

THE

TEMPLE TIMES

February 2011

SOUPER BOWL PARTY



FEBRUARY 6, 2011

Valentine's Banquet



February 11th

Tables of Eight

February 19th

**Chili Luncheon
Fundraiser
February 20th**

The Vision of
Temple Baptist Church

Express confidence in the
expectation of God's ability
to grow His ministry.

It's not about us,
It's all about Him!

The Love of Christ

How broad is Christ's love? Oh, as broad as man's trespass,
As wide as the need of the world can be;
And yet to the need of one soul it can narrow--
He came to the world and He came to me.

How long is Christ's love? Without end or beginning,
Eternal as God and His life it must be,
For, to everlasting as from everlasting
He loveth the world and He loveth me.

How deep is Christ's love? Oh, as deep as man's sinning.
As low as the uttermost vileness can be;
In the fathomless gulf of the Father's forsaking
He died for the world and He died for me.

How high is Christ's love? It is high as the heavens,
As high as the throne of His glory must be;
And yet from that height He hath stooped to redeem us--
He so loved the world and He so loved me.

How great is Christ's love? Oh, it passeth all knowledge,
No man's comprehension its measure can be;
It filleth the world, yet each heart may contain it--
He so loves the world and He so loves me.

Annie Johnson Flint
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Ephesians 3:17-19

That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of G



Anagrams - Books of the Bible

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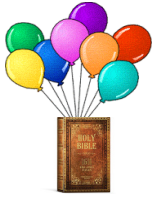
*Run for a Dream
5k and Walk
Benefiting The Dream Center
(a TBC Mission Field)*



March 12, 2011
For information call
613-0741

Ministry Spotlight: Sign Language Workshop - Sunday @ 4:45 p.m.

One mission of Temple Baptist Church is to reflect our multi-ethnic community in fulfillment of Revelation 7:9 by sharing God's desire that all people of every nation, people group, and language worship Jesus Christ. TBC is offering a free Sign Language Workshop so that we may offer worship and Bible study for those who's "heart-language" is American Sign Language. For more information contact Angela Lifsey at 414-3109 or Kevin Couch at couchk00@gmail.com.



Celebrating
400 Years
1611 King James Bible

February *Awayna Clubs* Schedule

February 2	Wacky Sock Night
February 9	Sports Team Night
February 16	Hat & Double Dues Nights
February 23	Down on the Farm Night



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**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
CHILI LUNCHEON
KIDS CAMP FUND-RAISER**



February 20th
Following the morning
Worship Service



We want to welcome all of Temple's new members!! We are so excited that you chose be a member of our church family.



February Calendar

February 1	Men's Basketball
February 5	Bus Ministry Breakfast
February 6	Early Service @ 5pm & Super Bowl Party
February 8	Men's Basketball
February 11	Valentine's Banquet
February 13	Sign Language Class
February 13	Angel Food Orders Due
February 14	IFFB Conference
February 15	IFFB Conference
February 15	Men's Basketball
February 16	IFFB Conference
February 19	Bus Ministry Breakfast
February 19	Angel Food Pick-up
February 19	Tables of Eight
February 20	Chili Luncheon Fund-raiser
February 20	Sign Language Class
February 22	Men's Basketball
February 27	Sign Language Class

Souper Bowl Party

February 6, 2011



TBC evening service will begin at 5:00 p.m. with a Super Bowl Party to follow in the FLC. Bring your favorite football snack & join the fun!!

Crew3news

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Hello out there in Temple Baptist Land. Here is a little something about the Teens at Temple. I would first like to congratulate Chase Davidson on winning this year's 2011 NCAA Gaming Championship. He devastated all his opponents. Justin Morris was our runner-up.

Also don't forget our summer youth trip will be here before you know it. If you would like to sponsor a child please let me or my wife know. The cost of this year's trip will be the same as last year, \$250. I have a goal set of taking more than 80 teens this year. I know it would be a blessing to them if they could go. Many come very faithful to church without any parental support. If you could have seen some of the looks on the teens' faces that had never even seen the beach, it was amazing. This price is all their meals, the trip, the room and a week of preaching and praising God. Every little bit helps, you may not be able to do the whole price but can help some. All help is much appreciated.

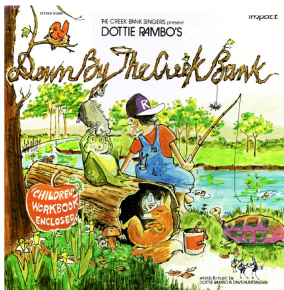
Teen Church on Sunday mornings is increasing in attendance. I have been more than happy to see the numbers up in the 70s and 80s on Sunday mornings. Just keep the Teens in your prayers & may God bless you & Temple Baptist Church... AMEN!!!!!!!!!!!!

His for others,
Bro. Shawn

Tables of Eight

February 19 @ 6 p.m.

If you would like to participate in this ministry as either a host or guest, contact Kathy McNabb at 225-1154



TBC
KIDZ CHOIRS
Sundays @ 6p.m.
in the FLC

Volunteer to work in the Temple's Bus Ministry today!

