

Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church
Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, January 30, 2011

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 . . .

8:30 A.M. - Food and Fellowship (Chapel)

8:45 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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Mrs. Kimberly Davidson, *Pianist*

The Worship of God
The Lord's Day, January 30, 2011

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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   | JoAnn Brickhouse                                                                  |
|                        | <i>LORD, who may dwell in your sanctuary?<br/>Who may live on your holy hill?</i> |
|                        | (Psalm 15:1, NIV)                                                                 |
| Words of Welcome       | Mark Gaskins                                                                      |
| Call to Worship        | Micah 6:6-8 (NIV)                                                                 |

**PASTOR:** With what shall I come before the LORD  
and bow down before the exalted God?  
Shall I come before him with burnt offerings,  
with calves a year old?  
Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams,  
with ten thousand rivers of oil?  
Shall I offer my firstborn for my transgression,  
the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

**PEOPLE:** **He has showed you, O man, what is good.**  
**And what does the LORD require of you?**  
**To act justly and to love mercy**  
**and to walk humbly with your God.**

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| Choral Response 20 & 21 | Congregation & Sanctuary Choir                                                                 |
|                         | <i>"Let There Be Glory and Honor and Praises"</i><br><i>"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"</i> |
| Invocation              | Tony Rebello                                                                                   |
| Hymns 34 & 100          | "He Is Lord"<br>"Thou Art Worthy"<br>Congregation                                              |
| Children's Sermon       | Brenda Cowfer<br>(Children may exit for Extended Session 2)                                    |
| Scripture Lesson        | 1 Corinthians 1:18-31<br>Mickie Rebello                                                        |
| Hymn 755                | "We Shall Behold Him"<br>Congregation                                                          |

Thanksgiving with Tithes and Offerings

*"Everything comes from you,  
and we have given you only what comes from your hand."  
(1 Chronicles 29:14b, NIV)*

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| Offertory Prayer Anthem    | "We Would See Jesus"<br>Kristan Ozee - Flute | Sanctuary Choir |
| Scripture and Sermon       | John 5:16-30<br>"Now and Later"              | Mark Gaskins    |
| Hymn 762                   | "What a Day That Will Be"                    | Congregation    |
| The Church at Prayer       |                                              |                 |
| Commission and Benediction |                                              | Mark Gaskins    |
| Scattering on Mission      |                                              |                 |



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

- **Sunday Evening Worship, 6:30 P.M. (Bullock-Matthews Room) - David & Heather Webb reporting on recent India mission trip**
- **Wednesday Mid-Week Worship, 6:15 P.M. (Bullock-Matthews Room) - Mark Gaskins leading study of John's Gospel**

**HE IS LORD**

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**THOU ART WORTHY**

Thou art worthy, Thou are worthy,  
Thou art worthy, O Lord,  
To receive glory, glory and honor,  
Glory and honor and pow'r.  
For Thou hast created, hast all things created;  
Thou hast created all things.  
And for Thy pleasure they are created;  
For Thou art worthy, O Lord.

### 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, January 30

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  
 (Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5FM)  
 11:00 AM Extended Session 2 for Children  
 12:00 - 12:15 PM Church Library Open  
 5:00 PM Handbell Choir Practice  
 6:00 PM Bible Drill  
 6:30 PM Discipleship/Worship  
 (Bullock-Matthews Room)

### Monday, January 31

6:30 PM Baptist Men (Old Fellowship Hall)

### Tuesday, February 1

7:30 AM Men's Prayer Meeting

### Wednesday, February 2

10:30 AM Staff Meeting  
 6:15 PM Family Night Covered Dish Supper  
 (McDowell Hall)  
 7:00 - 8:00 PM Wednesday Night Youth Worship  
 7:15 - 8:45 PM Sanctuary Choir Practice

### Thursday, February 3

12:30 - 2:00 PM WINGS Bible Study  
7:30 PM Praise Band

### Saturday, February 5

8:00 AM Men's Prayer Meeting

## SPECIAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

**Baptist Men** will meet on **Monday, January 31 at 6:30 PM** in the Old Fellowship Hall. Dr. Mark Gaskins will have the program. Please sign up to reserve your plate or see Willard Garren.

The **Celebration Worship Service** is in need of volunteers to learn about and help each Sunday with the use of "Easy Worship". This is a computer run program used to enhance the worship experience with pictures, lyrics to songs and other visual images. We will be able to offer training on the use of this program to anyone interested. Please contact Roger Vance, David Webb, or Karen Wood for more details. Thank you in advance for your willingness to serve your JHBC family in this way.

