

Bethabara
Moravian Church

Remembering the Past, Encisioning the Future

Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost
October 19, 2008

ORDER OF WORSHIP

BAND PRELUDE

WELCOME- to our Friends & Guests

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CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON **"True and Living God"** Rev. Tripp May

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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE* **"Trumpet Voluntary"** Stanley

**Mary Beard organist*

*The flowers are given by Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Thompson
to the Glory of God and in loving memory of
Robert N. Thompson II*

~ SCRIPTURE LESSON ~

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

¹Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, to the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. ²We give thanks to God always for all of you, constantly mentioning you in our prayers, ³remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁴For we know, brothers loved by God, that he has chosen you, ⁵because our gospel came to you not only in word, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction. You know what kind of men we proved to be among you for your sake. ⁶And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you received the word in much affliction, with the joy of the Holy Spirit, ⁷so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. ⁸For not only has the word of the Lord sounded forth from you in Macedonia and Achaia, but your faith in God has gone forth everywhere, so that we need not say anything. ⁹For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, ¹⁰and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.

Sunday School Attendance 10/12/08 44	Worship Attendance 10/12/08 65
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Today's Greeters

Terry Orrell/Marion Yokley

Greeters: October 26

Dalton & Cheryl Everhart

Today's Nursery Helpers

Kristy Sapp/Elva Lara
Garcia

Nursery: October 26

Pat Mobley

~ Sagradas Escrituras ~

1 Tesalonicenses 1:1-10

¹ Pablo, Silvano y Timoteo, a la iglesia de los tesalonicenses en Dios Padre y en el Señor Jesucristo: Gracia y paz sean a vosotros, de Dios nuestro Padre y del Señor Jesucristo. ²Damos siempre gracias a Dios por todos vosotros, haciendo memoria de vosotros en nuestras oraciones, ³acordándonos sin cesar delante del Dios y Padre nuestro de la obra de vuestra fe, del trabajo de vuestro amor y de vuestra constancia en la esperanza en nuestro Señor Jesucristo.⁴ Porque conocemos, hermanos amados de Dios, vuestra elección;⁵ pues nuestro evangelio no llegó a vosotros en palabras solamente, sino también en poder, en el Espíritu Santo y en plena certidumbre, como bien sabéis cuáles fuimos entre vosotros por amor de vosotros.⁶ Y vosotros vinisteis a ser imitadores de nosotros y del Señor, recibiendo la palabra en medio de gran tribulación, con gozo del Espíritu Santo, ⁷de tal manera que habéis sido ejemplo a todos los de Macedonia y de Acaya que han creído.⁸ Porque partiendo de vosotros ha sido divulgada la palabra del Señor, no sólo en Macedonia y Acaya, sino que también en todo lugar vuestra fe en Dios se ha extendido, de modo que nosotros no tenemos necesidad de hablar nada;⁹ porque ellos mismos cuentan de nosotros la manera en que nos recibisteis, y cómo os convertisteis de los ídolos a Dios, para servir al Dios vivo y verdadero,¹⁰ y esperar de los cielos a su Hijo, al cual resucitó de los muertos, a Jesús, quien nos libra de la ira venidera.

Watchword for the Week

Sing to the Lord, bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.

Psalm 96:2

Cantad a Jehová, bendecid su nombre;
Anunciad de día en día su salvación.

PLEASE NOTE: Senior Friends Meeting is Oct. 28 at 1:00

Fall Festival Information

At our bazaar in November, we will have a room for *gently used/like new* items. This area should only have **NICE ITEMS**. Please do not bring “junk stuff”. We had to throw many items away last year. Also, **NO CLOTHES OR SHOES, PLEASE.** Bring to the church as soon as possible. Please price each item and put in boxes labeled NEXT TO NEW. Any items not sold should be picked up by 1:00 or they will go to Goodwill.



Thank you!

Carole, Gloria, Megan

We also need and appreciate any help when we set up on Friday Nov. 14th between noon and 8 pm.

