

Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church
 Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, January 27, 2013

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 (1st floor of the educational wing)
 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:

- Rev. Gilbert W. McDowell, *Pastor Emeritus*
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- Mrs. Kimberly Davidson, *Pianist*

The Worship of God
 The Lord's Day, January 27, 2013
 Third Sunday after the Epiphany
 Baptist Men's Day

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

Please silence all cell phones and other electronic devices.

Gathering to Worship

Ministry Opportunities		Norman Brickhouse
Greeting		
Music for Meditation		Barry Cashion
	"He Was There All the Time"	
Words of Welcome		Willard Garren
Worship in Song		Nathan Bright
Call to Worship	Hebrews 10:24-25	Mitchell Watson
Invocation		Avron Upchurch

Hearing the Word

Hymn 630	"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"	Congregation
Children's Sermon		Sam Carter
Scripture Lesson	Psalm 73:23-28	Ed Byrd
Hymn 92	"Oh How I Love Jesus"	Congregation
Thanksgiving with Our Tithes and Offerings		
	" . . . your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God." (2 Corinthians 9:11b, NIV®)	

Offertory Prayer		John Hall
Anthem	"Love Lifted Me"	Baptist Men
Scripture and Sermon	John 10:7-10 "Abundant Life"	Ken Smith

Responding to the Word

Hymn 571	"Trust and Obey"	Congregation
The Church at Prayer		Richard Wood

Sending Forth

Charge and Benediction Richard Wood
 Scattering on Mission



Worship Leadership for Today
 Roger Vance - Music Leader
 Ronnie Byrd - Pianist
 RA Boys - Ushers



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

- **Sunday Evening, 6:00 P.M. (McDowell Hall) - Chili Cook-off and Cake Bake-off**
 Cake entries must be registered by 5:30 PM for judging
 Chili entries must be registered by 6 PM for judging.
 Dinner will be at 6:30 PM. Everyone is invited to attend.
- **Wednesday evening, 6:15 P.M. (Bullock-Matthews Room) - Kenny Dail is leading this Bible Study**

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Worship Summit Begins today - All adult and youth Sunday School classes will meet in **McDowell Hall at 9:45 AM this Sunday and the next two Sundays** to be involved in a discussion about worship led by Kenny Lamm, a member of our church and Senior Consultant for Worship and Music at the Baptist State Convention of NC.

College Student of the Week is Hannah Cowfer - Hannah is the daughter of James and Brenda Cowfer and attends Campbell University. Please send her a card this week at Campbell University, c/o Hannah Cowfer, PO Box 567, Buies Creek, NC 27506.

Baptist Men - Monday, January 28 - 6:30 PM in McDowell Hall with Mr. Larry Wilson speaking on Mission Experiences. Chef for the evening will be Norman Brickhouse. Sign up now to reserve your plate!

Christian Education Leadership Council Meeting, Tuesday, January 29 at 7:00 PM.

Higher Heights will meet on **Wednesday, January 30 at 11 AM** in McDowell Hall. A lunch of soup and sandwiches will be served. The program will be Billy Walker telling and showing us items from his hobby, carving. All Seniors are invited to attend.

Equipping for the Future Task Force will meet on **Thursday, January 31 at 6:30 PM** in the conference room.

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 THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27 - BAPTIST MEN'S DAY

8:45 AM Early 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 105.5 FM)
 Extended Session 1 - Leah Johnson
 Extended Session 2 - Kelly Desjarlais
 12:00 - 12:15 PM Church Library Open
 4:00 PM Youth Ensemble (Bullock-Matthews Room)
 5:00 PM Handbell Choir
 6:30 PM Bible Drill Practice
 6:00 PM Chili Cook-Off and Cake Bake-Off

MONDAY, JANUARY 28

6:30 PM Baptist Men (McDowell Hall)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 29

7:30 AM Men's Prayer Meeting
 7:00 PM Christian Education Leadership Council

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30

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

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31

6:30 PM Equipping for the Future Task Force Meeting
 7:30 PM Praise Band Practice (Chapel)

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

2012 Contribution Statements were mailed out Monday, January 21. If you have any questions regarding your statements, please call the office between 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM and talk with Marva Lee Roush.

