



The Messenger



From the Pastor

August 2010

Healthy Kingdom Church

Dear Church Family,

The time has come for us to really begin our Healthy Kingdom Church Journey. Up until this point, our preparation has been critical. At the beginning of the year on Sunday mornings, we examined what the Scriptures say concerning the Kingdom of God and the Church of God. This is essential because we don't want to do anything that is outside of God's Word. We want our church to do God's will first and foremost. Since then, we have prayed for this process. We know that God has chosen to act through the prayers of His people. If this is true, and it is, then this time of prayer has also been essential to the journey. But, now, we come to the time when the rubber meets the road. It is time to begin the main part of our journey. On August 1st we will have a commissioning service for the team that has been appointed to take on this task. We will look briefly at what the Scriptures say concerning the church, and then we will have a special time of commitment for the team and our church. On August 17th the team will meet for the first time. Remember that at certain points during this journey the team will report to the entire church what is happening as we seek God's will for Broad Street Baptist Church. My request is that everyone pray for God's leading in the journey. Pray for the team, pray for the decision making process, pray for wisdom, pray for unity, and pray for God's will to be done. After all, isn't God's will what we are really after?



*Senior Pastor
Rev. Jeff Waters*

I want to say "job well done" to our youth and their leaders after coming back from the youth mission trip to Chicago. This has been a step of faith for Billie, the parents, and the youth. There were lots of questions when the trip was first announced. How were the youth going to get the money? Was it feasible for our youth to fly on an airplane? Who would help Billie chaperone the trip? All these questions and more were asked. And guess what? God answered every question and took care of every situation. That is what God does when you step out in faith. Youth, parents, chaperones, and Billie - thanks for your hard work and faith to trust God in this mission experience!

Also, I want to thank all the workers who helped our children go to the Centri-Kids camp. Thank you adults for investing in our children!

Pastor Jeff Waters

Welcome new member by baptism: Jay Bentley

Broad Street Baptist Church exists so that people may glorify God as they mature in their faith, love one another, actively serve, and boldly speak of Jesus at home and around the world.



Notes from the Minister of Music



Eric Woods,
Associate Pastor
Minister of Music

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and exhorting one another with all wisdom, singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, all with grace in your hearts to God.
Colossians 3:16

Get Out of the Boat!

A cursory look at Mathew 14 reveals the story of when the disciples saw Jesus walking on water. Peter then got out of the boat and also walked on the water, until he noticed the wind and the waves around him. Obviously, he took his eyes off Jesus and his own doubt caused him to sink. What about the other disciples who remained comfortable in the boat? At least Peter got out of his comfort zone and tried.

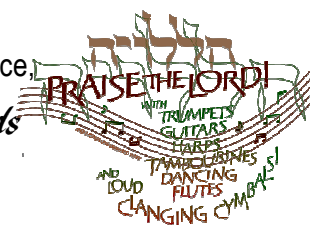
For all of his failures, Peter ended up being the “rock” that the church would be built upon.

I think a lot of us are afraid to “get out of the boat” today and be bold in our service to the Lord. We can get complacent in our walk and not follow the Lord with the courage that Peter had when he stepped out onto the water. To some this may mean expressing more joy in our corporate worship. To others this may mean singing in the choir or playing a

musical instrument that they played years ago.

In all aspects of our walk with the Lord, may we have the courage to “get out of the boat” and boldly serve our Savior with everything that is within us, for He alone is worthy!

In His Service,
Eric Woods



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A gift was given to our church in memory of:

Eschol Wright

By:

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Dixon

*Bobby Singleton
Skeet Pollock
Jimmy Wilcox
Bland McKinney*

By:

Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Goss

Jearl Fordham

By:

Grace Sunday School Class

Please join us to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Paul and Mary Ann Black



Sunday, August 8, 2010
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm
at the Home of Allen and Paula Sampson
20 Ridge Trail
Buckeye Ridge

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DEACON ELECTION

August 8 - 1st Ballot

August 22 - Final Ballot

A list of eligible men is included in this newsletter. If you know of someone that has been omitted or if you would like your name removed from the list, please call the church office at 478-783-4545 or email Cricket cricket@bsbchurch.net

