



TRI COUNTY
BAPTIST
CHURCH

TRI COUNTY TIMES

Sunday
Aug 3, 2025

"THE CHURCH OF THE LIVING GOD, A PILLAR AND BUTTRESS OF THE TRUTH" 1 TIMOTHY 3:15

WELCOME ALL! Guests please complete Welcome Card in seat back so that we may best serve you. Place in the lobby basket!

COUNSELORS: After each service, there are counsellors at the front of the worship center who are available to pray with you.

JOIN US for coffee and pastries in the Cafe and Courtyard!

WIFI CODE: Guest32159

SERVICE TIMES:

Sunday Morning 8:30, 9:45, 11:00AM

Sunday Praise Gathering 5:00PM

9:45AM BIBLE CLASSES:

Children - see Welcome Center

Mid Sch/Teens - Rm 13

Young Adults - Rm 11

Mid-Age Adults - Rm 102

Adults - Rm 103

PRAYER REQUEST: Submit on Welcome Card or email at pray@tricounty.church

SOCIAL MEDIA:

Web: www.tricounty.church

Facebook: facebook.com/

TriCountyBaptist/

YouTube: "TriCountyTV"

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Offering Box: back of auditorium.

Online: at tricounty.church

Mobile Device: Vanco App

Mail: Tri County Baptist Church

7/27 General Fund: \$10,198.00

7/27 Mort. Pay-Down: \$575.00

(current \$459,803.00)

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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT:

At our Quarterly Business Meeting, Sunday night, July 27, the congregation voted to make available \$20,000 for the Expansion Team to hire a consultant and pay for any related costs in conducting a feasibility study and other planning for a new church facility.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE/HELP:

Make note on Welcome Card:

- **Operation Christmas Child Donations for August:** TOYS/ WOW items, soccer balls and pumps, nerf balls, dolls, dinosaurs, jump ropes, hot wheels, small trucks and cars, and play doh. Contact Joanna Cubilla.
- **Food Donations:** non-perishable food donations for Caring Hands Ministry (FBC Wildwood) in lobby.

Looking for a 9:45AM Class?

- Teen Class, Rm 13
- Young Adult Class, Rm 11
- Middle Adult Class, Rm 102
- Senior Adult Class, Rm 103

Widowers Fellowship Group -

meets every other Thursday at 9:30AM. Contact Pete Avripas 618.218.2973

GUEST SERVICES:

Today: Bill Schmidt, Chuck Loomis, Jerry Hendrickson, Joe Hughes

Next Sunday: Jerry Simar, Al Schulz, Grant Bell, Jodie Bell

UPCOMING EVENTS:

TONIGHT

- Praise Gathering, 5PM.
- Message by Pastor George

MONDAY

- Missions Meeting, 9AM.
- Daystar Bible Institute, 10:30AM & 5:30PM.

WEDNESDAY

- Heart for Kids Crafts, 9AM

THURSDAY

- Day to Pray, 9AM-3PM
- Handbells 4:30 PM, Rm 102

FRIDAY

- Creation Station, 1PM.
- Singles Dine Out, 3:30PM, visit Welcome Center

SATURDAY

- Disciplines of a Godly Man, 8:30AM.

WEDNESDAY, August 13

- Family Kickball & Hot Dogs, 6-8PM.

TUESDAY, August 19

- Pastors & Deacons Meeting, 1PM.

SUNDAY, August 31

- Baptism Sunday, see Pastor George.
- Floats & Fireworks, 8:30PM.



ADVENTURE CLUB

- A fun-filled way to learn basic Bible doctrines!
- For Kids Kindergarten thru 6th Grade during our 9:45 and 11:00AM Services. Check-In at Welcome Center in lobby.
- Nursery thru age 5 in Rm 6

4 Responses to the Gospel (Mark 4.1-20)

- I. Jesus saw that His message was being primarily _____.
- II. So from that time on He began using more parables to communicate truth.
 - A. This helped His disciples and those who had repented to more fully _____ His message.
 - B. It also kept the truth _____ from those who had already hardened their hearts to it.
 - C. It may have served as a _____ to those who were somewhere in between.
- III. From Christ's Parable of the Sower and the Soils:
 - A. Sower = anyone who proclaims God's message.
 - B. Seed = God's message
 - C. Four Soils = Four Heart Responses to God's message:
 1. Footpath Hard Soil - (A _____ heart) A heart so hard that God's Word has no effect on it. No fruit.
 2. Thin Soil on Rock - (A _____ heart)
A heart that makes an emotional decision to receive Christ, but really does not turn over their life; when trials come they run. No fruit.
 3. Thorn-Infested Soil (A _____ heart) A heart that tries to serve the Lord and another master (money, pleasure, accomplishment, popularity, etc.). No fruit.
 4. Good Soil (A fruitful heart) A heart that receives God's Word deep in their soul—allowing it to take root and to grow and transform them.
 - a) They remain _____ to God's Word.
 - b) They remain faithful through _____.
 - c) They keep God as _____ in their lives.
 - d) They witness great _____ in their lives.