

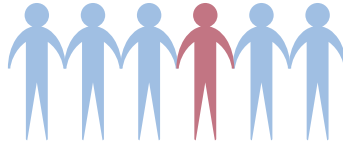
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Connecting...

Dr. Jeff Roberts, Senior Pastor
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What do you find the most confusing about our world? Is it the sudden drop in the stock market that we experienced last week? Can it be possible for a market to almost crash from a computer glitch? Maybe the steady news of natural disaster has you confused. Still others of us are confused by more personal issues such as marriage, parenting, work and faith. This summer we will be studying 1 and 2 Thessalonians as we attempt to discover how to live faithfully in confusing times.

Beginning on June 2nd in room A214 Robin and I will be leading our Summer Wednesday Night Bible Study. We will be using the book "Sessions with Thessalonians: Being Faithful in a Confusing World" by Rickey Letson to guide our thinking and reflection. I want to encourage you to be a part of this study. It is a great opportunity to do Bible study with your spouse and with others of different generations in the church. The setting will be informal and the format will promote discussion as well as a time of short application by me or Robin. To sign up for our class either sign up on the Narthex registration wall or call or e-mail my assistant Liz Adams at ladams@tbcraleigh.com. Also, please let us know if you will need any child care during our sessions.

Our sessions will be:

- Live Caring for Others-Encouragement
- Live with Integrity-Behavior
- Live Despite Hardship-Persecution
- Live the Faith-Evangelism
- Live Optimistically- Hope
- Live With Question Marks-Mystery
- Live Ready-Alertness
- Live Skeptically-Investigation
- Live Actively- Work
- Live as Family-Discipline

This Sunday At Trinity

New Mexico Mission Trip BAPTISM

- 8:30 am Extended Teaching Care
8:45 Worship @ 8:45 (Sanctuary)
9:30 Welcome Center Opens
in Narthex
Adult 1 Fellowship (FH)
9:45 Sunday School: Bible Study for
All Ages
10:45 Raleigh Arabic Baptist Worship
(Chapel)
10:55 Worship @ 10:55 (Sanctuary)
Extended Teaching Care
(Birth to Age 4)
4:00 pm FirstLight Choir Rehearsal
(Sanctuary)
Middle School Worship Band
4:30 Passport Kid's Meeting (E247)
5:00 High School Choir
Music Makers Choir Concert
6:00 Children's Musical



Attention all College Graduates

Please contact the church office by May 28 with your graduation information if you graduated this past December or will be graduating in the coming days this spring. Please include name of the graduate, school and the degree earned so that you can be recognized on the Graduation Recognition Service on June 6.



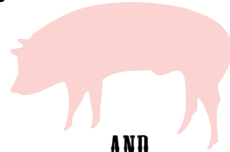
American Red Cross

TBC Red Cross Blood Drive

Thurs., May 13 • 2:30-7:00pm
Fellowship Hall

To Register go to <http://burnette.us/rc/>
Password is "tbc"
Or Call Church Office:
787-3740 (RaNada)

COOPER'S BARBECUE



AND "MISSION CONNECT"

Wednesday, May 26th

5:00 - 6:15 pm • Dinner • ROC

6:15 - 7:30 pm • Missions Fair
ROC and Children's Building

Tickets On Sale Now!!!

\$6.00 per person
(adult & child alike –
this is a discounted price already)

Tickets are on sale before and after Sunday School in the Narthex area. You may also purchase tickets in the office and on Wednesday nights in the Fellowship Hall.

Deacon of the Week:
Rhonda Davis

Rhonda Davis has been a member of Trinity since 2003 and is a native of Goldsboro. She and her husband, Cecil, have two children, Austin and Brett. Rhonda is a retired teacher with Wake County Public Schools. She serves on the WIHN Lead Team, Women's Bible Study, New Covenant Ensemble, Adult Choir, Weekly Volunteer at NR Ministries and Weekday Preschool. Rhonda works with the Adult 3 Coed 6 SS class. She also works with deacons Mike Tucker, Elease Buffalo, Jenny Wilson and Cheryl Fogleman.



