

LAST WEEKS' RECORD	
Sunday School Attendance	145
Weekly Budget	\$10,543.76
General Receipts	\$12,416.00
Designated Receipts	\$1,046.68
New Growth Project	\$645.00

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Serving this Week at Portside

Deacons on Call: August 17 – August 24, 2008

Dennis Hall, Marion Padgett, Dale Tyler

Ushers – Travis Hollifield, cpt., Craig Hollifield,

Joshua Hollifield, Zachary Hollifield

Sound System – Stewart Ott, Adam Warden

THIS WEEK

“When All Else Fails”
Isa. 30:15

Nursery/Preschool/Children’s Workers Schedule

Sunday Morning – Sarah & Marco Villegas, Dora Hester,
Sherry Lazicki-Thomas

Sunday Evening – Dora Hester, Alyce Kennedy

Children's Sermon – Mandy Wade

Children's Helper – Wally Wallace

Wednesday Evening – Nina Weeks

August Tellers – Dawn Chubb, Barbara Perry

August 20, 2008

Baked Chicken, Yellow Rice, Butter Beans,
Roll, Toss Salad, Dessert

Serving & Clean-up



Gloria Walley, Bob Freeman, Dora Hester

August 18 Richard Bailey
August 19 Louise Fowler
August 20 Jeffrey Mitchum
August 21 Bradley Westbury



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

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FROM THE PASTOR

As school begins in a few days, it is a good time to evaluate our involvement in Christian education. There are several avenues in which we can learn more about God and His Word.

- 1) First, we can systematically study the Bible. Read your Bible everyday. Buy a good study Bible, an annotated one with notes. Have a regular, systematic approach to your Bible reading. Try to find an advantageous place and time to read. Take notes; keep a journal. Write down what God is saying to you as you read His Word.
- 2) Be regular in Sunday school. Read your lesson the week before the class meets. Take advantage of other opportunities, such as Sunday night class and VBS.
- 3) Read Christian books. Expand your mind. Tackle a book that seems to be intimidating. Read a wide variety of Christian literature from an array of authors.

As Christians, we should always be learning and maturing in our faith. Pray, worship, and find every opportunity you can to study the scriptures. We are never graduated from the school of Christian learning.

Opportunities at Portside

Sunday, August 17th

9:45am – Sunday School – **Promotion Sunday**

11:00am – Morning Worship Service

6:30pm – Discipleship Training

Pastor Mike – *Landmines in the Path of Believers*

Monday, August 18th

School starts for most area schools

6:00pm – Church-wide Visitation

Wednesday, August 20th

5:15pm – Family Supper – Baked Chicken

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

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

Youth Group Meeting

7:30pm – Choir Practice

Thursday, August 21st

6:00-9:00pm – wMu Fall Training Program

6:00pm – Registration and Refreshments

7:00-9:00 – Training Sessions



August 17	Jeremiah 31, 32
August 18	Jeremiah 33-35
August 19	Jeremiah 36-38
August 20	Jeremiah 39-41
August 21	Jeremiah 42-44
August 22	Jeremiah 45-48
August 23	Jeremiah 49, 50

Lowcountry Franklin Graham Festival

The Franklin Graham Festival will be here in approximately 45 days (Sept. 19, 20, 21). We at Portside Baptist Church have many things to do to be prepared.

1. Please pray daily that God will use this opportunity for us to evangelize our neighborhoods and surrounding areas in order to be a Witness of Jesus and to bring Glory to God.
2. Become involved – Ask one of the team members how you can help.
3. Check out the website for event times and places: www.bgea.com.
4. Plan on attending our canvassing the neighborhood activities on Monday Aug. 25th, Sept. 8th, & Sept. 15th. We need YOU to help get the word out to folks around our church. We will provide a meal after the canvassing activity. (What could you possibly do that would be more important than this on those three Monday nights? Please plan on being there. Commit now – tell Wanda Kimble or Jennifer Mitchum that they can count on you!)
5. Who are you taking to the festival? Remember, IF only “churched” people attend the Festival – we have not accomplished our goal. We need everyone to be praying about their lost friends and relatives. Lay the ground work today for the event. (Office people a ride, buy them dinner, do what you have to do to get them there – This IS Critical!)
6. Teachers, Preachers, and Workers: “I am counting on you to make this Franklin Graham Festival your FIRST announcement each and every week through September 21st. (Please remind your flock of the items mentioned here.)
7. Keep the Portside FGF team in your prayers as we begin the final phase of this evangelical opportunity. We have been working on this since January. Let's all do our part and then watch God's hand work in our small portion of HIS church!

Make-up Christian Life & Witness Course:

Class Three: Tuesday, August 19

Class Four: Thursday, August 21

7:00-8:30pm at the following churches:

Northbridge Baptist
1160 Sam Rittenberg Blvd.
Charleston 29407

New Covenant Church of God
2801 Ashley Phosphate Rd.
N. Charleston 29406

Bethany United Methodist
118 W. 3rd Street
Summerville, 29483

Classes are identical at each location. No registration is required and all materials are free.

FGF CHOIR 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)

People, this is so very important, please Pray! Pray! Pray! May God be glorified in all we do!!