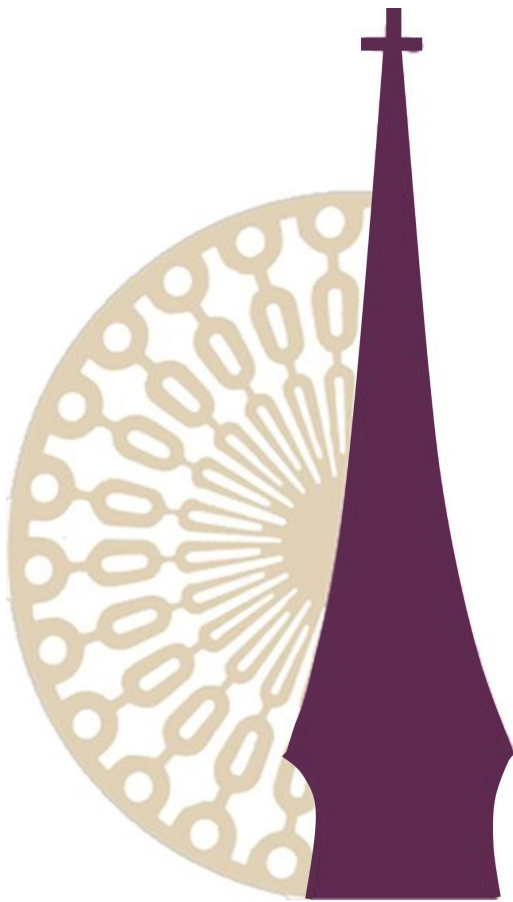


October 23, 2016



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Greenville, NC

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT MEMORIAL

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016

THE TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

CALL TO SILENCE

Trinity Chimes

GREETING AND MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

Dr. Brad Smith

On behalf of The Memorial Baptist Church, we welcome all who visit with us today and invite you to join us again.
Please record your visit in the fellowship pad located on the pew.

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

INVOCATION

Dr. Walter Byrum

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hold Fast

Mrs. Abbi Mullens

In love and joy God calls us together.

And so we meet this day, as friends, as neighbors, as sisters and brothers in Christ.

Called together by God, we bring our offerings to God:

Our songs, our hearts, our prayers, our lives.

Grateful for this opportunity to give and receive, let us worship God.

—Beth Neel

† GATHERING HYMN 8

Come, Thou Almighty King

ITALIAN HYMN

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Mrs. Mullens

All children are invited to come for the Children's Message.

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S GUIDANCE

SILENT MEDITATION AND REFLECTION

Children through Kindergarten are excused for Extended Session in the children's wing, C 106.
Children in grades 1-5 are invited to attend Junior Church in the Music Suite.

PASTORAL PRAYER

Dr. Smith

WE OFFER OUR GIFTS TO GOD

† HYMN OF DEDICATION 727

Faith Is the Victory

SANKEY

† PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Mr. Wayne Hanks

OFFERTORY

† DOXOLOGY 815 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100TH
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

WE ENCOUNTER AND RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

GOSPEL LESSON *John 9:1-7* Dr. Smith
Pew Bible, p. 1061 of the New Testament
The word of God for the people of God;
Thanks be to God.

CHORAL WORSHIP *I Know a Fount* Benjamin Harlan
Chancel Choir

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED *A Messy Masterpiece* Dr. Smith

INVITATION TO RESPOND

† HYMN OF RESPONSE 527 *I Know Whom I Have Believed* EL NATHAN

† LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY Dr. Smith

SHARING OF DECISIONS

WE GO INTO THEH WORLD TO BE SALT AND LIGHT

† THE SENDING

† CHORAL BENEDICTION *For Thine Is the Kingdom* Beryl Red

† POSTLUDE

† All who are able, please stand. TMBC CCLI License No. 558599

Our Deacon of the Week (October 23-29) is Wayne Hanks. We appreciate his leadership in worship today.

Christian sympathy is expressed to Fran Wilson and family upon the death of her mother, Christine Snuggs on October 15, 2016.

The quilt in the sanctuary today is for Rhett Barrett, nephew of Nancy Harris. Please say a prayer for Rhett as you tie a knot.



October 30

5:30—7:30 pm

TMBC Front Parking Lot

A donation box for candy and other goodies is outside the office.

CareNet Counseling East
BENEFIT CONCERT WITH ERNEST SILVER

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 2016, AT 7:00PM
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CNCE Faith Assembly Church Ernest Silver

Our Mission is to improve the health of the mind, body, spirit, and community through faith-integrated counseling, psychotherapy, research, and education.

Coming Up This Week

Sunday, October 23

- 9:00 am—Connect
- 9:45 am—Sunday School
- 10:55 am—Traditional Worship Service,
Junior church Grades 1-5
- 5:00 pm—Youth
- 5:30 pm—Handbells
- 6:00 pm—Budget Team Meeting

Monday, October 24

- 12:00 pm—Newsletter deadline
- 7:30 pm—Administrative Group Meeting (Individual groups will meet before the combined meeting if needed)

Tuesday, October 25

- 1:00—3:30 pm Food Pantry

Wednesday, October 26

- 10:00 am—Knitting with Nat
- 6:00 pm—Children’s Music
- 6:15 pm—Prayer Time, Youth Group
- 6:30 pm— Bible Study Groups, GLOW Kids
- 6:45 pm—Mission Possible Kids
- 7:30 pm—Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 27

- 12:30 pm—Sanctuary Prayer Café
- 7:00 pm—Line Dancing



Because hunger doesn't end on Friday.

THE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH



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DR. WALTER BYRUM
Associate Pastor
Music and Worship Arts

MRS. ABBI MULLENS
Associate Pastor
Families, Formation, Community

REV. MISAEL MARRIAGA, Hispanic Pastor
KAY GODWIN, WEE Director
FRAN WILSON, Pianist

DR. LEO LEE, Chinese Director
MARTHA HUGGINS, Office Administrator
JACOB MONTGOMERY, Organist