

Fellowship
Baptist
Church

The Messenger

"Where Fellowship is more than just a name."

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June 23-27
GA Camp LaVida

June 26
Senior Adult Lunch, 12 Noon

June 27
Youth Lock-In, 2:30 p.m.

June 29
5th Sunday Covered Dish
Only one a.m. Worship (10:30)

July 6
Pig Pickin', 5 p.m.

July 10
Youth Service Project

July 13
Church Council, 6:30 p.m.
Youth Mission Trip

July 16
Church Conference, 6:30 p.m.

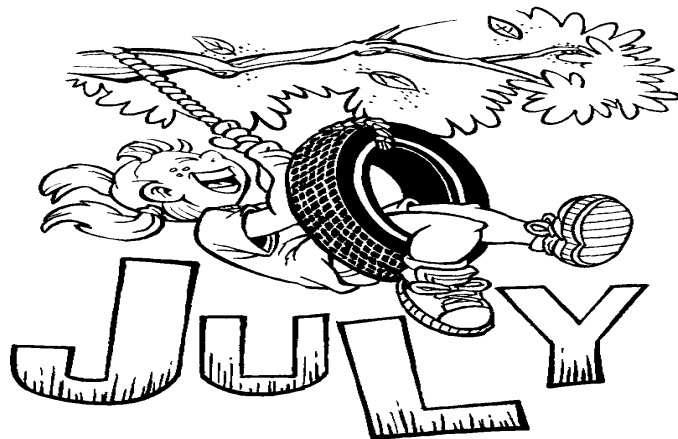
NEW CHURCH SCHEDULE

BEGINS JUNE 29

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:15 A.M.

WORSHIP: 10:30 A.M.

(5th Sunday Covered Dish Luncheon will follow the worship service.)



PIG PICKIN' and PATRIOTIC SERVICE

Sunday, July 6, 5:00 p.m.

On Sunday, July 6, there will be a pig pickin' (covered dish) at 5 p.m. Please bring enough food for your family. The meat and drinks will be provided. The food will be set up in the fellowship hall. There will be tables inside and outside for sitting. If you would like to sit outside bring a folding chair. Also, if you have a pop-up tent, please bring it. At 6:30 we will gather in the worship center for patriotic music and celebration service.

Regular Weekly Schedule

Sunday Morning
9:15 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Worship

Sunday Evening
5:15 P.M. Praise Team
5:45 P.M. Children's Activities
6:00 P.M. Youth
6:00 P.M. Adult Discipleship

Wednesday Evening
5:45 P.M. Fellowship Supper
6:15 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal
6:30 P.M. Children's Activities
6:30 P.M. Youth Bible Study
6:30 P.M. Adult Bible Study

From the Pastor

Our human plight is that tough times will come! If the flood waters of life are not upon us they will be.

This is why our F.R.O.G. ministry is so important. Everybody is going through something. This is not gloom and doom it is reality! We face situations and circumstances that are beyond our control or our understanding.

As I write this, **CBS Associated Poll reports, Residents of low-lying towns stacked sandbags or grabbed belongings and evacuated Wednesday after a foot of rain pushed rivers and creeks out of their banks in the nation's midsection. At least 13 deaths had been linked to the weather, and three people were missing.**

Record or near-record flood crests were forecast at several towns in Missouri. Flooding was reported in large areas of Arkansas and parts of southern Illinois, southern Indiana and southwestern Ohio, and schools were closed in parts of western Kentucky because of flooded roads.

Can you imagine a force of nature so imposing and beyond control? We like being in control. When something of this nature (pardon the pun) happens, and it may not come through natural means, there is a source of peace.

Have we made the decision to allow Christ to be Lord of life? Is our relationship with family and friends Christ centered? Have we done all God intended?

I like the words Paul spoke to the Philippians. This is great advice for any age!

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:6-7

Think about a few things that may be a blessing of peace in your life:

Hug your spouse and say; "I Love You"

Spend quality time with your kids.

Tell someone what Jesus has done for you and about what Jesus can do for them.

Be an example to others --- they are watching.

SWEET TREAT SUNDAY JULY 13

The WMU will sponsor a "Sweet Treat Sunday, July 13, to raise funds for the Adult Missions trip. Come by the kitchen after worship and pick up your dessert for lunch. There will be all kinds of goodies you can't resist . . . such as Peach Cobbler, Banana Bread and much more. Donations only!

Summer Mission Trip to Greenville, SC

There is a need for financial scholarships to assist with the trip. If you are unable to go please prayerfully consider helping to provide means for others to go. You may put your money in an offering envelope plainly marked Greenville Mission Trip and place in the offering plate on Sunday

HELP!

We have had a lot of requests for food lately and our food pantry is almost bare. We need non perishable items such as canned meats and vegetables, dried beans, boxed macaroni and cheese, rice, etc.

