

*We are so glad you came to worship with us today.  
We pray our service was memorable and meaningful for you in every way.*

*Nos alegramos tanto de que Ud. haya decidido adorar a Dios con nosotros hoy. Rezamos que nuestro servicio sea memorable y significativa para Ud. en cada manera.*

### **Mission Statement**

*Bethabara Moravian Church believes because of the love of Jesus Christ revealed in us, that Jesus is "the way, and the truth, and the life and no one comes to the Father but by (him)." John 14:6*

*Bethabara Moravian Church leads people to an active relationship with Jesus Christ by providing a path of worship, prayer, and knowledge of God's Word through our Moravian heritage and Christian fellowship.*

**Moravian Motto:** "In essentials unity; in non-essentials, liberty; and in all things love."



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# *Bethabara*

## *Moravian Church*

*Remembering the Past, Envisioning the Future*

*Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany  
February 6, 2011*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

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## MORNING PRAYER

### THE CHURCH IN GIVING

Receiving of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory Anthem      *Swing Low, Sweet Chariot*

The Doxology

CHILDREN'S SERMON      Jeannie May

SERMON      *Time: An Offering to God*      Rev. Tripp May

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## BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

Since February is Black History Month, the choir will be singing spirituals all month. As a little background, before 1865 slavery was an important issue facing churches, as slaves were allowed to meet for Christian services. They lyrics of negro spirituals were linked with the lives of their authors, who were slaves. The spirituals were inspired by the message of Jesus Christ and his Good News of the Bible, that you can be saved.

The piece we are singing today "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" was written by Wallis Willis, a Choctaw freedman in the old Indian Territory, sometime before 1862. He was inspired by the Red River which reminded him of the Jordan River and of the Prophet Elijah being taken to heaven by a chariot.

# PRAYER LIST



Jim Barnard-Rachel Pike's <i>brother-in-law</i>	Kate McBride
Edna Blevins	Pat Mobley-home
Judy Briggs-Gloria Long's cousin	The Family of Urrell Morgan- <i>Dick Morgan's sister-in-law</i>
Dot Bruce	Toni Murphy -on chemo
Hilda Burton-Alan Burton's <i>mother</i>	Ernest Pendry-Fern's brother
James Carroll Jr.-Paulette's brother	Howard Pendry-Fern's <i>brother</i>
Rev. Russell Cherry-Jeannie <i>May's</i>	Rachael Pike
<i>Dad</i>	Carolyn Redding- <i>at home!</i>
Sara Cooke	Gay Nell Reich
Rose Crafton-Edna Blevins' sister	Carlyle Reynolds
Chip Davis	Becky Sapp
Libby Pike Davis	Michelle Shanks -breast <i>cancer-friend of Elia Garcia</i>
Lynn Davis-Daphine Sams' niece	Joyce Shields- <i>breast cancer</i>
Denita Duncan	Ozzie Snyder
Luella Everhart	Edna Teague-Kristy Sapp's <i>grandmother</i>
Shara Gales- <i>Kidney transplant</i>	Lovina Thompson
Jennifer Gragg	Lynne Vogel-Addison's <i>Disease, Dawn Douglas' sister</i>
Toby William Gragg-pneumonia <i>Carol Rosenbaum's grandson</i>	Ken Welborn- <i>Mary's son</i>
Frances Greiner	George West- <i>waiting liver</i> <i>transplant - Dot Bruce's</i> <i>son-in-law</i>
Jim Greiner -Frances' son	Vaughn Young- <i>sister of</i> <i>Denita Duncan</i>
Don & Carol Griffin	
Vickie Hall-stage 4 cancer <i>friend of Daphine Sams</i>	
Stephanie Hedrick	
Mary Lou Hutchins-dementia <i>Rachel Pike's sister</i>	

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## Today at Bethabara



9:00 a.m.-Intercessory Prayer  
9:45 a.m.-Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.-Worship Service  
12:00 p.m.-Confirmation Class  
12:00 p.m.-Youth Fellowship  
2:00 p.m.-Creative Ministries  
2:00 p.m.-Puppets

## Upcoming Week

Wed. Feb. 9      5:15 p.m. Intercessory Prayer  
                         5:45 p.m. Dinner & Devotions  
                         6:30 p.m. Bible Study (English)  
                         6:30 p.m. ESL & Spanish Classes  
                         6:30 p.m. Activities (K-5th grade),  
   Nursery  
                         7:15 p.m. Adult Choir

Sun.            13      11:00 a.m. Worship  
   **Renewal of Vows Service**  
                         5:00 p.m. **Board Meeting**

## ~ SCRIPTURE LESSON ~

Genesis 1:1-19

**1** In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. **2** The earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep; and the Spirit of God was moving over the face of the waters. **3** And God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. **4** And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. **5** God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, one day.

