



PARKVIEW BAPTIST NEWSLETTER

Becoming like Christ...
Being Christ in the World!



COME JOIN FLASH, JACQUES LE CROC,
BELLE, BLOSSOM AND TUCKER IN THE BAYOU FOR
CROCODILE DOCK VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
June 22-26 6:15 PM - 8:45 PM



Where Fearless Kids Shine God's Light!



BRING YOUR FRIENDS!
K - 5TH GRADE



Supplies Needed:

Check out the list on the
bulletin board to see
what you can supply!



Bayou Crew Leaders Needed!!

Sign up sheet in the foyer by the
office window.

The Pastor's Letter

Pastor Greg Magruder



What a wonderful Spiritual Renewal Weekend we had this past Pentecost weekend. We closed out the 50 Days of Jubilee with three days of good preaching and good singing and fantastic piano playing. Bob Kendig shared the gospel powerfully and Bryan Popin gave the piano keys a workout. I have heard nothing but good things from those who attended and experienced the presence of the Lord during the weekend of celebration. We had several decisions made during the weekend but Sunday morning the Spirit moved powerfully and we saw many re-commitments to the Lord and many who came for prayer. One couple joined the church and we have several prospects for the church from those who attended. The GROW teams have already been out visiting and following up on the decisions that were made. Continue to pray as we carry the Spirit of renewal into the lazy days of summer.

I want to thank everyone who had a part in making the renewal weekend a success. I am grateful to the deacons for their prayer visitations. I am grateful for every member who attended and brought guests with them. I am thankful for the Fellowship/Supper committee that helped set up and tear down for the Friday night barbeque. Adam's Ribs makes good barbeque! I am grateful for Cheryl Lloyd, Veronica Freeze, and Henry Keene for getting the gifts for the gift giveaway Saturday night. I am thankful for Kyle Smith, Fred Freeze, Steve and June Gilly and Alice Basdekian for their help with sound and video and music during the services. I am thankful for Charles Perry and others who set up the tables and prepared the church grounds and facilities for the weekend. There are many others I could name but I want to just say thank you to all of you for making sure this weekend went off without a hitch! You have my thanks and your reward in heaven too!

The 50 Days of Jubilee have been a time of renewal and refocusing. Jubilee is the time for refreshing and renewal and restoration. I hope you have experienced renewal in your own life as we have studied the themes of Jubilee and the Easter Season together. I hope you have realized the Easter is not a one day experience but a season of renewal and resurrection. I hope you have discovered the importance of the Ascension of Christ and the power of Pentecost. I pray that these 50 Days of Jubilee have been a truly liberating experience for you. We have now entered into the season of Pentecost. Let the Spirit guide us into continual renewal and growth.

Speaking of growth and steps of faith, the church has voted to call Shane Johnson to be our Minister of Children, Youth and Families. Shane has already hit the ground running and has made significant changes in our youth room and is making great plans for our fall schedule for children and families! We love his enthusiasm, vision and team spirit! Welcome Shane, Vicki, Joshua and Caleb to our church family!

As summer begins and your vacation plans and summer events begin to be planned, do not forget our Crocodile Dock Vacation Bible School on June 22-26. Begin to invite your friends and neighbors to our annual VBS. The VBS begins each night at 6:15 PM and ends at 8:45 PM. We want to have our biggest VBS in years so talk it up now!

Also, do not forget to budget your tithes and offerings for each month during the summer. Set aside your tithes now so the church income will not have a summer slump while you are away on vacation. God's work goes on even while you are away. So thoughtfully plan to give this summer especially since we have new staff and great plans to reach our community for Christ!

I am so glad to be your pastor. I thank God for you daily and keep you in my prayers. Let's make this summer our very best summer in the Lord's work!

Pastor Greg



Last weekend at the Revival my mother opened her Bible and pulled out an old bulletin (May 26, 1957) from First United Methodist of Gainesville to show me that they had placed a rose on the alter to celebrate my birth. Looking at the yellowed bulletin I noticed the following paragraph that I scanned and would like to share.

WHO MAKES A CHURCH A SUCCESS?

Even though my typewriter is an old model, it works quite well except one of the keys. I have wished many times that it worked perfectly. It is true there are forty-six keys that function well enough, but just one key not working makes the difference.

Sometimes it seems to me that our church is somewhat like my typewriter—not all the key people are working properly.

You may say to yourself, "Well, I am only one person. I won't make or break the church." But it does make a difference because a church to be effective needs the active participation of every person.

