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Jana Link	8/15	Hugh Riley	8/21
Roger Burks	8/15	Alicia MacIntyre	8/21
Len Hamner	8/15	Liz Freeman	8/22
Marianne Johnson	8/15	Dottie McCollum	8/22
Karigan Bartlett	8/15	Kylan Batts	8/24
Anthony Vann	8/16	Mary Scobey	8/25
Tim Caldwell	8/16	Stephanie Lim	8/25
Dolores Broussard	8/16	Linda Briggs	8/25
Dot Dunagin	8/16	June Snyder	8/26
Daniel Cox	8/17	Lindsi Young	8/26
George Keistler	8/17	Sunalini Dhinakaran	8/26
Elizabeth Towers	8/18	Ben Edwards	8/26
Evan Lussier	8/18	Augustin Samson	8/26
Caroline Jones	8/18	Jenny McClain	8/27
Andy Link	8/18	Linda Scott	8/28
Jonathan Burks	8/18	Bill Layman	8/28
Gina Wiertelak	8/19	Betty Clayton	8/28
Vernon Sneed	8/19	Charles Briggs	8/29
Cindy Bennett	8/21	Trent DeZemplen	8/29
Kate Weathersby	8/21	Sandy Via	8/29
Barbara Ward	8/21	Victoria Peters	8/30
Amelia Terry	8/21	Jerrie Dorris	8/30
		Matthew Robbins	8/31

MEETINGS AND OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY, AUGUST 15
Morning Worship Service/Promotion Sunday, 8:30 & 11:00 am
Sunday School, 9:45 am
Fingers of God Puppet Practice, 1:00 pm
NewSong Youth Choir Rehearsal, 5:00 pm
SNAC (Youth) at Anthony's & Brady's home, 6:00 pm

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17
Tai Chi, 11:30 am

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18
Fellowship Dinner, 5:15 pm
Trinity Mission & Choir-TMAC (Grades 1-6), 6:00 pm
Prayer Time & Bible Study, 6:15 pm
FLIGHT Turbo Charged (Youth), 6:15 pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 pm

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19
Tai Chi, 11:30 am
Career Transition Team Mtg., 7:00 pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21
Deacon Training, 7:30 am

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22
Morning Worship Service, 8:30 & 11:00 am
Sunday School, 9:45 am
Fingers of God Puppet Practice, 1:30 pm
Committee Chair Training, 5:00 pm
NewSong Youth Choir Rehearsal, 5:00 pm

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From the Pastor's Pen

Having spent several weeks in Vancouver, I wanted to share this story written by Craig Brian Larson. Larson writes:

At some point in life, all of us will put our trust in someone who fails us. It is inevitable in team sports, in family life, in business. Still it hurts.

In the 2010 Vancouver Olympics, it happened to the Netherlands' superstar skater Sven Kramer. In the Olympic finals for the 10,000 meter race, he skated the 25 times around the rink so well that he set an Olympic record time of 12:54.50. He finished a full 4 seconds ahead of the second skater. He was thrilled. The week before he had won gold in the 5,000 meter race. Now he had won a second Olympic gold medal, and done that representing a country that adores speed skating. He was a national hero!

But some of that glory quickly evaporated. Moments after Kramer crossed the finish line, his coach Gerald Kemkers, a former Olympian himself, approached him and broke the unthinkable news. Kramer had been disqualified from the race. With eight laps to go, he had changed lanes improperly. What made this disqualification so bitter for Kramer was that he had changed lanes for only one reason: his coach had told him to change lanes. In other words, he had no plans to change lanes until his coach called out for him to change. Worse yet, Kramer had never received lane-change directions from a coach in a race prior to that day!

In a situation when a split-second decision had to be made, Kramer trusted his coach instead of himself, and it cost him an Olympic gold medal.

