

Bethabara
Moravian Church

Remembering the Past, Encisioning the Future

Twenty-Fifth Sunday After Pentecost
November 2, 2008

~ SCRIPTURE LESSON ~

Matthew 23: 1-12

Then said Jesus to the crowds and to his disciples, ²"**The scribes and the Pharisees sit on Moses' seat;** ³so practice and observe whatever they tell you, but not what they do; for they preach, but do not practice. ⁴They bind heavy burdens, hard to bear, and lay them on men's shoulders; but they themselves will not move them with their finger. ⁵They do all their deeds to be seen by men; for they make their phylacteries broad and their fringes long, ⁶and they love the place of honor at feasts and the best seats in the synagogues, ⁷and salutations in the marketplaces, and being called rabbi by men. ⁸But you are not to be called rabbi, for you have one teacher, and you are all brethren. ⁹And call no man your father on earth, for you have one Father, who is in heaven. ¹⁰Neither be called masters, for you have one master, the Christ. ¹¹He who is greatest among you shall be your servant; ¹²whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted.



Today's Greeters

Moir & Fern Hunter

Greeters: November 9

Jimmie Ring

Rachel Pike

Today's Nursery Helpers

Jo Beth Boyles/Connie Sapp

Nursery: November 9

Carole Rosenbaum/Terry Orrell

~ Sagradas Escrituras ~

Mateo 23:1-12

Entonces habló Jesús a la gente y a sus discípulos, diciendo:

² En la cátedra de Moisés se sientan los escribas y los fariseos. ³ Así que, todo lo que os digan que guardéis, guardadlo y hacedlo; mas no hagáis conforme a sus obras, porque dicen, y no hacen. ⁴ Porque atan cargas pesadas y difíciles de llevar, y las ponen sobre los hombros de los hombres; pero ellos ni con un dedo quieren moverlas. ⁵ Antes, hacen todas sus obras para ser vistos por los hombres. Pues ensanchan sus filacterias, y extienden los flecos de sus mantos; ⁶ y aman los primeros asientos en las cenas, y las primeras sillas en las sinagogas, ⁷ y las saluciones en las plazas, y que los hombres los llamen: Rabí, Rabí. ⁸ Pero vosotros no queráis que os llamen Rabí; porque uno es vuestro Maestro, el Cristo, y todos vosotros sois hermanos. ⁹ Y no llaméis padre vuestro a nadie en la tierra; porque uno es vuestro Padre, el que está en los cielos. ¹⁰ Ni seáis llamados maestros; porque uno es vuestro Maestro, el Cristo. ¹¹ El que es el mayor de vosotros, sea vuestro siervo. ¹² Porque el que se enaltece será humillado, y el que se humilla será enaltecido.

Watchword for the Week

O send out your light and your truth;
let them lead me.

Psalm 43:3

Envía tu luz y tu verdad; éstas me guiarán

Reminders

**Please be aware that the church is a polling place
for Election Day on Tuesday, November 4
Circle 1 and 2 Meetings have been cancelled
for Tuesday due to voting.**

**No Circle Meetings in November
No Senior Friends Meeting in November**

Sunday School Attendance 10/26/08 54	Worship Attendance 10/26/08 70
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**JOIN US SUNDAY NOVEMBER 9
FOR OUR SPECIAL
VETERAN'S DAY OBSERVANCE**

**You are invited to attend this
service of honor during our 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service**

**Military Color Guard
presenting flags.**

**All photos of our veterans will be framed in a
three-panel folding screen, plus a collage of "casual
military" photos and mementos.**

Please contact Paulette to help decorate on Saturday, Nov. 8.

****Jingle Offering on Sunday, November 9 will go to the
Veteran's Hospital in Salisbury.**

Thank you note from Megan Taylor:

I would like to give a huge thank you to everyone who sent in donations for the Afghanistan Aid Project!! I was so surprised with the amount of donations received in such a short time. All the clothes, shoes, school supplies, blankets, yarn, money, etc. will help the people of Afghanistan greatly!! Thank you again for everyone who donated items to my project!

