

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

MARCH 12, 2006

Bethabara Moravian Church believes because of the love of Jesus Christ revealed in us, that Jesus is "the way, and the truth, and the life and no one comes to the Father but by (him)." John 14:6

Bethabara Moravian Church leads people to an active relationship with Jesus Christ by providing a path of worship, prayer, and knowledge of God's Word through our Moravian heritage and Christian fellowship.



Remembering the past, envisioning the future.

Watchword for the Week

God says, "I will establish my covenant between me and you, and your offspring after you throughout their generations."

GENESIS 17:7

Y estableceré mi pacto entre mí y ti, y tu descendencia después de ti en sus generaciones, por pacto perpetuo, para ser tu Dios, y el de tu descendencia después de ti.

SCRIPTURE FOCAL PASSAGE

Romans 4:13-17

13 The promise to Abraham and his descendants, that they should inherit the world, did not come through the law but through the righteousness of faith. 14 If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. 15 For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law there is no transgression. 16 That is why it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants - not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham, for he is the father of us all, 17 as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations" - in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

Porque no por la ley fue dada a Abraham o a su descendencia la promesa de que sería heredero del mundo, sino por la justicia de la fe. 14 Porque si los que son de la ley son los herederos, vana resulta la fe, y anulada la promesa. 15 Pues la ley produce ira; pero donde no hay ley, tampoco hay transgresión. 16 Por tanto, es por fe, para que sea por gracia, a fin de que la promesa sea firme para toda su descendencia; no solamente para la que es de la ley, sino también para la que es de la fe de Abraham, el cual es padre de todos nosotros 17 (como está escrito: Te he puesto por padre de muchas gentes) delante de Dios, a quien creyó, el cual da vida a los muertos, y llama las cosas que no son, como si fuesen.

The flowers placed in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in memory of Robert Yokely by Marion Yokely

TODAY AT BETHABARA

9:45 a.m. ➤ *Sunday school*
 11 a.m. ➤ *Worship service*

1:30 p.m. ➤ *Bethabara Ringers*
 3 p.m. ➤ *Harmony Ringers*
 5 p.m. ➤ *God's Gang*

Happening this week: Remember, check the bulletin board

Mon. 13	12 noon	<i>A.A. Social Room</i>
	7 p.m.	<i>Church Board meeting Social Room</i>
Tues. 14	7 p.m.	<i>College Age Fellowship Panera Bread</i>
Wed. 15	<i>Day of Prayer Ardmore Rev. Thigpen</i>	9:45 a.m. – <i>Coffee Hour</i> 10:45 a.m. – <i>Music</i> 11 a.m. – <i>Worship service</i>
	5:45 p.m.	<i>Wednesday Fellowship Dinner</i>
	6:30 p.m.	➤ <i>Bible Study/Prayer Time</i> ➤ <i>ESL & Conversational Spanish classes</i> ➤ <i>Children's Choir practice</i>
	7:05 p.m.	<i>Youth Activities</i>
	7:15 p.m.	<i>Adult Choir practice</i>
Thurs. 16	12 noon	<i>A. A. Social Room</i>
	2 p.m.	<i>Pastor's Class Social Room</i>
	7 p.m.	<i>Organ Commission meeting</i>
Fri. 17	8 p.m.	<i>A.A. Social Room</i>
Sat. 18	8:30 a.m.	<i>Men's Fellowship Breakfast (date change)</i>
	6 p.m.	<i>Scrapbook/Craft Night</i>

<i>Looking ahead for the month of March:</i>	
22	12 noon Senior Friends meeting
22 <i>Day of Prayer</i>	CALVARY MORAVIAN (The Rt. Rev. Wayne Burkette, Speaker) 9:45am Coffee Hour – 10:45am Music/Meditation – 11am Worship
19	Soup & Salad Fundraising Lunch sponsored by Women's Fellowship. Sign up located on the Vestibule table.
25	9:30 a.m. Synod delegates to attend a planning meeting (Home)
26	2:30 p.m. Women's Fellowship Quarterly Meeting ALL ladies in the congregation are encouraged to attend!
29 <i>Day of Prayer</i>	FAIRVIEW MORAVIAN (The Rev. Riddick Weber, Speaker) 10:45am Music – 11am Worship/Communion – 12N Luncheon
April 5 <i>Day of Prayer</i>	KONNOAK HILLS MORAVIAN (The Rev. Jon Boling, Speaker) 11am Lovefeast

