

The beautiful flowers in the chapel/sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in honor of Stewart William Hall's baptism today and in memory of Frances Faulstich, his maternal grandmother by Bill and Carolyn Faulkner.

If you wish to send cards/letters to Marty Pierson, his new address is as follows: Marty Pierson, c/o "Duke" Pierson, 7 Haywood Court, Newark, Delaware 19711.

On the frosty evening of Jan 25, 187 patrons at the Urban Ministries shelter supped on steaming tuna casserole prepared and served by Tom, Nancy, and Claire Carstens, Marie Grauerholz, and Suzy Ward. Carol Rose and Corlis Wood provided copious brownies. Please check the Outreach board to view Kodak moments of the event! Members of the Gunderson's Sunday school class will be handling the February meal. **Sincere thanks to all for your efforts in this ministry.**

Bible Breakfast Bunch (BBB) will finish reading & discussion of Kings on February 7 and begin a study of Luke and Acts on February 14. Celebrate Valentine's Day by joining us (9:30 for breakfast, 10:00 for study) to begin this study of the greatest love ever known. For more information call Victoria Herring (419-0395) or Mary Seeger (682-3865).

Circle of Faith will meet in the church parlor on Monday night, **February 12 @ 7:00pm.** We will study Lesson 6: Sacrifice-Abraham from the Horizons Bible Study book. A lite snack will be served and babysitting can be made available with notice. Visitors are always welcome for fellowship, food and Bible Study. Contact Jo Deckard at 471-4598.

FEBRUARY WEDNESDAY NIGHT LITE:

Wednesday, February 14—Valentine's Day Potluck, 5:30pm --Fun and games. No date required.

Wednesday, February 21—Dinner, 5:30pm, Ash Wednesday Service, 6:30pm—Begin the season of Lent with reflection and the sign of the cross.

PRIMETIMERS will meet on Thursday, February 15 at 11:00 in the fellowship hall. We want to have a warm welcome for Roberta Melton and the band members from the Durham School of the Arts. Please sign up by calling the church office (682-3865) or signing up in the pew pad on top page designating Primetimers. Lunch will follow the music program. A \$3.00 donation is appreciated. Come and bring a friend.

Friends of Habitat - Habitat for Humanity is holding a "Be our Valentine Reception" honoring "friends of Habitat" on **Friday February 16 from 6-7:30pm** at the NC Museum of Life and Science on Murray Ave. Everyone who contributed to the construction and furnishing of Monica's habitat home is invited to come and bring a guest. Please RSVP to Carol Rollins at 616-9925 or crollins@nc.rr.com by Monday Feb. 12th if you would like to attend.

Harvey Fund offering will be taken Sunday, February 18. This fund supports John Beran's work at Southern Christian College in the Philippines, Barbara Nagy in Malawi, Africa, the Carter family in Thailand and the Harveys, who are on leave here in Durham from their post in Singapore.

SOULFOOD—No soup for you this week! We will resume **Tuesday, February 20 at noon** in the Fellowship Hall. Soup provided. All are welcome.

Coming to a stage near you...**Friday, February 23, 8:00pm, Trinity Young Adult Fellowship** goes to an **Evening at the Improv!** The ArtsCenter, 300-G E. Main Street in Carrboro. Tickets are \$13. Visit <http://artscenterlive.org/> or call (919) 929-2787 for tickets. Call Mary Seeger to carpool; 682-3865

Sunday, February 25 at 4pm – We will hit the Road again for the Duke/Carolina Women's Basketball game. The game is at Duke, and we will meet at the church to carpool. Please contact Becky Nichols at 471-4482 by January 5 if you are interested. Come out and cheer on your favorite shade of blue!

February is...

EVOLUTION SUNDAY MONTH—A Special Sunday School Exploration Fellowship Hall, 9:45am

February 4—Who is God?--Mark Rutledge, guest speaker
Who is our creator? How does he act as creator? What is our theology of Creation?

February 11—Who is God? -Small Group Study
Group discussion and activity.

February 18—Who are we?--Mark Rutledge, guest speaker
Who are we as created beings? What does it mean for us to be created in the image of God?

February 25—Who are we?—Small Group Study
Group discussion and activity

NO FOOLIN' -- the Durham CROPWALK 2007 is on April Fools' Day! Your devoted CROPWALK woman, Amy Daniels, would really love some help with getting the word out this year. Please consider helping with bulletin announcements, a children's time, an announcement in church, passing out sponsor sheets, or collecting pledge envelopes and making deposits. Call (477-8182) or email (AS42488@aol.com) Amy to lend a hand. No job is too big when shared among friends!

