



# 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



The following is a paraphrase of 1Corinthians 13 by Dr. Joseph Clark underscoring the importance of reaching others for Christ.

“Though I speak with the tongues of scholarship, and though I use approved methods of education, and fail to win others to Christ, or to build them up in Christian character, I am become as the moan of the wind in a Syrian desert.

And though I have the best of methods and understand all mysteries of religious psychology, and I have all biblical knowledge, and lose not myself in the task of winning others to Christ, I become as a cloud of mist in an open sea.

And though I read all Sunday School literature, and attend Sunday School conventions, institutes, and summer school, and yet am satisfied with less than winning souls to Christ and establishing others in Christian character and service, it profits nothing.

The soul-winning servant, the character-building servant, suffers long and is kind; he doesn't envy others who are free from the servant's task; he doesn't vaunt himself, is not puffed up with intellectual pride.

Such a servant does not behave himself unseemly between Sundays, seeks not his own comfort, is not easily provoked. Bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things.

And now abides knowledge, methods, the Message, these three: but the greatest of these is the Message.”

## **PENINSULA FAMILY NEWS**

### **Members in need of prayer**

A complete list of prayer requests is 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](mailto:terri.holbrooks@peninsulabaptist.com)

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|-----------------|----------------|------------------|
| ♥ Paul Stanley  | ♥ Pat McKinnis | ♥ Marge Sellers  |
| ♥ Robert Graham | ♥ Brenda Lee   | ♥ Celia Campbell |
| ♥ Preston Loyd  | ♥ Caleb Cook   | ♥ Ethan Cook     |

### **Happy Birthday to...**

- May 17: Daniel Havener, Noah Montgomery  
May 18: Doug Haney, Todd Cook, Morgan Parker, Brandon Evans  
May 19: Jarrell Ross, Todd Pederson  
May 20: Holly Lawrence-White, Trey Rich  
May 21: Jeanne McNeill, Ronda Hart, Hope Jordan, Tara Johnson  
May 22: Ben Humphrey  
May 23: Robert Dorroh, Garrett Moretz

### **Thank you to...**

...all those who donated cookies & sandwiches for the blood drive. Also, a special thank you to all who donated blood.

## **CHURCH WIDE / COMMUNITY NEWS**

### ▶ **Charlotte Eagles Soccer Camp**

The Charlotte Eagles Soccer camp will be held at Peninsula again this year. It will run from June 15th to June 19th. For more information or to register please log onto [www.charlotteeagles.com](http://www.charlotteeagles.com). We are also searching for volunteers to host the Charlotte Eagles Camp counselors in their homes the week of the camp. Counselors arrive Sunday afternoon or evening on June 14th and leave on Friday afternoon June 19th. If anyone would like to sign up to host or has any questions they can contact Scott Fennie by email [sfennie@roadrunner.com](mailto:sfennie@roadrunner.com) or phone 704-663-4955.

### ▶ **Church Conference TONIGHT**

Tonight, following the evening service, we will be having our quarterly church conference. Below is the agenda for this meeting:

1. Finance motion on contract services/personnel budget line item transfer.
2. Finance motion on the establishment of an adoption support designated line item.
3. Elect Robert & Linda Jackson as messengers to Southern Bapt. Conv. June 23/24, 2009.
4. Motion that church affirm Lindsey Lomax in her application to Southeastern College.
5. Treasurers Report.

### ▶ **Memorial Scholarship Fund**

On Tues, May 19, eat at Chick-fil-A from 5 to 8 p.m. and 10% of the proceeds will go to a scholarship fund in memory of Danielle Elizabeth Liotta, graduate of Lake Norman HS, who died tragically in an automobile accident in 2007.

### ▶ **Deacon News**

Upon the resignation of Frank Banzhof from the Deacons, David Watson has been elected as Vice Chairman and Jeff Godsell has agreed to complete the unexpired term.

### ▶ **IGNITE Lake Party TODAY 2 to 5 pm**

All 5 & 6th gr. students are invited to the home of Barb Hall. For more info and permission slips see your IGNITE Leaders.

### ▶ **Family Mission Week at Caswell (Aug. 10-14)**

Mission projects include: light construction, Bible clubs, nursing home ministries, food and clothing closets and much more. For more information contact David Simon ext. 201 or [david.simon@peninsulabaptist.com](mailto:david.simon@peninsulabaptist.com)

## **FOCUS ON YOUR FAMILY CELEBRATION MAY 31**

On Sunday, May 31, we will have one worship service at 10 am. There will be no Sunday School. Childcare will be provided for ages 3 and under in the upstairs nursery. All other children are to accompany their parents to our Celebration Service.