**6** And God said, "Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." **7** And God made the firmament and separated the waters which were under the firmament from the waters which were above the firmament. And it was so. **8** And God called the firmament Heaven. And there was evening and there was morning, a second day.

**9** And God said, "Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. **10** God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. **11** And God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation, plants yielding seed, and fruit trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind, upon the earth." And it was so. **12** The earth brought forth vegetation, plants yielding seed according to their own kinds, and trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. **13** And there was evening and there was morning, a third day.

**14** And God said, "Let there be lights in the firmament of the heavens to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, **15** and let them be lights in the firmament of the heavens to give light upon the earth." And it was so. **16** And God made the two great lights, the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night; he made the stars also. **17** And God set them in the firmament of the heavens to give light upon the earth, **18** to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. **19** And there was evening and there was morning, a fourth day.



Continuing Prayers for those serving  
in the military:

Rick Sapp  
Diana Gomez Vejar

## ~ SAGRADAS ESCRITURAS ~

Genesis 1:1-19

**1** En el principio creó Dios los cielos y la tierra. **2** Y la tierra estaba desordenada y vacía, y las tinieblas estaban sobre la faz del abismo, y el Espíritu de Dios se movía sobre la faz de las aguas.

**3** Y dijo Dios: Sea la luz; y fue la luz. **4** Y vio Dios que la luz era buena; y separó Dios la luz de las tinieblas. **5** Y llamó Dios a la luz Día, y a las tinieblas llamó Noche. Y fue la tarde y la mañana un día.

**6** Luego dijo Dios: Haya expansión en medio de las aguas, y separe las aguas de las aguas. **7** E hizo Dios la expansión, y separó las aguas que estaban debajo de la expansión, de las aguas que estaban sobre la expansión. Y fue así. **8** Y llamó Dios a la expansión Cielos. Y fue la tarde y la mañana el día segundo.

**9** Dijo también Dios: Júntense las aguas que están debajo de los cielos en un lugar, y descúbrase lo seco. Y fue así. **10** Y llamó Dios a lo seco Tierra, y a la reunión de las aguas llamó Mares. Y vio Dios que era bueno. **11** Después dijo Dios: Produzca la tierra hierba verde, hierba que dé semilla; árbol de fruto que dé fruto según su género, que su semilla esté en él, sobre la tierra. Y fue así. **12** Produjo, pues, la tierra hierba verde, hierba que da semilla según su naturaleza, y árbol que da fruto, cuya semilla está en él, según su género. Y vio Dios que era bueno. **13** Y fue la tarde y la mañana el día tercero.

**14** Dijo luego Dios: Haya lumbreras en la expansión de los cielos para separar el día de la noche; y sirvan de señales para las estaciones, para días y años, **15** y sean por lumbreras en la expansión de los cielos para alumbrar sobre la tierra. Y fue así. **16** E hizo Dios las dos grandes lumbreras; la lumbrera mayor para que señorease en el día, y la lumbrera menor para que señorease en la noche; hizo también las estrellas. **17** Y las puso Dios en la expansión de los cielos para alumbrar sobre la tierra, **18** y para señorear en el día y en la noche, y para separar la luz de las tinieblas. Y vio Dios que era bueno. **19** Y fue la tarde y la mañana el día cuarto.

**Today's Greeters:** Gena Howard

**Greeters Feb. 13:** Dick & Eva Morgan

**Today's Nursery Helpers:** Elia Garcia / Ashley Burton

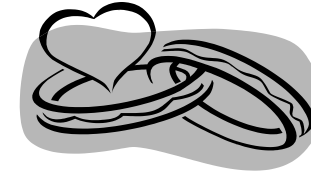
**Nursery:** Elia Garcia / Jo Beth Boyles

### *Renewal of Wedding Vows Service*

Sunday, February 13

(Following Worship)

A **Reception** will be held in the vestibule following the Renewal Service



*A sign-up sheet is in the vestibule for the couples that would like to participate.*

### **Watchword for the Week**

For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified.

*1 Corinthians 2:2*

Pues me propuse no saber entre vosotros cosa alguna sino a Jesucristo, y a éste crucificado.

### **Our Homebound Members: Cards and Visits Appreciated**

**Sara Cooke**-Friends Home , RCB-913, 925 New Garden Road Greensboro, NC 27410

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