

First Baptist Church of Pinehurst

June Newsletter 2009

7th Anniversary

Our church will be celebrating its 7th anniversary on Sunday, June 14th. In many ways these seven years have flown by and we have experienced many blessings during these years. We want to invite the entire church family to be here on this Sunday to rejoice in the ways God has worked in our lives and in the life of First Baptist. We will be celebrating a little differently than we have in the past. This year we will be having a fellowship and breakfast time during our normal Sunday school hour starting at 9:45 and going until 10:30 am. We are asking our Sunday school classes to bring items for a covered dish breakfast. It will be a time of fellowship along with a number of pictures of our church family and past events shown on our big screen. Our worship service at 11:00 will be a celebration and praise of God for these seven years. Rev. Mike Branscome, pastor of First Baptist Church of Aberdeen, one of our co-sponsoring churches, will bring the message that morning. Please put this date on your calendars and make plans to attend this great anniversary.

Church Survey

The Church Council has been working to put together a church-wide survey. It is the Church Council's desire to make our church as effective as we can be in serving out our mission. We hope you will take the time to fill out this survey and return it so we can do our very best to meet your expectations. These surveys will be handed out for several weeks in our Sunday school classes and prior to our worship services. Please help us in this matter as we strive to be the church God desires of us.

Enlistment Committee

The Enlistment Committee will begin its work soon. We will begin the work of finding those who are willing to serve in the ministry and outreach of First Baptist. We ask of you to begin to pray and seek God's leadership in where and how you will serve Him in this congregation.

Camp Duncan Girls Camp

There will be a groundbreaking and picnic Saturday, June 13th for a new wilderness camp in Aberdeen for underprivileged, troubled girls. Bring your family, fishing gear and a good appetite. It will be a fun filled afternoon with entertainment, food, fellowship and games. The event begins at 2:30 pm with ground breaking at 4:30 and dinner at 5:00 pm.

Prepare to Board the Boomerang Express!

The theme of our Vacation Bible School for 2009 is *The Boomerang Express - An Australian Outback Adventure*. We will learn that just like a boomerang always comes back, all things come back to Jesus and His love. **VBS dates are June 22nd to 26th starting at 8:55 am to 12:00 pm for ages 3 yrs to 6th grade.** There will be a nursery provided for workers. Please be in prayer for all the children and adults who will be involved with VBS. Early registration will begin June 7th. Anyone who would like to donate bottled water for workers and snacks for the children, please bring them to the kitchen. Thank you.

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Welcome to Our New Members

Jamie & Ellen Ashwell**Jason & Margie Thomas

Children's Extended Session Schedule: June 07 – Stacey Hilliard and Maggie Dutton
June 14 – Scott & Patti Wolcott
June 21 – Chris & Kimberly Gillespie
June 28 – Steve & Sallie Wofford

Nursery Schedule: June 07 – Joe & Paulette Chisesi, Suzanne Shelton, Savannah Nall,
Stacey Hilliard, Ashley McDowell
June 14 – Stephanie Thomas, Brenda Ferrell, Lauren Marsh, Maggie
Dutton, Savannah Nall, Lauren McDowell
June 21 – Kent & Yvette Wood, Cindy Warthen & Kristen, Marie
Almond, Savannah Nall, AJ Lafell
June 28 – Alisha Lafell, Sandy Coble, Lisa Schiffmacher, Angie
Beane, Johnnie Seago, Savannah Nall, Chris Aliprando

Nursery Schedule Wednesday Evenings: June 03 – Pam Anderson
June 10 – Lori Staples
June 17 – Patti Wolcott
June 24 – Jill Mabe