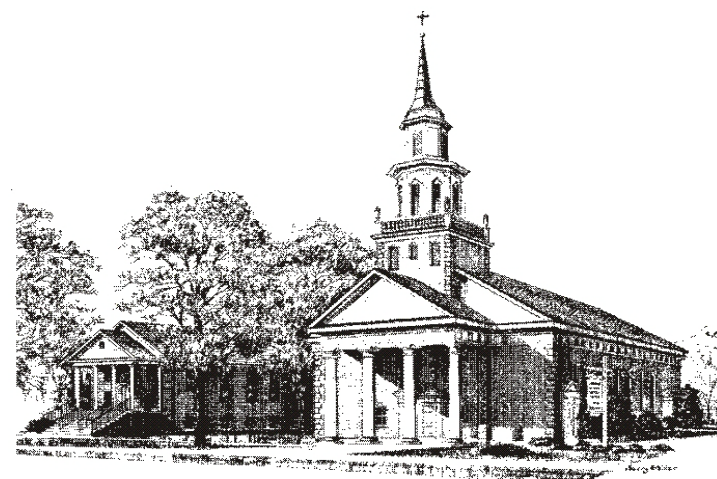


Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church
Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, May 8, 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 (Small group Bible study):
Preschoolers, 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*
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- Rev. Richard Wood, *Associate Pastor for Family Ministry*
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- 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, May 8, 2011
Third Sunday of Easter & Mother's Day

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

Gathering to Worship  
Ministry Opportunities Richard Wood  
Greeting

Music for Meditation JoAnn Brickhouse

*Through him you believe in God,  
who raised him from the dead and glorified him,  
and so your faith and hope are in God.*  
(1 Peter 1:21, NIV)

Words of Welcome Mark Gaskins

Call to Worship Psalm 116:12-14, 16-19 (NIV)

PASTOR: How can I repay the LORD for all his goodness to me?

PEOPLE: **I will lift up the cup of salvation  
and call on the name of the LORD.  
I will fulfill my vows to the LORD  
in the presence of all his people.**

PASTOR: O LORD, truly I am your servant;  
I am your servant, the son of your maidservant;  
you have freed me from my chains.

PEOPLE: **I will sacrifice a thank offering to you  
and call on the name of the LORD.  
I will fulfill my vows to the LORD  
in the presence of all his people . . .  
Praise the LORD.**

Invocation Tanya McDowell

Hymn 12 "Praise Him! Praise Him!" Congregation

Children's Sermon Belinda Bond

Scripture Lesson 2 Timothy 1:3-12 Duran Johnson

Hymn 182 "For the Beauty of the Earth" Congregation

Thanksgiving with Tithes and Offerings  
" . . . your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God."  
(2 Corinthians 9:11b, NIV)

Offertory Prayer  
Anthem "Fairest Lord Jesus" Sanctuary Choir

Scripture and Sermon Mark Gaskins

Deuteronomy 6:1-9, 20-25  
"Bringing Them Up to Become Believers"

Hymn 185 "Jesus Loves Me" Congregation

Dedication of Reese Cole Perdue and His Parents  
Scripture Lesson Mark 10:13-16

Presentation  
Charges  
Prayer of Dedication  
Dedication Song Karen & Victoria Wood  
Blessing  
Presentation of the Certificate and New Testament Richard Wood

Parting Hymn 456 "Find Us Faithful" Congregation

Commission and Benediction Mark Gaskins

Scattering on Mission



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

- **No Sunday Evening services or activities**
- **Wednesday Mid-Week Worship, 6:15 P.M. (McDowell Hall)**  
- Mark Gaskins leading study of the Gospel of John

*The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today  
to the glory of God and in memory of  
Mrs. D. W. Winstead, Sr,  
By her Family*

**2011 Ministry Fair - Today, Sunday, May 8** before and after the 11:00 AM Service in the Hallway outside Bullock-Matthews Room. This will be a time for the church family to sign up for the ministry team that you would like to participate in for the 2011-2012 Church Year.

Disaster Recovery Assistance is Available to You.  
However, You Must Call FEMA at 1-800-621-3362 to apply

**Disaster Relief** - Several of you have shown interest in being trained for Disaster Relief with the NC Baptist Men's organization. There are two training sessions scheduled, if you are interested please pick up a registration form from the church office and mail it in or call Mary Mountz @ 800.395.5102 Ext. 5606 for more information. Training dates are Friday & Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> in Hudson, NC and June 3 & 4<sup>th</sup> in Hendersonville, NC.

