.00
	Total Salary: Secretary	\$2,978.51	\$17,871.06	\$0.00	\$17,889.95	100	\$35,896.00	\$18,024.94
	Total Salary: Sexton	\$1,760.00	\$2,640.00	\$14,262.42	\$3,848.00	69	\$16,100.00	\$13,460.00
	Total Salary: Other	\$3,717.56	\$15,055.92	\$8,464.57	\$15,519.62	97	\$33,191.62	\$18,135.70
	Total Expense	\$40,670.25	\$253,459.04	\$205,173.78	\$294,456.75	86	\$576,126.05	\$323,240.11
	Difference	\$182.73	\$2,533.06	\$34,173.31	(\$15,056.77)		(\$19,326.05)	

* Income/expense exceeds amount budgeted to date.

Hearts and Hands

Volunteers, please realize how much we appreciate you! Without your efforts, our worship and fellowship experiences would be impossible. Thanks for all the energy, love, and commitment you put into your tasks. Listed with each section are church members who coordinate that area of volunteer responsibility. Please call them if you have questions, need more information, or want to participate. **Please check to see if your name and phone are listed correctly!**

CHURCH OFFICE HELPERS

Responsibilities include: answering phones, gathering friendship pads, making copies, folding and stuffing bulletins, and other duties as the need arises. Your time and effort is a tremendous help to the office staff. Office helpers work from 9 AM to noon.

—Cathy Germanowski, Tina Owen, and Tricia Truax (682-3865)

First Monday of the month:	Harriet Barr	Third Tuesday of the month:	Jane Eakle
Second Monday of the month:	Marie Grauerholz	All other Tuesday mornings:	Corlis Wood
Third Monday of the month:	Phyllis Cagle	Third Thursday of the month:	Helen Hilderman
Fifth Monday of the month:	Judy Johnson		

SANCTUARY GUILD

A detailed checklist of your special duties will arrive in the mail a week before your time of service. If you have questions, please call me. A big thank you goes out to each one of you for all your help and energy in making our church a warm and welcoming place for family and friends to worship each Sunday. Thanks again.

—Dianne Moore (477-7696) and Anne Kern Carpenter (383-7075)

AUGUST		SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER	
Lisa Drummond	477-9818	Carol Wilcox	493-1966	Ann Martin	477-1678
Ruth Petrea	477-7634	Marsha Hare	493-2609	Becky Bowden	489-7628

9:00 AM COMMUNION PREPARATION

Before the service: Unlock the communion closet with key #22 and take the box labeled "9 am communion." Set table with cloth, chalice (goblet), ewer (pitcher) with enough juice in it to half-fill the goblet, and the tray with about 40 to 45 Matzo crackers. Put cover on tray. Be sure there is an elder to help serve.

After the service: Wash and replace silver in box and closet. Put juice in refrigerator and Matzo crackers back in box labeled "9 am communion." Return key #22 to key box. Record the number taking communion and the number in attendance in the book in the bureau in the narthex.

—Bob and Hildur Blake (490-6750)

AUGUST		SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER	
01	Hildur & Bob Blake	05	Hildur & Bob Blake	03	Hildur & Bob Blake
08	Chris & Carol Leach	12	Chris & Carol Leach	10	Chris & Carol Leach
15	Carol Kurtz	19	Carol Kurtz	17	Carol Kurtz
22	Pat & Don McIntire	26	Pat & Don McIntire	24	Pat & Don McIntire
29	Phyllis & Dan Cagle			31	Phyllis & Dan Cagle

USHERS

Ushering is an important duty in the church. Good ushering makes a definite contribution to the worship service. This information is intended to acquaint you with the duties of ushers so that the church may enjoy consistent and organized ushering service. The following are the responsibilities of all ushers.