BETHABARA BAND INFORMATION

TODAY, our band will participate in a service at Messiah Moravian celebrating Joe Conrad's contribution to the Moravian Band. Mr. Conrad is retiring after serving as Messiah's band director for 27 years.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Greeters TODAY

Jimmie Ring & Rachel Pike

Greeters NEXT SUNDAY

Terry Orrell & Teresa Reynolds

Nursery TODAY

Terry Gupton

Nursery NEXT SUNDAY

Elva Lara

SOUP & SALAD LUNCHEON

On **SUNDAY MARCH 19**, following our morning Worship service, please join us for a delicious SOUP & SALAD LUNCH FUNDRAISING EVENT! This event is sponsored by the Bethabara Women's Fellowship and proceeds go towards the fellowship.

Lunch will consist of soup, salad, crackers, bread, tea, and dessert.

COST FOR ADULTS=\$4

COST FOR CHILDREN=\$3

You may sign up to attend by placing your name on the sign up sheet located on the Vestibule table or you may call Connie Sapp (924-5884) or Betsy Johnson (748-8742).

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEETING

ATTENTION ALL LADIES! Did you know ALL women and older girls of the congregation are members of the Women's Fellowship?

I encourage ALL the ladies in the church to attend our QUARTERLY WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEETING on **Sunday March 26 at 2:30pm.**

Please come and participate in the activities to help grow God's Kingdom!

Connie Sapp

WITH SYMPATHY

Bethabara embraces the family of Mr. Sherrill Pendry who passed away Monday morning February 27, 2006. Mr. Pendry was cousin to FERN HUNTER.

LIFT IN PRAYER

- † Polly Applefield
- † Brandon Bailey
-serving in Iraq
- † Sarah Bacon
sister to Bill Cobb
- † Jake Blackburn
- † J.C. Bruce
- † Sara Cooke
- † Leona Chatham
Vienna Village Room #F57
- † Marie Choplin
Kerner Ridge Assisted Living
- † Tommie Choplin
Britthaven of Kernersville
- † Margaret Gabriel
- † Jennifer Gragg
- † Carol Griffin
- † Edward Fox
brother to Richard Fox
- † Stephanie Hedrick
great-niece to Rosenbaum's
- † Ernest Holland
Forsyth Medical Center
- † Sarah Holland
Oak Dale Heights
- † Andrea Hupert's mother
*diagnosed with cancer
co-worker & friend to Anne Kyle*
- † Ruth Jessup
sister to Rachel Pike
- † Barbara Key
- † Mike & Edith Kudelka
- † Michele Lara
- † Jeff Lowrance
Margaret Gabriel's nephew
- † Ann May
- † Patrick Messick
Son of Jack & Chi Chi Messick
- † Steve Nail—prostate cancer
son of Gene Nail
- † Earlette Peek
wife of Rev. Bob Peek
- † Angel Ramirez
- † Gay Nell Reich
Homeplace of Burlington
- † Anne Roberts
- † Flora Sapp
- † David & Norma Segraves
- † Hal Stanley
dad to Michele Harmon
- † Lovina Thompson
recuperating from hand surgery
- † Sam Whitt
- † Ken Welborn
*recuperating from back surgery
son of Mary Welborn*
- † Brandy Westmoreland
- † Terrell White

We are so glad you came to worship with us today.

We pray our service was memorable and meaningful for you in every way.

*Nos alegramos tanto de que Ud. haya decidido adorar a Dios con nosotros hoy.
Rezamos que nuestro servicio sea memorable y significativa para Ud. en cada manera.*



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In Essentials, Unity; In Non-essentials, Liberty; In All Things, Love.