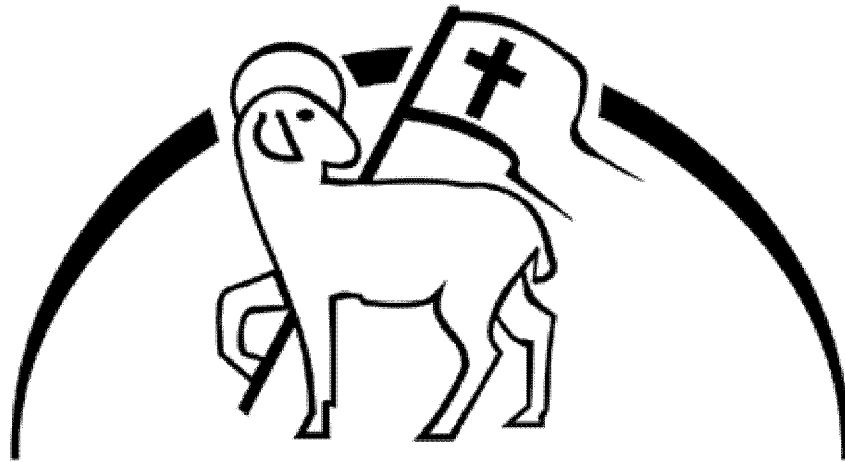


EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 30, 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.



BETHABARA

Moravian Church

Remembering the past, envisioning the future.

Watchword for the Week

*The Lord is faithful in all his words,
and gracious in all his deeds.*

PSALM 145:13

*Fiel es el SEÑOR a su palabra
y bondadoso en todas sus obras.*

ORDER OF WORSHIP

BAND PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

MORNING PRAYER

THE CHURCH IN GIVING

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Rev. Rick Sides

Reception of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

The Doxology

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SERMON "From Whom Much is Given" Rev. Tripp May

HYMN Sing Hallelujah, Praise the Lord Page 543
(verses 1 & 2)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 12:35-48

35 "Let your loins be girded and your lamps burning, 36 and be like men who are waiting for their master to come home from the marriage feast, so that they may open to him at once when he comes and knocks. 37 Blessed are those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes; truly, I say to you, he will gird himself and have them sit at table, and he will come and serve them. 38 If he comes in the second watch, or in the third, and finds them so, blessed are those servants! 39 But know this, that if the householder had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have left his house to be broken into. 40 You also must be ready; for the Son of man is coming at an unexpected hour."

Estén ceñidos vuestros lomos, y vuestras lámparas encendidas; 36 y vosotros sed semejantes a hombres que aguardan a que su señor regrese de las bodas, para que cuando llegue y llame, le abran en seguida. 37 Bienaventurados aquellos siervos a los cuales su señor, cuando venga, halle velando; de cierto os digo que se ceñirá, y hará que se sienten a la mesa, y vendrá a servirles. 38 Y aunque venga a la segunda vigilia, y aunque venga a la tercera vigilia, si los hallare así, bienaventurados son aquellos siervos. 39 Pero sabed esto, que si supiese el padre de familia a qué hora el ladrón había de venir, velaría ciertamente, y no dejaría minar su casa. 40 Vosotros, pues, también, estad preparados, porque a la hora que no penséis, el Hijo del Hombre vendrá.

The flowers placed in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in memory of Daphine Sams' father, Curtis Beaver and brother, Charles Beaver, by David & Daphine Sams.

Today at Bethabara:

9 a.m. ➤ Band practice

9:45 a.m. ➤ Sunday school

11 a.m. ➤ Worship service

5 p.m. ➤ God's Gang for Middle & Sr. High
(at Bethabara)

Happening this week: Remember, check the bulletin board

Mon. 31	12 noon	A. A. Social Room
Wed. 2	5:45 p.m.	Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner
	6:30 p.m.	➤ Guest Speakers <i>Charlie Brent & Family</i> ➤ ESL & Conversational Spanish Class
Thurs. 3	12 noon	A. A. Social Room
	6 p.m.	Summer Bible Study <i>College Age/High School Grads</i> <i>Panera on Hanes Mall Blvd.</i>
	NO Pastor's Class Bible Study (<i>will resume August 17</i>)	
Fri. 4	8 p.m.	A. A. Social Room
Sun. 6	5:30 p.m.	Family Fellowship Concert/Dinner <i>featuring Chuck Harmon & Company</i>

ANGELICA REGALADO DE BACA would like to thank everyone for your love and presence at the **BABY SHOWER**, and for all the beautiful gifts for her Baby Girl. She feels very blessed.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT NEWS

On Wednesday August 2 we welcome Charlie Brent & his family who will be here to talk about their work as missionaries in East Asia with Campus Crusade for Christ. Charlie's home church is Friedland Moravian. Charlie's children will sing a song in Chinese; a short video will be shown, and he will teach the kids some Chinese characters by doing calligraphy; discussion will also be held on the work Moravians are doing in Gulfport, MS.