Contact Brian @ 343-3092





From the Desk
of
Pastor Matt

Welcome Back!! I want to take this opportunity to welcome everyone to the 2011 year, and back to the TEMPLE TIMES. A great big thank you goes out to Mrs. Judi Bullington who has accepted the position of editor after Ms. Sally Saputo went away to college. I am so grateful for her and the many other Ministry Directors of Temple that are willing to serve.

This year we have begun the new process of implementing the vision that God has given to us. The family of Temple has accepted this to mean that: vision – the ability to express confidence in God’s ability to grow His ministry. That is exactly what Temple Baptist Church is; we are nothing short than the Lord’s ministry.

I want to challenge you and encourage you to make the new vision of “EXPANDING THE KINGDOM” your personal vision. The materials are here. The need is here. The desire to obtain a new worship facility is here. The only thing this family is lacking is the financial means of making the vision a reality. It is not by our means that we will ever achieve this goal. We will be worshipping the Lord together in our new sanctuary when God says it is in His time for us to be there. Until that moment arrives, “BE FOUND FAITHFUL”

In His Service,
Pastor Matt

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No Greater Love

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3:16



Ms. Jen's Kids' Corner

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Let me introduce myself. I am Jennifer Smith, the kids refer to me as Ms. Jen and I am Temple’s new Children’s Director. I am the wife of Brian, the Bus Director, & the mother of Mya (8 yrs.) and Macy (5 yrs.). I believe that the biblical purpose of the children’s ministry is to reach and disciple children for Jesus Christ. “To reach” means to evangelize; to invite children to participate in children’s programs where they will clearly hear the gospel. “To disciple” is to minister to a child at their own level where they will grow & develop spiritually.

It is late but a sincere “Thank you” to everyone who contributed to the Santa Stop!

Decorations: April Wyatt, Donna Wren, & Tina Riggins; Kitchen: Tonya Hampton, Jennifer Sellers & Alicia Chandler; Set-up: Glen Hampton, April Wyatt, & Donna Wren; Photographer: Laura Hopper; Printer: Bobby Sellers; Crew: April Wyatt, Hope Fullington, Bridget Neisler, Jennifer Bynum, & Robert Hopper; ATA Martial Arts & Double Play Baseball Academy for door prizes; Mr. Jimmy & EW James staff for the donations and continued support..

The community Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled on April 23rd & its not too early to begin asking for “stuffed eggs”. We used over 5000 last year!

A Nursery Director is needed at Temple. Please pray about volunteering your time to this ministry.

Yours in Christ,
Ms. Jen

The Romans Road

ASK: If you died now, do you know that you would go to heaven?

ASK: Would you like to know?

ASK: If I showed you how you could know, would you do what the Bible says?

SHOW: That we are all sinners.

Romans 3:10 - "As it is written, There is non righteous, no not one;"

Romans 3:23 - "For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God."

SHOW: The price of sin:

Romans 5:12 - "Wherefore, as by one man sin entered, into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned."

Romans 6:23 - "for the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

SHOW: That Jesus paid the price:

Romans 5:8 - "But God commendeth his love for us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us."

SHOW: That Jesus will take us to heaven if we ask Him in faith:

Romans 10:9-13 - "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the confession is made known unto salvation.

For the scripture saith, Whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed.

For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek; for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him.

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord, shall be saved.

REVIEW:

- a. Everyone is a sinner.
- b. The payment for sin is death. (in hell)
- c. Jesus died for everyone's sin.
- d. You must believe in your heart that Jesus died for you.
- e. You must ask Him to forgive you, and to save you.

ASK: Would like for me to pray with you?

ASK: Based on the Bible, if you died right now. where would you spend eternity?

1 John 5:13 - "These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God."

Do you express your love, or just assume that your love will be seen in your actions alone? John wrote, "My little children, let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth." (1 Jn 3:18). But he did not mean that we are *not* to express our love. He does otherwise himself, referring to his readers as "beloved" five times in this small letter of 1 John.



Perhaps no one in history has openly repeated the sentiment of love like the apostle Paul. Over and over again, he speaks of it. For instance, he said this to the Thessalonians: So being affectionately desirous of you, we were willing to have imparted unto you, not the gospel of God only, but also our own souls, because ye were dear unto us. (1Thess 2:8)

Here is love both in word and deed. We should learn by his model, especially toward those we care for the most—like a spouse or a family member with whom you have shared life for years. Live your love, certainly, but also say it often.



Valentine's Banquet

February 11, 2011
 6:00 p.m. @ Crenshaw's
 (between Trenton & Humboldt)
 Call Stacy @ TBC to get signed up.

Solutions to Anagrams - Books of the Bible

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Sunday 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 10:30 a.m. Teen Church
 6:00 p.m. Evening Service

Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Awana
 6:30 p.m. Teen Church
 6:45 p.m. Prayer Service

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Be Found Faithful!

If you have any suggestions or an article that you would like included in the next month's newsletter, please contact Judi Bullington by phone at 731-414-0263 or email at judi.bullington@templebaptistmilan.com