## TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

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The Little Church with a BIG Heart!



Even the righteousness of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ unto all and upon all them that believe: for there is no difference: For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God; Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus. (Romans 3:22-24)

The Scripture says we are made right with God by placing our faith in Jesus Christ. And this applies to everyone who believes, no matter who we are.

Do you ever wonder what makes a person a believer or who is considered to be a Christian?

The word "Christian" is used three times in the New Testament (Acts 11:26;26:28; 1 Peter 4:16). Followers of Jesus Christ were first called "Christians" in Antioch (Acts 11:26) because their behavior, activity, and speech were like Christ. The word "Christian" literally means, "belonging to the party of Christ" or a "follower of Christ."

Many people who do not believe and trust in Jesus Christ consider themselves Christians simply because they go to church or they live in a "Christian" nation. But going to church, serving those less fortunate than you, or being a good person does not make you a Christian. Going to church does not make you a Christian any more than going to a garage makes you an automobile.

Being a Christian is determined solely by believing in Jesus Christ; that He died for your sins and conquered death by rising from the grave.

The Bible teaches that the good works we do cannot make us acceptable to God. Titus 3:5 says, "Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;" So, a Christian is someone who has been born again by God (John 3:3; John 3:7; 1 Peter 1:23) and has put faith and trust in Jesus Christ. Ephesians 2:8 tells us that it is "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:"

If you are wrestling with yourself about whether you are a believer, the question to answer for yourself is what do you believe about Jesus Christ? For, a true Christian is a person who has put faith and trust in the person and work of Jesus Christ, including His death on the cross as payment for your sins and His resurrection on the third day as justification for your reconciliation with God the Father. Thus, a true Christian is a child of God, part of God's true family, and one who has been given new life in Jesus Christ.

PRAYER: Lord God, I believe Jesus Christ is my Lord and Savior. I believe His redemptive work on the cross pardoned my sins and defeated my death. I believe His resurrection on the third day as justification for my reconciliation with God the Father. You are my guide and protector, Lord. Help me endure the storms in my life as You go with me through unknown trials and tribulations, so I may be encouraged and strengthened in my faith in you. I give myself to You, God Almighty, to hold in Your righteous hand in perfect peace. With You, all is well with me. I pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Antoine Speller, Butreach Minister



Sunday, October 13th, 2019

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship—Jim Greer, Pastor

11:30 am Concert—Chris Sheppard

12:30 Homecoming Lunch (Bring enough food for your family and 2 others)



Special Singing with Chris Sheppard



Former Pastor Rev. Jim Greer & wife





Sheila Sanders October 2nd

Doug Joyner October 8th

Margaret Amanfoh October 10th

Sammy Simpson October 24th

Gene Moore October 25th



Ray & Carol McAninch

Oct. 21st

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**SENIOR SAINTS** FALL FESTIVAL THURSDAY, OCT. 24th 6 pm

Hot Dogs Cotton Candy Candied Apples Popcorn Costume Contest









The Trinity Kids group will be camping Oct 26th—28th



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JUNIOR SAINTS FALL FESTIVAL SATURDAY, OCT. 26th 5 pm









## Dear Brothers and Sisters of Trinity Baptist Church:



Once again, I am going back to Ghana to continue the eye care ministry. Praise God for another successful year of the ministry.

Since 2014, I have spent more time in Ghana providing eye care and to reach more people through the gospel of Jesus Christ. In Ghana, we don't have enough eye doctors to go round.

The greatest global needs in eye health today exist in developing countries, where typical barriers include inadequate human resources, poor infrastructure, lack of awareness and limited access to medical treatments. I pray to God to help me to take eye care around all communities in Ghana as a means to also meet the spiritual needs of the people.

Thank you, Trinity, for your prayers, support and generosity to fight avoidable blindness and deliver better services to poor people who have no access to vision care.

The following is a record of eyeglasses I have received previously:

875 pairs of reading eyeglasses

120 pairs of sunglasses

480 pairs of used prescription eyeglasses

Please continue to pray for me, my family, and my Ghana mission. If the Lord wills, I will be back in May 2020.

Your in Christ,

**Kwame Amanfoh** 



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## **Worship Opportunities**

**Sunday** 

SS Bible Study 9:45 am

Morning Worship 11:00 am

Evening Worship 6:00 pm

Choir Practice 4:45 pm

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 pm

**Brotherhood** 

3<sup>rd</sup> Sat of Each Month

7:00 pm

**Prayer Warriors** 

1st & 3rd Tues of Each Month

10:00 am

**Feed the Homeless** 

1st Thurs of Each Month

5:00 pm



**Pastor Search Committee** 

Jim & Linda Almond

**Gene Moore** 

**Tammy Moffatt** 

**Tommy & Alice Ashe** 

"Names in our Prayer Box"



Elwood Frick 2020 704-525-0092

Bill Adkins 2020 803-322-8658

Tommy Ashe 2020 704-525-4268

Bill Porter 2021 980-267-0014

Larry Sanders 2021 704-915-0127

Sammy Simpson 2021 704-529-2843

W. A. Holland 2022 704-574-8835



We are collecting hard candy for the Red Box Ministry which gives a Christmas gift (a red shoe box filled with necessities) to each and every female inmate in the state of NC.

Secondly, we will filling and collection Operation Christmas Child boxes shortly. They will be due Sunday, November 17th. Boxes will be available in the foyer, so start shopping and filling!



The WMU (sisterhood) will be meeting 10/11/19 at 2:30 pm.

Do you care about reaching others for Christ? Do you pray and support missionaries? Do you enjoy fellowshipping with other ladies? Please join us as we do missions, learn about missions, pray for missions, and support the work of the church.



Sat

Sun

		1 PRAYER WARRIORS	WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING	Help Us Feed Homeless	4	5
Deacons Meeting  4:45 pm	7	8	WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING	10	11 WMU 2:30 pm	12 MEN'S BRERKERST  8:00 am
13 CHURCH HOMECOMING	14	15 PRAYER WARRIORS	WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING	17	18	19
20	21	22	WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING	24 Sr. Saints Fall Festival 6:00 pm	25	26 Jr. Saints Fall Festival 5:00 pm
27 Penny March	28	29	WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING	31		