Looking Ahead:

- *August 6 First Sunday Concert will feature Chuck Harmon & Company*
- *August 7 – Moravian Freshman College Send-Off @ Trinity Moravian 6:30pm*
- *August 8 – Emerald Pointe Water Park trip scheduled (see Britt Orrell)*
- *August 9 – Voice Coaching lessons @ 6:30 p.m. contact Tom to sign up
Adult choir resumes 7:15pm-8:40pm*
- *August 13 – Bethabara Ringers resume practice @ 5 p.m.
Learn to Ring! @ 6:30 p.m. contact Tom to sign up*
- *August 16 – Last ESL for summer session*
- *August 17 – Pastor's Class Bible study resumes 2pm*
- *August 19 – Pavilion reserved (Hunter)*
- *August 20 – Sunday school promotion day & Children's Lovefeast*
- *August 25 – Youth Retreat @ Laurel Ridge (through August 27)*

MISSION & EVANGELISM NEWS

We are more than half way to our goal for the "Adopt a Village" program through the Moravian Board of World Missions. Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Those entering college for the first time this fall are invited to a Moravian Freshman College Send-Off on Monday evening, August 7th, 6:30 p.m. at Trinity Moravian Church on Sprague St in Winston-Salem. Those attending will meet other Moravians in college and going to college, hear about what it's like to go into college for the first time, ask questions, get a "head start" on any Moravian efforts going on, enjoy refreshments and fellowship. The Bd of Christian Education sponsors this event. Contact Rev. Brad Bennett with any questions: 336-722-8126, bbennett@mensp.org.

WITH SYMPATHY † Bethabara embraces the family of Mr. James Leonard Dooley, Sr. who passed away Saturday July 22 2006. Mr. Dooley was brother to LEONA CHATHAM. Please remember the Dooley family in your prayers.

➤ *Our custodial staff will be on vacation the week of August 13. If you are able and/or willing to assist with cleaning during their absence please contact Jo Beth Boyles. Here is what must be done: clean nursery & offices ~ dust & vacuum Sanctuary ~ clean bathrooms ~ sweep & mop Social room, Fellowship Hall, & kitchen. All Sunday school & Wednesday night teachers are asked to please take out their trash & straighten their rooms. Thank you ~ The Boyles Family*

<i>Bethabara's Statistics</i>	
Sunday School Attendance	<i>Number not available</i>
Worship Attendance	60
Offering: July 23	\$1,270.00
Weekly Budget Needs	\$3,854.73
YTD Offering (as of July 23)	\$92,497.26
YTD Budget Needs (week 30)	\$115,641.96
2006 Yearly Budget	\$200,446.07
<i>Bethabara's Required Provincial Pledge 2006</i>	
Required 2006 Pledge	\$32,176.81
<i>Monthly Amount</i>	\$2,681.40
<i>Weekly Amount</i>	\$618.78
Pledge paid as of July 23	\$9,681.40
Pledge Balance	\$22,495.11
Pledge DUE as of July 16	\$18,563.40
(Short) or Over Monthly Required Pledge	(\$8,882)

WE LIFT IN PRAYER

OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Polly Applefield

J. C. Bruce

Bill Cobb

Susan Doss

Wife of Pastor Jim Doss (Peace)

Margaret Gabriel

Jennifer Gragg

Carol Griffin

Pastor Don Griffin

The family of Glenn Hall

Stephanie Hedrick

great niece to Rosenbaum's

Barbara Key

Jeff Lowrance

nephew of Margaret Gabriel

Tom Manning

Ann May

Steve Nail

son of Gene Nail

Carolyn Redding

Sharon Redding *daughter to Carolyn*

Gay Nell Reich

Anne Roberts

Flora Sapp

David/Norma Segraves

Lovina Thompson

Sam Whitt

OUR MEMBERS IN CARE FACILITIES: CARDS & VISITS APPRECIATED

Sara Cooke *Friends Home Greensboro*

Leona Chatham *Vienna Village #F57*

Marie Choplin *Kerner Ridge*

Tommie Choplin *Britthaven/K-ville*

Sarah Holland *Oak Dale*

Mike Kudelka *Alterra Clarie Bridge*

Edith Kudelka *Independence Village*

Today's Greeters

Today's Nursery Helper

God's Yard WEEK OF JULY 30

Greeters NEXT SUNDAY

Nursery NEXT SUNDAY

God's Yard WEEK OF AUG. 6

Betsy Johnson & Marion Yokely

OPEN

Bob Gabriel, Jr.

Edna Blevins & Chris Orrell

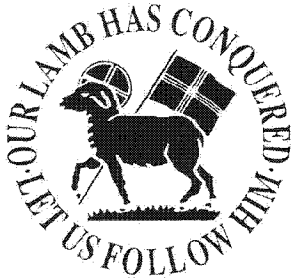
Jeannie May

Robert Boyles

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 significativo para Ud. en cada manera.*



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