1. Ushers are scheduled to serve for a full calendar month. Upon notification that you have been scheduled, please arrange to be present for each service during the month when ushers are required. If you are unable to be present for any occasion, it would be greatly appreciated if you would get a replacement usher who is scheduled for a different month. If unable to obtain a substitute, it is very important that you provide as much notice as possible to the usher-in-charge.
2. Ushers for the 9:00 AM service are also responsible for UNLOCKING the building at 8:00 AM so that communion can be prepared and unlocking the school parking lot if it is locked. Ushers for the 11:00 AM Sunday morning services are to be in the narthex by 10:30 AM. Be in the narthex 30 minutes in advance of the starting time for any other services.
3. Put on a happy face. Smile and be friendly. Your job is structured; however, there is plenty of time available for you to be helpful and supportive of the congregation. You, as an usher, make a big impression on those in the pews. Do your best to make that a *good* impression.
4. Put on an usher pocket insert. This has proven to be valuable to church members in getting to know who is ushering.
5. Help keep the narthex clear for members and visitors to enter the sanctuary.
6. Advise visitors with small children of the availability of the nursery.
7. In seating those in attendance, remember the following:
 - Observe any reserved seats.
 - Do seat latecomers during the prelude and lighting of the candles. Do not seat anyone during the prayers or scripture/responsive readings. Notations will appear in the bulletin designating appropriate times for seating latecomers.
 - If you cannot spot vacant seats from the rear of the sanctuary, go forward to locate vacant seats and then return to usher the attendees.
 - Distribute as required 'large-print' hymnals and bulletins, which are kept in the narthex.
8. Record attendance in the book in the bureau in the narthex.
9. Ensure that any offering (e.g., Pennies for Hunger) and extra bulletins left in the narthex at the end of the service are delivered to the office.

Additional responsibilities for the 9:00 AM ushers and the 11:00 AM USHER-IN-CHARGE can be found in the church office and in a top drawer of the bureau in the narthex.

Flo Bivins (493-5977)

AUGUST

09:00 Lloyd Humphrey
Sarah Humphrey
11:00 Noell Tillett (in charge)
Lee Tillett
Ralph Gunderson
Mary Gunderson

SEPTEMBER

09:00 Al Thorn
11:00 Steve Yova (in charge)
Tom Carstens
Marie Grauerholz
Peggy Waters

OCTOBER

09:00 Don McIntire
Pat McIntire
11:00 John Faulkenbury (in charge)
Bruce Huffman
Dan Morgan
Kevin Sessoms

GREETERS

Greeters welcome both members and visitors. Encourage everyone to wear a nametag. Remember that you make the first impression for visitors about the warmth and spirit of Trinity Avenue. If you cannot serve on the date assigned, please switch with another person on the schedule.

Flo Bivins (493-5977)

AUGUST

01 Doors Bob & Mary Burger
Ramp Gloria Driver
08 Doors Mike & Pat Deering
Ramp Ryan & Melanie Deering
15 Doors Gary & Beverly Pellom
Ramp Leigh Pellom
22 Doors Judy Johnson & Julie Clodfelter
Ramp Jacksie Crossman
29 Doors Stan & Dot Colvin
Ramp Carol Rose

SEPTEMBER

05 Doors J.T. & Arla Moore
Ramp Margaret Gilbert
12 Doors Jeff & Kathy Reedy
Ramp Ted Reedy
19 Doors Dave & Judy Patton
Ramp Jack Crumpacker
26 Doors Rick & Suzanne Freeman
Ramp Yvonne Crumpacker

OCTOBER

03 Doors Tom Beavers & Beth Beavers
Ramp Crawford Eakle
10 Doors Bill & Elaine Ross
Ramp Jo Deckard
17 Doors Ralph & Mary Gunderson
Ramp Melanie Gunderson
24 Doors Phil & Connie Kearney
Ramp Jane Eakle
31 Doors Jim & Ruth Petrea
Ramp Dott Faulkenbury

NURSERY HELPERS DURING MORNING WORSHIP

Please arrive in the nursery room you are to work in no later than 10:35 AM. If a schedule conflict arises, trade with another person on the schedule and notify the Superintendent of this change. Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns. Many thanks for all your efforts in this important area of ministry!

—Carolyn Andrews (688-7857) and Daryn Berlin (471-5048)

Thanks to the outstanding efforts of our Children's Ministry Leader, Venetha Machock, and the addition of two hired child care providers, our Sunday volunteer needs have grown smaller. We will now request help in two classes per week rather than three. Please continue to sign up in an effort to provide our small children with a safe and educational environment each Sunday as you enjoy the worship service. Thank you.