Prayer Pager Ministry

Prayer Pager #1-866-456-2958

Martha Ellen Black, Todd Hill, Yvonne Grandel, Tommie Fowler, Grace Dixon, Jerry Coody, Hugh Woodard, Dean Newberry, Duane Woodard, Lisa Neal, Jabo Tharpe, Geraldine Kirkland, & Buddy (Cowboy) Davis

Men's Golf Fellowship at Southern Hills

August 21 - 2:00 PM

Student Ministry

Helping students become lifelong disciples of Jesus Christ Strong bonds ~ Deep faith ~ Bold Witness Luke 9:23



Billie Dantzler
Associate Pastor
Minister of Students

LAKE TRIP, July 30

Our annual lake trip to the Garrett's. Meet at church at 7:30 am. We will leave by 6 pm, eat supper on the way home, and return to the church by 9pm. Bring \$10 for supper at Zaxby's. Please remember the policy on swimsuits: one-pieces or tankini's only.

SUMMER RETREAT PRE-TRIP MEETING, Aug 8

Remember our Pre-Trip Meeting, August 8, youth room, 5pm, bring insurance cards. Our summer theme has been "Walking Together," and this retreat is our finale to teach and encourage our students in a clear, focused way to grow friendships that strengthen their walk with God. The retreat (at Epworth by the Sea) is August 14-15.

REC-NITES, ending Aug 18

The last Wednesday night Summer Rec-Nite will be August 18. We will return to our main campus beginning August 25. BIG thanks to these families for loving on students and making it an awesome summer: Berryhill's, Davis's, Holt's, Johnson's, McLeod's, and Roberson's.

YOUTH FAMILIES "BACK TO SCHOOL" PARTY, Aug 21

Celebrating a new church year with several new youth Families! Inviting all youth families who have a teen entering any of grades 7-12. Supper, games, and prayer. Also, bring your insurance cards with you as we will be creating for each student a medical release file, which will last the entire church year and be used in case of emergency for all youth trips and activities. August 21, 5 pm, Fellowship Hall.

RSVP: Text, email, or call Billie (by Aug 8) with number of people coming. Thanks!

ANNUAL STUDENT MINISTRY VISION NIGHT, Aug 25

Our Student Ministry vision remains solid and resolved. We want our students to be life-long disciples of Jesus Christ. To help our students grow in Christ for the rest of their lives, we are helping them build this 3-part foundation:

- I will walk with God.*
- I will have friends that help me walk with God.*
- I will point unsaved people to Jesus so they too can walk with God.*

On August 25th, we are having our Annual Student Ministry Vision Night. We refresh our veteran students on our vision and clarify what that looks like in their lives, and we introduce the vision to our new 7th Graders. [All students should be present for this important annual worship service.](#)

Love Y'all!
Billie



Youth Beach Retreat
Epworth by the Sea
August 14-15



Back to School Party
"Fam Fest"
August 21, 5:00pm in the Fellowship Hall
For Dads, Moms, Youth (and younger children of youth families only) Supper, games, prayer, and a great start to a new church year



ANNUAL STUDENT MINISTRY
VISION NIGHT
and Welcome 7th Graders
to Midweek Worship
August 25th



Sunday night, August 1, 7:00 PM

Campers & Youth will be sharing their experiences during CentriKid Camp & during the Youth Mission trip.



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The newsletter is mailed out monthly. Items for it should be sent into the church office by the 25th.

Broadcast of our Morning Worship Service is now being shown at 2:00 PM, Sunday on ComSouth cable channel 100.

Our Worship Service, Calendar, and this Newsletter can be viewed on our website.
 Check it out!!



Weekly Schedule (Summer)

Sunday

9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Worship Service
 5:00 PM Adult Choir Practice
 6:00 PM Discipleship Training
 7:00 PM Evening Worship Service

Tuesday

6:30 AM Men's Prayer Time

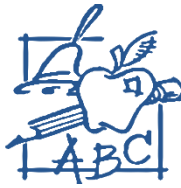
Wednesday

7:00 PM Mid-week Prayer Service
 Children's Mission Groups
 Rec Nite @ CLC(Ends Aug 18)

