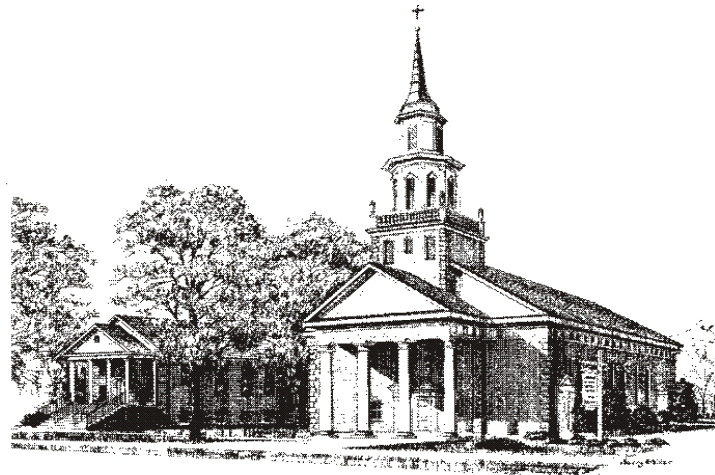


Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church
Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, March 20, 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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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. Richard Wood, *Associate Pastor for Family Ministry* (richard.wood@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, March 20, 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                                                                                                   |                                       | Kimberly Davidson                    |
| <i>O LORD, I am your servant;<br/>I am your servant, the child of your serving girl.<br/>You have loosed my bonds.</i> |                                       |                                      |
| (Psalm 116:16, NRSV)                                                                                                   |                                       |                                      |
| Words of Welcome                                                                                                       |                                       | Mark Gaskins                         |
| Call to Worship                                                                                                        | Philippians 2:5-11                    | Mark Gaskins                         |
| Worship in Song                                                                                                        | "Give Me Jesus"                       | Heather Webb                         |
| Invocation                                                                                                             |                                       | Tommie Angel                         |
| Hymn 496                                                                                                               | "No One Ever Cared for Me like Jesus" | Congregation                         |
| Children's Sermon                                                                                                      |                                       | Heather Webb                         |
| Children may exit for Children's Worship (Chapel)                                                                      |                                       |                                      |
| Scripture Lesson                                                                                                       | Isaiah 49:1-7                         | Sarah Griffin                        |
| Hymns 672, 129 and 158                                                                                                 |                                       | Congregation                         |
| <i>"What a Mighty God We Serve"</i><br><i>"Great and Mighty" and "Think About His Love"</i>                            |                                       |                                      |
| Thanksgiving with Tithes and Offerings                                                                                 |                                       |                                      |
| <i>"Remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said:<br/>'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"</i>          |                                       |                                      |
| (Acts 20:35b, NIV)                                                                                                     |                                       |                                      |
| Offertory Prayer                                                                                                       |                                       |                                      |
| Anthem                                                                                                                 | "Broken and Spilled Out"              | Sanctuary Choir                      |
|                                                                                                                        |                                       | Soloist - Beth Malloch               |
| Scripture and Sermon                                                                                                   |                                       | Mark Gaskins                         |
|                                                                                                                        |                                       | John 13:1-17<br>"The Master Servant" |
| Hymn 665                                                                                                               | "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"     | Congregation                         |
| The Church at Prayer                                                                                                   |                                       |                                      |

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| Commission and Benediction | Mark Gaskins |
| Business Meeting           | John Hall    |
| Scattering on Mission      |              |



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

- **Sunday Evening Worship, 6:30 P.M. (Bullock-Matthews Room) - Heather Webb leading discipleship 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**

**What a Mighty God We Serve (#672)**

What a mighty God we serve,  
What a mighty God we serve;  
Angels bow before Him, Heaven and earth adore Him,  
What a mighty God we serve.

What a mighty God we serve,  
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Angels bow before Him, Heaven and earth adore Him,  
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Angels bow before Him, Heaven and earth adore Him,  
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**Great and Mighty (#129)**

Great and mighty is the Lord our God,  
Great and mighty is He.

Great and mighty is the Lord our God,  
Great and mighty is He.

Lift up your banner, let the anthems ring praises to our King;  
Great and mighty is the Lord our God,  
Great and mighty is He.

**Think About His Love (#158)**

Think about His love, think about His goodness,  
Think about His grace that's bro't us through.

For as high as the heavens above,  
So great is the measure of our Father's love.  
Great is the measure of our Father's love.