Congratulations To

Kay Drogos on the birth of her first Granddaughter, Berkley Elizabeth McEwen, born on May 3rd to Tony and Jordan McEwin of Wilmington, NC.

Our Deepest Sympathies To

Bill and Jennifer McFarling and Family in the death of Bill's father, Bob McFarling, of Tennessee on April 14.

Lea and Robert Teem for the loss of Lea's father, Woodrow Burke, May 3rd.

Elaine Varner for the loss of her sister, Virginia Wilson, on May 2nd.

Beverly Slagle for the loss of her husband, Bob Slagle, on May 6th.

Joe Teague upon the passing of Joe's mother Grace Teague on Thursday, May 6th.

Baron and Ellen Hignite upon the passing of Baron's mother, Carol Eubank Hignite, on Saturday, May 8th.



Fellowship Dinner

Last One

Wednesday - May 19

Hot Dogs

2 Sides & Dessert

Children: Same

Please make or cancel reservations by using a card found in the Narthex; by calling the Church Office at 787-3740 by 4:00 pm Monday or e-mail Nan at nanh@tbcraleigh.com. State how many Senior Adults (\$3), Adults (\$4), and Children (\$2) plates you need to reserve each week.

North Raleigh Ministries Food Pantry Needs

This Week:

- Cereal • Cleaning Supplies
- Canned Pasta (we are completely out)

Church Work Day

Saturday, May 22 • 8:00am - 1:00pm

We need everyone's help to beautify our church campus.

Please sign up in your SS class or at the registration center in Narthex.

"Is Trinity 4 U?" Class

For Those Seeking A Church Home

Sunday, May 23

9:45am • Parlor

Welcome to Trinity

Jean West join us by letter from Forest Hills Baptist Church. Their new member deacon is Joyce Lindsey.

Seniors & Not Yet Seniors...

Dorothy Petty, Coordinator

Learn How to Prevent a Stroke and other major health situations with **Life Line Screening**

Saturday, June 12

Screenings will be offered to determine potential for stroke, vascular disease, potential heart attack, and osteoporosis. See the bright pink flyers throughout the building that describe this event.

Registration Required
1-800-324-1851

Radio and TV Tour Dinner • Capt. Stanley's

Tuesday, June 8
Cost: Price of dinner

Leave church at 3:30 p.m.; return about 7:00 p.m. Sign up outside Room A214 or Room B236 by May 30. Van space for 30 people.

Jazz and Pizzazz!

By the Tar River Swing Band

**Saturday, May 22 in Wilson
Dinner at Parker's BBQ**

Concert ticket is \$12

Leave church at 4:00
Return about 10:30

Sign up outside Room A214 or Room B236, or Call Jim Fields at 518-2727 by May 18

You've Been Married-- How Long?

The Senior Adult Committee wants to recognize Trinity couples who have been married 50 years or longer. If you are one of these couples and not in a Sunday School class, please call the church office and record your number of years. On June 13, we'll have lunch (\$10 per couple) and a celebration program.

Let's Go To Memphis *See Elvis and Other Sights*

October 11-16 • Cost: \$790
Check out details on the flyer

Sign up outside Room A214 or Room B236 by June 1. \$200 deposit due at sign up. Final payment is due September 1. Optional travel insurance cost is \$71. Make trip checks payable to TBC: Make insurance checks payable to AAA. Give both checks to Dorothy, or place them in the payment box in the SS office (near the elevator). (NOTE: Refunds allowed two weeks before departure.)

Attention New York Travelers

To guarantee orchestra seats for the Christmas Spectacular at Radio City Music Hall, your \$200 deposit is required when you sign-up. Deadline for signing is July 1.