CHURCH INFORMATION & WEEKLY CALENDAR

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Sunday February 11

- 9:00 am Communion/Chapel
- 9:45 am Sunday School Class
- 10:20 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 10:30 am Called Session Meeting
- 11:00 am Worship/Hall Baptism/Annual Meeting
- 12:00 pm Fellowship Time
- 4:00 pm Youth Choir rehearsal
- 5:00 pm Youth Fellowship (5-7:30pm)

Monday February 12

- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts
- 7:00 pm Circle of Faith
- 7:00 pm Congregation Care Ministry (parlor)

Tuesday February 13

- 11:00 am Theological Exploration Class

Wednesday February 14

- 9:30 am BBB (Bible Breakfast Bunch) & Mommy & Me Group
- 5:00 pm Chapel Choir rehearsal
- 5:30 pm Potluck (Love Night)
- 7:00 pm Session Meeting
- 7:15 pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

Thursday February 15

- 11:00 am Primetimers/Durham School of the Arts Band

Sunday February 18

Youth Sunday

- 9:00 am Communion/Chapel
- 9:45 am Sunday School Class
- 10:20 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 am Worship
- 4:00 pm Youth Choir rehearsal
- 5:00 pm Junior Troop #1153

TRINITY AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN

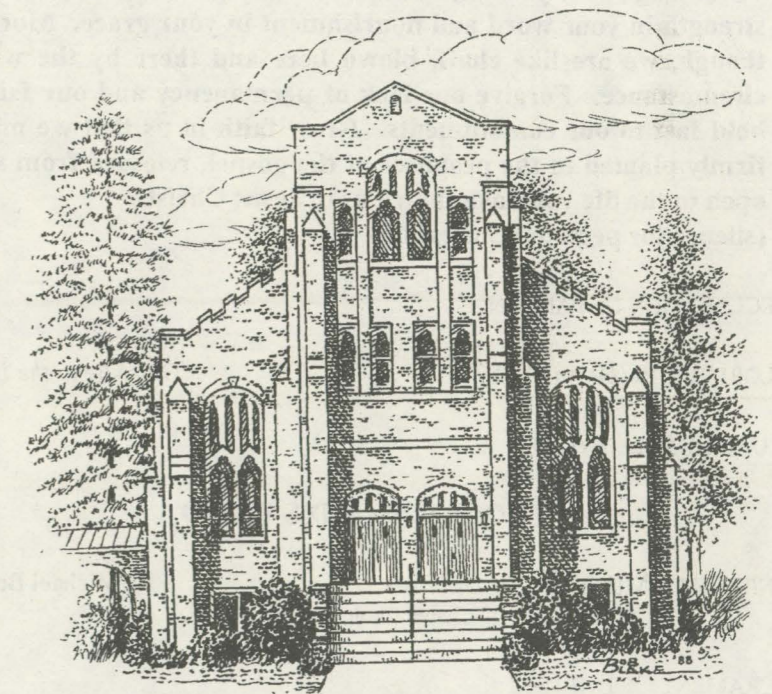
People called by Christ to TELL the good news

Trusting... In God's grace

Equipped... By the Holy Spirit

Living... In response to Christ's gifts and calling

*Loving... God and neighbor with all our heart,
mind and strength*



11:00 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

February 11, 2007

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Before the service, speak quietly to God.
During the service, listen as God speaks to you.
After the service, speak to one another in love.

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

PRAYER

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Blessed are those who trust in the Lord,
People: whose trust is the Lord,
Leader: They are like trees planted by streams of water,
People: that flourish even when the drought comes.

*HYMN #487 *When Morning Gilds the Skies* Laudes Domini

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Sustaining God, you would have us deeply rooted in you, finding strength in your word and nourishment in your grace. More often though, we are like chaff, blown here and there by the winds of circumstance. Forgive our lack of permanency and our failure to hold fast to our commitments. Grow faith in us that we might be firmly planted in the promises of the gospel, released from sin and open to the life you have shown us in Jesus Christ. (silence for personal confession)

*DECLARATION OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI (Hymnal #579) *Glory Be to the Father*

RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *Jubilate Deo* Michael Bedford
Chapel Choir

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

For Stewart William Hall, son of Anders and Joanna Hall. Maternal grandparents are Bill and Carolyn Faulkner of Charlotte, NC. Paternal grandfather is Ron Hall of San Antonio, TX. Anders and Joanna also have a daughter, Latham. Standing with the family as elder is Susan Ross.

BAPTISM HYMN *Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters*
Tune: Hymnal #422

Wash, O God, our sons and daughters, where your cleansing waters flow. Number them among your people; bless as Christ blessed long ago. Weave them garments bright and sparkling; compass them with love and light. Fill, anoint them; send your Spirit, holy dove and heart's delight.

**O how deep your holy wisdom! Unimagined, all your ways!
To your name be glory, honor! With our lives we worship, praise!
We your people stand before you, water washed and Spirit born.
By your grace, our lives we offer. Recreate us, God, transform!**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Jeff Johnston

PSALTER LESSON Psalm 1
The reading concludes with the following response: Pew Bible NT
Reader: The Word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *All That Hath Life and Breath* Rene Clausen
Chancel Choir

*All that hath life and breath praise ye the Lord, Shout to the Lord, Alleluia!
Praise the Lord with joyful song, Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving,
Alleluia, praise Him! All that hath life and breath sing to the Lord a new-made song,
Praise His name, alleluia. Unto thee, O Lord, have I made supplication,
And cried unto the rock of my salvation, But Thou hast heard my voice,
and renewed my weary spirit. All that hath life and breath praise Him!
Praise to the Lord the Almighty, the King of creation.
O my soul praise Him for He is thy health and salvation.
All that hath life and breath praise ye the Lord, Shout to the Lord, Alleluia!
Praise Him, Laud Him, Alleluia!*