Following the worship service, we will have dinner on the grounds provided by Port-A-Pit BBQ Chicken. The cost will be \$5.00 per plate which includes 1/2 BBQ chicken, beans, slaw, & a roll. If you plan on attending please fill out the envelope provided in this bulletin and place payment inside and put in the offering plate or place in your Sunday School attendance folder.

On Sunday evening at 6:00 p.m., as part of our evening worship, we will have a special session on how to write your families spiritual growth plan.

## **NEW CHURCH MINISTRIES**

### ► **Hospital Ministry**

Almost weekly, we have people in our church who are hospitalized or who have medical procedures. Would you help us show care and concern to them? You can write cards, pray, make calls, write emails or help us make cheer bags. It won't take much time out of your schedule to show someone Peninsula cares! Call Tracy Harwell to get involved at 704-663-5066.

### ► **New Babies Ministry**

Each year, we are blessed with new babies in our church. We want to recognize their arrival with a special gift and home visit. If you will help show love to our newest little ones and their parents, call Linda Jackson at 704-528-7181. It's such a simple act of kindness but will mean so much.

## **ATTENTION BOYS GRADES 1-4 & FATHERS**

You are invited to join us for our father/son overnight activity on May 29 & 30. This is for boys in 1st - 4th grade and their fathers. We will meet at Lake Norman State Park anytime after 3:00 pm (must be there before 8:30 pm) on Friday, May 29. We will have a group site. On Saturday afternoon we will drive to the National Whitewater Center in Charlotte for a Geocaching activity. RSVP is necessary by Friday, May 22. For more details contact Josh at [josh.benfield@peninsulabaptist.com](mailto:josh.benfield@peninsulabaptist.com) or renee.seger@peninsulabaptist.com

## **VBS 2009 NEEDS YOU**

**July 19-23 from 6:00-8:15 p.m.**

### ► **Areas in need of Leaders**

- ⇒ Outreach Team
- ⇒ Prayer Team
- ⇒ Preschool Team
- ⇒ 1-4 grade Director
- ⇒ Recreation Team
- ⇒ Preteen Team



Volunteers are needed in all areas. Leaders are needed for the teams listed above. Volunteer registration is now available online at [www.peninsulabaptist.com](http://www.peninsulabaptist.com). Children's registration will begin June 1.

## **iFAITH STUDENT MINISTRY NEWS**

### ► **Summer Sneak Preview Parent Reception TONIGHT**

We will hold a reception for all iFaith parents tonight immediately following the church conference. This is your opportunity to get a sneak peak at what's on the calendar for the summer. It's also a great chance to complete and notarize the required medical release forms. Bring your calendar, photo ID, shot records, & insurance card.

### ► **iCONNECT**

iConnect will meet May 17th, May 31st and June 7th.

# This week at Peninsula!

**May 17- May 23, 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  
2:00 p.m..... Ignite Lake Party ..... Barb Hall's  
4:30 p.m..... Youth Parents' Prayer Time..... E-13  
5:00 p.m. .... iConnect (7-12 gr.) .... FH, various classrooms  
6:00 p.m. .... Evening Service .....FLC  
6:45 p.m. .... Church Conference (following service).....FLC  
7:00 p.m. .... iFaith Parents' Reception ..... FH

## **MONDAY**

- 8:00 p.m. .... College Bible Study..... Caribou Coffee

## **TUESDAY**

- 9:30 a.m.. .... Connecting With God ..... E-11

## **WEDNESDAY**

- 6:00 p.m. .... PBC Orchestra ..... Chapel  
6:00 p.m. .... Wednesday Night Sunday School ..... E-11  
6:30 p.m. .... DivorceCare ..... E-12  
7:00 p.m. .... Prayer Meeting ..... E-10  
7:00 p.m. .... Adult Choir ..... Chapel  
7:00 p.m. .... Worship Band .....FLC  
8:30 p.m. .... Worship Team .....FLC

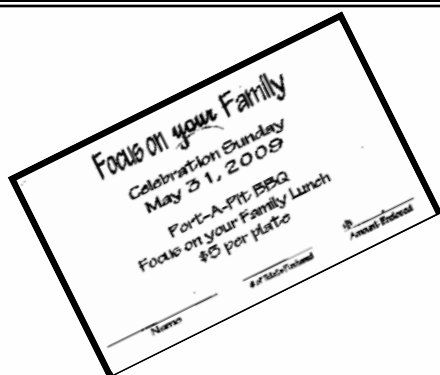
## **THURSDAY**

- 9:15 a.m. .... Staff Meeting ..... F-33  
9:00 a.m. .... Willing Workers SS Breakfast ..... off site

## **FRIDAY**

## **SATURDAY**

Be sure to fill out your envelope for the FOYF Celebration Sunday dinner and place in the offering or in your Sunday School folder.



