



*There's a Place for You!*

*Sunday, September 20, 2009*

*BRING A FRIEND TO CHURCH SUNDAY*

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**Green**

**16th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**Sunday, September 20, 2009**  
10:00 AM

**ENTRANCE and PRAISE**

THE GATHERING		Contemporary Praise
ANNOUNCEMENTS & WELCOME		
PRAISE SONGS	“Arise” “He Is Exalted”	Congregation
OPENING PRAYER		
THE PSALTER	Psalm 24:1 - 6	UMH #755
GLORIA PATRI		UMH #70
	<i>“Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.”</i>	
IMPROVISATIONAL PRAISE		Shawn Brown
OFFERTORY	“I Give You My Heart”	Contemporary Praise
DOXOLOGY		UMH #94
	<i>“Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!”</i>	

## PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

ILLUMINATION THROUGH MUSIC “Let the Church Rise” Sanctuary Choir  
GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 6:24 - 34  
SERMON **”The Generous Life”** Tom Wilkinson

## SCATTERING INTO THE WORLD

INVITATIONAL HYMN “Here I Am Lord” Hymn #593

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE IN SONG

*Because He lives, I can face tomorrow; because He lives, all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future, And life is worth the living just because He lives.*

POSTLUDE PRAISE Shawn Brown

MEMORY VERSE

*“Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be lifted up, ye everlasting doors;  
and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory?  
The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.”*

*Psalm 24: 7- 8*

**Worship Attendance for 9/13/09**

**STEWARDSHIP**

<b>Service 10:00 am</b>	<b>261</b>	2009 Operating Budget	\$665,517
<b>Sunday School - 8:45am</b>	<b>68</b>	2009 Operating Budget YTD	\$473,541
		2009 Contributions to date	\$386,118
<i>Worship Attendance 9/6/09</i>	<i>192</i>	<b>Over/under operating YTD</b>	<b>(\$87,423)</b>
<i>“I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord.”</i>		2007& 2008 Insurance Carryover (This is an ex - budget item)	44,564

*“Life is what we are alive to. It is not length but breath.. Be alive to... goodness, kindness,  
purity, love, history, poetry, music, flowers, stars, God and eternal hope.”*

*Maltbie D. Babcock*

**SERMON NOTES**

*“The Generous Life”*

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**OUR MISSION**

*Tuskawilla UMC is committed to providing a place to **BELONG**; to a community of faith,  
a place to **GROW** in that faith and a place to **SERVE** the faith.*

**OUR VISION**

*A place to **BELONG**, **GROW** and **SERVE**. There's a place for **YOU!***

*Visit our website at [www.tumcfl.org](http://www.tumcfl.org) for  
news & info about TUMC*

## **WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS**

*We are glad that you chose to visit with us today at TUMC. Please take a moment to complete the card you will receive from an usher and place it in the offering plate so that we may have a record of your visit here today. Please do not hesitate to contact us at 407-699-8155 or at [office@tumcfl.org](mailto:office@tumcfl.org). Blessings!*

## **MEETING REMINDERS**

- Sunday, Sept 20: (Today) - 11:30am - 1:00pm: UM Foundation Workshop
- Saturday, Sept 26:
- 7:30am: Student leaders leave for retreat
  - 8am - 2pm: 3rd Annual Stewardship Summit
  - 8:30am - 9:30am: Fit 4 Life presents ZUMBA
- Sunday, Sept 27:
- Children's Sunday School Kick off
- Thursday, Oct 1:
- 12noon: 50+ Monthly Luncheon
- Saturday, Oct 3:
- 9:00am: Men's Fellowship & Breakfast
  - 9:30am - 2pm: New Members' Orientation
- Wednesday, Oct 7:
- 6:30 pm: Disciple III Bible Study
- Saturday, Oct 10:
- 9:00am: Pumpkins are delivered/Pumpkin Patch opens
- Fri. Oct 16 & Sat. Oct 17:
- Lay Speaking Training - East Central District- 1st UMC Pine Hills
- Saturday, Oct 17:
- 9:am: Community Outreach project

## **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Operation Christmas Child (OCC), a project of Samaritan's Purse, brings joy and hope to children in desperate situations worldwide through gift-filled shoe boxes and the Good News of God's love. The TUMC Missions Team has adopted this worthwhile effort as the October Mission of the Month

## **HANDBELLS ARE BACK!**

We are excited to announce that the Handbell Choir will begin rehearsals on Wednesday, September 30 at 7:00 PM. They will continue rehearsals every other Wednesday thereafter. No matter your experience-level, or lack thereof, please feel free to join us! Rehearsals will be held in the Sanctuary.

## **LAUNCHING A BRAND NEW INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE**

Beginning Thursday, October 22 at 6:00 PM, rehearsals will begin for this new group. Rehearsals will continue every other Thursday thereafter. Brass, Woodwind, String, Percussion, Keyboard, and other type instrumental players, middle-school aged through Senior adult, are encouraged to join. Even if you haven't played in many years, you will feel comfortable in this educationally-friendly, casual learning environment. For more information, please see Joseph V. Shelley, Director of Music Ministries.

## CHRISTMAS CANTATA PRODUCTION MEETING

Yes friends, the time is drawing near and your help is needed to make our Christmas Cantata a beautiful experience as we see the Christmas story through song and drama.

On Tuesday, September 29 at 7:00 PM :The following folks are needed in a planning meeting for "One Incredible Moment."

~Narrators    ~Actors            ~Costume Coordinator, Set & Stage Designers and Helpers  
~ Prop Coordinator   ~ Advertising Coordinator.

If you are interested in giving of your time towards this project, please plan on attending. For any additional information, please contact Cheryl Whetzel at 407-409-2066.