For trip details, see sign-up sheet and flyer on tables outside Rooms A214 and B236.

New Mexico Mission Partnership



Our mission partnership with New Mexico Baptists will enter its second year next week. An 8 member TBC mission team will fly to Albuquerque and drive into the mountains to Inlow Baptist Camp, which two years ago was nearly overcome by a forest fire that miraculously spared the camp. Even though the buildings were not burned, the camp was unable to open for the summer,



Ron and Sandy Samp with their 4 boys

crippling their ability to do repairs to the camp since their only income is what they bring in from campers. The New Mexico Baptist convention does not provide financial support to the camp.

Former NC Baptists leaders Nancy Curtis and Sara Ann Hobbs, now living in NM and friends of the camp, asked for assistance from the Baptist State Convention of NC.

TBC responded to the call. This year's team will continue to renovate a large log lodge that was built as a home over a hundred years ago by the original settlers on the property. The lodge has not been used since the property was purchased to develop the camp. Last year, our team worked on the second floor building a conference room, director's office, secretary's office, break room and bathroom.

This year's team will finish up work on the second floor and staircase, and Joy Earp will be making and installing curtains for the windows. They will also begin work on the first floor which will be a welcome area, another office, kitchen and bathroom.

Please be in prayer for the team as they travel, work, and encourage Ron and Sandy Samp, the camp directors who live on the property with their 4 boys. This family has endured a very hard winter at the camp, and have been working overtime to get cleaned up for the beginning of summer camp in just a few weeks. They are the only employees. Our team will be a welcomed boost to working hands and morale.

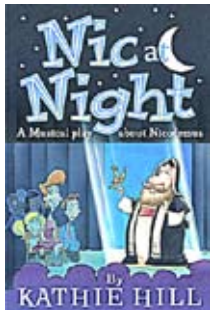
Trinity 2010 New Mexico Mission Team members: George Mathis (Team Leader), David Earp, Larry Autry, Joy Earp, Mike Bowersox, Dorothy Petty, John Donofrio, Jr. and Stephanie Treadway

The Shaw Missions Fund is providing all the building materials for this mission. Please consider making a donation to the Fund over and above your tithe offering. Thanks!

Music Ministry

Rev. Steve Byers, slbyers@tbcraleigh.com

Special thanks to Clair Green and the Trinity Adult Choir for their worship leadership this past Sunday as we celebrated Mother's Day together. I'm very grateful for the blessings God has given us at Trinity in the forms of talented people and willing servants who make worship a top priority in their weekly schedules.



Music Makers Concert
May 16, 2010
6:00 pm
Sanctuary

Just another reminder for parents, our Children's Choirs continue through May 26. This is our Coopers BBQ and Missions Fair, and our choirs will be singing as a part of the night. Please keep your children plugged-in even though their choirs have presented their music in worship and in concert. You will need to purchase tickets for your family for the BBQ meal that night, so get them while you can!

High School Student Choir Concert

May 23, 6:00 pm • Sanctuary

Come and join us as we hear our very talented high school students present a wide arrangement of songs for worship. They are planning to go on the road in June to Perry County, Alabama, where they will do music and missions work with the local community. Pray for them as they begin preparing their team ministries for the week of June 18-26.

Music Calendar

Musicians, please check the dates for worship and rehearsals below, as some events have changed....

May 13

Music Makers Pizza and Rehearsal
(5:30 pm)

May 16

Instrumental Ensemble
(Both Morning Services)

Music Makers Choir Concert
(6:00 pm)

May 17

Trinity Laymen at Gabfest
(7:00 pm)

May 19

PrimeTimers Concert
(6:30 pm)

No Instrumental Ensemble Rehearsal

May 20

High School Pizza and Rehearsal
(5:30 pm)

May 23

High School Choir Concert
(6:00 pm)

May 26

No Instrumental Ensemble Rehearsal

BBQ and Missions Fair
Children's Choirs Sing

May 30

No Evening Activities or Rehearsals

June 6

Graduate Sunday
(10:55 am Service)

High School Choir Sings
(10:30 am Rehearsal)

Living Praise, New Covenant Concert
(6:00 pm)

Time is a precious commodity. However, unlike other precious commodities of life, everyone has the same amount each day. We are all given 24 hours, 1440 minutes, or 86,400 seconds daily. Not a second more or second less. How we go about using the time we have makes an impact on the person we become.