-Daryn Berlin

INFANT NURSERY (ages 6 weeks to 14 months)

AUGUST

- 01 Kirsten Berlin
- 08 *Volunteer Needed*
- 15 *Volunteer Needed*
- 22 Leslie Lobaugh
- 29 Bill Breeze

SEPTEMBER

- 05 Marion Pierce
- 12 Bill Breeze
- 19 *Volunteer Needed*
- 26 Lisa Drummond

OCTOBER

- 03 Bill Breeze
- 10 Bill Breeze
- 17 Leslie Lobaugh
- 24 *Volunteer Needed*
- 31 *Volunteer Needed*

2s and 3s

AUGUST

- 01 *Volunteer Needed*
- 08 Jo Deckard
- 15 Carol Berman
- 22 *Volunteer Needed*
- 29 *Volunteer Needed*

SEPTEMBER

- 05 *Volunteer Needed*
- 12 Jon Inglefield
- 19 *Volunteer Needed*
- 26 *Volunteer Needed*

OCTOBER

- 03 *Volunteer Needed*
- 10 *Volunteer Needed*
- 17 *Volunteer Needed*
- 24 Carolyn Staffa
- 31 *Volunteer Needed*

SUNDAY MORNING OFFICE & ACCOUNTING

Totaling the gifts and offering received during worship service (both Sunday morning services and for special services) is a vitally important task. The person designated as "in charge" should take the offering plates to the church office immediately after the benediction. **Please do not leave the plates unattended in the sanctuary.** When totaling and recording the offering, remember:

- All checks not in numbered envelopes should have a pink record card filled out.
- Please write the amount of the contribution and the check number on the numbered envelopes in the upper right corner as a double check.
- Separate cash envelopes from check envelopes and put in "cash" or "check" clear plastic record envelope located in file drawer.
- Count all checks and cash at least twice.
- Thanks for all your help!

—Chris Perry, Treasurer (383-2222)

AUGUST

- 01 Len Stockburger (in charge)
Bill Breeze & Bobby Stockburger
- 08 Bill Ross (in charge)
Tom & Chris Berry
- 15 Joe Beavers (in charge)
Becky Bowden & Mark Ahrendsen
- 22 Chris Perry (in charge)
Noell Tillett & Suzanne Freeman
- 29 Bill Telford (in charge)
Chris Leach & Marie Grauerholz

SEPTEMBER

- 05 Bob Peake (in charge)
Joanne Franke & Esther Krigbaum
- 12 Bill Waddell (in charge)
Bill & Lisa Drummond
- 19 Al Thorn (in charge)
Tom Hadzor & Susan Ross
- 26 Ed Coman (in charge)
Kerry Draeger & Martha Sparks

OCTOBER

- 03 Jeff Reedy (in charge)
Peggy Waters & Daryn Berlin
- 10 Tom Beavers (in charge)
Betty Beavers & John Reeves
- 17 Jim Vander Weide (in charge)
Gail Vander Weide & Jim Petrea
- 24 Jim Elkins (in charge)
Paul & Marion Pierce
- 31 Len Stockburger (in charge)
Steve Edwards & Ralph Gunderson

BUILDING LOCKERS

If you need to change with someone, please call them directly. I have tried to assign your Sundays to match counting assignments, although this was not possible in every case.

Lockers are responsible for turning out all lights and securing the building on Sunday after the noon fellowship time. A security/lock up checklist is available in the church office. Thanks for your continued support.

—John Faullkenbury (477-4679)

AUGUST

- 01 Bobby Stockburger 471-9028
- 08 Virginia Barrett 489-5596
- 15 Yvonne Crumpacker 489-9460
- 22 Noell Tillet 383-4679
- 29 Marie Grauerholz 682-0758

SEPTEMBER

- 05 Leslie Lobaugh 493-4418
- 12 Carol Wilcox 493-1966
- 19 Al Thorn 489-7101
- 26 Al Joyner 471-8101

OCTOBER

- 03 Daryn Berlin 471-5048
- 10 John M. Reeves, II 490-0679
- 17 Jim Petrea 477-7634
- 24 Marion Pierce 528-1073
- 31 Betty Beavers 489-0178

ACOLYTES

Parents: Please read carefully the mailed schedule, and make note of the days on which your child is listed. If your child is unable to serve on their scheduled day, please make arrangements to switch with another acolyte and notify the parent-in-charge of the change.

Acolytes: You should be in the Sacristy by 10:35 AM and be robed and ready for duty by 10:40 AM. Please be mindful of your behavior while you are in the sanctuary; avoid distracting the ministers and choir. Following the service, please hang up your robes in the Sacristy, then return to the sanctuary to remove discarded bulletins from the pews, restore hymnals and pencils to the pew racks, and collect friendship pad attendance sheets for the church office. We appreciate all your terrific efforts!