Sympathy

The Staff and Church Family extends love and sympathy to Randy Ray and family at the loss of Randy's brother, Richard L. Ray, of Davenport, FL.

Love and sympathy is extended to Marsha Keisler and family at the loss of Marsha's brother, Charles Davis of West Columbia, SC .



Palmetto Baptist

Baby Jeremiah Marshall Spears

C. M. Tucker, Jr. Nursing Care Ctr.

Lau Lee

Lexington Extended Care

Ralph Harrell

Veteran's Victory House Nurs- ing Home,

Walterboro, SC

Johnnie Holladay

Carroll Campbell Place

Mildred Merritt

Generations

Richard (Buddy) Stork

RENT A YOUTH!

Do you have any jobs around the house or job site that you don't have time to do or just dread doing? Do you need some extra help with your yard work, spring cleaning? There are over 20 youth to choose from with various areas of expertise such as: babysitting, housework, yard work, running errands, dog sitting, dog washing, tutoring, etc. You name it, I can find someone to help you. Please contact Angela Holladay at 206-2615.

Donations only!



A NOTE FROM AVERY

Well choir, you have picked the summer's "top ten". They were voted on last Wednesday at choir rehearsal. The those top ten are...well, I think I will make you wait until choir rehearsal to release those results. Be sure to be there so you can know what will be coming up this Summer. Also, choir, we will be singing a couple of anthems for the Patriotic service on July 6. Be sure you are at rehearsal to find out more information about what will be going on.

This week we will be transitioning back into one morning worship service. I believe this will be a great time of "coming together" for our church, especially as we look forward to what God has in store for our building needs. I pray you will be here as together we sing, and lift up the name of the one who died for our sins. I look forward to seeing you Sunday!

In His Grip!

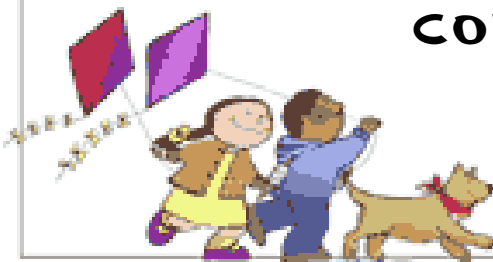
I hope everyone is enjoying the summer as much as we are! We have been truly blessed by the Fellowship family so far, and are looking forward to learning even more names and faces now that we will all be in one service. I am convinced that God has amazing things in store for Fellowship and we are privileged that He has allowed our family to be a part of the Fellowship family.

Check your calendar for the exciting things we have going on this summer and if you haven't signed up yet to volunteer, we could still use you!

Nate

**Youth Lock-in, June 27
2:30 p.m. Free Concert -
Newsboys & Britt Nicole-
Free T-shirt, service project,
late-night games and
activities. Bring a Friend.**

THE CHILDREN'S CORNER



SUNDAY NIGHTS: Camp Fellowship
5:45-7:15 P.M.

Wild & Wacky Wednesday Nights

Bring a friend and have some fun while learning about God's love.

KID'S DAY OUT!

JULY 22, 9:00 A.M.

June 25: Cool Crafts! We will work together on some Cool Crafts you can take home and share.

Memorial

Fellowship Baptist Church has received a contribution to the building Fund in memory of Randy Ray's brother, Richard Ray, from Mike and Hulda Ellisor.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY NEWS!

If you were unable to have your picture made for the directory, or do not have one you can submit, Karen Hutto will take snapshots on **July 6** and **July 13** in the sanctuary foyer prior to worship. We don't want to leave anyone out!



*Make Our Guests
Welcome*

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Church Mission Statement

It is the mission of Fellowship Baptist Church to glorify God by reaching people with the good news of Jesus Christ, that they may come to know, worship, and serve God.

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Sound System

Chris Hutto

Deacon of the Week

Andy Hutto

Counters

Stan Suleski/Andy Hutto
Lamar Brooks

Crisis Team

Phil Parker/Richard Dill
Brian Hoile

Ushers, 10:30 a.m.

Bob Jackson Brian Hoile
Lewis Alewine Paul Peck
Harvey Austin Roy Presnell

July Crisis Team

Bruce Breedlove/Jim Lovelace
Dale Grosjean/Roy Presnell

Minister on Call

June 23-29: Roger Clark
Home: 358-0537
Cell: 429-5313

June 30-July 6: Avery Paris
Home: 996-5393
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Children's Church

Stacy Paris

Nursery Helpers

10:30 a.m. Crib Babies
Karen Hutto /Sonya Blick

10:30 a.m. 1'a & 2's
Angela Holladay

Flowers

FBC

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Wednesday Fellowship Supper

5:30 p.m.

**Reservations and cancellations
must be made by 12 noon on Monday,
Adults, \$3**

**Children, age 10 & under, \$1.75
(Family maximum, \$10.)**

**You may call the church office to make
reservations or to cancel (794-1885).**