



PENINSULA

BAPTIST CHURCH

**Pointing
the way
to life...**

a life filled
with faith,
hope and
love found
only in
Jesus Christ.

A Word from Our Pastor



Several years ago, I was in New York City on a mission trip helping North American missionary, Taylor Field, and the 7th Street Baptist mission. It was in February and as we walked the streets I saw many people walking with a black spot on their foreheads. It was often enough that I finally asked Taylor why people had the black spot and he said it was from Ash Wednesday when many Christians in his area rubbed soot on their face as a sign of repentance and humility. Thus Ash Wednesday. Having lived in the south all my life, I had never observed that custom. Also, being a Baptist, we did not observe the season of lent as do Catholics and many other denominations. However, when I was in seminary, one of my professors challenged us during the season of lent, which is the 6 weeks before Easter, to read one of the four gospels. Since that time each year during the season of lent, I read once again the story of Jesus as written in the gospels. The story of Jesus is the greatest story ever told. Let me invite you to accept the challenge to read for yourself the story of Jesus as told by Matthew, Mark, Luke, or John. In so doing, you will have a greater understanding of Jesus and a renewed sense of joy when we celebrate the resurrection on Easter Sunday.

Robert Jackson

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Times are tough, the economy is fickle, taxes are high, unemployment raging and war rages on.

It seems that the outlook is bleak for Christians. Believers are mocked by the media. Biblical values are called antedated. In many parts of the world, believers in Christ are killed because of their faith.

But folks, in all of the gloom and distress, there is hope and comfort from God's Word. In our society that is becoming hostile to God's truth, we must endeavor to stand for the truth and tell it to others.

God promises that He will return, He will take us to heaven, and He will make things right.

Come tonight at 6:00 p.m. as we learn more of His coming from Revelation 15. There is comfort and peace found when you trust the Lord!

You are loved,
Bro. Hugh

PENINSULA FAMILY NEWS

MEMBERS IN NEED OF PRAYER

A complete list of prayer requests are located by the water fountain near the offices. Contact Terri Holbrooks with updates on any prayer requests made by calling ext 204 or terri.holbrooks@peninsulabaptist.com

♥ Roy Brewer ♥ Bill Rich ♥ Jack Ramey ♥ Leanna Moore
♥ Virginia Brown ♥ Ron Beck ♥ Brenda Lee ♥ Denise Mayes
♥ Thad Campbell

THANK YOU

The women of Peninsula Baptist Church,
You're so thoughtful. Thank you for the Valentines. It was a very good Valentine's Day.
Sharon Price

OTHER NEWS

▶ Attention Business Owners & Managers

We are attempting to help those in our church family who are without work. If you are a business owner or manager and are seeking to fill openings with qualified candidates, please notify Terri Holbrooks at ext 204 or e-mail terri.holbrooks@peninsulabaptist.com

▶ Pastor's Coffee

A second Pastor's Coffee, for those who are without work, will be held on Monday, March 2, in the Chapel from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. We will meet together for encouragement and have a time of sharing.



▶ Fuzion Teen Center in Mooresville

Our church is a part of an effort by the South Iredell Youth Ministry Network to open the Fuzion Teen Center. This center will offer teens an internet café, a restaurant, multi-media room, recording studio, arcade and more. Fuzion Teen Center will cost \$3.2 million to open. Please go to www.fuzioncenter.org for more information or to make a tax deductible contribution.

▶ Mooresville Soup Kitchen Soup Supper

Feb. 27 4:30pm to 7:00pm Tickets are \$7. Buy ahead or at the door. Questions call 707-660-9010.

▶ Daylight Savings Time Change

Be sure to mark your calendar to change your clock ahead one hour on Mar. 8th.

MISSION NEWS

▶ North Carolina Missions Conference

March 20-21, Charlotte, NC. Cost \$10. www.ncmissions.org/Events/Ev_Conference.aspx

▶ Family Mission Trip-New York City

June 27-July 04. Costs include: transportation to NYC, subway pass, admissions and housing. www.graffitichurch.org

▶ Cook & Repair Work-Casper, Wyoming

Aug. 8-15. Costs include transportation to Casper. www.wyomingsbc.org/cgt/Mt.TopAssembly.htm

▶ Family Mission Camp-Caswell Beach

August 10-14. Families will join together in various mission projects at Camp Caswell, NC. www.ncbaptist.org/index.php?id=1065

▶ Graffiti Ministry-New York City

Sept. 08-13. Costs: transportation, housing and meals. <http://www.graffiti2ministries.org>

* If interested in any of the above, contact David Simon 704-664-2958 ext. 201.