I recently read an article in YouthWorker Journal that gave the results of a recent survey done by the Kaiser Family Foundation. The study surveyed the amount of time children ages 8-18 spent connected with some form of media in a typical week. It reported that students spend nearly 53 hours a week watching television, listening to music, surfing the internet, playing video

games, etc. This does not even include the time spent texting or talking on the phone. The study broke down the daily practices to nearly 5 hours of television, 2.5 hours of music, 3 hours of internet/video games, and 1.5 hours of texting. (Obviously, students are able to multi-task in using these mediums.)

So what are we to do? Media inherently is not bad or evil. It has a neutral value. As Christians, we must better manage our time and our priorities. No matter how much we don't want to say it or believe it, when we say "yes" to one thing, we are saying "no" to something else. We are placing a higher value on the things we say "yes" to over the things we say "no" to. I need to reevaluate the way I spend my time. Do you?

Emerald Pointe End of School Celebration

Saturday, June 12
9:00am - 5:30pm

Cost: \$25
Registration Deadline: Sunday, June 6

Let's celebrate the end of the school year with a day in the sun! Registration brochures are now available for you to register. The deadline for registration is Sunday, June 6. The fee includes park entrance fee and all-you-can-eat lunch.

Graduating Seniors...

Don't forget to do the following:

- Turn in Nicolas Clausen Scholarship application by Sunday, May 16.
- Turn in pictures for the Senior Video and graduation information by Sunday, May 16.
- RSVP for Senior Breakfast and Senior Retreat ASAP!

Registration and Deposit Deadline:
This Sunday, May 16

2011 High School Summer Mission Trip Cuzco, Peru

Underclassmen
(current 8th-9th grade) • June 11-20

Upperclassmen
(current 10th-11th grade) • June 18-27

Approximate Cost: \$1,200
Please turn in your registration and
\$100 deposit by THIS SUNDAY.

High School Mission Tour Perry County, Alabama

Preparation Studies
(required for all participants)

Thursdays - May 13, 27, June 10
7:00-8:30 • Underground

Childhood Education

Rev. Karen Metcalf, kmetcalf@tbcraleigh.com

Mission Connect

Coming May 26

Supper
5:00 in the ROC

Children's Choirs Sing
6:15 pm

Mission Fair
6:30 pm

Mark the Date!

Children's Summer Dates

May 16
Music Makers Musical • 6:00pm

May 18
Team Planning for VBS Workers
6:30pm

May 26
Mission Connect • 5:00pm

May 27
Weekday Preschool Graduation

June 2
VBS Planning (Supplies) • 6:30pm

June 13-17
Saddle Ridge Ranch VBS • Evenings

June 29-July 2
Passportkids Camp

August 18
Mission Training Event • 6:15pm

August 25
Wed. Evening Activities Resume

August 29
Advancement Day

**The wagons are circling,
the campfires are getting set.
Join in the fun for the best VBS yet!**



June 13-17, 2010 • Evenings

For children Age 4 (by August 31, 2009)
through adult.

Children younger than age 4 may attend and
participate if their parents work in VBS or attend
the adult VBS.

Adult VBS opportunity to discuss answers to
many of life's troubling questions.

Serve in VBS. Contact Karen or Melanie, today.

Thoughts for Parents...