### 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, March 20

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 Children's Worship (Chapel)  
 12:00 - 12:15 PM Church Library Open  
 5:00 PM Handbell Choir Practice  
 6:30 PM Discipleship/Worship

### Monday, March 21

6:30 PM Nursery Committee Meeting  
 7:00 PM Nell Smith/Mary Herring Group Meeting

### Tuesday, March 22

9:00 AM Breadbasket  
 7:30 AM Men's Prayer Meeting  
 7:00 PM Nominating Committee Meeting

### Wednesday, March 23

10:30 AM Staff Meeting  
 6:00 PM Acteens  
 6:00 - 6:55 PM Children's Choirs  
 6:00 - 8:00 PM Church Library Open  
 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, March 24

7:30 PM Praise Band

### Friday, March 25

CBFNC, First Baptist Church, Asheville

## SPECIAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

**College Student this week is Derrick Matthews.** Derrick is the son of Tommy and Vicky Matthews. He is attending UNC-Charlotte. Please send Derrick a card or note this week to let him know that you remember him and are praying for him. Derrick's address is 10916 Education Way, Apartment 1203, Charlotte, NC 28262.

**College Scholarship Applications** - If you are interested in applying for a college scholarship from JHBC, applications are now available in the church office. All scholarship applications should be mailed or submitted to the church office addressed to the Scholarship Committee by Monday, May 2.

**Nursery Committee Meeting on Monday, March 21 at 6:30 PM.** Members include Frances Angel, Belinda Bond, Denise Bost, Belle Denny, Virginia Johnson, Sonja Lawrence, Catherine Mitchell, Shelba Watson, Angie Wood, Sandra Wornom with Rev. Richard Wood.

**Nominating Committee** will meet on **Tuesday, March 22 at 7:00 PM.** Members include Weldon Brown, Art Coleman, Armelia Garren, Vickie Matthews and Vicki Wilkins.

**Sanctuary Flowers** - If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary in honor or in memory of someone, we encourage you to do so. A flower scheduling calendar has been placed on the bulletin board outside the library. You may choose any Sunday that is not already taken by writing your name and phone number in the block. You will be reminded prior to your chosen Sunday.

**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 at 919-774-9962.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Sunday, March 27** - You will be given a ballot to list the three church members you would like to nominate for the Fellowship of Deacons. The following active Deacons are not eligible for nomination: John Hall, Dallas Harper, Lynwood Jones, Roy Lowe, James Mitchell, Tim Smith, Bob Tilley, Mary Upchurch and Sam Wornom. The Nominating Committee will present a slate of Deacons for election on or before July 10, 2011 to be elected at the annual church meeting on July 17, 2011 at 5:00 PM.

**Monday, March 28** - 9:00 AM - Breadbasket

6:30 PM - Baptist Men - Bring a Friend Month

Program by Seth Holt, Horticulturist and John Hall, Facilitator

**Thursday, March 31** - 10:00 AM - Higher Heights in McDowell Hall  
Billy Walker will be our featured speaker. Billy has something intriguing to share about Operation Wigwam from his Navy days. All men are encouraged to attend. A light lunch will be served. After lunch, the men will get together to brainstorm for ideas to increase men's attendance. Higher Heights is for all seniors at JHBC. Men - Try us, you might like us. For more information, contact Billy Walker or Willard Garren on the men's session, or contact any of the officers - Marcia Johnson, Diane Smith or Shirley Hoskins.

**Sunday, April 3** - 11:00 AM - Morning Worship with Baptism, Communion and Celebration Lunch

**Wednesday, April 6** - 8:00 PM - Passport Meeting with Youth & Parents

**Saturday, April 9 - Operation In As Much**

Gwenn Rackley will perform a simple eye exam for those with vision reading difficulties. Last year we were able to help 15 people in the Jonesboro Community see better and this year we hope to help more individuals. If you or your Sunday School class would like to help by donating \$1.00 Readers that can be purchased from the Dollar Tree see Susan Mills. Volunteers will also be needed for assisting Gwenn Rackley with registration, testing and distribution.

**Sunday, April 10 - Youth Sunday**

**Friday, April 15**

6:00 - 7:30 PM - Church-wide Family Event with Easter Egg Hunt

## BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: March 13, 2010 (Week 27 of 52)

### General Fund

|                                     |                     |                     |               |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Weekly Budgeted Needs               | \$ 10,660.82        | YTD Budget Goal     | \$ 298,502.99 |
| T/O Received                        | \$ 8,479.70         | YTD T/O Received    | \$ 335,884.06 |
| Less Budget This Week               | <b>\$(2,181.12)</b> | YTD Difference      | \$ 37,381.07  |
| Budget: \$554,362.75                |                     |                     |               |
| (\$554,362.75/52 weeks=\$10,660.82) |                     | <b>TOTAL GIVING</b> | \$ 8,997.70   |
|                                     |                     | (Last Week)         |               |

**ANNIE ARMSTRONG** \$ 177.00

**RETIREMENT HOME** \$ 14.00

**CBF GLOBAL MISSIONS** \$ 57.00

**BUILDING FUND** \$ 270.00

Current Balance is \$127,803.31

### ATTENDANCE

|                                            |          |
|--------------------------------------------|----------|
| Sunday School                              | 163 + 15 |
| 9 AM Celebration Worship                   | 34       |
| 11 AM Worship                              | 201      |
| PM - Bible Drill and Missions Presentation | 72       |