**College Student this week is Justin Bowling.** Justin is the son of Eddie and Carol Bowling. He is attending Appalachian State University. Please send him a card or note this week to let him know that you remember him and are praying for him. Justin's address is 521-1 Dogwood Knoll, Boone, NC 28607.

**Contribution Statements for 2010** have been mailed. If you have any questions regarding your 2010 statements please contact the church office.

**Family Night Covered Dish Supper** is scheduled for **Wednesday, February 2 at 6:15 PM.**

The **WISH Group will sponsor a WorldCrafts Party** on **Wednesday, February 2 from 5:30 - 7:30 PM** in McDowell Hall. This event will be before, during and after the Family Night Supper. Since 1996, WorldCrafts, a non-profit ministry of WMU, has sought out impoverished artisans in Asia, Africa, Europe, Latin America, the Middle East, and the Far East and provided an audience for their handmade crafts. These craft guilds and leaders abide by Fair Trade Federation guidelines that specify fair wages and humane working conditions. There will also be foods from around the world. Purchases of handmade WorldCrafts transform lives of artisans, their families, and communities through housing, education, and nutrition—imparting a sense of dignity. For more information, please contact Sheila Stevens (775-2478) or Mary Hawley Oates (774-4768).

**Benefit Fundraiser on Saturday, February 5** at the Tramway Fire Department from 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM. The cost is \$7.00 per plate which includes chicken, green beans, sweet potatoes, bread, drink and dessert. All proceeds benefit Brandon Noble, 8 years old and fighting for his life.

On **Sunday February 6<sup>th</sup>**, 140 million Americans will tune in to the Super Bowl football game. There will be parties with abundant food, friendship and fellowship. At the same time, there will be people worrying about staying warm, finding shelter and a warm meal. Please join young people around the country as they demonstrate God's love by loving their neighbors through the Souper Bowl of Caring. It's a simple, yet significant act of caring for others. Drop \$1 (or more) in the soup pot as you leave worship on February 6<sup>th</sup>. Our local CUOC will receive these donations. Our young people are developing hearts for giving that can last a lifetime. Please support their efforts.

**A New Discipleship Study begins February 6 at 6:30 p.m. titled *The Prayer Life of Jesus*.** The study of Jesus' prayer life can deepen our own prayer practices. The struggles of Jesus in prayer may give us courage to struggle with the Christian Life. Prayer shaped the life and mission of Jesus, and it can shape the life and mission of the church. Please join us as we take a prayer journey together.

**Has your email address or home address changed?** Please notify the church office as soon as possible with your new information.

**CUOC Needs** the following food items: spaghetti sauce, large bags of rice, macaroni and cheese, tuna and canned meats, Spaghetti O's or Ravioli, chili with beans, large boxes of cereal, jelly, canned potatoes and saltine crackers.

**Chili Cook-Off / Cake Bake-Off** - The Social Committee would like to thank you for attending and participating in our annual Chili Cook-Off and Cake Bake-Off last Sunday evening. We had 95 attendees and contestants. There were 15 entries for the chili cook-off and 6 entries for the cake bake-off. Please see the March *Announcer* for the list of our 2011 winners.

### BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: January 23, 2010 (Week 20 of 52)

#### GENERAL FUND

|                       |               |                  |               |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|
| Weekly Budgeted Needs | \$ 10,660.82  | YTD Budget Goal  | \$ 223,877.25 |
| T/O Received          | \$ 7,359.55   | YTD T/O Received | \$ 269,071.12 |
| Less Budget This Week | \$( 3,301.27) | YTD Difference   | \$ 45,193.87  |

Budget: \$554,362.75)  
((\$554,362.75/52 weeks=\$10,660.82)

**TOTAL GIVING** \$ 8,019.55  
(Last Week)

|                       |           |
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| <b>GA'S</b>           | \$ 100.00 |
| <b>NC BAPTIST MEN</b> | \$ 100.00 |
| <b>WMU of NC</b>      | \$ 100.00 |

#### ATTENDANCE

|                            |           |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Sunday School              | 174 + 7   |
| 9 AM Celebration Worship   | No Report |
| 11 AM Worship              | 206       |
| PM - Chili & Cake Bake-Off | 95        |

**BUILDING FUND** \$ 360.00  
Current Balance is \$133,748.31