

**OUR WORSHIP OF GOD**  
**TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**8:30 A.M. AND 11:00 A.M.**

**AUGUST 9, 2009**

**CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We are glad you have joined us in worship and fellowship today.  
Please help us keep our records current by including your address,  
telephone number and e-mail address on the registration pad.

**PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL**

*The Lord God Ineffable* Paxton

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing* Young

**OPENING PRAYER**

Leader: The Lord is with you.  
People: **And also with you.**

**\*HYMN # 166** SINE NOMINE  
*All Praise to Thee, for Thou, O King Divine*  
Stanzas 1, 2, 3 and 5

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*GLORIA PATRI** MEINEKE  
*Glory be to the Father and to the Son  
And to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen.*

**GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**

*O God Beyond All Praising* Farlee

**\*DOXOLOGY** OLD 100<sup>th</sup>

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**CHILDREN'S TIME**

*Praise Him, All Ye Little Children* BONNER

*Praise Him, praise Him, all ye little children,  
God is love, God is love;  
Praise Him, praise Him, all ye little children,  
God is love, God is love;*

Children of all ages are invited forward.  
Following Children's Time, children ages 3 - 5 exit to Children's Church,  
Room F-203

**\*HYMN # 172**  
*My Jesus, I Love Thee* GORDON

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**ANTHEM**  
*Jesus Paid It All* Helvey

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**  
John 3: 16 N.T. 94

**SERMON**

**"For God So Loved the World"** Bill Burch

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

Those wishing to join the church are invited forward  
on the last stanza of the hymn.

**\*HYMN # 371**  
*I Stand Amazed In the Presence* MY SAVIOR'S LOVE  
Stanzas 1, 2, 4 and 5

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*GOING FORTH**  
*The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve* LAND OF REST  
*The Spirit sends us forth to serve; we go in Jesus' name  
To bring glad tidings to the poor, God's favor to proclaim.  
Now let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim.  
God's Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus' name.*

**\*EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES**

**\*POSTLUDE**  
*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* Smith

\*Please stand as you are able.

*The flowers are placed at the altar today  
to the Glory of God and in loving honor of  
Sandy Segars on her birthday, August 6,  
by her friends.*

Children are an important part of our church family.  
Nurseries for infants and toddlers are located on the  
second floor of the Family Life Center. Children's  
Bulletins are available from the ushers.

## Welcome Visitors

Gift bags are available for our first-time guests on tables at each exit of the Sanctuary. Each visiting family is urged to take a bag filled with various treats and an information packet about Sam Jones church and its ministries.

### Serving this week:

**Greeters:** JoFran and Jack Hardin  
Connie Smith, Julie and Keith Brideau

**Acolytes:** Emily Alters, Kelly Alters  
Sarah Wiedetz, Emily Shabo

**Crucifers:** Hannah Klevesahl, Rosie White

**Usher Captains:** Barry Green,  
Jack Hardin, Rodney Pope

### Third Grade Bible Presentation

Next Sunday, August 16, at all worship services the ministers will present a gift Bible to each third grader of the church. Those receiving Bibles are also invited to a **Bible Retreat** at Camp Cherokee on Friday and Saturday, **August 21 and 22**. This overnight extravaganza will be filled with fun and exciting activities to familiarize the children with the wonder of the Word of God. Please contact Jodi Shaw for retreat information.

### This Week at Sam Jones

Our weekly update is available in the vestibules as you enter and exit the sanctuary and in the lobbies of the Family Life Center. Please pick up a copy for the weekly calendar, activity highlights and membership news.



**Sam Jones Memorial**  
**A Stephen Ministry Congregation**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Youth News

**Youth Fellowship, today at 5:00 p.m.** in the Family Life Center. Bring \$3 for snack supper.

### Acolyte Training Today

Those who have signed up for today's training need to meet in the Banquet Room at 12:00 for a quick lunch (\$5) and training. Parents pick up in the Sanctuary at 2:00 p.m. If you have not signed up, there will be another training session on August 30. Sign up by August 27 by contacting Alison at ext. 111 or [awright@samjonesumc.org](mailto:awright@samjonesumc.org).