STUDENT MINISTRY NEWS

▶ 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

It's the final round of 3 on 3 basketball tournament this Friday night. Doors open at 9:00 and we will end by midnight.

▶ Camp Caswell for High School students only

July 27th to August 1st. This is a high school (9-12) only event and is limited to 28 students. Deposit of \$75 is due with registration to reserve you spot.

▶ Mission Trips

- * Mark your calendars for a mission project on Saturday, March 28th. This will be right here in Mooresville and will be an all day event serving in a local school. All ages can participate. Families are encouraged to do this together. (No limit)
- * This summer's mission trip is July 6th-11th in Charleston, SC. and is open to all 7th-12th grade students. Check out the website for more info.

Go to www.intentionalfaith.com to register for all events. The mission trip and camp have limited space so register and pay your deposit to reserve your spot!

MUSIC MINISTRY NEWS

▶ kidTheatre singing tonight

kidTheatre will be singing in tonight's service which begins at 6 p.m.

▶ Easter choir practices have begun

Anyone interested in joining the choir for this year's Easter program can come to practice on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. Extra rehearsal schedule can be found at www.choir.timetobonline.com

▶ Christmas Celebration 2008 DVD orders being taken

Anyone wanting to purchase a copy of the Peninsula Christmas Celebration DVD, please place an order by Feb. 22 to Pam Beam ext. 202 or email pam.beam@peninsulabaptist.com.

PENINSULA KIDS NEWS

▶ Vacation Bible School Informational Meeting

Join us for a trip on the Boomerang Express. Anyone interested in helping with any area please be sure to attend this meeting on Sun., Mar. 1 from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. in "The Loft" (upstairs).



WOMEN'S MINISTRY NEWS

▶ South Yadkin Baptist Association Women's Celebration

April 3 - 1:00 to 5:00pm (11 conferences), dinner at 5:30, worship at 7:00 (with Babbie Mason)

All women invited to attend. Pre-registration and payment are required by Mar. 8 to receive early bird cost of \$15 and this includes a dinner. After Mar. 8 the cost is \$20. To register or for more information please see the ladies at the table located by the side entrance (by preschool stairs) now thru Mar. 15.



*Featuring
Babbie Mason
In concert.*

This week at Peninsula!

Feb. 22- Feb. 28, 2009

(Items in blue are not routine items)

SUNDAY

8:30, 9:45, 11:00 a.m.	Worship Services	FLC
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School	classrooms & BMS
11:00 a.m.	New Life Bible Class	E-10
1:00 p.m.	Pinewood Derby	FLC
3:00 p.m.	kidTheatre Team Mtg	Chapel
3:30 p.m.	Peninsula Kids Bible Drill gr. 4-6	F-26,27/FH
4:30 p.m.	kidTheatre stage/props crew	F-40
5:00 p.m.	kidTheatre non-speaking parts	F-37
5:00 p.m.	Crown Financial	E-11
5:00 p.m.	kidTheatre	Chapel
5:00 p.m.	iConnect (youth 7-12 gr.)	FH, various classrooms
5:00 p.m.	"I Saw The Lord" Bible Study	E-10
5:00 p.m.	MasterLife-Disciple's Victory	E-17
5:00 p.m.	Men's Fraternity	E-12
6:00 p.m.	Ignite Refuel (youth 5-6 gr.)	Loft, F-32,33
6:00 p.m.	RA's, GA's, & Mission Friends	classrooms
7:00 p.m.	iConnect Leader Meeting	FH

MONDAY

11:30 a.m.	Senior Luncheon	FH
4:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice	FLC
4:00 p.m.	iKnow Youth Bible Drill Practice	F-24
6:30 p.m.	Faith Lessons	FH
8:00 p.m.	College Bible Study	Caribou Coffee

TUESDAY

9:30 a.m.	"I Saw The Lord" Bible Study	FH
4:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice	FLC

WEDNESDAY

5:45 p.m.	iKnow for Youth	F26,27
6:00 p.m.	PBC Orchestra	Chapel
6:00 p.m.	kidTheatre Drama Rehearsal	F-40
6:30 p.m.	Divorce Care	E-12
7:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting	E-10
7:00 p.m.	Peninsula Kids Bible Drill Practice	F-24,25
7:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting	FH
7:00 p.m.	Wednesday Night Sunday School	E-13
7:00 p.m.	Worship Choir	Chapel
7:00 p.m.	iPraise	FH
8:30 p.m.	Worship Team	FLC