—Judy Wooden (383-2860)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Children's Sunday School 1999/2000

Our Sunday School program is heading into a new century and we plan for it to be an exciting time for the children at Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church. We would like to share with you the basic themes your children will be studying this year in their Sunday School classes.

We plan to continue with the four room rotational program put into place by Doug James, introducing a new theme each month. We've had wonderful feedback on this program and the NEST series from parents, teachers and children alike. The only change we plan is for the Bible Games room. During this session, as well as theme related games, the children will do other church related activities pertaining to a topic other than the month's theme.

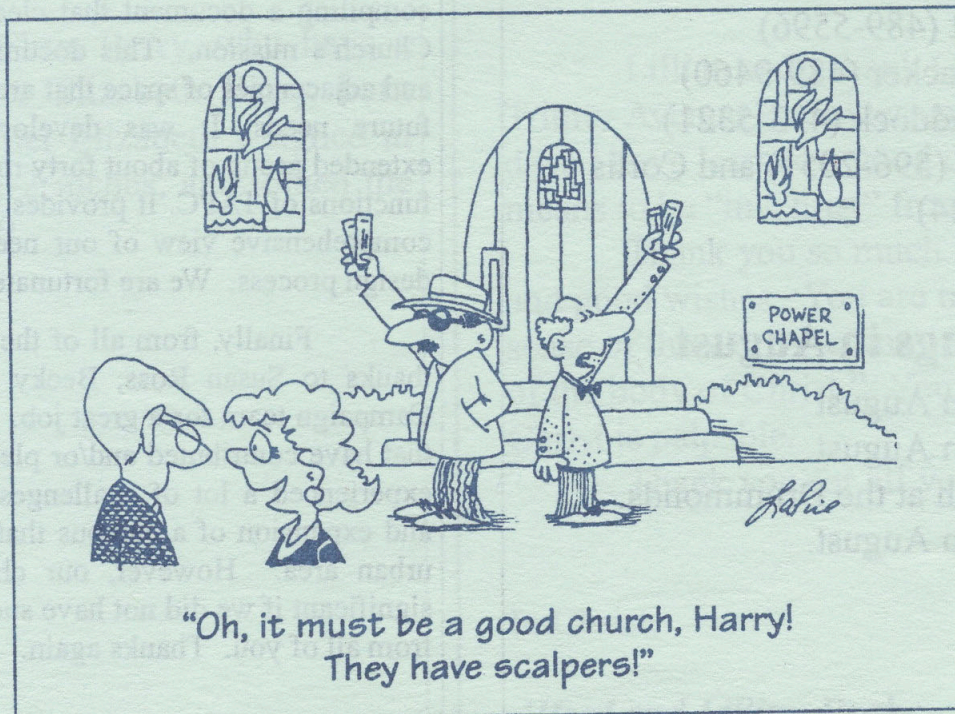
Following is a basic outline of subject topics for the new Sunday School year:

August	Abraham/Isaac
September	Daniel
October	Ruth
November	Elijah
December	Advent/Christmas
January	Jesus, Son of God
February	Bread from Heaven
March	Greatest is the Least
April	He is Risen/Easter
May	Kingdom of Heaven

The children will explore each of these topics creatively through Trinity Theatre, Creation Center, Video Vineyard, and Bible Games.

Children's Church will resume for first and second graders on August 29th. Children's Church will be held every Sunday except the first Sunday of each month there is communion.

- Venetha Machock, Children's Ministry



PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

I would like to cordially invite all women of Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church to attend a church circle group. Circles are small groups that gather regularly to provide an inclusive, caring community of women, study God's teachings through Bible study, and support the PW organization at Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

For 1999-2000, we will be studying: **The Psalms-Old Songs for a New Millennium** HORIZONS Bible study.

Some circles meet socially during the summer, but most will reconvene in September. Circles meet once per month for Bible study, project support, and some serve light refreshments. Circles meet either in homes or at the church, in the morning or evening. Some offer child care for each meeting. Upcoming *Out of the Heart* newsletters will provide specific locations and times. Feel free to call the Circle Moderators (listed below) for directions to that month's meeting.

New to the church? Not sure which circle to attend? If anyone has any questions about PW, please don't hesitate to call me. We look forward to seeing you.

Jo Deckard (471-4598)

Circles

Moderators

- Circle 1** - Virginia Barrett (489-5596)
- Circle 2** - Yvonne Crumpacker (489-9460)
- Circle of Faith** - Linda Braddock (493-5321)
- Circle 4** - Carol Van Hise (596-2051) and Corlis Wood (286-4024)

Circle Meetings in August

- Circle 1** - Will not meet in August
- Circle 2** - Will not meet in August.
- Circle of Faith** - August 7th at the Drummonds.
- Circle 4** - Will not meet in August.

