

Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church
 Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, August 29, 2010

We are grateful that you have chosen to worship God with us today. We invite you to join us on this incredible journey of following Jesus Christ as His disciples, striving to fulfill our mission of embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world through our worship, our witness, and our way of life.

Join us each Sunday morning for these opportunities . . .

- 8:45 A.M. - Food and Fellowship (Chapel)
- 9:00 A.M. - Celebration Worship (Chapel)
- 9:45 A.M. - Sunday School:
- Preschoolers (1st floor of educational wing)
- Small group Bible study for Children, Youth, and Adults (1st, 2nd, 3rd floors of the educational wing)
- 11:00 A.M. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)

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Church Staff:

- Dr. Mark E. Gaskins, *Senior Pastor* (mark.gaskins@jhbc.org)
- Rev. Gilbert W. McDowell, *Pastor Emeritus*
- Rev. Ronnie Byrd, *Associate Pastor for Music & Education* (ronnie.byrd@jhbc.org)
- Mr. David Webb, *Church Administrator* (david.webb@jhbc.org)
- Mrs. Marva Lee Roush, *Administrative Assistant* (info@jhbc.org)
- Mrs. Jo Ann Brickhouse, *Organist*
- Mrs. Kimberly Davidson, *Pianist*

The Worship of God
The Lord's Day, August 29, 2010
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 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE (Sanctuary)  
 Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5 FM

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| Gathering to Worship                   |                                                                                               |                                     |
| Ministry Opportunities                 |                                                                                               | Mark Gaskins                        |
| Greeting                               |                                                                                               |                                     |
| Music for Meditation                   |                                                                                               | Kimberly Davidson                   |
|                                        | <i>Sing for joy to God our strength;<br/>shout aloud to the God of Jacob!</i>                 | (Psalm 81:1, NIV)                   |
| Words of Welcome                       |                                                                                               | Mark Gaskins                        |
| Call to Worship                        |                                                                                               | Proverbs 27:1; Proverbs 3:5-6 (NIV) |
| Pastor:                                | Do not boast about tomorrow,                                                                  |                                     |
| People:                                | <b>For you do not know what a day may bring forth.</b>                                        |                                     |
| Pastor:                                | Trust in the Lord with all your heart,<br>and do not lean on your own understanding;          |                                     |
| People:                                | <b>in all your ways acknowledge him,<br/>and he will make your paths straight.</b>            |                                     |
| Choral Response                        | "The Love of God"                                                                             | Sanctuary Choir                     |
| Invocation                             |                                                                                               | James Wallace                       |
| Hymn 5                                 | "I Sing Praises"                                                                              | Congregation                        |
| Children's Sermon                      |                                                                                               | Bob Tilley                          |
| Scripture Lesson                       | Luke 12:13-34                                                                                 | Ashley Wallace                      |
| Hymn 618, 713 & 580                    |                                                                                               | Congregation                        |
|                                        | "In His Presence", "Seek Ye First", and "Through It All"                                      |                                     |
| Thanksgiving with Tithes and Offerings |                                                                                               |                                     |
|                                        | <i>"Everything comes from you,<br/>and we have given you only what comes from your hand."</i> | (1 Chronicles 29:14b, NIV)          |
| Offertory Prayer                       |                                                                                               |                                     |
| Anthem                                 | "Blessed Be Your Name"                                                                        | Joyful Noise                        |
| Scripture and Sermon                   |                                                                                               | Mark Gaskins                        |
|                                        | James 4:13 - 5:11<br>"Looking to the Future"                                                  |                                     |
| Hymn 562                               | "Be Thou My Vision"                                                                           | Congregation                        |
| Leader Appreciation and Installation   |                                                                                               |                                     |

The Church at Prayer

Commission and Benediction

Mark Gaskins

Scattering on Mission



*Join us for this week's evening services and activities . . .*

- **Sunday Evening, 6:30 p.m. (Bullock-Matthews Room) - Mark Gaskins preaching**
- **Wednesday Mid-Week Worship, 6:15 P.M. (McDowell Hall) - Family Night Covered Dish Supper**

**In His Presence (#618)**

In His presence there is comfort,  
 In His presence, there is peace.  
 When we seek the Father's heart  
 We will find such blessed assurance,  
 In the presence of the Lord.