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Corinthians 15:12-20
The reading concludes with the following response: Pew Bible NT
Reader: The Word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God

SERMON *Believe it or not!* Donovan Drake
Pastor

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Hymnal p.16) traditional

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Aria In Native Worth (from The Creation)* F. J. Haydn
Glenn Smith, soloist

(translation)
*With dignity and grandeur clad, With beauty, strength, and courage endowed,
Toward the heavens he arises, he stands, a human, a man and King of all nature.
The broad raised arch of the forehead proclaims profound Wisdom.
And in his eyes brightly shines the soul, the breath and image of the Creator.
Upon his breast she inclines, For him, from him sculpted a loving and graceful wife.
She displays a charming image of Spring, To him: Love, Prosperity and much Bliss.*

*THE DOXOLOGY *Lasst Uns Erfreuen*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father,
Son and Holy Ghost. O, praise him! O, praise him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.**

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN #107 *Celebrate with Joy and Singing* Tune: Hymn To Joy
Hymnal #104

*BLESSING

*CHORAL BENEDICTION *The Peace of God* David Willcocks
Chancel Choir

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

ANNUAL MEETING

TO OUR WORSHIPPERS AND VISITORS

We rejoice that you are worshiping with us today. Please take a moment to tell us who you are by signing the friendship pad in your pew. If you are visiting, please take a *Visitor Welcome Bag* in the narthex or from the Volunterrific Table.

Assisted Listening Systems and large print bulletins are available from usher.

Today the congregation will hold its **annual meeting** to hear exciting news about TAPC, to elect church officers, review the church budget, and change the terms of the pastor's call.

The Nominating Committee will present the following for vote during our TAPC annual congregation meeting today:

1. Elders and deacons for the Class of 2010 (see insert in today's bulletin for the nominee biographies).

Deacon: Brent Blaylock, Kelly Warnock, Jo Deckard, Louise Noel, Bill Wicker, Bert Wolf, Marian Wright; **Elder:** Judi Bishop, Deirdre Gordon, Philip W. Hutchings III, Arthur Rogers, Carol Shepard, John Stelling, Len Stockburger.

2. Representatives on Nominating Committee to fill the seats held by Jim Elkins and Greg Dale, who have completed their terms on the committee: Joe Beavers, Elder-at-Large not currently serving on the Session; Marie Grauerholz, Diaconate Rep. Nominating Committee Members continuing to serve are: Mary Z. Martin, Chair & Session Rep; Dana Hearnberger, Young Adult Rep; Nelda LaBorde, Older Adult Rep; Michele Maxwell, Sunday School Rep; Judy May, PW Rep.

Calling all Pledge Cards! Please help us set the budget by sending in your pledge cards.

Prayer needs this week include:

Harriet Barr, Flo Bivins, Edith Bulkley, Etheline Cupp, Marion Edgerton, Margaret Gilbert, Mayme Hampton, Lloyd Humphrey, Lista Kryscio, Rick Musolino, Marty Pierson, Dukie Sloan, Linda Ross-Thaxton, Marvin Waters and Carol Withers.

Friends & Relatives:

Tom Berry's mother (Louise Berry), Greg Cates' friend (Jim Montoya), Kathy Cates' friend (Diane Heffner), Lauren Cates' friend (Larry Husketh, Jr.), Julia Dobson's friends (Betsy Fenton, Sara Wheeler and Elizabeth Munsey), Sandy Freeman's brother-in-law (Tom Grice), Tami Frenduto's mother (Dot Anderson) and Frank and Tami's friend (Kay Gunter), Mary Gunderson's father (Oscar Corbett), Joanna Hall's father (Bill Faulkner), Anne Hayes' father (James Hayes), Anne Horner's cousin (Priscilla Wilson) and friend (Annette Linson), Helen Idol's brother (Hal Bowden), Nelda Laborde's nephew (Jeff Davidson), Wendy Livingston's friends (Lizzie Schreyer, Jerry Alderman and Kathryn Block), Julia Portwood-Mallory's father-in-law & Sarah Morrison's grandfather (Neal Mallory), Judy May's mother (Olean Parks), Teresa Robert's mother (Jeanne Roberts), Elaine Ross' mother (Oletta Sluder), Len & Janet Stockburger's son-in-law (Gary Means), Kim Tupper's grandmother (Ann Lucas), Rene Wicker's grandmother (Vivian McFadyen) and her cousin's son (Hunter Feltman), Alphonso Williams (Program Director for Housing for New Hope) and Dr. Robert Yowell's sister (Betty Anne Ellington).

If you would like to add or remove a name from this list, or if you desire to add specific information about a loved one's prayer needs, please call the Church Office at 682-3865. We depend upon you to help us keep this list updated.

Our heartfelt condolences go out to the family of Arla Moore of Burlington, NC who passed away last week. Arla was a former member of our church.