**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, May 8**

8:45 AM Celebration Worship (Chapel)  
 9:00 – 9:45 AM Church Library Open  
 9:30 – 10:00 AM Muffins for Mom Breakfast (McDowell Hall)  
 9:45 - 10:45 AM Sunday School  
 11:00 AM Worship Service  
 (Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5FM)  
 11:00 AM Extended Session 1 – Angie Wood  
 Extended Session 2 – Rachel Brown  
 Church Library Open  
 No Evening Service or Activities

**Monday, May 9**

12:00 NOON Marjorie Spence/Brown Bag with Melba Kelly  
 Bring items for Haven and Breadbasket  
 Building & Grounds Meeting

6:30 PM

**Tuesday, May 10**

7:30 AM Men's Prayer Meeting  
 1:00 PM Virginia Oliver Group  
 7:00 PM WISH Group

**Wednesday, May 11**

10:30 AM Staff Meeting  
 5:00 PM WMU Council 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 Worhsip  
 7:15 – 8:45 PM Sanctuary Choir Practice

**Thursday, May 12**

7:30 PM Praise Band

**SPECIAL ITEMS OF INTEREST**

**Building and Grounds Committee** will meet on **Monday, May 9** at 6:30 PM. Members include: Randy Angel, Tommy Bobo, Belinda Bond, Eddie Bowling, Norman Brickhouse, Art Coleman, Jeff Cummings, Marcia Johnson, Andy Keye, John Henry Rice, Linda Vance and Dan Wood.

**Bridal Shower for Katie Whiteside** will be held on **Sunday, May 15** at 1:30 PM. Katie is the bride-elect of Nicholas Cranston. Katie is the daughter of Johnny and Tara Whiteside. Please join us in the hallway outside of the Bullock-Matthews room in a celebration for Katie!

**City on a Hill – India Mission** – If you wish to make a donation to the Mission Fund for David and Heather Webb, please designate your offering to City on a Hill.

**Greeters & Lock-Up for May**

Door 1 – Mary Ruth Deese  
 Door 2 – Tara Whiteside  
 Door 3 – Andy and Wanda Howard  
 Lock-Up - Tommy Bobo

**Yarn For Hats** – We are in need of yarn to knit hats for the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. If you have any yarn you could donate, please leave it in the library.

**Children's Ministry**

**Children's Sunday** is next Sunday, **May 15**. The children of our church will be leading us in worship.

**Children's Choir Musical** will be Sunday evening **May 22** at 7:00 PM.

**Children will be going to the Durham Bulls game on Sunday June 12** – Cost is \$8.00. Sign-up and money are due by May 29. This event is open to parents and other family members as well. If you are interested in going, see Richard to sign up.

**Extended Session Volunteers**

|        | <u>Extended Session 1</u> | <u>Extended Session 2</u> |
|--------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| May 15 | Tara Whiteside            | Children's Worship        |
| May 22 | Kelly Desjarlais          | Sonja Lawrence            |

**Vacation Bible School** is July 10-14. More information coming soon.

**Youth & College Ministry**

**Youth and College Students will be going to see Third Day in Concert on May 13** – This event is also open to any adults who would like to attend. Cost is \$15.00. Let Richard know if you are going by Wednesday May 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Graduate Sunday Service will be Sunday, June 5** – If you are graduating high school, college, or graduate school this year and would like to be recognized in our Graduate Sunday Service, please call or email Richard by May 15.

**Youth Mission Trip to Macon, GA is July 24-29** – Sign-up and the \$75.00 cost is due to Richard by Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Youth can see Richard to sign up or use the sign-up sheet in the Youth Center.

**Youth will be going to the Durham Bulls game on Friday June 3** – Cost is \$8.00. Sign-up and money are due by May 22. Youth can see Richard to sign up or use the sign-up sheet in the Youth Center.

**College Student this week is Justin Bowling**. Justin is the son of Eddie and Carol Bowling. He is attending Appalachian State. 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.

**BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: May 1, 2011 (Week 34 of 52)**

**General Fund**

|                                     |              |                            |               |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| Weekly Budgeted Needs               | \$ 10,660.82 | YTD Budget Goal            | \$ 373,128.73 |
| T/O Received                        | \$ 12,487.05 | YTD T/O Received           | \$ 402,848.10 |
| Over Budget This Week               | \$ 1,826.23  | YTD Difference             | \$ 29,719.37  |
| Budget: \$554,362.75                |              | <b><u>TOTAL GIVING</u></b> | \$ 16,092.05  |
| (\$554,362.75/52 weeks=\$10,660.82) |              | (Last Week)                |               |

**CITY ON A HILL – INDIA** \$ 1,030.00

**NC BAPTIST MEN** \$ 1,300.00

**BAPTIST HOSPITAL** \$ 195.00

**ANNIE ARMSTRONG** \$ 45.00

**BUILDING FUND** \$ 1,035.00

Current Balance is **\$123,398.31**

**ATTENDANCE**

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Sunday School             | 157 + 14 |
| 9 AM Celebration Worship  | 26       |
| 11 AM Worship             | 190      |
| PM – Discipleship/Worship | 27       |