

The Worship of God
The Lord’s Day, July 13, 2025

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11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
Broadcast live on WFJA 105.5 FM  
and [www.jhbc.org](http://www.jhbc.org)



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| Welcome, Announcements, and Prayer |                                                                                                                 | Nick Smetak    |
| Hymn of Worship #516               | <i>Redeemed</i>                                                                                                 | Congregation   |
| A Time For The Children            |                                                                                                                 | Belinda Bond   |
| Songs of Worship                   | <i>This Is Amazing Grace</i><br><i>Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)</i><br><i>At The Cross (Love Ran Red)</i> | Congregation   |
| Offertory Prayer                   |                                                                                                                 | Nick Smetak    |
| Offertory Music                    | <i>Are You Washed In The Blood</i>                                                                              | Worship Choir  |
| Sermon                             | <u>Don’t Drift—GROW</u><br>2 Peter 3:8-18                                                                       | James Alverson |
| Song of Response                   | <i>Christ Our Hope In Life And Death</i>                                                                        | Congregation   |
| Closing Word & Benediction         |                                                                                                                 | Nick Smetak    |
| Postlude                           |                                                                                                                 | Worship Band   |



FIRST TIME VISITING JHBC?

If so, please scan the QR code to the right.  
Fill out the information and then come to the  
Welcome Center in the Sanctuary foyer after the



\*\*Hearing Loop available\*\*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special Business Meeting

Please join us for a special business meeting **tonight, Sunday, July 13th** at 5:00 PM in Bullock Matthews. We will discuss finances, the budget, the sabbatical proposal, as well as facility usage.

Hurricane Helene Relief Trip Meeting

There will be an informational meeting for anyone interested in going on a relief trip to Swannanoa, NC on **Sunday, July 13th** at 12:20 pm. Registration deadline for signups will be **Sunday, July 27th**.



Bridal Shower for Claire Gilchrist

Please join us for a floating bridal shower for Claire Gilchrist on **Sunday, July 20th** from 2-3:30 pm. It will be held in the Bullock Matthews Main Hallway. She is registered at The Knot as well as Amazon.

Church Annual Conference

The annual church conference will be held on **July 27th** immediately following worship service in the Sanctuary. A covered dish potluck will follow in McDowell Hall.

FAMILY PROMISE MEALS – YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

We are providing meals for the guests at Family Promise on **Jul 28-30** (Monday-Wednesday). If you, your Sunday School Class, or your Missions Group would like to help with the preparation of a meal on any of our service dates, please add your information to the sign-up sheet posted on the church community board or contact Tyra Harding at 678-469-7330. *Thank you!!*

We Need Shoes For The Powell River Shoe Fair!

We need sturdy shoes of every size for men, women, boys and girls. Every person needs a good pair of shoes. Our final collection date is Monday, July 28 from 10 AM to 4 PM in McDowell Hall. Please do not wait until the last day to purchase these shoes. For more information contact Wanda Howard at 919-818-3476 or Alice Gilchrist at 919-770-1510.



Back To School Bash

The Back to School Bash will be held **Saturday, August 9**. The Missions & Outreach Committee is asking for donations of children's underwear and socks and feminine hygiene products. Donation barrels will be available **June 25 through August 6**. Volunteer signups are in the main hallway.

JHBC Night at the  
Durham Bulls

Saturday, Aug. 16, 6:35 pm

- ❖ 75 Reserved Seats – Under the Awning
- ❖ Sign Up TODAY on the bulletin board
- ❖ \$20 per ticket – Due by Sunday, July 20
- ❖ Bring your family or friends!
- ❖ Post-game Fireworks!!

JOIN US FOR THIS WEEK’S SERVICE & ACTIVITIES

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| 9:45 AM  | <u><b>SUNDAY, JULY 13</b></u>                                                            |
| 11:00 AM | Sunday School Classes for All Ages<br>Worship (Sanctuary)<br>Nursery & Children’s Church |
| 12:20 PM | Hurricane Helene Relief Interest Meeting (Bullock Matthews)                              |
| 5:00 PM  | Special Business Meeting (Bullock Matthews)                                              |
| 6:30 PM  | <u><b>MONDAY, JULY 14</b></u><br>Building and Grounds (Conference Room)                  |
| 6:00 PM  | <u><b>TUESDAY, JULY 15</b></u><br>Nursery Committee (Conference Room)                    |
| 7:00 PM  | Children’s Ministry Team (Conference Room)                                               |
| 10:30 AM | <u><b>WEDNESDAY, JULY 16</b></u><br>Staff Meeting (Conference Room)                      |
| 6:00 PM  | Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)                                                               |
| 6:15 PM  | Prayer Meeting and Bible Study                                                           |
| 7:15 PM  | Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)                                                              |
| 11:30 AM | <u><b>THURSDAY, JULY 17</b></u><br>Pearl Johnson Group (Cracker Barrel)                  |
|          | <u><b>FRIDAY, JULY 18</b></u><br>OFFICE CLOSED                                           |



