

LAST WEEKS' RECORD	
Sunday School Attendance	221
Weekly Budget	\$10,543.76
General Receipts	\$12,013.25
Designated Receipts	\$2,467.85
New Growth Project	\$824.00
Youth Mission 2008 (to date)	\$13,266.00

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# Portside Baptist Church Fellowship News

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## Serving this Week at Portside

**Deacons on Call: July 6- July 12, 2008**

Sean Kennedy, Emppie Paige

**Ushers** – Scott Chubb, Cpt., Jimmy Singletary,  
Johnny Singletary, Ricky Tindal, Alternates –  
Buddy Caples, Ernie Worsham

**Sound System** – Craig Pagels, Keith Kimble

## THIS WEEK

**“The Kind of Leader America Needs”**

**Deut. 17:14-20**

## Nursery/Preschool/Children’s Workers Schedule

**Sunday Morning** – Casey and Stewart Ott, Kaye Friday,  
and Nicole Hubler

**Sunday Evening** – Dora Hester, Alyce Kennedy

**Children's Sermon** – Jennifer Mitchum

**Children's Helper** – Craig Hollifield

**Wednesday Evening** – Nina Weeks

**July Tellers** – Chip Hester, Sarah Howard

**July 9, 2008**

**Country Fried Steak, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes,  
Sweet Peas, Tossed Salad, Dessert, Drinks**



Serving & Clean-up

Emppie and Shirley Paige, Cheryl Youmans



July 7	Nina Brown
July 8	Amy Fuchs, Hal Smith, Rodney Thompson
July 9	Ben Fuller, Legree Redmond, David Weeks
July 11	Cindy Baxley

**Be thankful for stumbles,  
for they prevent falls.**

Office Hours  
Mon. - Thurs.  
8:00-4:00  
Friday  
7:30-3:30

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## FROM THE PASTOR

Recently the Pew Forum conducted a survey on religion in America; their findings were both predictable and alarming. Here is a quote from Tuesday's newspaper article:

"More people believe in heaven than in hell. Most say there is more than one path to salvation. The majority of Americans apply practical experience and common sense more than religious teachings to determine right and wrong." (The *Post and Courier*, June 24, 2008)

There are three glaring errors here. First, the Bible must be believed as truth. How can one believe there is heaven and deny hell? Common logic would either affirm both or deny both. Second, salvation is exclusive. There is only one way, via the blood of the cross. All other ways are false. Third, Christianity is experiential. We are to put in practice what we believe. Our faith will naturally spawn good works.

This report is sobering and troubling. Sadly, many preachers and churches teach this sacrilege. We have our work cut out for us. We must teach basic truth over and over again. America's view of the Bible and Christianity is skewed and erroneous.

## FROM THE MINISTER OF STUDENTS

### **Kid's Camp is coming soon.**

Kid's Camp will be August 11-13, 2008 from 9:00am to noon. Camp is open to everyone from K-5 through grade 2 and the cost for camp is \$15.00. Sign up sheets are in the preschool building. Invite your friends, family members, or your enemies for three days of fun, fellowship, and learning about God.

## Opportunities at Portside

### **Sunday, July 6th**

9:00am – Coffee and Donuts

9:45am – Sunday School

11:00am – Morning Worship Service

5:30-7:30pm – Discipleship Training

Wanda Kimble – *Crown Financial Ministries* for College & Career Students in their classroom

6:30pm – Discipleship Training :

Pastor Mike – *What God Can Do: Revival in Our Time*

DJ and Joanie Kirkland – "*Dare to Be a Daniel*" for 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades – in 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade SS Classroom

Jennifer Mitchum – "*Organic God*"-in Bill

Pillow's classroom – books are \$8.00, please see Jennifer.

### **SNACK NIGHT**

#### **Monday, July 7th**

6:00pm – Church-wide Visitation

#### **Wednesday, July 9th**

5:15pm – Family Supper – Country Fried Steak

6:00pm – Building and Grounds Committee Meeting

6:45pm – Prayer Meeting, GA's, RA's, Mission Friends, Youth Group Meeting

7:30pm – Choir Practice



July 6	Psalms 119:73-176
July 7	Psalms 120-135
July 8	Psalms 136-142
July 9	Psalms 143-150
July 10	Proverbs 1-4
July 11	Proverbs 5-8
July 12	Proverbs 9-13



YOUTH GROUP

### **Upcoming Events**

**Mission Trip – July 26–August 4, 2008; Franklin, Tennessee – FINAL DEPOSIT FOR TRIP IS DUE JULY 6TH**

**Kids Camp – August 11-13; 9:00am-Noon**

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### **Care Packs for Children of "Youth Missions 2008"**

Toothpaste (28 needed)

Toothbrush (20 needed)

Towel (20 needed)

Deodorant (20 needed)

Sun block (20 needed)

Soap (20 needed)

Shampoo (20 needed)

Please NO trial sizes – we need regular sized items. A note would be nice, too as well as keeping them all in your prayers.

If you would prefer to give cash and let someone pick up these items, please see Dora Hester.

## **J.O.Y. NOTES**

We had a great group for our June luncheon and our guest speaker shared important facts with us. Anyone interested in a day trip to the Billy Graham Library/Museum Saturday, July 19, 2008, please contact Jo Anne.

Reminder: JOY luncheons for July 31<sup>st</sup> and August 28<sup>th</sup> are at Ryan's on Rivers Ave. at 11:00am.

*YOU must have JOY before you can share JOY with others*



Portside Baptist,

Thank you for the \$30 Lifeway gift card. Also, thanks for the senior recognition service and dinner. I am very grateful for all the hard work that was put into the service. Thank you again, Dustin Deloney

Lowcountry  
Franklin **GRAHAM**  
FESTIVAL

September 19 -21  
North Charleston Coliseum

Make-up Christian Life & Witness Classes

(times and locations to be determined)

Tuesday, August 12 and Thursday, August 1

Tuesday, August 19 and Thursday, August 21

Counselor Rehearsal at North Charleston Coliseum

Tuesday, September 16, 7:30-9:30pm

**This fall we have a historic opportunity to reach the Charleston area with the love of Jesus Christ. Be in prayer for what you can do to help!**