



1000 South Main Street, Greenwood, South Carolina - 864-223-4377

## The Messenger

April 13, 2008

*Current Sermon Series-*

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**Series by: Scott Kindig**

Youth Ministry Consultant with the Georgia Baptist Convention

**April 13, 20, 27 & May 11**

**8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. services**

**MINISTERS:**

**DAVID H. CORBITT**  
MINISTER OF MUSIC  
MINISTER OF SENIOR ADULTS

**RICHARD W. McWHITE**  
MINISTER OF EDUCATION  
&  
OUTREACH

**RUSS CHAMBERS**  
YOUTH MINISTER

# SMSBC NEWS

## Attendance & Giving

### ATTENDANCE for Sunday, April 6

Enrollment	1136
<b>Total Attendance</b>	<b>497</b>
New Members	0
Visitors	25
Weekday Bible Studies	30

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR APRIL 6

Budgeted Requirements	\$26,514
Budgeted Receipts	\$32,017
Needed To Date	\$371,196
Received To Date	\$337,119
Designated	\$4,198
Accept the Miracle Campaign	\$21,118
Annie Armstrong	\$1,169

*Expressing Christian Sympathy to  
Pat McWhite and family in the loss of her uncle  
Ralph Knight*

**Beginning Tuesday, April 15, 2008**

**9:15-10:30 a.m.**

**SMSBC Chapel**

**Steppin UP by Beth Moore**

**This is a 7 week course and will end  
on May 27, 2008**

**Facilitated by:  
Tia Patrick**



## 2008 Summer Music Camps

### **Young Musicians Camp**

July 14-18, 2008

White Oak Conference Center

Grades 3-5

### **Children's Music Mini-Camp**

July 21-23, 2008

White Oak Conference Center

Grades 1-2

### **Youth MusicArts Camp/ Summersalt**

*"The Best of Both Worlds"*

June 16-20, 2008

Grades 6-12

**Registration Cost \$25.00**

**due April 23**

**For forms see David Corbitt**



**Saturday, May 17, 2008**

**10 a.m.-2 p.m.**

**1000 South Main Street**

**Sign up in Sunday School**

## From the Pastor Search Committee

The Pastor Search Committee wants to thank you for your continued prayer and support as we travel on the Spiritual journey of seeking the future pastor and servant leader for South Main Street Baptist. In continuing to follow the TransMap search process, as trained by the SC Baptist Convention, we are entering a vital phase of our search beginning discussions, background checks, and getting to know more about interested ministers. We made our vacancy known through announcements in several state Christian newspapers, statewide associations, multiple Southern Baptist seminaries, and the Southern Baptist and regional state conventions. We received interest from over 300 ministers seeking to learn more about SMSBC. Along with these responses, came numerous suggestions of contacts, inquires, prayer over resumes, and letters of recommendation from many potentially qualified senior ministers. During the month of March, we read and prayed over every resume in an effort to make sure potential ministers were not overlooked. With homework in our hands from weekly committee meetings, we attempted to narrow our focus to a more manageable group of less than 20 candidates; beginning more background checks, and reviewing qualifications. A brief questionnaire was sent to a group of ministers requesting additional information. We received a number of replies and have begun evaluating their responses. The remaining questionnaires should all be in by the middle of April allowing us to create our top 10 list. Please pray that we remain in God's path for our church and have the wisdom and discernment to begin important discussions with these ministers. As we continue to meet and pray over this next group of ministers and their ministries, we will begin scheduling times to visit, conduct more in-depth background checks and have conversations to see if there is mutual compatibility of ministries and vision. As a committee, we welcome your input and invite you to remain with us in prayer and obedience to search for God's next leader for South Main Street Baptist Church.

## Melissa Hull Financial Class

The Financial Class led by Melissa Hull will be held on Sundays from **5:00-6:00 p.m.** Each class is independent of the others. Come and join us at any time.

April 13 - Planning College Costs

April 20 - Estate Planning

April 27 - Trusts

May 4 - To Be Determined

# South Main Street Worship Services

Celebrative Service 8:30 a.m.

Classic Worship 11:00 a.m.



## Preschool Worship Care

**8:30 A.M. SERVICE**

**Babies:** Janet Lindley  
**Toddlers & 2-Year-Olds:** Marsha Thompson

Lydia Martin, Gale Brightly  
Wendy Calhoun

**Son Praise Worship - 3's, 4's & 5's**

**8:30 a.m. Service Coordinator**

Stephanie Porter (223-4368)

**11 A.M. SERVICE**

**Babies:** Tammy Walker  
**Toddlers 2-Year-Olds:** Shirley Swygert

Hilly Kenney  
Glenda Fleming

**Son Praise Worship (3's & 4's):**

**11 a.m Service Coordinator**

Tammy Reeder (446-9522)

**6 P.M. SERVICE**

**Babies & 1's** Ashley Latham,  
**2-Year-Olds:** Belinda Revels

Nancy Holladay

**Sonshine Kids**

Kathy Eklund

**6 p.m Service Coordinator**

Lindi Kastner (223-2679)

**National Discipleship & Evangelism Conference**

Monday, June 30 - Friday, July 4  
Lifeway Ridgecrest Conference Center  
Ridgecrest, NC



**LE NEWS**

Mothers Tea is one of our favorite events of the school year. It is a special time to honor the mothers of Learning Express children and show our love for them. This event will be a time of fellowship, devotion and music provided by the children.