Mornings and Getting Dressed



Morning routines can set the tone for the rest of the day-- not only for your preschooler, but for the entire family. With a little advanced planning, you can help to get things started off on the right note. You will avoid a lot of last minute scrambling to be ready on time. Mastering morning mayhem requires a schedule with ample time for your preschooler to wake up, get dressed, and have breakfast. He will be more agreeable if he feels a part of the routine, so give him some responsibilities. To be on the safe side, build in some extra time as a cushion.

Preschool Summer Day Camp

Camp meets daily 9:00am - 1:00pm.

Ages: Rising 2s, 3s, 4s, and 5s
(Must be 2 by August 31, 2009)

Schedule

June 21 - 25 • June 28 - July 2
July 12 - 16 • July 19 - 23

Contact Maria Bogue (782-6192)

Missing Pagers

We are missing pagers 20 & 62 in the preschool area. If you find one of the missing pagers, please return to Melanie Ward.

ETC Available for Sunday Evening Programs

Extended teaching care is available for preschoolers ages (birth - 4s) in room 125 on Sunday evenings.

Sunday School Teachers

As the summer months approach and family vacations are being planned, please remember that it is your responsibility to find substitutes for your Sunday school class. Thank you for making sure that your classroom is taken care of.

Reminders for Parents of babies

- Please label all items belonging to your child. (diaper bags, bottles, extra clothing).
- Formula, mother's milk, or other bottles sent from home should be fully prepared, dated and labeled for your child.
- Please stock the diaper bag with an ample supply of diapers for your child.
- Please have adequate changes of clothing for your child.
- Please remember that your child should only be released to his/her significant adult who has the appropriate security tag or pager.

Children should only be released to an adult.

ROC Hours

Monday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm • 3:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Tuesday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm • 3:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Wednesday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

(7:30 pm - 9:00 pm for church members and their invited guests)

Thursday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm • 3:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Friday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

(Gym floor closes at 11:45 am)

Saturday

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

ROC Closings

The gym floor will be closed
Tuesday, May 25th after 2pm through
Thursday, May 27th until 2pm
for the TBC Missions Fair.

Recreation Activities

M, W, F • 8:00-9:00 am

Cardio Aerobics (Gym)

M, T, W, TH, F • 10:00-11:30 am

Weekday Preschool (Gym)

T, Th • 9:00-10:00 am

Dance-it Group Fitness Class (Gym)

Monday • 6:00-9:00 pm

Women's Basketball League

Tuesday • 9:00-9:30 am

Senior Bend and Stretch Class (MP)

Tuesday • 6:00-9:00 pm

Volleyball

Tuesday

1st & 3rd Tuesdays each month

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Thursday • 1:00-4:00 pm

Cards & Games Fellowship (A-214)

Last chance to sign up. Call or email Rev. Spencer Good by May 12.

ROC'n Golf Tournament

Benefitting The Shaw Mission Fund
(Formerly the Shaw Mission Golf Tournament)

Friday, May 14th • 1:30 pm



Sign up now for the ROC'n Golf Tournament May 14th at River Ridge Golf Club with a shotgun start at 1:30pm with proceeds above cost of event going to our local mission fund called the Shaw Mission Fund.

You can get the registration form on the ROC website. Hole Sponsorships are also available at the ROC website or contact Rev. Spencer Good at sgood@rocraleigh.com.

We have all 18 Holes Sponsored. We have 11 teams registered and looking to have at least 18 teams. Come join us to play golf and fellowship while raising money for TBC missions!