God Bless,
Megan Taylor

TODAY



First Sunday Fellowship

**Covered Dish Dinner
followed by
assembly of
Samaritan Shoeboxes**

5:30 p.m.



Samaritan's Purse®

INTERNATIONAL RELIEF

From the Music Director Search Committee And the Church Board

It is with excitement and joy that I share with you the call of Richard and Janet Stewart to be our Joint Music Directors at Bethabara, beginning January 1, 2009. The Music Director Search Committee unanimously approves their selection and the Church board is unanimous in their endorsement of Richard and Janet to lead our music ministry. Janet will lead the Adult Choir and play the organ & piano in our worship services. Richard will lead the youth choir and the handbell choir(s).

Welcome, friends, to this important music ministry opportunity in our congregation.

Tripp May, Pastor

Election Results-Church Board

January 2009 to December 2012:

Hilda Regalado

Gayle Reid

Bill Lackey

One year term:

Katie Boyles

What a great turnout for our lunch and Church Council meeting. Thank you for your participation.

Looking Ahead

December Newsletter information needs to be received in the office no later than Tuesday, November 18th.



Women's
Fellowship
Fall Festival
& Bazaar

Saturday, November 15
8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Moravian Chicken Pies ,
country store, homemade
baked goods, crafts, silent
auction, gently used room,
breakfast and lunch.

BBQ Dinner 4-7 p.m.

Volunteers needed Friday for set up
and for the bazaar on Saturday

Thanksgiving Eve Service

As you shop for groceries this month, please remember to pick up a few extra canned goods or any non-perishable food items. These will be collected at the Nov. 26 service and given to Sunnyside and Crisis Control.

Band at 7:00 p.m.
Service at 7:30 p.m.

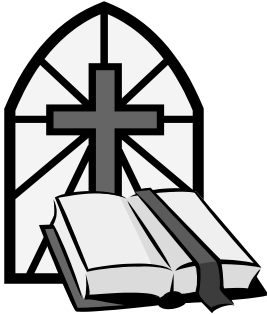
November Bells are ready to be picked up in the vestibule mailboxes.

Events of Interest:

November 13 Lunchtime Lecture 12:15-12:45. "In Honor of the Chief Elder, Jesus Christ" with Daniel Crews. Free at the Davis Center in Salem.

November 13 7:00 p.m. Bethabara Concert Band Holiday Concert. Holiday special at Fairview Moravian Church. Free.

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
 2:00 p.m. - Creative Ministries
 3:00 p.m. - 1st Place Weight Loss/Bible Study
 5:30 p.m. - 1st Sunday Fellowship/
 Covered Dish/Samaritan Shoeboxes

Happening this week: Remember, check the bulletin board

Mon. Nov. 3	7:00 pm	Triennial Review
Wed. Nov. 5	5:15 pm	Intercessory Prayer Time
	5:45 pm	Wednesday Night Dinner
	6:30 pm	Bible Study and Prayer Children's Activities Youth Choir ESL & Spanish Classes
	7:15 pm	Adult Choir
Sunday Nov. 9	12:15 pm	Band Practice
	12:45 pm	Middle & High School Youth
	2:00 pm	Creative Ministries
	3:00 pm	1st Place Weight-loss & Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Board Meeting

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*
- Family of Ivonne Grady
- Jennifer Gragg -*Upcoming checkup*
- 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*
- Terry Orrell- *Dental Surgery*
- Ernest Pendry-*Fern's brother-stroke*
- Howard Pendry- *Fern's brother*
- Charlie Pfaff-*bile duct cancer*
- Carolyn Redding
- Gay Nell Reich
- Jimmy Ring- *at home*
- Bill Rosenbaum- *Clemmons Rehab Room #327*
- Richard Sams-*Dave's brother, open heart surgery*
- Connie Sapp's family**
- 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*

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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