NEWSLETTER INFO

Our next newsletter deadline will be Sunday, August 15th. Please have all your articles to the church office as soon as possible, but please, no later than the deadline.

CIRCLE OF FAITH

The Circle of Faith will meet at Lisa Drummond's house on Saturday, August 7 at 6:00 p.m. for a barbecue dinner. Everyone is asked to bring a side dish or a dessert. Please bring lawn chairs or a blanket for picnicking. Families are invited too for this special occasion. For more details call Linda Braddock at 493-5321 or Lisa Drummond at 477-9818. *Please RSVP by July 30th.*

BUILDING COMMITTEE UPDATE

Site plan development and functional requirement analysis have remained the major focal areas since my last update.

We have pulled back the original application to the NC Dept. of Environment, Health, and Natural Resources (NC DENHR) for our plans to enclose the creek and re-submitted a new one. This was done based on new regulations that went into effect on July 1 and eliminated us from the jurisdiction of the Neuse River regulations. The new application includes a plan to provide the required storm water management system for the newly created impervious services. We are in hopes that this plan will be accepted in the next few weeks and we can finalize the site plan.

We have also been required to submit preliminary plans to the NC Dept. of Cultural Resources to demonstrate that we plan to uphold the architectural and land use responsibilities of residing in an historic district.

Bill Waddell has completed an extraordinary effort in compiling a document that clearly defines the functions of our Church's mission. This document describes size, functionality, and adjacencies of space that are required to meet our current and future needs. It was developed through meetings with an extended group of about forty members that represent the various functions of TAPC. It provides the Architects with a much more comprehensive view of our needs and will greatly enhance the design process. We are fortunate to have the use of Bill's talents.

Finally, from all of the Building Committee, a gracious thanks to Susan Ross, Becky Bowden and all of the Capital Campaign team for a great job. We also wish to thank all of you that have contributed and/or pledged to this campaign. We have experienced a lot of challenges in preparing for the renovation and expansion of a campus that is located in a tightly restricted urban area. However, our challenges would be much more significant if we did not have such a strong financial commitment from all of you. Thanks again.

Jim Petrea

REACHING OUT TO OTHERS



Celebrations

(We would like to amend the following article to include that Jane and Travis Porter were present at the ceremony.)

Jane Beavers Hayes of Durham, and Harold B. Hayes of California, announce the marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Alison Hayes to Steven Todd Drumm on April 24 in Key West, Florida. Mrs. Dorothy Brock, a close friend of the family, also attended the ceremony.

Congratulations to Tom & Chris Berry, who have a new baby daughter, Chandler Elizabeth Berry, born May 5th at 6:27 a.m. Chandler Elizabeth weighed in at 8 lb. 1 oz., measured 20 1/2 inches, and joined the Berry family on July 12, 1999.

Prayers

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Maelee Barringer

Bill Bennett

Chris Berry's father (Ray DiNunzio)

Edith Bulkley

Etheline Cupp

Donovan Drake's mother & father

(Alfred & Lillian Drake)

Hazel Kayler

Leslie Lobaugh's father (Elmer Anderson)

Len Stockburger's mother

Rene' Wicker's aunt (Joyce Ellis) and

Rene's friend (Tony Debo)

Dottie Wilkinson

**and all our shut-ins*

If you know of someone in need of prayer, please contact the church office or the Congregational Care Committee's moderator, Yvonne Crumpacker at 489-9460.

If you need to add or remove someone from this list, please call the church office at 682-3865. We depend upon you to help us keep this list updated. Thank you.

Thank You

Lillian and I thank God for all the Saints of Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church. In recent days I have learned a good deal about what it means to be "in Christ" from you.

Thank you so much for your prayers, visits and good wishes. You are truly saints in every sense of the word—committed to the "building up of the body of Christ." Your ministry for Jesus Christ is palpable.

Thank you for all your expressions of love.

In Christ,

Alfred and Lillian Drake

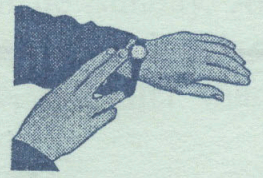


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RESPONSIBLE AUGUST 1 - AUGUST 31, 1999

INFANT NURSERY (6 wks. - 14 mos.)

