Temple Baptist Church

1801 Market Street Wilmington, NC 28403 April 6, 2025



To Know Christ . . . and to Make Him Known

Morning Worship Sunday, April 6th

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Please silence all cell phones and other electronic devices.

When the music begins, please meditate quietly to prepare for worship.

To use the hearing loop, set hearing aids to the "T" setting.

### We Gather to Worship

Fellowship and Hospitality

Music for Meditation

Welcome & Invocation Dr. Rudy Ramphal

\*Call to Worship 289 "Days of Elijah" Robin Mark

Responsive Reading Dr. Rudy Ramphal

Leader: God has told us what is good and what the Lord requires from us:

Congregation: To do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with our God.

Leader: I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.

Congregation: Therefore, let us deny ourselves, take up our cross, and follow Christ.

All: And as we go, we will make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and we will teach them to obey everything that Christ has commanded us. (Micah 6:8, Romans 12:1, Matthew 16:24, and Matthew 28:19-20)

\*Hymn 28 "To God Be the Glory" DIADEMATA

Pastoral Prayer

Dr. Rudy Ramphal

(The Pastoral Prayer will end with the Lord's Prayer. The words are printed on the screen.)

\*Hymn 371 "Come, All Christians, Be Committed"

\*Offertory Prayer Logan Cartwright

Offertory

\*Response 668 "Doxology" OLD HUNDRETH

Children's Sermon Marlena Guyton

Worship Anthem "Were You There?" arr. Harlan

Sermon & Sermon Dr. Rudy Ramphal

"Determination" Luke 9:51-62

\*Invitation 243 "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone" MAITLAND

The Gospel of Jesus Christ is a call to faith and obedience.

We invite those who desire to declare their faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, or to express new or renewed commitments to Christ, or to join Temple Baptist Church to come forward during this hymn to share your response with the Pastor, or to contact him after today's service or during the week.

\*Benediction Dr. Rudy Ramphal

Postlude

\* Please stand as you are able



Engaging Our Community with the Presence of Christ and the Power of His Gospel...

| "Determination"  Luke 9:51-62 |             |
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Temple Baptist Church expresses Christian love and sympathy to: *The family of Edwina Batson in her death on April 1, 2025.* 



SENIOR SAINTS LUNCHEON with Sandwiches & Sides Tuesday, April 15th at 12 noon

\$5.00 per person needs to be paid to Dorothy Powell. Sign up sheet is on bulletin board. Come join us!!



Year round collections for Operation Christmas Child...

#### <u>Listed below are items needed for shoeboxes</u>:

School supplies, kids' toys, coloring books, crayons, books, clothing for kids (socks, hats, gloves, t-shirts, underwear), toothbrushes, soap, combs, hairbrushes, small flashlights w/ batteries—You may start brining your items.

See Dana Edens for further information.

Please bring donations for blessing bags. We are in need of vienna sausages, tuna/chicken snacks, granola bars, nabs, individual nut packs, small boxes of raisins, small packs of wet wipes, hand warmers. Also, please bring lightly used or new coats, hats, scarves, gloves, sweaters, pants, socks, blankets. We are restocking our coat closet. Drop off in parlor.

Hotdog Lunches usually occur on the 3rd Thursday of each month from noon -2 p.m. But our next one will be on the fourth Thursday, April 24th. Come and invite friends.



The flowers in the sanctuary today
are given in loving memory of
my wife, Betty Tompkins Hardison
and our daughter, Valerie Hardison Thomas
by Milton Hardison



## **April 18th**

Service starts at 6:30 p.m. TBC Sanctuary

We will also Observe the Lord's Supper during this service.

EASTER EGG HUNT Saturday, April 19th 11:00 am—1:00 pm



Enjoy food, bounce houses, games, popcorn and snow cones. We need volunteers to donate cakes. Please contact Marlena Guyton at (910) 578-9904 if you can help.

Make plans to come for a great and fun filled day!



# Sunday, April 20th

We again will feature Temple's beautiful flower cross on Easter Sunday. Remember to bring cuttings from your yard or live flowers of any kind to fill our cross.

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APRIL 6: Nancy Manning; APRIL 8: Ann Lucas, Mary Hannah Hughes; APRIL 12: Kathy Murphy; APRIL 13: Mary Beth Sasser; APRIL 14: Patricia Farmer; APRIL 19: Kendall Hickman; APRIL 21: Treva McKoy; APRIL 26: Jo Tatum Smith

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

(18th Street)

SUNDAY, 04/06/25

9:45 Sunday School

11:00 Morning Worship 7:00 College/Career Bible Study

MONDAY, 04/07/25

10:00 Women's Bible Study

TUESDAY, 04/08/25

8:30 Brotherhood Breakfast

10:15 Faithfully Fit (Midtown Y)

WEDNESDAY, 04/09/25

6:00 Children's Choir

6:15 Prayer Service & Bible Study

7:00 Adult Choir

THURSDAY, 04/10/25

10:15 Faithfully Fit (Midtown Y)

Deacon Security Sunday, April 6th Mel & Jill Tootoo



NANCY MANNING 1809 Fordham Road Wilmington, NC 28403

Happy Birthday to Nancy on her birthday today!

~ PRAYER LIST ~

Bundy Henderson Bill & Golden Humphrey Joanne Harrelson Kenneth Hufham Linda Davis Jovce Crawford Virgil Taylor Del Parkerson Linda Robins Bill & Sue Forehand June Newman Sandy Lloyd Bill & Jeanne Poole Debbie Smith Nancy Manning Henry Tootoo

Cara Isenhour
Tatum & Greg Manbeck
(Jo Smith's daughter & son-in-law)
Mark Schutte (The Henderson's son-in-law)
Libby Prince

James & Judy Matthews (friends of Jeff and Lorrie Oaks) Ben & Peggy Croom Elizabeth Tobeck

(Gail & Roger Johnson's granddaughter) Virginia Gause (Donna Cavedo's mother) Angie Edwards (Tom & Susan Hutson's niece)

Roxann Ellis/Donna Brewer (Melinda Sowers' sister & cousin) Rosie Rugg (Mel Tootoo's sister) Maurice & Maryan Formyduval

Daisy Casey (Jill Tootoo's aunt)
Jerry & Pat Babson (Melinda Sowers' parents)
Debra Vuocolo (friend of Mel & Jill Tootoo)
Timmy Ellis (Melinda Sowers' brother-in-law)

Martin & Frances Hall
Anne Rotruch, Betty Purser
(Joyce Crawford's sisters)
Scott & Teresa Williams
Melody Shaver
(June Hickman/Mark Allen's sister)

Carol Bates (friend of Deborah Morgan)
Hollis Byrd (Eloise Chester's sister)
Brenda Miller (Debbie Morgan's aunt)
Matthew Williams (friend of Melinda Sowers)
Clyde Pender

Kathy Dombroski (friend of Brenda Chandler)
Brenda Chandler (eye injections)
Shirley Williams



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