Church Staff

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Theresa Moore	Custodian	

<u>RECORD</u>	July 4	July 11	July 18	July 25	July 28
Sunday School	178	204	168	162	
Nursing Home	9	15	17	16	
Total	187	219	185	178	
11:00 a.m. Service	163	222	172	193	
Discipleship T. CLC		40	44	63	
7:00 Evening Service Picnic		93	84	84	
Total Additions					
Total Budget	\$14,094.06	\$ 9,020.50	\$8,172.50	\$6,798.08	\$27,628.83
<u>JULY BUDGET</u>	\$47,072.00				
Given.....	\$65,713.97				
Over budget.....	\$18,641.97				



August 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8pm Deacon's Mtg	2	3	4 Mid-Week Services	5 6pm BSBC vs St. Thomas	6	7
8 Beach Retreat Meeting Deacon Election 1 st ballot Paul/Mary Ann Black's 50 th Anniversary celebration	9 7pm Browndale vs BSBC	10 6:30am Men's Prayer Group PBA Messengers Mtg-Limestone VOTE IN RUNOFF	11 Mid-Week Services Youth Rec Nite Conference	12	13	14 Youth Beach Retreat
15 Youth Beach Retreat 5:00 PM Adult Choir Darrell Ritchie Concert	16	17 6:30 AM Men's Prayer Group HKC Team mtg 6:30 PM	18 Mid-Week Services 6:30pm Youth Rec Night at CLC (last one)	19 7pm BSBC vs 1 st Methodist	20 	21 Youth "Fam Fest" 5pm Men's Golf Fellowship
22 5:00 PM Adult Choir Deacon Election final ballot	23	24 6:30 AM Men's Prayer Group	25 Mid-Week Services Student Ministry Vision Night & Welcome to 7 th graders	26 6pm 1 st United Christian vs BSBC	27 Scrapbooking 6:30 pm	28
29 5:00 PM Adult Choir Lancasters 50 th Anniv. Reception Lord's Supper 	30	31 6:30 AM Men's prayer group	Sept 1	Sept 2 6pm FBC vs BSBC	Sept 3	Sept 4

*In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.
Matthew 5:16*

DEACON COUNCIL

Aug 1 J. D. Rhodes
Jimmy Reeves
Aug 8 Charlie Hill
Ricky Lancaster
Aug 15 Earl Hilliard
Jerry Murkerson
Aug 22 Robert Owings
Ted Laster
Aug 29 Brad Pope
Larry Garrett

BENEDICTION PRAYER

Aug 1 Ronnie Quick
Aug 8 J. D. Rhodes
Aug 15 Brooks Bailey
Aug 22 Shelly Berryhill
Aug 29 Ted Laster

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

Aug 1 Denise Carr
Aug 8 Larry Daniels
Aug 15 Dee Davis
Aug 22 Sherry Myers
Aug 29 Ricky & Wendy Lancaster

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Aug 1 Lesley Murkerson
Aug 8 Seaton/Dean Bennett
Aug 15 Natasha/Duck Kilgore
Aug 22 Nancy/Jerry Sapp
Aug 29 Bonita/Morgan Castleberry

COUNTERS

Aug 1 Brian Fowler
Rudolph Beck
Aug 8 Alan Lunsford
Ray Conner
Aug 15 Ted Laster
Mike Farmer
Aug 22 Dale Gilbert
Ricky Lancaster
Aug 29 Dean Bennett
Ty Peacock

Video Room - August

Jay Murkerson

Lord's Supper Committee for 8/29/10

Jay Murkerson, J.D. Rhodes, Jimmy Reeves

NURSERY SCHEDULE

Aug 1 Cathy & Amber Holt;
Julie Fowler;
Wayne & Gina Wiley;
Shana Dantzer
Misty Roberson
Aug 8 Wendy Howard; Karen Lunsford;
Katrina Franklin; Jean Griffin;
Jane Dollie Williams
J. D. & Pat Rhodes
Aug 15 Darlene Gilbert; Bobbie Floyd;
Seaton Bennett; Dean Bennett;
April Gibson
Reuben & Deborah Roberts
Aug 22 Sherry Myers, Dahlia Woodard,
Denise Carr, Vonda Belcher,
Louise Pilkinton, Erin O'Brien
Sherry/Jimmy Reeves
Aug 29 Robin McLeod; Michelle Pope;
Bill & Patricia Phillips;
Lynn Garrett; Faye Owings