THURSDAY

9:15 a.m.	Staff Meeting	F-33
9:30 a.m.	Downpour	F-26,27
4:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice	FLC
5:00 p.m.	Upward Cheerleading Practice	F-24, 25, 26, 27
7:00 p.m.	Adult Choir Bonus Rehearsal	Chapel
7:00 p.m.	"I Saw The Lord" Bible Study	E-10

FRIDAY

6:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Games	FLC
9:30 p.m.	iFaith 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament	FLC

SATURDAY

9:00 a.m.	Upward Basketball Games	FLC
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**Happy Birthday to the following
of our congregation:**

- Feb. 22 Virginia Brown, Anita Jordan, Barbara Johnson, Tim Johnson, Shane Graybill, Louie Vaughn, Kathryn Connell
- Feb. 23 Bill Hopper, Sarah Harris, Shelly Angle, Alex Coffey
- Feb. 24 Sandra Gamble, Elizabeth Zimbelmann
- Feb. 26 Cameron Sherrill, Ethan Cook
- Feb. 27 Jim Beadnell, Dalton Smallwood, Aaron Greene, Jonathan Cooley,
- Feb. 28 Rhonda Crooks, Dean Martin, Bob Foy, Brent Hart, Jeff Ingle, Katrina Dorroh, Emily Hapes, Sydney Faulkner
- Feb. 29 Randy Willis



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REV. DAVID SIMON	MINISTER OF EDUCATION & OUTREACH	EXT. 201
REV. DANIEL DYE	MINISTER TO STUDENTS	EXT. 205
REV. JOSH BENFIELD	MINISTER TO PRESCHOOL/CHILDREN	EXT. 217
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	WEEKDAY PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR	704-663-7100

VIPs for March 1, 2009

Please pray for these Volunteers in Preschool (VIPs) serving on the 1st Sunday in March. Also, please pray for our faithful teachers, assistant teachers and team leaders who serve every Sunday in preschool. Thank you all!

8:30 AM—Upstairs
Steve & Frances Coleman

9:45 AM—Upstairs
Kathy Lee
Robin Sherrill

9:45 AM—Downstairs
Dawn Moore
Amanda Alexander
Justin & Brenda Ussery

11:00 AM—Upstairs
Debbie & Katie Godsell
Kayla Tabor
Chuck & Cheryl Bickerstaff

11:00 AM—Downstairs
Alycia Johns
Tammie Elliott
Karen Tuttle
Bobby & Chondra Trimnal
Billy & Anna Bonham

HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK

John Edwards
326 W. Lowrance Ave.
Mooreville, NC 28115

Please consider mailing an encouragement card to our homebound member.

The deadline for information to be included in Bulletin is Thursday Noon.

Event Forms are required to reserve a room, put a date on the calendar and to approve church-sponsored events. Submit form to church office.

Regular Offering

Given 2/15/09.....	\$27,209.58
Given (YTD).....	\$211,978.28
Expenses (YTD).....	\$166,323.39
Budgeted (YTD).....	\$211,827.00

****Weekly need: \$30,261**

"Fulfilling Our Call" Fund

Contributions 2/15/09.....	\$2,717.50
— 11/30/06-2/15/09 —	
Contributions (YTD).....	\$1,147,825.73
Interest/Other Dep.	\$766,192.93
Dep. From Budget	\$296,557.00
Expenses (YTD).....	\$(816,016.06)
Redesignated/Refunds	\$(313,633.00)
Balance	\$1,080,926.60

Record for Feb. 15, 2009

<u>Attendance</u>	
Sunday School.....	506
8:30 Worship.....	182
8:30 Nursery	5
11:00 Worship.....	357
11:00 Nursery	50
Total.....	589

Mark Your Calendars:

- 3/3 Adult Bonus Easter Rehearsal
- 3/6 iFaith Volleyball Tournament
- 3/8 Daylight Savings Time Change
- 3/10 Seniors Breakfast-Cracker Barrel
- 3/13 Upward Awards Ceremony
- 3/14 PK Bible Drill Bible Bash
- 3/14 Adult Bonus Easter Rehearsal
- 3/15 Bible Drill