In Your presence there is comfort,  
 In Your presence, there is peace.  
 When we seek to know Your heart  
 We will find such blessed assurance,  
 In Your holy presence, Lord

**Seek Ye First (#713)**

See ye first the kingdom of God  
 And His righteousness,  
 And all these things shall be added unto you  
 Allelu, alleluia!

Ask and it shall be given unto you,  
 Seek and ye shall find,  
 Knock and the door shall be opened unto you  
 Allelu, alleluia!

**Through It All (#580)**

Through it all,  
 Through it all,  
 I've learned to trust in Jesus,  
 I've learned to trust in God;  
 Through it all,  
 Through it all,  
 I've learned to depend upon His Word.

**Our Mission**

By the grace of God and the power of His Holy Spirit, we will embody the presence of the crucified and risen Lord Jesus Christ to Sanford and the world through our worship, our witness, and our way of life as His disciples.

**Our Values**

- ✦ God-focused intergenerational worship
- ✦ Bible-centered life-impacting Bible study and Discipleship
- ✦ Hands-on relationship-driven missions
- ✦ An accepting and encouraging sense of family where everyone's voice counts

**Becoming a Follower of Christ**

Being a Christian involves a personal commitment to Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. Every one of us is a sinner and in need of God's forgiveness. Only Christ can save us and set us right with God through His own life, death on the cross, and resurrection from the dead. Those who put their faith in Him and commit their lives to Him as their Lord experience His forgiveness and are set right with God. Those who have not put their faith in Him are separated from God by their sin, a separation that continues in eternity in hell if they die without Christ.

Trusting Jesus involves recognizing your need of Him, asking Him to forgive you, and committing yourself to Him as your Lord. The Christian life is about following Jesus, getting to know Him, and becoming like Him. Once you trust Christ, being baptized expresses your commitment publicly. Becoming a part of a local congregation helps you to know and serve Christ as a part of His people, the family of God.

We would be delighted to talk with you about making a commitment to Jesus Christ. Please see one of our pastors after the service or contact the church office (919-776-1541).

**Becoming a Member of Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church**

Becoming a member of a local congregation of believers is an important step in the Christian life. Through membership in a local church, we experience fellowship with other Christians, study God's word and learn together in worship and in small groups, and participate in our risen Lord's mission in the world.

Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church gladly receives members who are followers of Christ and who believe that God is leading them to become a part of our church. New believers are received into the church through baptism. Members of other Baptist churches are received by transfer of membership. Persons coming from other Christian denominations are received by statement of their faith along with believer's baptism (if they have not already experienced believer's baptism.)

If you would like to become a member of Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church, you may come forward during the hymn of commitment following the sermon and present yourself as a candidate for membership. If you would like to discuss your decision prior to making it public or have further questions about membership in JHBC, please talk with one of our pastors after the service or contact the church office (919-776-1541).

**CHURCH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

**Sunday, August 29**

- 8:45 AM Celebration Worship (Chapel)
- 9:00 - 9:45 AM Church Library Open
- 9:45 - 10:45 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
(Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5FM)
- 11:00 AM Children's Worship (Chapel)
- 12:00 - 12:15 PM Church Library Open
- 6:30 PM Discipleship/Worship  
(Bullock-Matthews Room)

**Monday, August 30**

- 6:30 PM Baptist Men (Old Fellowship Hall)

**Tuesday, August 31**

- 7:30 AM Men's Prayer Meeting
- 7:00 PM Personnel Joint Meeting  
(Bullock-Matthews Room)

**Wednesday, September 1**

- 10:30 AM Staff Meeting
- 6:15 - 7:15 PM **No Children's Choirs or Mission Friends**  
Family Night Covered Dish Supper  
(McDowell Hall)
- 7:00 PM Youth
- 7:15 - 8:45 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal  
(Bullock-Matthews Room)

**Thursday, September 2**

- 12:30 - 2:00 PM WINGS
- 7:30 PM Joyful Noise

**Saturday, September 4**

- 8:00 AM Men's Prayer Meeting

**SPECIAL JHBC ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Baptist Men** will meet on **Monday, August 30 at 6:30 PM** in the Old Fellowship Hall. The speaker will be Ms. Rita H. Oglesbee of t.l.c. home. The chefs for the evening will be Dock and Lorena Batchelor. Please sign up now to reserve your plate.

