

# THE TVNB TIMES

TRUE VINE NEW BETHEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

2639 NORTH THOMAS AVENUE, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55411

### PASTOR'S TEACHING CORNER

#### A Miracle on Troubled Water - Matthew Chapter 14, Verses 24 and 25

<sup>24</sup>But the ship was now in the midst of the sea, tossed with waves: for the wind was contrary. <sup>25</sup>And in the fourth watch of the night Jesus went unto them, walking on the sea.

In this text, Jesus walks on water to reach His disciples, who were caught in a storm. The text said that Jesus had instructed the disciples to go to the other side when the storm came up. There are three reasons that God will send us into trouble and they are:

- 1. He could be trying to get your attention.
- 2. He could be trying to get you ready for what He has prepared for you.
- 3. He could be trying to develop our perseverance.



## PASTOR'S SPOTLIGHT

Every Friday --- Fasting and Praying

Join the TVNB Congregation this week for Fasting Friday. If possible, please fast from the time you wake up on Friday morning until noon. If you must eat before noon for medical reasons, please do so. Otherwise, join me as I ask God to look on our TVNB Family. As we pray, we want to set aside the month of November and ask God, for Physical Healing. Many within our congregation are sick and need God to step in and heal their body. We bare witness to the fact that He can heal us.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

Isaiah 53:5

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# **Bible Study**

Pastor Hightower continued his series *He Did It*. This series reviews the miracles that Jesus performed during His 3-year ministry on earth. Last week we discussed the four categories of miracles. These categories are:

- 1. Healing Miracles
- 2. Nature Miracles
- 3. Resurrection Miracles
- 4. Supply Miracles

There is no Bible Study this Wednesday, Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> - Happy Thanksgiving!

# Birthdays & Anniversaries

#### **November**

- 21<sup>st</sup> Evelyn Smith, Johnny Muff, Evelyn Smith
- 5<sup>th</sup> Donnell Newell & Zell Ray
- 7<sup>th</sup> Greg
- 10<sup>th</sup> Pastor Jessie Griffin, Georgia Mix & Brittney Tucker
- 14<sup>th</sup> Quinyatta Scott & Malhiya May
- 15<sup>th</sup> Lilphonso White
- 16<sup>th</sup> Nakeva Alexander, Artemis Elliott & Tanieya Foster
- 18<sup>th</sup> Roy Nelson & Alaya Patton
- 19<sup>th</sup> Dymond Beavers & Regina Grandberry
- 21<sup>st</sup> Miata Foluke
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Deion Browne
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Shenita Riley
- 24<sup>th</sup> Alfred Ray
- 25<sup>th</sup> Renee Eliott
- 26<sup>t</sup> Veronica Nelson
- 29<sup>th</sup> Lisa Wilson

Happy birthday & anniversary to our members celebrating another year of life & matrimony!





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### **NEWS & NOTES FROM THE WEEK**

### Sunday at TVNB

This past Sunday we recognized Sister Miller and Sister Moore as they completed their new member classes! They are both now eligible for the right-hand of fellowship and will have all rights and privileges as a member of TVNB. Way to go, Sisters Moore and Miller!





### **Prayerfully Thinking of Our Members**

**Pastor Griffin** and **Sister Griffin** have been down the last week battling colds. We pray that they both feel better and are back in the sanctuary soon!

### Happy Thanksgiving!

Happy Thanksgiving to the TVNB Family. We are thankful that you chose this church to worship with. We wish you a blessed time with your family and friends this Thanksgiving!

### TVNB Happenings!

 The Ushers took their talents on the road last week and volunteered at Harbor Lights as guest servers! We love to see our auxiliaries shine in and out of the church.



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# **Upcoming Events**

• Nov. 26: No Bible Study - Happy Thanksgiving!



# Corporate Prayer Line

The prayer line is live daily at 7:14am and 9:15pm. To join, please call **516.253.3725**. All are welcome.

Prayer Line Etiquette

- To limit additional sounds, please mute your phone when you are not speaking.
- Please do not utilize speaker phone while on the prayer line as the sound is not always clear to others.

# Please keep our Sick & Shut-in members in your prayers...

- Mother Adams
- Sis. Louise Evans
- Mother Posey
- Sis. Bettie Jones
- Mother Smith
- Sis. Dorothy Albritton

If you know someone that should be included on this list, please let Sis. Griffin know at 612.522.8485.



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# NEWS & NOTES FROM THE WEEK CONT.

### **Christmas with Dignity**

Each year, members of TVNB are welcomed to place a gift in the large box in the sanctuary foyer. These gifts are taken to Hospitality House to be shared with local youth who are less fortunate. We invite everyone to give to this great cause!

### **Electronic Giving**

TVNB is no longer able to accept CashApp. If you would like to give electronically we recommend that you use our online giving option at **tvnbchurch.com/give**. Thank you for supporting TVNB!

#### **TVNB Theme for 2026**

The church theme for 2026 will be Standing on the Promises of God!

By which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire.

(2<sup>rd</sup> Peter1:4)



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# **Tithes & Giving**



We believe that God calls us to be generous and joyful givers of our time, talent and treasures. It is our hope to combine our gifts to multiply the presence of our church and be a resource to our community.

If you are unable to submit your tithes in-person, please feel free to utilize our digital option at tvnbchurch.com/give.

# TVNB Church App.

Stay connected with TVNB with our church app! Download our free mobile app to:

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- Pay tithes digitally
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· View the Bible on your smart phone



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- COURTLAND PICKENS & KNOWN MPLS
- MONIQUE BLAKEY
- SARA RENNER
- TONIA HUGHES KENDRICK
- KORTLAND JACKSON
- JAZ STEELE
- DARNELL DAVIS & THE REMNANT
- HOLLYWOOD STUDIO OF DANCE

- APREIL ROGERS
- MAYYADDA
- TRAIVEON
- JACKSON HURST
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# **SCHOLARSHIPS**

We are offering three \$1000 scholarships to graduating seniors.

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Scholarships will be presented on January 9, 2026 at the annual Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Founders' Day Celebration.

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