Kramer, of course, was not the only one to suffer an emotional blow. The coach later said it was "the worst moment in my career." He said, "My world collapsed." "Sven was right. I was wrong." No doubt he will reflect on what happened for the rest of his life.

And so, the coach was devastated and buried in guilt, and his star skater was angry. What do you do when you fail someone else's trust? What do you do when someone fails your trust and costs you plenty? What happens to trust in a relationship after an expensive failure? Is this exhibit A for the maxim never to trust anyone but yourself?

The next day Sven Kramer told the media that he had forgiven his coach, and they would continue working together. Kramer said, "The past few years have been too good. We have won so much together. You can't just throw that away."

Lord give me the same attitude when those I trust fail me.

Blessings,
Pastor Richard

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FINANCIAL UPDATE

July 2010

	Month of	Year to Date
Total Budget Receipts	\$ 91,112	\$879,652
Total Expenses*	\$174,687	\$999,423
Revenue Excess (Deficit)	\$ (83,575)	\$ (119,771)

*Expenses include payments into the Future Building Fund.

Committee Chair Training
 When: Sunday, August 22, 5:00 pm in Conference Room
 Agenda: Timeline for Budgets, Overview of Administrative Forms for room requests, etc., Guidelines on effective meetings.
 Thanks in advance for your attendance. I know your time is valuable. *We will begin promptly at 5:00 pm, conclude no later than 6:00 pm.*

Wed. NIGHT- Turbo Charged
 August 18 & 25

 **Youth Choir**
 Sundays at 5:00 pm
 August 15, 22 & 29

Preschool and Children's Choirs are Back
 Preschool and Children's Choirs – Rehearsals resume on August 18
 We are still in need of helpers in choir! Please contact Jamie if you would like to lend your time and energy to this ministry!

Gospel Sing Adult Choir Party
 The Adult Choir will be having a "Gospel Sing" party at Charlene Hammons home on Saturday, September 11. Even if you are not in the adult choir, but would like to come sing with us, you are more than welcome! See Jamie or Charlene for more details.

Deacon Training
 Trinity Baptist Church and Morning Chapel
 Saturday, August 21, 7:30 am-1:00 pm
 Joint training is a co-partnership- planned by deacon leadership of Trinity Baptist Church and Morning Chapel. Training is for all current and former deacon leaders.

Pioneers for Christ (Youth Council) Meeting
 Sunday, August 22 at 4:00 pm

SNAC
 Sundays at 6:00 pm (New Schedule!)
 August 15-Anthony's & Brady's home
 August 22 - at church
 August 29 at McAlister's Deli

2012 Youth International Mission Trip Fundraiser & Lunch
 The youth and music ministries are planning an international mission trip for 2012 and we need your help! You are invited to a fundraising auction and lunch on Sunday, September 12 at 12:00 pm to help support our students. Also, if you have any items to donate toward the auction, please contact Jamie or Zack!

Promotion Sunday
 Sunday, August 15

Church Without Doors
 Sunday, August 29 after 11:00 am service

- Coming up in Worship**
- August 15 – Promotion Sunday
 - August 22 – Baptism
 - August 29 – NewSong Singing in Worship
 - September 12 – 2012 Youth International Mission Trip Fundraiser
 - September 26 – Music and Worship Ministry Commissioning Sunday
 - October 24 – Combined Choir: NewSong and Adult Choirs Singing Together
 - November 21 – Combined Choir: NewSong and Adult Choirs Singing Together
 - November 28 – First Sunday of Advent

Guatemala Reflection Service
 Sunday, August 29, 5:00 pm

Kroger Gift Card Fundraiser
 Kroger Card Fundraiser- Attention Trinity Members! Do you shop at Kroger? If so, you can raise money for your student's trips and shop for groceries at the same time! All you have to do is buy a \$5.00 Kroger gift card from David or Tammy Wood and then put your grocery (or Kroger Gas) money on that card. You can repeat this process as much as you want. 5% of what you load onto the card will go into your student's account. For example if you load \$100.00 onto it in August, \$5.00 will go to your student. You can buy one for yourself and your friends and they can earn money for your student as well! If you do not have a child in youth but would like to help, you can request a "general fund" card. The money you raise on that card will be put in an account that will be spread evenly to help the whole program.