**Personnel Joint Meeting** on **Tuesday, August 31 from 7-9 PM** in the Bullock-Matthews Room with the following members: Personnel Committee, Nursery Committee, Children Committee, Youth Committee; Children, Youth, and College Sunday School Class Teachers, and Children Music Leaders. Please plan to attend this important meeting.

The **Women's Study Group, WINGS**, will begin a new study on **Thursday, September 2 at 12:30 PM**. CREATIVE COUNTERPART by Linda Dillow is an excellent study for women of ALL ages and in any stage of their life. CREATIVE COUNTERPART will be a blessing to all women, single, married with young children or married with adult children. Our focus will be becoming the Woman, Wife and Mother you've longed to be. This group meets every first and third Thursday of the month from 12:30 - 2:00 in the Fellowship Sunday School classroom (2nd floor - Education Bldg). Karen Wood (718-6812) and Sharon Johnson (777-9465) can share more information.

**We Need Your Filled "Diaper Change" Baby Bottles and Cups** turned in to Rev. Ronnie Byrd as soon as possible.

**Education Guidance** - You can take advantage of the Education Guidance offered by Sam Carter by contacting him at sam.carter@jhbc.org or by leaving a message in his mailbox in the church office area.

The **Christmas in August** project for this year is school supplies for J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School. The following is a list of items needed: backpacks, wide ruled notebook paper, pencils, erasers, glue sticks, 70 page composition books, 3-ring binders, notecards, highlighters, Germ X hand sanitizer, Kleenex. A box will be located near the Media Center wrapped for Christmas for these items. Money for school uniforms is also needed (projected amount is \$15 per uniform). Checks can be made out to JHBC - Local Missions and placed in your offering envelope.

**Higher Heights Seniors** - The trip to Northwood Temple Theater for JHBC Higher Heights Seniors is coming up soon. On **Thursday, September 9**, we will leave from the Woodland Avenue parking lot of the church at **5:30 PM**. Sunday (today) is the last day to make reservations with Jean Walker and give her \$21 each. Transportation will be in the church van.

**CUOC** is in desperate need of peanut butter, jelly, macaroni and cheese, spaghetti's, canned fruit, mixed vegetables, peas, green beans, cereal and plastic bags.

**Beginning Wednesday, September 1 and continuing on the first Wednesday of every month, we will have a Family Night Covered Dish Supper at 6:15 PM in McDowell Hall. This evening will include a report on the Children's Camping Trip and a kick-off for the Children's Programs for 2010-2011. The Youth will meet at 7:00 PM and the Sanctuary Choir will meet at their regular time at 7:15 PM.**

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Wednesday, September 8** - 6:00 - 6:55 PM -- Children's Choirs  
7:00 - 7:55 PM -- Mission Friends, GA's and RA's

**Sunday, September 12** - Sunday School Class Promotion Sunday  
6:30 PM -- Children/Youth Bible Drill

**Friday, September 24 through Sunday, September 26**  
Youth Fall Retreat to Myrtle Beach with CBF-NC

**BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: August 22, 2010 (Week 34 of 52)**

|                                      |              |                      |                |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------|
| <b>GENERAL FUND</b>                  |              |                      |                |
| Weekly Budgeted Needs                | \$ 10,365.74 | YTD Budget Goal      | \$ 352,435.16  |
| T/O Received                         | \$ 8,541.59  | YTD T/O Received     | \$ 309,910.27  |
| Less Budget This Week                | \$(1,824.15) | YTD Difference       | \$ (42,524.89) |
| (2010 Budget: \$539,018.33)          |              |                      |                |
| (\$539,018.33/52 weeks= \$10,365.74) |              | <b>TOTAL GIVING</b>  | \$ 8,801.59    |
|                                      |              | (Last Week)          |                |
| <b>H/E THOMAS MISSION</b>            | \$ 260.00    |                      |                |
| <b>LOCAL MISSIONS</b>                | \$ 30.00     | <b>ATTENDANCE</b>    |                |
| <b>YOUTH MISSIONS</b>                | \$ 40.00     | Sunday School        | 176 + 11       |
|                                      |              | 9 AM Celebration     | 40             |
|                                      |              | 11 AM Worship        | 257            |
|                                      |              | PM-Rev. Heather Webb | 65             |
| <b>BUILDING FUND</b>                 | \$ 165.00    |                      |                |
| Current Balance is                   | \$172,731.41 |                      |                |