

# **PASTOR'S NOTES**

*"It is for freedom that Christ has set us free"* (Galatians 5:1a NIV). I love to celebrate our nation's independence on July 4<sup>th</sup>. What a blessed people we are to have the freedom and prosperity that we enjoy. As you and your family celebrate our nation's birthday, be sure to offer a prayer of thanksgiving to God for our nation, and most of all, for the spiritual freedom that we have in Jesus Christ.

Plan to be with us on **Sunday**, **July 3<sup>rd</sup>**, for our **Patriotic Worship Service**, thanking God for our freedom, praying for our military, and honoring our veterans. My message will be **"A Nation Under God."** 

Get ready for the ultimate trip: Vacation Bible School's Ramblin' Road Trip. The theme is "Which Way Do I Go?" The scripture theme is Psalm 25:4: "Show me your ways, O Lord, teach me your paths." VBS is July 10-15, 6 to 9 **p.m.**, for ages Pre-K to 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Bring your children, grandchildren, and other children and youth that you know and let them experience a fun time as they learn about God's love. If you would like to be involved in, or if you have any questions about VBS, please contact the director, Kerri-Lynn Floyd at 770-614-3457, or email: kfloyd01@bellsouth.net.

During the month of **July** and **August**, I will bring a series of messages titled, "**Have I Got a Story for You.**" We will look at some of Jesus' parables, and apply them to our daily lives. Do you like a good story? Are you looking for practical help from God's Word? If yes, then you will enjoy the study of Jesus' parables. The messages are

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recorded for your convenience—you may have a tape for yourself or for someone you know who may benefit from a particular message. You may request a free tape by filling out the welcome card in the bulletin, or you may email Pastor Lawrence at <u>law-</u> rence@zionhillbuford.org.

Do you need a midweek lift? If yes, come **Wednesday evenings** and enjoy a new Bible study for adults. My study is titled: "**Majoring in the Minors.**" It is a study through the **minor prophets** of the Old Testament. These books of the Bible are rich with spiritual principles that apply to our lives today. We meet at **6:00 p.m.** for prayer and bible study in the auditorium.

Our youth will be traveling to Destin, Florida for their **Summer camp**, July 24-29. Pray for Billy and the other youth leaders as they help our youth experience God and create a life-change for Christ. Pray also for their fellowship and safety. Let me thank those of you who have been so generous to provide scholarships for some of our youth. If you have questions about the trip, you may contact Billy at 770-868-5419, or by email: billy@zionhillbuford.org. There will be a mandatory parents'/ guardians' meeting on Sunday, July 17, at 4:00 p.m., concerning the trip.

Let me thank you again for your kind words, your cards, and your phone calls concerning the death of my grandmother, Era Newbern. Your love and kindness made her passing much easier. Pray for those in our church family who are sick, or grieving, or struggling through adversity. And you know what—I love being your pastor!

Danny



# VBS 2005

Our VBS will be July 10 - July 15 at 6:00 pm—9:00 pm. We have classes for Pre-K through 8th grade. The theme is *Ramblin' Road Trip Which Way Do I Go*. Each day we will visit a different place as we travel across our great country. There will be Bible stories, games, food and lots of fun. Be sure and be here and don't forget to invite your friends to come with you. For any additional information contact Kerri Floyd (770) 614-3457.

Zion Hill Baptist Church Purpose	
To Know Jesus Christ and to Make Him Known to Others!	
Church Staff	
Pastor:	
Danny Newbern	
Pastor Emeritus:	
Paul Wade	
Minister of Music:	
Lawrence Wilson	
Children/Youth Minister:	
Billy Coker	
Secretary:	
Peggy Cooper	
Pre-School Director:	
Shauna Hennum 404-434-1119	

# NOTES FROM the MUSIC MINISTER

"I thank my God every time I remember you."

(Philippians 1:3)

Never has this been more true in the life of Margaret and me. We love you all more than we can say. How can I say "thanks" to all of you. I especially thank Andrea for directing the worship service for me. Also to Karell for filling in for me in Bible Study.

Thanks to everyone for your visits, your calls, your cards, but most of all for your prayers. But the largest thanks goes to our Lord. He protected Jordan and me and has given me complete recovery.

Hey! I love you!

# HEAVENLY TREASURES PRESCHOOL

The Zion Hill family welcomes **Heavenly Treasures Preschool** to our church ministry. The preschool will begin in **September**, **2005** and go thru May, under the direction of **Shauna Hennum**. Programs available are for children 2 to 4 years of age. Hours of operation are 9:00 am—1:00 pm, Monday through Thursday. You may contact **Shauna (404) 434-1119** Monday through Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm to register.

**Kerri-Lynn Floyd** will be the liaison between the church and the preschool. Pray that the preschool ministry will be a blessing to our church and to our community, and that we will help families connect to our church and to God.

# CHILDREN / YOUTH MINISTER'S NOTES

# YOUTH RETREAT

Our youth will be going on a retreat to **Destin Florida July 24<sup>th</sup>—29<sup>th</sup>**. We want everyone to be able to go on this trip. If you would like to sponsor a teen, cost is \$160 per person. There will be a **mandatory meeting** for everyone going to Florida with the youth on **Sunday**, **July 17**, **at 4:00 p.m.** You must bring medical insurance cards, if under 18 you must have a parent with you. Please contact Billy or Monica Coker (770) 868-5419. Please pray for and support our youth.