<b>CHURCH OFFICE</b> .....	704-664-2958.....	FAX 704-664-3991
<b>DR. ROBERT JACKSON</b> .....	<b>SENIOR PASTOR</b> .....	<b>EXT. 205</b>
<b>DR. HUGH COOPER</b> .....	<b>ASSOC. PASTOR &amp; MINISTER TO SENIOR ADULTS</b> .....	<b>EXT. 216</b>
<b>REV. JEFF MARINOS</b> .....	<b>MINISTER OF MUSIC</b> .....	<b>EXT. 215</b>
<b>REV. DAVID SIMON</b> .....	<b>MINISTER OF EDUCATION &amp; OUTREACH</b> .....	<b>EXT. 201</b>
<b>REV. DANIEL DYE</b> .....	<b>MINISTER TO STUDENTS</b> .....	<b>EXT. 203</b>
<b>REV. JOSH BENFIELD</b> .....	<b>MINISTER TO PRESCHOOL/CHILDREN</b> .....	<b>EXT. 217</b>
<b>REV. STEPHEN MANGUM</b> .....	<b>MINISTER OF CHURCH ADMINISTRATION</b> .....	<b>EXT. 206</b>
<b>PAM BEAM</b> .....	<b>PASTOR'S SECRETARY/MUSIC ASSISTANT</b> .....	<b>EXT. 202</b>
<b>SARA ROLAND</b> .....	<b>RECEPTIONIST/EDUCATION ASSISTANT</b> .....	<b>EXT. 212</b>
<b>TERRI HOLBROOKS</b> .....	<b>INREACH MINISTRY COORDINATOR</b> .....	<b>EXT. 204</b>
<b>RENEE SEGER</b> .....	<b>CHILDREN/STUDENT MINISTRY ASSISTANT</b> .....	<b>EXT. 211</b>
<b>LISA MAUNY</b> .....	<b>STUDENT MINISTRY COORDINATOR</b> .....	<b>EXT. 213</b>
	<b>SPORTS/OUTREACH MINISTRY COORDINATOR</b> .....	<b>EXT. 207</b>
<b>CHRISTIE COOK</b> .....	<b>PRESCHOOL MINISTRY COORDINATOR</b> .....	<b>EXT. 208</b>
<b>SUNNY COOKE</b> .....	<b>WEEKDAY PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR</b> .....	<b>704-663-7100</b>

**VIPs for May 24, 2009**

Please pray for these Volunteers in Preschool (VIPs) serving on the 4th Sunday in May. 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**

Jeff & Kelly Gibson

**9:45 AM—Upstairs**

Shannon Combs  
Abby Moore

**9:45 AM—Downstairs**

Nandini Selvaraj  
Patty Haynes

**11:00 AM—Upstairs**

Sharon Edwards  
Ronda Hart  
Lee Ann Coffey  
Tara Peele

**11:00 AM—Downstairs**

Romanie Young  
Alexa Spargo  
Tracie Brown  
Christina Holbrooks  
Lynn Jia

**HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK**

Mr. Larry Day  
111 Churchill Lane  
Mooresville, NC 28117

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 5/10/09 .....	\$21,258.32
Given (YTD).....	\$514,370.65
Expenses (YTD).....	\$482,130.46
Budgeted (YTD) .....	\$574,959.00

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

**“Fulfilling Our Call” Fund**

Contributions 5/10/09 .....	\$3,587.50
— 11/30/06-5/10/09 —	
Contributions (YTD).....	\$1,174,151.93
Interest/Other Dep.....	\$766,192.93
Dep. From Budget .....	\$296,557.00
Expenses (YTD) .....	\$(816,016.06)
Redesignated/Refunds.....	\$(363,133.00)
<b>Balance .....</b>	<b>\$1,057,752.80</b>

**Record for May 10, 2009**

**Attendance**

Sunday School.....	411
8:30 Worship.....	136
9:45 Worship.....	64
11:00 Worship.....	419
<b>Total in Service .....</b>	<b>639</b>

**Mark Your Calendars:**

- 5/31 Graduation Recognition
- 5/31 FOYF Celebration
- 6/11 Kids Carnival
- 6/15-19 Charlotte Eagles Soccer Camp
- 6/20-27 St. John's Mission Trip
- 7/6-10 Boys & Girls Summer Camps
- 7/6-11 mFuge Mission Trip
- 7/19-23 Boomerang Express - VBS