

OUR WORSHIP OF GOD

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

AUGUST 16, 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

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Manz

CALL TO WORSHIP

Praise Him! Praise Him! Courtney

OPENING PRAYER

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

***HYMN # 185**

When Morning Gilds the Skies LAUDES DOMINI

***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**

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*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.*

PRESENTATION OF BIBLES TO 3rd GRADERS

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

Lord of All Being, Throned Above Powell

***DOXOLOGY**

OLD 100th

*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 # 292**

What Wondrous Love Is This WONDROUS LOVE

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

Grace Hayes

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 3: 16 N.T. 94

SERMON

"That He Gave"

Bill Burch

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

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

***HYMN # 378**

Amazing Grace AMAZING GRACE

Stanzas 1 - 4 and 6

***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**

Hymn to Joy Manz

*Please stand as you are able.

*The flowers are placed at the altar today to the Glory of God
and in loving memory of John S. Knight
by his wife, Faye, his son, Robert,
and grandson, Colton Knight.*

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
Patti Rogers, Candice and Josh Barger

Acolytes: John Scifers, Lindsay Scifers
Rachel Brideau, Reese Brideau

Crucifers: Tori Lawson, Haley Harris

Usher Captains: Barry Green,
Jack Hardin, Rodney Pope

Third Grade Bible Presentation

Today 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.

PUMP (6th Grade) Kick-off tonight at 5:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Parents and 6th graders are invited! Bring \$3 for snack supper.

Wednesday Night Dinners and Programs

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

August Basket Ministry

We are collecting school supplies: backpacks, pencils, erasers, markers, colored pencils, pencil boxes/zipper bags, scissors and glue. Brand-new children's underwear is also needed in the primary schools. Thank you for supporting families in need!

Illumination

Tuesday, August 25, 7 – 9:00 p.m., Family Life Center

This special event for ladies will feature nationally acclaimed inspirational artist Kathy Fincher and kick off our Women's League Bible Studies. Enjoy worship, music, coffee and dessert. Tickets are available for \$5 per person.

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 Schedule

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 (6th – 8th Grades)
Youth House
Senior High (9th – 12th 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**

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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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