

LAST WEEKS' RECORD	
Sunday School Attendance	226
Weekly Budget	\$10,543.76
General Receipts	\$11,629.25
Designated Receipts	\$873.00
New Growth Project	\$595.00

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Portside Baptist Church Fellowship News

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 Organist

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 Pianist

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Serving this Week at Portside

Deacons on Call: August 10 – August 16, 2008

Bill Hollifield, Bob Howard, Tom Keeney

Ushers – BJ Dowdy, cpt., John Foore, Ashley O'Neal,

Calrk Smith, Alternate – DJ Kirkland

Sound System – Chip Hester, Jody Huggins

THIS WEEK

Rev. David Kinney

Nursery/Preschool/Children's Workers Schedule

Sunday Morning – Kimberly Rogers, Corey Tindal, Nina Weeks, Christina Serna

Sunday Evening – Dora Hester, Alyce Kennedy

Children's Sermon – Dennis Hall

Children's Helper – Buddy Caples

Wednesday Evening – Nina Weeks

August Tellers – Dawn Chubb, Barbara Perry

August 13, 2008

**Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Baked Beans,
 Dessert**



Serving & Clean-up

Jimmy & Millie Lester
 Mary Mathisen

- August 10 Sally Hester
- August 11 Brittany Hines
- August 12 Frances Holmes, Hunter Bessinger,
 Gene Howard
- August 14 Joe Serra
- August 16 Buster Dukes



Keep your head and your heart pointed
 in the right direction and you won't
 have to worry about your feet.

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

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



August 11-13, 2008
 9:00am – 12:00 Noon
 Youth House

A Fellowship of Caring
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FROM THE PASTOR

During Jesus' three years of public ministry, it is ironic that he resurrected three people and He wept on three occasions.

In Mark 5:42, we read about Jesus raising the daughter of Jairus; and He raised Lazarus (John 11:43).

On three occasions, Jesus wept. He wept at the death of Lazarus (John 11:35); He wept over the plight of Jerusalem (Luke 19:41); and in Hebrew 5:7 we are told that "in the flesh, when he had offered up prayers and supplications with strong "crying and tears" unto him that was able to save him from death, and was heard in that he feared."

Jesus' life was characterized by resurrections and tears. When a sinner comes to Jesus, He lifts us from the miry clay and sets us free. Our sins have been forgiven because He died and rose for our justification. When He returns, the graves of the saints will be emptied by His resurrection power.

Then, Jesus' life was characterized by tears. He had sympathy for us as He gave His life as a ransom for us. When we weep, He understands our sadness and weeps with us. He surely weeps over the sins we commit each day.

We sing "*Love Lifted Me.*" The hymn aptly describes Jesus' great love and pity, great power and victory. He is still a God who raises up and weeps.

Opportunities at Portside

Sunday, August 10th

9:45am – Sunday School

11:00am – Morning Worship Service

6:30pm – **Everyone Meeting in social hall for Mission 2008 Report**

Monday, August 11th

9:00am – 12:00 Noon – **Kid's Camp**

6:00pm – Church-wide Visitation

Tuesday, August 12th

9:00am – 12:00 Noon – **Kid's Camp**

9:30am – Mary Saunders' Prayer Group

10:00am – Melody Graham Bible Study

6:00pm – Franks/Lawton Bible Study

Wednesday, August 13th

9:00am – 12:00 Noon – **Kid's Camp**

5:15pm – Family Supper – Cheeseburgers

6:15-6:40pm – Prayer room open (Chip Hester's SS Room)

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

Upcoming Events

Kids Camp – August 11-13: 9:00am – Noon for grades K5-2nd. The cost is \$15.00.



August 10 Jeremiah 10-12
August 11 Jeremiah 13-15
August 12 Jeremiah 16-18
August 13 Jeremiah 19-22
August 14 Jeremiah 23-25:16
August 15 Jeremiah 25:17-27
August 16 Jeremiah 28-30

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J.O.Y. NOTES

We had 37 for our July J.O.Y. Luncheon. What a blessing we received by sharing fellowship together. So start planning now to join us at our next J.O.Y. Luncheon, **August 28, 2008, 11:00 am at Ryans on Rivers Ave.**

Other events of interest in August:

Blackwood Brothers Quartet in Concert, Sunday, Aug. 24, 2008

6:30pm Charleston Baptist Church, 13 San Miguel Rd., Chas.

Tops in Blue '08 Tour Saturday, August 30, 2008 7:30pm North

Charleston Performing Arts Center - Doors open at 7:00 pm. More information later.

WHAT FILLS YOUR HEART? TRY JOY!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

If you have previously signed up to sing in the Franklin Graham Festival Choir, please note schedule information:

** Only have to attend **one** practice**

Tuesday, August 26, 7pm-9pm

Faith Assembly

337 Farmington Road, Summerville

Thursday, August 28, 7pm-9pm

Ashley River Baptist Church,

1101 Savannah Hwy, Charleston

*Van will be available for this practice, leave the church at 6:30pm. Please contact Jo Anne if you will be going on van.

Thursday, September 18 7pm - North Charleston Coliseum will be final practice – need to attend (should have attended one of the two previous practices)

Sunday School Corner: August is a busy month! Sunday School Promotion Sunday is coming on the 17th. Be sure all your children and youth are here to meet their new teachers and know where their new classes are located. On August 24, we will celebrate Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Day. Our teachers put a lot of time into studying and preparing for their classes. Be sure to let them know how much you appreciate their efforts. Remember, Sunday School begins at **9:45am.**

ATTENTION HANDBELL RINGERS

If you played handbells this past year and intend to play again this September, please call Gaile at 553-5462. Just leave a message if no one is home.

Deadline for calling is August 10 so that preparation can be made for the first rehearsal on September 7, Sunday at 5:15pm.

NOTES FOR SPECIAL SUNDAYS IN AUGUST

Everyone will meet in the social hall on Sunday, August 10th at 6:30 for the Youth Mission 2008 Trip Report.

Promotion Sunday is August 17th.

Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Day
Sunday, August 24th.

No evening service on Sunday, August 31st.

REMINDER

This year the GA's will be producing a Christmas Card Booklet similar to the one done two years ago. We need you to start thinking now of how you want to send your Christmas Greetings out to our church members in this booklet.

The deadline for pictures, card, verse, etc is Sunday, November 16th. As it will take several weeks to complete this booklet, it's important to get your information in on time. We will not accept anything after that date.

We appreciate your willingness to cooperate in this endeavor and look forward to our Christmas Booklet.