Next week: Tuesday, April 15 & Wednesday, April 16 @ 10:45

**Morning Ushers**

**April 8:30 a.m.**

Bert Cothorn,  
Ralph Swygert, Chip Whitt,  
Gary Moore,  
Steve Henderson,  
Tommy Bailey

**Morning Ushers**

**April 11 a.m.**

Rex Cassady, Ansel Spires,  
Mack Baltzagar, Alvin Rankin,  
Melvin Calliham, Ralph Bozard,  
Paul Burdette, Bill Hilley,  
Jack Wheless, Allan Irwin,  
John McGee, Reid Skinner

**RADIO BROADCAST:**

The 11 a.m. SMSBC worship service is broadcast each Sunday at 11 a.m. on Sunny 103.5 FM radio station.

**Wednesday Family Supper**

**April 16**

Youth Mission Dinner

Proceeds are to help with summer mission projects

**Deacon of the Week - April 13-April 19**

Fred Pitts (223-2467)



**SMSBC VBS 2008**

**June 8-13**

**6:00-8:30 p.m.**

**Thursday Ladies Bible Study**

South Main Street Baptist Church

**"Discerning the Voice of God"**

(How to Hear God's Voice) by: Priscilla Shirer

**Date: Thursday, April 17, 2008**

**Place: Connecting Place**

Bring a bag lunch (drinks provided) and join us at 12:30 for fellowship. The video begins promptly at 1:00 p.m. Optional discussion following.

**\*\*Facilitator: Paula Wilson\*\***

**Cup of Fellowship**

**Tuesday, April 22**

7 p.m. in the Connecting Place

Speaker: Barbara Arthur

Singer: Natalie Parramore

Tickets will be sold Sunday April 13. Tickets will also be available in the church office.

Tickets cost: \$10



# April 13-April 19

## SUNDAY

- 7:30 a.m.** Early Bird Prayer Time  
**8:30 a.m.** Early Worship Service-Connecting Place  
**9:00 a.m.** Orchestra Rehearsal - Worship Center  
**9:40 a.m.** HD1:8 - Docking Station  
**9:40 a.m.** English Lessons from the Bible - old preschool hall  
**9:45 a.m.** Bible Study  
**11:00 a.m.** Worship Service - Worship Center  
**5:00 p.m.** Faith Visitation  
**5:00 p.m.** Financial Seminar w/ Melissa Hull  
**6:00 p.m.** Sunday Evening Worship - Sanctuary  
**6:00 p.m.** Preschool Fellowship-Treehouse Room

## MONDAY

- 9:00 a.m.** Learning Express  
**2:30 p.m.** Inter-Mission Afterschool  
**6:00 p.m.** Splash of Faith  
**6:30 p.m.** Jean Glaze Circle-Meeting Place

## TUESDAY

- 9:00 a.m.** Learning Express  
**9:15 a.m.** New Women's Ministry Bible Study - Chapel  
**11:00 a.m.** Senior Members  
**2:30 p.m.** Inter-Mission Afterschool  
**3:00 p.m.** Reapers SS Class - Parlor  
**6:00 p.m.** Men's Bible Study  
**7:00 p.m.** Constitution Meeting

## WEDNESDAY

- 6:30 a.m.** Men's Fellowship Breakfast - Cracker Barrel  
**7:00 a.m.** Prayer Meeting - Parlor  
**9:00 a.m.** Learning Express  
**10:00 a.m.** Prayer Meeting-prayer room  
**5:00 p.m.** Family Fellowship Supper  
**5:00 p.m.** Youth Activities  
**5:30 p.m.** Committee Meetings  
**5:45 p.m.** Pastor Search Committee Meeting  
**6:15 p.m.** 1-3 Grade Choir/Handbells  
**6:15 p.m.** 4-5 Grade Bible Skills, Drills & Thrills  
**6:15 p.m.** Music & Mission Friends (3,4,5 yr. olds)  
**6:15 p.m.** Prayer Meeting  
**6:45 p.m.** 1-3 Grade Bible Skills, Drills & Thrills  
**6:45 p.m.** 4-5 Grade Choir/Handbells  
**7:15 p.m.** Adult Choir Rehearsal

## THURSDAY

- 9:00 a.m.** Learning Express  
**12:00 p.m.** Thursday Women's Bible Study - Connecting Place  
**2:30 p.m.** Inter-Mission Afterschool

## FRIDAY

- 9:00 a.m.** Learning Express  
**2:30 p.m.** Inter-Mission Afterschool

# SPLASH

Do YOU know someone that.....  
is new in the neighborhood?  
needs a church home?  
needs Jesus?

WE WANT TO "SPLASH" THEM  
WITH JESUS' LOVE.  
PLEASE TELL US WHO THEY ARE!  
CALL  
THE CHURCH OFFICE ASAP!

THANKS  
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Outreach Evangelistic Director

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