Family Fun Night and

“Trunk or Treat”

Sunday Oct. 26th

4 to 6 pm

Fairview Moravian Church



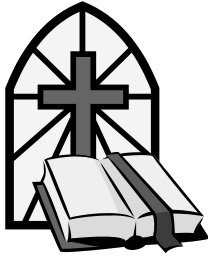
Evening filled with fellowship, games,

“Trunk or Treating” and supper!

Your Attendance is Requested!

Join us for a catered lunch (approximate cost per person \$5) following our Sunday morning worship service next Sunday October 26th. After lunch, Council will convene.

Today at Bethabara:



9:15 a.m. — Intercessory Prayer
 9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. — Worship Service
 12:15 p.m. — Band Practice
 12:45 p.m. — Youth Fellowship
 CropWalk

Happening this week: Remember, check the bulletin board

Wed. Oct. 22	5:15 pm	Intercessory Prayer Time
	5:45 pm	Wednesday Night Dinner International meal
	6:30 pm	Bible Study and Prayer Children's Activities Youth Choir ESL & Spanish Classes
	7:15 pm	Adult Choir
Sunday Oct. 26	12:00 noon	Lunch and Church Council
	2:00 pm	Creative Ministries
	3:00 pm	First Place Bible Study & Weight Loss

SUNDAY SCHOOL COSTUME CONTEST

“All Saints Day” Sunday, Oct. 26 All ages invited to participate. Biblical character costumes. Prizes awarded. Be a part of the fun!

OUR MEMBERS IN CARE FACILITIES: CARDS & VISITS APPRECIATED

Sara Cooke
Friends Home Greensboro
 Leona Chatham
Vienna Village #F57

Sarah Holland
Forest Heights

Edith Kudelka
Hanover Arms, Apt 340-B
 Anne Roberts
Hanover Arms, Apt 340-B
 Gay Nell Reich
 c/o Pam Eastwood
5610 Dodson's Crossroads
 Hillsborough, NC 27278

PRAYER LIST



- Bernice Anderson– *congestive heart failure, Rachel Pike's sister*
- Polly Applefield
- Jim Barnard–*Rachel Pike's brother in law*
- Nell Barnard–*Rachel Pike's sister*
- Edna Blevins
- Katie Boyles–*knee surgery early 2009*
- Dot Bruce & J.C. Bruce
- James Carroll Jr.–*Paulette's brother*
- Harry Clark
- Dawn Douglas–*back pain*
- Denita Duncan
- James Dunn–*Len McL's cousin-cancer*
- Luella Everhart
- Richard Faulk–*Gena Howard's brother in law*
- Shara Gale–*awaiting kidney transplant*
- Doris Gilbert–*Frances Greiner's sister*
- Nellie Gonzaga (Ramirez)–*at home*
- Ivonne Grady and family–*friends of Burtons -end stage ovarian cancer*
- Jennifer Gragg
- Don Griffin & Carol Griffin
- Ann Gupton–*at Terry's home*
- Stephanie Hedrick –*great niece to Rosenbaum's*
- Mary Lou Hutchins–*Rachel Pike's sister-dementia*
- Ruth Jessup–*Rachel Pike's sister*
- Everette Lawson–*Leukemia-Anne Robert's brother*
- Judy Leahy–*ovarian cancer*
- Libby Lee
- Kate McBride
- Linda McDermon– *friend of Carole Rosenbaum's, heart concerns*
- Ernest Pendry–*Fern's brother-stroke*
- Howard Pendry– *Fern's brother*
- Charlie Pfaff–*bile duct cancer*
- Carolyn Redding
- Gay Nell Reich
- Bill Rosenbaum– *Clemmons Rehab Room 315*
- Richard Sams–*Dave's brother, open heart surgery*
- Connie Sapp's family**–*brother Billy heart; sister Iris eye surgery; sister in law Carol upcoming knee surg.; sister Judy improving*
- Joyce Shields– *breast cancer*
- Linda Thornton–*Frances Greiner's friend, non-Hodgkins lymphoma*
- John Welch–*at home*
- Karen White–*Phillip Sapp's cousin*
- Rick Woods– *Dawn Douglas*
- Marion Yokley–
- Troy Young–*Denita's nephew*
- Family of Clyde Tate–*brother in law of Moir Hunter*

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.

Mission Statement

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.



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