

\*Birthdays

# MARCH 2026

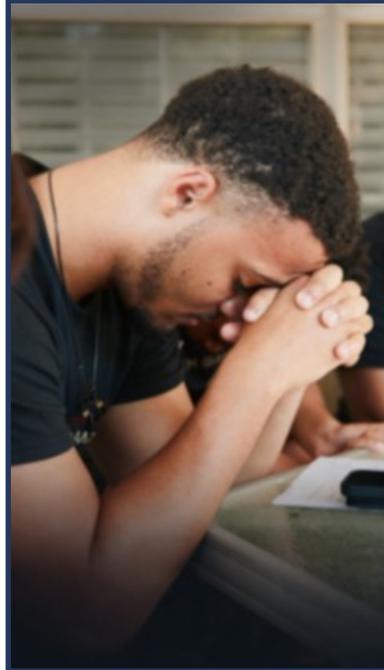
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 9a-Music Rehearsal 10a-Sunday School 11a-Worship 5p-Evening Bible Study	2	3	*Ghelia Martin 4 5:30p-Hybrid Prayer Mtg 5:30p-Youth Bible Study	5	*Randy Ikard 6 *Larry Speck	7 Don't forget to set your clocks ahead 1 hr tonight! 
 8 <b>SPRING FORWARD</b> 9a-Music Rehearsal 10a-Sunday School 11a-Worship 5p-Evening Bible Study	9	10	*Judy Speck 11  -NEW TIMES!- 6:30p-Hybrid Prayer Mtg 6:30p-Youth Bible Study	12	13	14 Bell Rehearsal 10am 
15 9a-Music Rehearsal 10a-Sunday School 11a-Worship 2p-Silver Creek Ministry 5p-Evening Bible Study	16	17 *Frank Thompson 	18 5:30p-Choir Practice -NEW TIMES!- 6:30p-Hybrid Prayer Mtg 6:30p-Youth Bible Study	19	20	21 *Ron Fitzgerald Bell Rehearsal 10am Joy Class Meeting 11:30am 
22 9a-Music Rehearsal 10a-Sunday School 11a-Worship 5p-Evening Bible Study	23	24	25 5:30p-Choir Practice -NEW TIMES!- 6:30p-Hybrid Prayer Mtg 6:30p-Youth Bible Study	26	27	28 Bell Rehearsal 10am 
29 9a-Music Rehearsal 10a-Sunday School 11a-Worship 5p-Evening Bible Study	30	31	April Birthdays 4/1-Harrison Brown    4/15-Whiteleigh Crouch 4/1-James Martin    4/15-Phillip Patterson 4/6-BJ Young    4/16-Peggy Brown 4/6-Taylor Young    4/22-Cayman Blount 4/23-Ann Johnson			

# TEMPLE TIDINGS

Temple Baptist Church

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*Annie Armstrong*  
*Easter Offering*  
**Week of Prayer**  
March 1-8, 2026

Each year, churches observe the **Week of Prayer** for North American Missions by praying for missionaries, their ministries, and their families. North American missionaries take the gospel to unreached communities throughout the U.S. and Canada. They depend on your prayers to open hearts and help them disciple new believers.

**"WHAT A GLORIOUS THING IT IS TO BE A CO-WORKER WITH GOD IN WINNING THE WORLD FOR CHRIST."**

**- ANNIE ARMSTRONG**



# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear TBC Family,

March is the spring-cleaning month. It's the in-between month—a bridge between winter and spring. I trust you have made it through the cold winter and are looking forward to the beauty of God's creation awakening from its winter nap.

It's time to wipe away the winter dust and open the windows to welcome the newness and freshness of spring. This needs to happen to us spiritually as well. It's a great time to fine-tune the disciplines that keep us close to Christ: Bible study, Scripture memory, witnessing, involvement with other believers, worship, service and prayer.

As we move through March and the season of lent to celebrate Easter let me challenge each of you to commit to "fast" from or give up something during these 40 days: special foods, media, workday lunch, talking/texting, soda, coffee, tv, etc. Use the time you would do these things to pray and read God's Word in preparation for celebrating the glorious resurrection of Christ on April 5.

March 1-8, we will be observing our annual Week of Prayer for North American missions with the theme this year, MORE THAN A GIFT. Also, we will be receiving our Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American missions. 100 percent – goes to train, resource and send thousands of missionaries involved in church planting and compassion ministries across the United States, Canada and their territories. Pray and give as the Lord leads you!

Rejoicing in God's grace and goodness,  
Sam



# JOIN US!

## SUNDAYS AT TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH:

Music Rehearsal 9am—See Cayman Blount if you would like to join us.  
Bible Study 10am—Classes for all ages.  
Morning Worship 11am—You can also listen to worship onsite through your car radio on 87.9FM.  
\*Evening Bible Study 5:00pm—We do not meet for Evening Study on holiday weekends or during June/July. Watch your bulletin or online church calendar for updates.

WEDNESDAY: Youth Group in person 5:30pm\*

\*6:30 after 3/8

Prayer Meeting (in person or on Zoom ) 5:30pm\*  
(Meeting ID: 844 462 5736, Passcode: 568363)

GIVING: Supporting the work of our Lord through TBC is easier than ever:

- ◆ You can continue to give onsite.
- ◆ You can mail your donation—the mailbox is checked regularly.
- ◆ You can give safely online using our website: TempleBaptistOB.com by simply clicking on the **GIVE** tab.



Time change takes effect on March 8th. Don't forget to set your clocks FORWARD one hour on Saturday night, March 7th, or you will be late to church! Our Wednesday night meetings will also move from 5:30pm to 6:30pm on March 11.

LADIES JOY CLASS MTG.  
MARCH 21, 2026  
@ 11:30am

The Ladies Joy Sunday School class will meet at the Chambers' home on Saturday, March 21. See Joette or Sylvia for details.



# outreach



Join us as we minister to the residents of Silver Creek on Sunday, March 15 @ 2pm. See Sam for details.



PRAYER DRIVE-THRU  
GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3 @ 5PM  
Join us as we reach out to our community through prayer! See Sam or Cayman if you would like to get involved in this ministry.



Sing and make music from your heart to the LORD. Ephesians 5:19



BELL REHEARSALS  
Saturdays @ 10AM, March 14-28  
Come join us in ringing the bells!  
See Mary Nell Thompson for details.

CHOIR REHEARSALS  
Wednesdays @ 5:30pm  
March 18–April 1

Join us as we rehearse before our Prayer Meeting. See Cayman for details.

