

Welcome to
Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church

Established 1869

Embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world



The Lord's Day, June 21, 2009
Father'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 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 . . .

8:45 A.M. - Food and Fellowship (Chapel)

9:00 A.M. - Celebration Worship (Chapel)

9:45 A.M. - Sunday School:

Preschoolers (1st floor of educational wing)

Children (in the "Upper Room")

Small group Bible study for 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)

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Mrs. Jo Ann Brickhouse, *Organist*

Mrs. Kimberly Davidson, *Pianist*

211 - Let There Be Praise

Let there be praise, let there be joy in our hearts,
Sing to the Lord, give Him the glory;

Let there be praise, let there be joy in our hearts.
Forevermore let His love fill the air, and let there be praise.

#618 - In His Presence

In His presence there is comfort,
In His presence, there is peace.
When we seek the Father's heart
We will find such blessed assurance,
In the presence of the Lord

In Your presence there is comfort,
In Your presence, there is peace.
When we seek to know Your heart
We will find such blessed assurance,
In Your holy presence, Lord

#791 - Jesus, We Just Want to Thank You

Jesus, we just want to thank You,
Jesus, we just want to thank You,
Jesus, we just want to thank You,
Thank You for being so good.

Jesus, we just want to praise You,
Jesus, we just want to praise You,
Jesus, we just want to praise You,
Praise You for being so good.

Savior, we just want to serve You,
Savior, we just want to serve You,
Savior, we just want to serve You,
Serve You for being so good.

Jesus, we know You are coming,
Jesus, we know You are coming,
Jesus, we know You are coming,
Take us to live in Your home.

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**Don't Forget
Children's VBS This Week!**



The Worship of God
The Lord's Day, June 21, 2009
Father's Day

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

Gathering to Worship		
Ministry Opportunities		Mike Clements
Greeting		
Music for Meditation	"God of Our Fathers"	Pianist and Organist
Welcome to Worship		Mike Clements
Call to Worship	Matthew 25:31-40	
Choral Response	"You Raise Me Up"	Sanctuary Choir
Invocation		Hunter Bond
Hymn 575	"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"	Congregation
Children's Sermon		
Scripture Lesson	Matthew 19:16-24	David Bond
Chorus Medley 211, 618 & 791	"Let There Be Praise", "In His Presence" "Jesus, We Just Want to Thank You"	Congregation
Thanksgiving with Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory Prayer		
Anthem	"Find Us Faithful"	Sanctuary Choir
Scripture and Sermon		Mike Clements
	Amos 5:21-24 "What Your Father Wants for Father's Day"	
Hymn 688	"Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us"	Congregation
Church at Prayer		
Benediction		Mike Clements
Scattering on Mission		



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

- **No Sunday Evening**
- **No Wednesday Mid-Week Worship due to VBS**

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, June 21 – Father's Day

8:45 a.m. Celebration Worship (Chapel)
9:00 – 9:45 a.m. Church Library Open
9:45 - 10:45 a.m. Sunday School (Children meet in Upper Room)
11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary)
(Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5FM)
11:00 a.m. Children's Worship (Chapel)
12:00 – 12:15 p.m. Church Library Open
No Evening Worship Service

Monday, June 22

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Children's Vacation Bible School



Tuesday, June 23

7:30 a.m.
9:00 a.m.
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Men's Prayer Meeting
Breadbasket
Children's Vacation Bible School

Wednesday, June 24

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
6:15 – 8:00 p.m.

Children's Vacation Bible School
Church Library Open
No Discovering Discipleship
No Mid-Week Worship
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

7:15 – 8:45 p.m.

Thursday, June 25

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Children's Vacation Bible School

Friday, June 26

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Children's Vacation Bible School

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUST A REMINDER – Articles for the July Announcer are due this week.

PLEASE NOTE

- ▶ Youth activities scheduled for Wednesday evening, June 24, are cancelled due to Vacation Bible School.
- ▶ Youth activities scheduled for Wednesday evening, July 1, are cancelled due to the Youth will be at camp.
- ▶ The Mary Herring/Nell Smith group will not meet this month due to Vacation Bible School.

Wecome Two New Additions

Jaxon Cohen Basley was born on June 11th and weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. The proud parents are Holly Twiss and Thomas Basley.

John David Himebrook was born on June 14th and weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz. Proud parents are Les and Andrea Himebrook.

Attention Ladies - A Beth Moore Bible study, "Jesus, the One and Only", is being held at 10 a.m. on Monday morning. Are you seeking further Bible Study, Fellowship, and Enrichment through a "Small Group" meeting, if so, please call Mary Upchurch at 776-2868.

Adult Mission Trip to Ashe County, NC on July 12-17. Volunteers are needed to work at the Ashe Baptist Camp doing repairs. They are in need of someone who can lay brick or stone. Volunteers will stay at the camp. Any questions, contact Wanda Howard at 774-9661.

Baptist Men will meet Monday, June 29 at 6:30 p.m. in the Old Fellowship Hall. Scott Holt will be the guest speaker and Norman Brickhouse will be the chef. Please sign up in the hall, in your Sunday School room or tell Willard Garren to reserve your meal.

Higher Heights – Hot dog/hamburger lunch will be held on Thursday, June 25 at 11 a.m. in McDowell Hall. The cost is \$5 per person and will include hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, dessert and drinks. All Seniors are invited to come and enjoy good food, fellowship and music by Mike and Gracie Clements. Please sign the sheet on the table by the door of the Bullock-Matthews Room and give your payment to Jean Walker or Diane Smith.

Recommended Bylaw Changes - The Personnel Committee along with the Body of Deacons recommends changes to the Church Bylaws (ARTICLE IX ELECTION & DUTIES OF CHURCH STAFF & OFFICERS, Section B. EXEMPT STAFF AND CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR and C. NON-EXEMPT SUPPORT STAFF). Copies of the recommended changes to the bylaws have been placed on the table in the hallway between the office and the Bullock-Matthews Room for you. The changes will be discussed and voted upon at the July 2009 Business Meeting. If you have any questions before then, please feel free to contact any one of the Personnel Committee members.

Don't Forget Operation Christmas Child Shoebox! Shoebox items for June include any item for a boy, such as socks, underwear and toys!

Do You Have Pictures of JHBC Past? Do you have any church pictures from the past? If so, would you be so kind as to let us borrow them for our upcoming 140th Anniversary. A box has been placed in the office for you to drop your pictures in, just fill out the picture form and attach the picture to the form. We will be scanning your picture and returning them as soon as possible.

Thanks, History Committee

Sunday School News: School is out, vacations are here. Travel safe, have a good time, get refreshed and remember to find a place of worship on Sunday. Upon returning, place Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. on your summer schedule.

BUDGET AND ATTENDANCE: June 14, 2009 (Week 24 of 52)

General Fund

Weekly Budgeted Needs	\$10,941.61	YTD Budget Goal	\$ 262,598.55
T/O Received	\$ 6,673.26	YTD T/O Received	\$ 222,031.36

MISSIONS

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ATTENDANCE

Sunday School	174 + 6
9:00 a.m.	28
11:00 a.m.	192
7 p.m. Evening Worship	18

BUILDING FUND \$ 1,040.00
Current Balance is \$267,417.28

Special Dates to Remember

Sunday, June 28 - 11:00 a.m. - - Children's Worship
6:30 p.m. - - The Taylors in Concert

Sunday, June 28 through Friday, July 3 - Youth at Camp in West Virginia