Upcoming Lord's Supper Dates
 September 19
 October 10
 November 21
 December 24 (Christmas Eve)



Sunday Nights in August

- August 15- No pm events
- August 22- Committee Chair Training
- August 29- Church Without Doors Ministry, following 11:00 am service

Guatemala Reflection Service, 5:00 pm

Wednesday Nights for Adults in August
 August 18 and August 25

- Bible Study in Chapel- Dr. Richard Hipps
- Five Love Languages of Children- Tommy Simons, Conference Room

PRESCHOOL NEWS
 Mrs. Missy Hansen
 Director of Preschool Ministries
 Contact: mhansen@trinitybaptistchurch.org

The Preschool Ministry is in need of Sunday school Teachers for the four year old class. Please consider sharing the love of Jesus Christ to these little ones. The lives of these children will be changed because of the ministries at our church. These children could grow up to serve our community, our country or on the mission field as a direct result of the love and encouragement they received here. Wouldn't you want to be a part in making that happen? Please see Missy Hansen if you are interested in serving with your time, love and care.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES
 Mrs. Lisa Buckner
 Mothers' Day Out Director, Dir. of Childhood Education
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Promotion Sunday - August 15

T.M.A.C.
(Trinity Mission, Activity & Choir)
 Wednesday, August 18 at 6:00 pm for grades 1-6.

Fall Hayride/Cookout with TN Baptist Children's Home
Saturday, September 18, 4:00-6:30 pm
 (For grades 1-6 & families)
 Where: At the TN Baptist Children's Home
 If you are interested in sponsoring a child for this event, contact Lisa Buckner at 759-0824.

GUATEMALA REFLECTION SERVICE

Sunday, August 29
5:00 pm



TABLECLOTH ROUND UP

Summer is here, but before you know it, fall will arrive and the holiday season will be just around the corner. If you've used any of the large white tablecloths in the past, (either for Taste of Trinity Dinner or other church events), please check your linen closet to see if you have any of them that need to be returned. Be sure to drop them off at the church office.

MISSION NEED

Don't forget that RA's, GA's, and Mission Friends will begin Wednesday, August 18 as a part of our Children's Wednesday night T.M.A.C. programming. Our August mission project will be our annual "CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST" collection. This year we are collecting general school supplies (i.e. pencils, paper, glue, crayons) for needy children in Helena, Arkansas and Savannah, Georgia. Please bring all donations to the church by Wednesday, September 1. Thanks so much for all your support.

GEORGIA AVENUE TUTORING

Begins Wednesday, September 15
 All interested women & men are invited to go once, twice or each Wednesday every month to work with inner-city Kindergarten children. We will meet at TBC at noon each Wednesday and return no later than 3:30 pm. Transportation will be provided. If interested, please contact Margaret Jameson.

FALL LADIES' BIBLE STUDIES

Monday mornings beginning September 13, 9:30 am
"Jonah Navigating a Life Interrupted"
 by Priscilla Shirer (7 week study).
 Childcare provided.

Wednesday night Co-Ed Study beginning September 15, 6:30 pm
"Here and Now . . . There and Then"
 A Series on Revelation by Beth Moore
 (11 week study). Childcare provided.

Come and enjoy dinner at 5:00 pm, and take advantage of free childcare and join us for this exciting Bible Study.

LADIES' NIGHT OUT

Friday, September 10
 Featuring our own Shana Moland, who will be presenting "Shopping It Forward." Come and learn how to save 50% on your overall household and grocery spending! Find out how to save money for yourself and others as we enjoy salads and desserts. Watch for more information soon.