## YOUTH OUTREACH

**Reaching Out Across Generations** – for a few months the youth have been assisting the residents of Hacienda Village in Winter Springs with window washing, pulling weeds, raking leaves, and spreading mulch as a gift to the community. This work is more difficult as we age, however the youth have lots of energy. We would also like to expand this and offer help to any church members as well who struggle physically with doing these chores, but we are having difficulty finding people willing to accept our gift! Please let our young people help and bridge the generation gap. If you need our help, please contact Kathy Rexroad at [youth@tumcfl.org](mailto:youth@tumcfl.org), or 407-699-8155.

## OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY

TUMC'S Outreach Committee is launching it's Community Clean Up (Outreach Program) beginning October 17, Saturday, 9:00 to approx 11:00 and continuing every other month (we won't have one in Dec because of Christmas). Members of this committee invite you to come out and join them and help clean up our Community. Volunteers should bring a trash bag, gloves and meet in the church parking lot at 9:00 am on Oct 17. Please wear a TUMC T-shirt if you have one. If you plan to attend and do not have a T-shirt, please call Lynn in the church office.

## SP RECYCLING

Do you know that TUMC recycles? Oh yes we do... We are contracted with SP Recycling who recently advised us that they are increasing their payments. Their recycle bin is the smaller of the two bins located in the parking lot at the back. SP Recycling accepts the following: Newspaper, Magazines, Catalogues, white office paper and shredded paper.

They still do NOT accept: phonebooks, cardboard or plastic bags.

## YOUTH NEWS

**AMPLIFY Youth Group** will be serving in the community today from 4:00-7:00p.m. **Parents note – We will return to the church by 8:00 p.m. for pick-up.** Dinner will be served by 4:15 p.m. Don't forget to wear appropriate, comfortable clothing and shoes, bug spray, and sunscreen. NO flip flops! Bring any yard tools you may have marked with your name.

**Retreat for Youth Student Leadership** is next Saturday and Sunday, September 26-27. Your \$65.00 registration fee is due today at youth group.

**NO AMPLIFY youth group** next Sunday due to the Leadership Retreat. There **will** be Sunday school, however.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

**ARISE Junior Youth Group** for third – fifth graders begins on **Wednesday, September 30, from 5:30-7:30 p.m.** Our mission is "Building Christian Character." Recreation, small groups, choir, and a \$2.00 snack dinner will be included as part of the programming. For more information, contact Theresa Morris at [TMORRIS008@cfl.rr.com](mailto:TMORRIS008@cfl.rr.com) or Kathy Rexroad at [youth@tumcfl.org](mailto:youth@tumcfl.org), or call the church office.

**Children's Sunday School** will kick off next Sunday, September 27 at 8:45 a.m. Visit our "kick-off" table outside the sanctuary this morning to see what we have in store. Two classes will be offered – **kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> grades**, meeting in room 14, and **3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grades** meeting in room 16/18. Don't miss out on the fun!

**The Children's Moment** will be brought back to worship on Sunday, October 11. The Children's Ministries Council has decided to change our format from Kid's Church to adult-supervised children's games, crafts and activities in the fellowship hall following the children's moment in "big" church. Contact Cheryl Whetzel at [cheryl@whetzelphotos.com](mailto:cheryl@whetzelphotos.com) if you would like to assist in this ministry.

## FIT 4 LIFE PRESENTS ZUMBA®

**Zumba is coming to TUMC:** Zumba® is fun...it's the type of exercise you'll want to do everyday and feel good about doing it! It's different and effective. Zumba® fuses hypnotic latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program that will blow you away! On **Saturday, September 26** at 8:30 am, instructor Mariso Mutis will lead a demonstration class. Join those already doing cardio and weights and get a first hand taste of Zumba. When you add some Latin flavor and international zest into your normal exercise routine, you've got Zumba®!

## CHURCH CALENDAR September 20 - September 26, 2009

### Sunday, Sept 20

8:45 am Sunday School\*  
10:00 am Worship Service  
11:30 am UM Foundation workshop - FH  
2:30 pm *Halo Praise Band Rehearsal*  
2:30 pm *Heavenly Expressions Rehearsal*  
4:00 pm Youth Group

### Monday, Sept 21

5:00 pm "I Love My Parents" Girls Support Group.  
7:00 pm Middle School Bible Study  
7:00 pm Fit 4 Life Holy Yoga/Praying Pilates

### Tuesday, Sept 22

9:30 am Mary Martha Group

### Wednesday, Sept 23

5:30 pm Halo Youth Praise Band Rehearsal  
6:00 pm Children's Choir  
6:30 pm Disciple I Bible Study  
7:30 pm *High School Bible Study*

### Thursday, Sept 24

6:00 pm Drama Ministry Workshop  
6:30 pm NAMI Support Group Meeting  
7:00 pm College & Career Bible Study  
7:15 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

### Friday, Sept 25

9:00 pm Women's Bible Study

### Saturday, Sept 26

7:30 am Youth Leadership leave for Retreat  
8:00 am Prayer Group

**Key: FH - Fellowship Hall**

**\* Nursery**

***Italics denotes Youth Group***

### SERVING THE LORD TODAY AT TUMC

**Greeters:** *Beth Frazee, Tom Frazee, Annette Sullivan, Dave Brubaker, Donna Chambliss, John Chambliss, Connie Hicks*

**Ushers:** *Richard Lane, Tom Love, John Pitts, John Summey, Rex Straw*



*The flowers on the altar today are given by Beverly Derr in memory of her mother Betty Derr and, by Lena Titus in memory of the birthday of her mother, Cynthia Valentine.*

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