

Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church
 Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, February 13, 2011
BAPTIST WOMEN'S DAY

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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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)
- Rev. 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, February 13, 2011

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 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE (Sanctuary)  
 Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5 FM

**BAPTIST WOMEN'S DAY**

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| Gathering to Worship                     |                            |                   |
| Ministry Opportunities                   |                            | Tommie Angel      |
| Music for Meditation                     |                            | Kimberly Davidson |
| Words of Welcome & Introduction of Guest |                            | Sheila Stevens    |
| Scripture Lesson                         | Matthew 5:13-16            | JoAnn Gaskins     |
| Prayer Calendar                          |                            | JoAnn Gaskins     |
| Prayer                                   |                            | Edna Thomas       |
| Hymn 444                                 | "I Love To Tell The Story" | Congregation      |
| Thanksgiving with Tithes and Offerings   |                            |                   |
| Offertory Prayer                         |                            | Girls In Action   |
| Anthem                                   | "I Am A Woman"             | Ladies Choir      |
| Guest Speaker                            |                            | Annie Armstrong   |
| Commission                               |                            | Sheila Stevens    |
| Hymn 431                                 | "Shine, Jesus, Shine"      | Congregation      |
| Benediction                              |                            | Mark Gaskins      |
| Scattering on Mission                    |                            |                   |



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

- **Sunday Evening Worship/Discipleship, 6:30 P.M. (Bullock-Matthews Room) -Heather Webb leading study on "The Prayer Life of Jesus"**
- **Wednesday Mid-Week Worship, 6:15 P.M. (Bullock-Matthews Room) - Mark Gaskins leading study of John's Gospel**

*The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today  
 to the glory of God and in loving memory of  
 Monroe and Geneva Matthews  
 By Their Children and Grandchildren*

Patricia Swann portraying Annie Walker Armstrong today is a native of Greensboro. Patricia made a commitment to Christ at the age of 12. She is a former WMU director in her church, and a former member of the Executive Board of the Women's Missionary Union of North Carolina. Patricia is presently a member of State Line Baptist Church in Cave Spring, Georgia, where she currently resides. She works as a mail carrier for the U. S. Postal Service in Cave Spring. Patricia also portrays Lottie Moon, Fannie Exile Scudder Heck, and a fictitious character and Judessa (a Baptist Old Woman). Please pray that her message today might move mightily in the hearts of all persons for the cause of missions.

Attention Single and Single Again Adults  
 (30 years and older)  
 If you are not currently involved  
 in a Sunday School Class  
 and would be  
 interested in starting a new class,  
 please contact  
 Brenda Price  
 (919) 774-9962

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.

### 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, February 13 – Baptist Women's Day

|                  |                                                     |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 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<br>(Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5FM) |
| 12:00 – 12:15 PM | Church Library Open                                 |
| 12:00 NOON       | Senior Valentine Lunch (McDowell Hall)              |
| 5:00 PM          | Handbell Choir Practice                             |
| 6:00 PM          | Bible Drill                                         |
| 6:30 PM          | Discipleship/Worship<br>(Bullock-Matthews Room)     |
| 7:30 PM          | Personnel Committee Meeting<br>(Conference Room)    |

### Monday, February 14

12:30 NOON Marjorie Spence/Brown Bag with Cris Elliott

### Tuesday, February 15

7:30 AM Men's Prayer Meeting  
12:30 – 2:00 PM WINGS Bible Study Group

### Wednesday, February 16

10:30 AM Staff Meeting  
6:00 PM Acteens  
6:00 – 6:55 PM Children's Choirs  
6:15 – 7:15 PM Mid-Week Worship  
7:00 – 7:55 PM Mission Friends, GA's and RA's  
7:00 – 8:00 PM Wednesday Night Youth Worship  
7:15 – 8:45 PM Sanctuary Choir Practice

### Thursday, February 17

6:30 PM Investment Committee Meeting  
(Conference Room)  
7:30 PM Praise Band

### Saturday, February 19

8:00 AM Men's Prayer Meeting

## SPECIAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

**Today - Senior Valentine Lunch** – All Senior Adults are invited to join the children and their families in McDowell Hall. The Nursery and Children Committees have prepared a delicious selection of soups and sandwiches for all to enjoy. We hope to see everyone there!