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

GET READY... SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY IS NEXT SUNDAY and your GA girls will be meeting you at the Sanctuary entrances with their soup pots to receive your donation for Meals on Wheels and the CUOC. Let's all work together to fight hunger here in our community!!

CUOC Needs - cereal, peanut butter and jelly, spaghetti and pasta sauce.

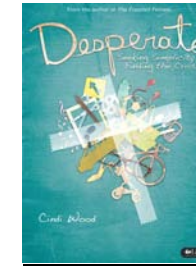
CBF Global Missions Offering as of January 20 = \$709.44.

City on a Hill Mission Total of All Donations as of January 20 = \$1,019.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering as of January 20 = \$4,183.35.

JHBC Benevolence Fund - Requests for help continue to grow. You can make a difference in someone's life, just mark your envelope "JHBC Benevolence Fund".

Sewing and Crafts Sharing and Planning Session - The Missions and Outreach Team is looking for project ideas for outreach programs and missions that JHBC supports. Anyone interested in sharing ideas, samples, or plans for simple crafts/sewing projects for 2013 is asked to meet in McDowell Hall on **Sunday, February 3rd at 4 PM.**



WINGS will begin a new Bible Study on **Thursday, February 7 at 12:30 PM.** This is a seven (7) week Bible study for women. Connecting with the heart of God is possible even while living a frazzled life! You are invited to come and be a part of this exciting Bible study group.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

PassportKids Sign-Up is available now - This camp is for children in grades 3-6 and will be at Wingate University on July 8-11. **Registration and a \$60 deposit are due by March 29.** Sign-up sheets are available on the Family Ministry Bulletin Board outside Bullock-Matthews Room. See Rich for more information.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Superb Owl Party will be February 3 - The event will begin at 6 PM in McDowell Hall. Admission is two cans of food for CUOC. Be sure to bring bean bags, inflatable chairs, blankets or anything comfortable to sit in. Youth are also asked to bring any chips or sweets to share and a 2-liter drink of your choice.

Winter Jam Concert will be Saturday February 16 in Greensboro - If you are interested in going, a sign-up sheet is on the Family Ministry Bulletin Board outside Bullock-Matthews Room. Cost is \$10.00 at the door. We will be leaving the church at 1:00 PM and returning around 10:30 PM.

PassportChoices Sign-up is available now - This camp is for youth in grades 6-8 (Middle School Students) and will be at Wingate University on July 7-12. **Registration and a \$75 deposit are due by March 28.** Sign-up sheets are available on the Family Ministry Bulletin Board outside Bullock-Matthews Room. See Rich for more information.

High School & College Mission Trip to Belize Sign-Up is available now - This trip will be July 27-August 2 as we will be working with a church in Belize City conducting Vacation Bible School. Cost of the trip will be approximately \$1,100. **Registration and a \$100 deposit are due by January 30.** A sign-up sheet is on the Family Ministry Bulletin Board. See Rich for more information.

BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: January 20, 2013 (Week 21 of 52)

General Fund

Weekly Budgeted Needs	\$ 10,985.26	YTD Budget Goal	\$ 230,690.46
T/O Received	\$ 4,575.30	YTD T/O Received	\$ 260,234.52
Less Budget This Week	\$(6,409.96)	YTD Difference	\$ 29,544.06
Budget: \$571,233.48			
(\$571,233.48/52 weeks=\$10,985.26)		<u>TOTAL GIVING</u>	\$ 4,780.30

<u>Benevolence</u>	\$ 150.00
<u>Equipping for the Future</u>	\$ 55.00

ATTENDANCE

8:45 AM Worship	27
Sunday School	148 + 7
11:00 AM Worship	232
PM - Discipleship	22