Thank You

The family of Tara Bowling Mulligan would like to extend a heartfelt thank you for the many prayers lifted and for all the ways you expressed your love before and after her passing. Tara was a remarkable young woman who exhibited grace, love, and kindness throughout her life. She would have been touched by your acts of love and kindness just as we are. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.  
Love,  
The Family of Tara Bowling Mulligan

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**Verse for the Week of July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2025**  
so that you may be blameless and pure,  
children of God who are faultless in a  
crooked and perverted generation,  
among whom you shine like stars in the  
world ~Philippians 2:15 (CSB)

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK!

July 14 - Neil Baker  
Jolie Henriquez  
Larry Long  
Claudia Austin  
July 18 - Garry Long  
July 19 - Katie Thornton



GREETERS FOR JULY

Sandy Lamm

LOCK-UP & SECURITY

July 13 - Russ Stevens  
July 20 - Patrick Snipes  
July 27 - Tommie Angel  
August 3 - Eddie Bowling

FIRST RESPONDERS TEAM

July 13 - Team A  
July 20 - Team B  
July 27 - Team C  
August 3 - Team D

OUR MISSION

By the grace of God and the power of His Holy Spirit, we will embody the presence of the crucified and risen Lord Jesus Christ to Sanford and the world through our worship, our witness, and our way of life.

OUR VALUES

- God-focused intergenerational worship
- Bible-centered life-impacting Bible study and Discipleship
- Hands-on relationship-driven missions
- An accepting and encouraging sense of family where everyone’s voice counts

Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church relates to the Sandy Creek Baptist Association, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and supports missionaries both directly and through the Southern Baptist Convention.

AN INVITATION

The people of Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church invite you to commit your life to Christ as His disciple and join our congregation as a member.

Our ministers would be delighted to talk with you about making a commitment to Jesus Christ. Please see them following the end of the worship service today or contact the church office to schedule an appointment with them.

If you would like to become a member of Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church, you may come forward during the song of response following the sermon and present yourself as a candidate for membership.

We receive members:

- upon profession of faith in Christ followed by believer’s baptism;
- by transfer of membership from another Baptist church; or
- by statement of previous Christian experience.

If you would like to discuss your decision prior to making it public or have further questions about membership in JHBC, please talk with one of our pastors after the service or contact the church office (919-776-1541).



Church Staff:

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Rev. Brian Charland, Senior Pastor                                | brian.charland@jhbc.org    |
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| Mrs. Kristina Cutter, Administrative Assistant                    | kristina.cutter@jhbc.org   |
| Rev. Gilbert W. McDowell, Pastor Emeritus                         |                            |
| Mrs. Joan Luellen, Pianist                                        | joanluellen@windstream.net |

Welcome to  
Jonesboro Heights  
Baptist Church



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This is the Lord’s Day

We are grateful that you have chosen to worship God with us today. We invite you to join us on this incredible journey of following Jesus Christ as His disciples, striving to fulfill our mission of embodying the presence of Christ to Sanford and the world through our worship, our witness, and our way of life.

Join us each **Sunday** for these opportunities . . .

**9:45 AM** – Sunday School Classes for Everyone

**11:00 AM** – Worship Service (Sanctuary)

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Join us each **Wednesday** for these opportunities...

**6:15 PM** – Bible Study/Prayer Meeting

316 WEST MAIN STREET, SANFORD, NC 27332  
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BAKERS AND SHAKERS

Date

July 13  
July 20  
July 27  
August 3

BAKERS

Sheila Stevens  
Lunette McCollough  
Cindy Jones  
Patricia Buchanan

SHAKERS

Mike & Ruth Bundy  
Kenny & Sandy Lamm  
Scott & Ann Davis  
Alice Gilchrist, Sharon  
Howell, Diane Smith

BUDGET & ATTENDANCE

Sunday, July 6, 2025 (Week 45 of 52)

2024 – 2025 Budget - \$581,088.13

Weekly Budget \$ 12,106.00

YTD Budget \$496,346.00

Gen Fund Received \$10,686.25

YTD Gen Fund Received \$537,732.76

YTD Deficit / Surplus \$41,386.76

ATTENDANCE

Sunday School 121

Worship Service 184

WAYS TO GIVE



Offering Plates  
(2 in front, 1 in foyer)

By Mail

(316 W Main St,  
Sanford, NC 27332)

Online

(Scan the QR Code, or  
go to  
<https://bit.ly/4bbc0ql>)