**A New Discipleship Study tonight 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.

**Personnel Committee** will meet **tonight at 7:30 PM** in the conference room.

**Articles for the March Announcer are due Tuesday, February 15.** Please email or send your articles to [marvalee.roush@jhbc.org](mailto:marvalee.roush@jhbc.org) or [info@jhbc.org](mailto:info@jhbc.org)

**WINGS Bible Study Group** will meet on **Tuesday, February 15 this week** at 12:30 – 2:00 PM.

**Investment Committee Meeting** is scheduled for **Thursday, February 17 at 6:30 PM** in the conference room. Members of this committee include: Marie Burge, Billy Joe Cox, John Hall, Lynwood Jones, Mary Upchurch and David Webb.

**College Student this week is Sarah Cummings.** Sarah is the daughter of Jeff and Kaye Cummings and the granddaughter of John and Linda Hall. Sarah is attending UNC-Greensboro. Please send her a card or note this week to let her know that you remember her and are praying for her. Sarah's address is 66 UNCG Station, Greensboro, NC 27413.

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

**NOTICE – The Sunday School Council Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 1 at 7:00 PM.**

**CUOC Needs** the following food items: pasta (spaghetti noodles), tuna, macaroni and cheese, Spaghetti O's, Ramon Noodles, and cereal.

**Have You Checked the Christmas Card Mailbox Lately?** There may be cards in there for you! There are several Christmas cards in the mailbox that have not yet been picked up. The mailbox is located in the hallway across from the office and conference room. Stop by and check it out!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Saturday, February 19** – “Sunday School in a Transformational Church” Seminar at Cumnock Baptist Church from 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon. Sunday School in a Transformational Church shows us how Sunday School is a vital part in accomplishing its God given mission of “making and growing disciples”. For more information visit [www.ncbaptist.org/sundayschool](http://www.ncbaptist.org/sundayschool)

**Sunday, February 20** – Baptist College & University Day

**Monday, February 21** - 6:30 PM – Building and Grounds Meeting  
6:30 PM – Nursery Committee Meeting  
7:00 PM – Nell Smith/Mary Herring Group Meeting  
7:00 PM – Pearl Johnson Group Meeting with Diane Smith

**Tuesday, February 22** – 6:30 PM – Church Council Meeting

**Thursday, February 24** – 10:30 AM - Higher Heights Post Valentine Breakfast

## BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: February 6, 2010 (Week 22 of 52)

### GENERAL FUND

|                                     |                     |                     |                      |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Weekly Budgeted Needs               | \$ 10,660.82        | YTD Budget Goal     | \$ 245,198.89        |
| T/O Received                        | \$ <u>12,268.62</u> | YTD T/O Received    | \$ <u>288,414.46</u> |
| Over Budget This Week               | \$ <b>1,607.80</b>  | YTD Difference      | \$ <b>43,215.57</b>  |
| Budget: \$554,362.75                |                     |                     |                      |
| (\$554,362.75/52 weeks=\$10,660.82) |                     | <b>TOTAL GIVING</b> | \$ 13,248.62         |
|                                     |                     | (Last Week)         |                      |

**YOUTH MISSION** \$ 80.00

**RETIREMENT HOME** \$ 75.00

**BUILDING FUND** \$ 825.00  
Current Balance is \$130,873.31

### ATTENDANCE

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Sunday School             | 164 + 17 |
| 9 AM Celebration Worship  | 28       |
| 11 AM Worship             | 252      |
| PM – Discipleship/Worship | 32       |