ROC Volunteers

Monday, May 17

8am-11am Charlie & Dottie DeFrancis
 11am-2pm Lynda Davis, Pat Pierce
 3pm-6pm Howard Chestnutt
 6pm-9pm Bill Shelton

Tuesday, May 18

8am-11am Leland Cottle
 11am-2pm Laury Holley
 3pm-6pm David Looper
 6pm-9pm Jimmy & Charlene Cooke

Wednesday, May 19

8am-11am Carl & Mona Cross
 11am-2pm Ernest & Ann Tilley
 7:45-9pm Terry Rogers

Thursday, May 20

8am-11am Charlotte Edwards,
 Beverly Munday
 11am-2pm Cari Waldick
 3pm-6pm Pat Richardson
 6pm-9pm John & Cheryl Fogleman

Friday, May 21

8am-11am Johnny Teal
 11am-2pm Pat Altman, Alice Mathis

Saturday, May 22

9am-12n Michaela Johnson-Tena

Please consider volunteering and helping us reach the community for Christ through the Recreation Outreach Center. Open slots: 1st Saturday 9am-Noon, 2nd Wednesday 8am-11am.

Raleigh Parks and Recreation

2010 Adult Softball

Thurs., 5/13 • Millbrook Field 1

6:30pm: Trinity Blue vs. Soapstone Snappers

Thurs., 5/13 • Cedar Hills

6:30pm: St. Francis vs. Trinity Gray

Tues., 5/18 • Millbrook Field 1

7:30pm: Temple vs. Trinity Red

8:30pm: Providence Blue vs. Trinity Blue

In case of inclement weather go to <http://parks.raleighnc.gov> or call 831-6575

ROC Calendar

ROC'n Golf Tournament

formerly Shaw Mission Golf Tournament
May 14

Grade School Summer Camp

July 6-9, 12-16, 19-23, 26-30

Girls' Upward Basketball Camp

July 19-23

Boys' Upward Basketball Camp

August 2-6

Summer Splash

August 25

North Hills 5k

September 11

Fall Fest

October 30

Summer Camp Info

July 6-9

Summer Day Camp Week 1 (*4 slots left*)
Grade School • \$115 total / \$50 deposit

July 12-16 (*7 slots left*)

Summer Day Camp Week 2
Grade School • \$150 total / \$50 deposit

July 19-23 (*7 slots left*)

Summer Day Camp Week 3
Grade School • \$150 total / \$50 deposit

July 19-23

Upward Girls' Basketball Camp
1-5pm • 1st-5th graders • \$60

July 26-30 (*FULL*)

Summer Day Camp Week 4
Grade School • \$150 total / \$50 deposit

Aug. 2-6 (*8 slots left*)

Upward Guys' Basketball Camp
8:30am-12:30pm • 1st-5th graders • \$60

Extended Teaching Care Workers

Wednesday, May 12

Bed Babies Penny Cobb, Vickie Norton
 Toddlers Carol Donofrio, Jennifer Milak
 Two's Ann Meyen, Terri Kinsey

Sunday, May 16

Hostess: Bonnie Walston
 Asst. Hostess: Bentley Williams

8:45 am Worship Service

PJ Ginocchio, Herb & Liz Land, Leah & Danielle Smith, Sheila Baldwin, Donna Byrd

10:55 am Worship Service

0-4 mos Angela Strickland, Star Davis
 5-10 mos Kim Beckett
 11-14 mos Laury Holley
 15-19 mos Lisa Donofrio, Rhonda Gubbins
 20-24 mos John Donofrio
 2 yrs Stephanie Barrier, Sara Davis, Jeff or Jen Hall
 3 yrs Ashley Hinkleman, Jerry Strickland, Jada Coleman
 4 yrs Mike O'Mara, Justin Coleman

Vision for Growth May 9, 2010

Growing through Bible Study...

Sunday School	Members Present	New Members	Total 747 Visitors
Adults	463	0	22
Student	114	0	3
Children	75	0	1
Preschool	67	0	2
Totals	719	0	28

Growing through Worship...

8:45am Worship Attendance	321
10:55am Worship Attendance	756
Total Worship Attendance	1,077

Growing through Stewardship...

(YTD totals through 04/30/10)

YTD General	
Fund Needs (Budget)	\$788,494.00
YTD Operating Receipts	\$783,724.75
YTD Operating Expenses	\$687,298.41

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 Noon Fridays to: info@tbcraleigh.com.

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