

Sunday, October 19, 2025



1. **TODAY WE ARE WORSHIPPING IN PINK** in support of Breast Cancer Awareness. But remember — this month is about more than just wearing pink. It is about taking action. We encourage you to **get involved** by making a donation toward breast cancer research. Throughout the month of October, we will collect donations and send a single contribution from Tabernacle to the **Stefanie Spielman Fund for Breast Cancer Research**. **To contribute, please write “Pink Sunday” on your offering envelope or choose “Pink Sunday” when donating online.** Let’s stand together in faith, hope, and action as we support the fight against breast cancer.
 2. **NOTICE:** The parking lot lines will be restriped on **Tuesday, October 21, 2025**. As a result, the building will be **inaccessible until the afternoon of Wednesday, October 22, 2025**. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.
 3. **SAVE THE DATE! | TRUNK OR TREAT/HARVEST GATHERING | Saturday, October 25 | 2:30-4:30 PM** — Join us for a fun-filled day with **games, activities, and prizes** — including a prize for the **best decorated trunk**. Bring the whole family and come ready for a great time.
 4. The Music Department invites you to a **CELEBRATION OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP** on **Sunday, October 26, 2025, at 4:00 PM**. This uplifting program will feature a **special guest choir**, along with inspiring performances by **Tabernacle’s Adult and Children’s Mimes, Male Chorus, and Mass Choir**. Come worship with us—and don’t forget to bring a friend.
 5. **THANKSGIVING BOX SIGN-UP** — Tabernacle members may now begin submitting names for those in need of a Thanksgiving box. This includes yourself or anyone you know who could benefit — even if they are not a member of Tabernacle.
 - **Deadline for Tabernacle members to submit names: October 26, 2025**
 - If we do not receive enough names from our members (including referrals), we will begin accepting names from outside the Tabernacle community.
 - **Final deadline for all submissions: November 9, 2025**
- To submit a name**, please contact the church office or reach out to any member of the Food Pantry team: Marla Morman, Cecelia Armstead, Sandra Crook, Pearl Farmer, Linda Hendree, Herb Henderson, Sharon Calhoun-Geter, Theresa Gunnell, Marsha Jamison, Catherine Lewis, Dorothy Stevens, Aryca Waller, Kimberly Wilson.
6. **THANKSGIVING BOX DONATIONS**—We are now accepting donations for this year’s Thanksgiving Boxes! Our goal is to fill **100 boxes**, and we need your help to make it happen. Below is the list of items needed and the quantities:
 - Stuffing/Dressing – 100
 - Canned Green Beans – 200
 - Boxed Potatoes – 100
 - Cornbread Mix – 200
 - Cranberry Sauce – 100
 - Cake Mix – 100
 - Gravy – 100
 - Frosting – 100

We are inviting all auxiliaries and ministries to take on the challenge again this year by choosing one item from the list to donate. Please sign up at the table in the gallery by **October 19**. A progress chart will be displayed in the gallery so everyone can track how close each group is to reaching the goal. You do not have to be a member of an auxiliary or ministry to contribute. Please speak with a member of the Pantry Committee to find out what is needed. Security personnel can direct you to the designated donation drop-off area. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

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7. **VOTER ALERT!** The **General Election** will take place on **Tuesday, November 4, 2025**. As responsible citizens and people of faith, let us make sure our voices are heard through the power of voting. Important dates to remember:
 - **November 2 – Early voting ends**
 - **November 4 (by 7:30 PM)** – All **absentee ballots must be received** by the Board of ElectionsIf you **do not have a valid photo ID**, please make arrangements to obtain one as soon as possible. If you are experiencing difficulties with voter registration, renewing your driver's license, getting an ID card, or requesting an absentee ballot, help is available. Please contact **Mertice Monroe at (614) 478-7817** for assistance.
8. Remember our sick and shut-in members with prayers, cards, calls, and visits (when appropriate). Please report updated information about our sick and shut-in members to the church office. The deacons deliver communion to the sick and shut-in on the third Saturday of each month. If you would like the deacons to visit you or a loved one, please call the church office and leave a message.
9. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to all who will celebrate a birthday this week.