# NOTE OF THANKS

Dear Zion Hill Family,

Caroline, the girls, and I want to say how grateful we were for those who came to the funeral home to pay your respects in the death of my grandmother, Era Newbern. Thank you also for the cards, the phone calls, emails, and personal remarks of comfort during this difficult time in our lives. Your love and encouragement will always be remembered.

Danny

#### Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for the support and kindness you have given me for my graduation. I appreciate everything you all have done. The luncheon was great and thanks for the recognition you gave all of us! Also, thank you for the book you gave me. Thanks for everything. Lora

# SENIOR ADULT QUARTERLY RALLY

The rally will be at Chestnut Grove Baptist Church, 2299 Rosebud RD, Grayson, GA. Join us and be a part of God's blessings **July 28, 2005, 10:30 AM**. Lunch is a 12:00 and the cost is \$ 5.00 per person. Special Program personality Claude McBride will be sharing a character he has created: *"A Man of the Hills"*. **Reservations for lunch required by July 21**. You may call GMBA at 770-963-8350 to report the number of lunches for you entire group.



# NURSERY LIST

# July 3,

Babies: Virginia Brogdon

1, 2 & 3 Yrs: Lisa Appling

# July 10,

Babies: Sheila & Lora Nance

1, 2 & 3 Yrs: Fran Masters

Night: Vacation Bible School

# July 17,

**Babies: Christine Hughes** 

1, 2 & 3 Yrs: Dianne Holman

# July 24,

Babies: Kerri Floyd

1, 2 & 3 Yrs: Kay Bagby

#### July 31,

Babies: Virginia Brogdon

1, 2 & 3 Yrs: Lisa Appling

#### ANGEL FOOD

Last order date: July 18, 2005 Distribution date: July 30, 2005, Time: 10:00 -11:00 AM

# Did You Read That?

**Bulletin Bloopers & Church Funnies** 

Barbara remains in the hospital and needs blood donors for more transfusions. She is also having trouble sleeping and request tapes of Pastor Jack's sermons.



# BIRTHDAYS

Richard Martin (1) Kent Maddox (1) Lara Low Roebuck (3) David Harrison (8) Noah Welborn (8) Sharon Burcham (10) David Sinn (11) Brian Webb (11) Vincent Brogdon (14) Bobby Mabrey (14) Billy Davis (16) Teisha Sinn (16) Anne Millwood (17) Shelby Wilkins (17) Ray Summerour (18) Charles Parris (19) Charles Parris Jr (22) Donald (Chip) Bradley (22) Lisa Appling (24) Sonva Sinn (24) Tonya Sinn (24) Tabitha Couch (25) Nathan Taylor (25) Randy Siggers (26) Lora Nance (26)

# ANNIVERSAIRES

Alan & Tammy Coon (30) Otis & Ouida Harwell (2) Kirk & Dianne Hughes (15) Grady & Glenda Peavy (19) David & Sue Williams (9)

# Happy Independence

Day!

# Thank you for

# Praying

# **CHURCH NEEDS**

Pastor Danny & Caroline Newbern & Family, Lawrence & Margaret Wilson, Billy & Monica Coker, Rev. Paul & Liz Wade, Deacon Ministry, Youth Ministry, SS Leadership, Children's Ministry, New Building Team, Heavenly Treasures Preschool, VBS.

# IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Robin Davis' family, Scott Mewern, Marie Harrison, Bill & Mary Ellen Sharp, Roberta Wilson, Andy Veal, Ashley Holman, Eva Stringer, Floy Girrard, Ralph Garcia, Gus Olsten, Andrew Mitchell, Elijah Rollins, Jean Cole, Jackie Holland, Sammy Sands, Randy Sands, Chuck Parris Sr., Chestley & Dianne Holman, Linda Jo & Ricky Ledford, Randy Lett, Colleen, Randy Lett, Will Grissom, Guy Aliff, Jerry McDaniel, Jimmy Barnett, Pat Coker, Chloe Wilson, Lavon Hambrick, Hayden Weaver, Gail Bagby, Vicki Westmoreland, Debbie Rutledge, Susan Holcombe.

# ON GOING NEEDS

Gale Holcombe, Michael Schon Whiting & Family, Doug & Pat Holman, Vera Mitchell, Evelyn Maddox, Jason Casper, Faye Collins, Frank & Martha McKelvey, Ralph & Opal Mullinax,

# NOTE OF SYMPATHY

We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to:

- Pastor Danny Newbern and his family in the death of his grandmother Era Newbern. Era went home to be with the Lord Thursday, June 9, 2005.

- Bill and Mary Ellen Sharp in the death of their daughter Tricia. Tricia passed away Sunday, June 19, 2005

- Robin Davis in the death of her sister Pamela Pearman. Pam passed away Sun. June 26.

# DONATIONS

Donations were made to the Zion Hill church Building Fund in loving memory of Margarette Coon by the Adult E, *Love Ambassadors*' Sunday school class. By Doug & Pat Holman in memory of Era Newbern and Corine Clark in memory of Tricia Sharp.

# A NOTE OF THANKS

- Thank you for everything in the graduation gift. Also thank you for guiding me through the rough times, and for guiding me in my faith. Again thank you for everything. Toby

- Thank you for your love, support and prayers during the death of our daughter Tricia. We love you and appreciate you. Bill & Mary Ellen Sharp

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