- 01 Kirsten Berlin
- 08
- 15
- 22 Leslie Lobaugh
- 29 Bill Breeze

2S AND 3S

- 01
- 08 Jo Deckard
- 15 Carol Berman
- 22
- 29

9:00 AM COMMUNION

- 01 Hildur & Bob Blake
- 08 Carol & Chris Leach
- 15 Carol Kurtz
- 22 Pat & Don McIntire
- 29 Phyllis & Dan Cagle

USHERS

- 09:00 Lloyd Humphrey
Sarah Humphrey
- 11:00 Noel Tillett (in charge)
Lee Tillett
Ralph Gunderson
Mary Gunderson

GREETERS

- 01 Doors Bob & Mary Burger
Ramp Gloria Driver
- 08 Doors Mike & Pat Deering
Ramp Ryan & Melanie Deering
- 15 Doors Gary & Beverly Pellom
Ramp Leigh Pellom
- 22 Doors Judy Johnson & Julie Clodfelter
Ramp Jacksie Crossman
- 29 Doors Stan & Dot Colvin
Ramp Carol Rose

COUNTERS

- 01 Len Stockburger (in charge)
Bill Breeze & Bobby Stockburger

- 08 Bill Ross (in charge)
Tom & Chris Berry
- 15 Joe Beavers (in charge)
Becky Bowden & Mark Ahrendsen
- 22 Chris Perry (in charge)
Noell Tillett & Suzanne Freeman
- 29 Bill Telford (in charge)
Chris Leach & Marie Grauerholz

CLOSING

- 01 Bobby Stockburger 471-9028
- 08 Virginia Barrett 489-5596
- 15 Yvonne Crumpacker 489-9460
- 22 Noell Tillett 383-4679
- 29 Marie Grauerholz 682-0758

SANCTUARY GUILD

- Lisa Drummond 477-9818
- Ruth Petrea 477-7634

ACOLYTE PARENT IN CHARGE

- 01 Suzanne Freeman 383-9088
- 08 Joan Austin 683-8527
- 15 Susan Ross 383-0586
- 22 Margaret Reeves 490-0679
- 29 Nancy Carstens 382-1962

NAME

THE

MINISTRY

CONTEST

Name the Ministry- Contest Update

July 1999

TAPC members- thank you for your participation in the "Name the Ministry Contest" You have produced some truly creative names and attractive logos that represent this new ministry's theme. As I would have expected, this participation shows once again that TAPC members are willing to answer the call. Was that a dinner bell that I heard?

The Naming suggestions show TAPC members' high level of interest and creativity. Once more, I would like to call on TAPC members to assist in this process. This time, I ask for your help in picking the winning entry. The ministry names are listed in the table on the next page. The ID number for each of the logo entries is listed on the page with each logo. Please use the Voting Form below to submit your votes. The form has a space to enter the ID # for your choice for first, second, and third place for both Name and Logo entries. Please submit your voting form to the church office by Friday, August 6, 1999

The winning name should reflect the mission of the "Neighborhood Care" ministry. This multi-purposed ministry is designed to reach out to all of TAPC's members and provide them with an avenue of communication, care and fellowship. The ministry will foster for each family and individual within our congregation a small caring community of church members within our growing congregation. These small communities, or groups, will be geographically based and will consist of all the church's members. The groups will be relatively stable over time and small enough so that each member can come to know the others on a personal level. The following is a brief description of each of the ministry's goals.

- Communication- Through the small community groups, each member of the church will be connected to the church staff through a leadership chain. This chain will ensure church contact with ALL the congregation's members. This contact chain will provide an easy medium for members to share feedback with the church. It will also provide each member, especially new members, with an additional way to learn about church events (such as the Spring Retreat) and special services (such as the Love Feast). The chain will also serve to alert the church staff in times of need or family crisis.
- Care- The community groups will ensure that all church members will be cared for in times of personal or family need. These needs will be communicated to the church staff so that they can be appropriately cared for by the Pastor or Stephen's ministers. In addition, members of the group may assist with meals, emergency child care or with a visit.
- Fellowship- Community groups will have social gatherings to provide an opportunity for members of the congregation to share in Christian fellowship. Through social gatherings (twice per year is suggested), members will come to know one another on a personal level. This can also be a time of celebration when members can share in rejoicing. This fellowship will also facilitate new members' introduction and fulfillment in the church.

(Ralph Gunderson)