### Business by the Book

**Tuesday, August 11, at noon in the Family Life Center**  
We hope you will join us for the first luncheon this season. The guest speaker will be Dr. George Manners and the topic will be "Character and Characters." A delicious lunch is only \$6, and reservations can be made at the church office at [office@samjonesumc.org](mailto:office@samjonesumc.org) or 770.382.4772.

### Wednesday Night Dinners and Programs

#### Resume August 12

See today's insert for the Wednesday evening schedule and a complete listing of activities.

### Emergency!

If you have a pastoral emergency and need to get in touch with a minister or other staff member after office hours, please call the church office immediately. When the machine answers, enter **191** to get the emergency extension. Leave a message then hang up. After leaving a message, the phone system will contact the staff member on call with your message. We are "on call" 24/7, so please do not hesitate to call in an emergency!

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JOHN 3:16

Dr. Bill Burch, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Dee Dee Lawson, Associate Pastor  
Mr. Brian McLeod, Minister of Music and Worship

### Wednesday Night Activities begin August 12!

#### Schedule:

- 5:15-6:15pm **Dinner** in the Celebration Hall,  
Family Life Center
- 6:00-7:00pm **Children's Programs**  
***Kids Praise***, Family Life Center  
4 y/o – Kgtn, Room F-203  
Grades 1 and 2, Room F-303  
***Puppeteer Praise Team***, Family Life Center  
Grades 3 – 5, F-304
- Youth Programs**  
***Junior High and PUMP*** (6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades)  
Youth House  
***Senior High*** (9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grades), Room F-102  
Family Life Center
- Adult Short-term Bible Studies**  
***Men's Study: Discovering God's Game Plan  
for a Winning Life (Tony Dungy)***  
(Aug 26 – Sep 30); Education Building,  
Room E-102, Books are \$10 each\*
- Short-Term Disciple: Invitation to Genesis***  
(Sep 2 – Nov 11); Family Life Center,  
Room F-306, Books are \$10 each\*
- 6:15-8:00pm ***When Godly People Do Ungodly Things  
(Beth Moore)*** Sep 9 – Oct 21;  
Family Life Center, Room F-307  
Books are \$17 each\*  
\* scholarships available for book cost
- 6:30-7:30pm **Adult Handbell Choir**  
Handbell Room, Sanctuary Building
- 7:30–8:45pm **Chancel Choir**  
Choir Room, Sanctuary Building
- 7:00-8:45pm **After Hours Childcare**

The Infant and Toddler Nurseries, for children birth through age two, located in the Family Life Center in Rooms F-200 and F-202, are available from 5:30pm to the close of adult programming.

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## Adult Bible Study Fall Schedule

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9:00-11:00 am (Dates TBA); FLC Room F-306

Book \$TBA\*; facilitator TBA

#### ***Precept-Upon-Precept: Isaiah Part 1 (Kay Arthur)***

Thursdays 9:00-11:30 am (Aug 6 – Nov 5)

Ed. Bldg Room E-102 Books \$27.50\*

facilitated by JoAnn Branton & Darla Bishop

### Evening Studies

#### Sundays

#### ***Seeking Him: The Joy of Personal Revival***

(Nancy Leigh DeMoss & Tim Grissom)

5:00-7:00 pm (Sep 13 – Dec 13); FLC Room F-307

Books \$11\*; facilitated by Trish Landrum

#### Mondays

#### ***Disciple IV: Under the Tree of Life***

(Prerequisite: 1 yr of Disciple or Precept)

6:00-8:00 pm (Aug 24 – Apr 19); FLC Room F-306

Books \$35\*; led by Daneise Archer & Suzanne Hatfield

#### Tuesdays

#### ***Friend to Friend: Friendships of Purpose, A Shared Study of Ephesians (Edna Ellison)***

6:30-8:30 pm (Sep 8 – Oct 20); 23 Ferguson Dr. (Euharlee)

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