So, the next time you think you are only one person and that your efforts are not needed, remember my typewriter and say to yourself, "I am a key person in the congregation, and I am needed very much."

—Adapted from a card pinned on the bulletin board in the reception room of Department of Radio and Television of the Church Federation of Greater Chicago. Original source unknown.



Bayou Crew Leaders Needed

Qualifications for Bayou Crew Leaders:

You Love the Lord!

You Love Kids!

During Crocodile Dock, you will visit different stations with a group of three to five children. You are not in charge of preparing or teaching station activities; in fact, you get to be there and enjoy them as part of your Bayou Crew! Bayou Crews are mixed-age, family-like groups that travel together to Crocodile Dock station activities.

Sign up sheet is by the office window in the foyer. For more information see Karen Magruder.

ATTENTION:

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS AND PROGRAM DIRECTORS

The church by-laws require the Stewardship Committee to begin budget preparation in July by requesting from each "budgeted entity" an estimate of needs for the next fiscal year. Please meet with your committees or groups within the next month if necessary so that you will have your requests ready when the Stewardship Committee makes its formal request.

Jay Clark

Stewardship Chairperson

Don't forget about the blood drive on Sunday, June 14. This time it will be at Grace Presbyterian from 9AM-2PM.



WOMEN'S MISSION & MINISTRIES

- June 9 Harms Mission Group
in Prayer Room at 10:00AM
- June 11 Ronald McDonald House Ministries
Men's class (Terry Fletcher)
- June 21 Father's Day Offering for our local
Florida Baptist Children's Home*
- June 23-24 Southern Baptist Convention Annual
Meeting in Louisville, Kentucky

**For more than 100 years, Florida Baptist have made sure that needy, dependent children and their families get help from Florida Baptist Children's Homes. Thousands of children have received shelter, loving comfort and spiritual nurture under the direction of dedicated men and women. Always there has been the desire, the prayers, that each one comes to know the Lord as personal Savior.

Please give generously to the Father's Day Offering to support our local home in Lacrosse and extend this ministry of our church.

Continue bringing old calendars, copy paper, cleaning supplies, and greeting cards for the Arbor House; washcloths & hand towels, motel size shampoo and conditioner, toothbrushes and trial size toothpaste for St. Francis House.



7:00 PM Tuesday Evenings

- June 2 GROW "G" & "R"
- 16 GROW "O" & "W"
- 30 "Miracle GROW"
- July 7 GROW "G" & "R"
- 21 GROW "O" & "W"
- August 4 GROW "G" & "R"
- 18 GROW "O" & "W"

Mission Statement

The Mission of Parkview Baptist Church is to lift up Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, and to obey His Great Commission.

Matthew 28:18-20

Our Purpose Statement

The purpose of Parkview Baptist Church is raising the family of Jesus Christ by leading every member to:

-MAGNIFY HIS LORDSHIP IN WORSHIP
-MULTIPLY HIS FAMILY THROUGH EVANGELISM/MISSIONS
-MATURE HIS CHILDREN THROUGH DISCIPLESHIP
-MODEL HIS LIFE THROUGH SERVICE/MINISTRY
-MINISTER HIS LOVE THROUGH FELLOWSHIP

BECOMING A CONTAGIOUS CHRISTIAN

Communicating Your Faith in a Style that Fits You

Join us for our new Discipleship Training beginning **Sunday, June 7 at 6PM.**

This 6 week course is designed to equip believers for effective evangelism in today's world. It avoids stereotyped approaches that feel intimidating to many Christians. Instead, it shows ordinary believers how they can share the Gospel in a natural and powerful way while being the person God made them to be.

Greeters For June

Ushers This Month

7	Terry Fletcher	
14	Jarrett Green	Joey Stehno
21	Crystal Humphrey	Bob Casey
28	Julia Keene	Henry Keene
		Jean Paul Calixte

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June Birthdays

- 3 Julia Keene
- 3 John West
- 12 Annette Jones
- 17 Tré Dekle
- 20 Richard Gailey
- 21 Linda Gano
- 26 Mallory Williams
- 28 Warren Brostek
- 29 James Griffin
- 30 Jean Ergle



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
AND GOD BLESS YOU!**

DID WE FORGET YOUR
SPECIAL DAY?

PLEASE CONTACT THE
CHURCH OFFICE IF WE
OVERLOOKED YOU OR ONE
OF YOUR LOVED ONES ON
OUR BIRTHDAY CALENDAR.

July Birthdays

- 1 Julie Clark
- 2 Leveda Brown
- 5 Allen Magura
- 7 Venora Griffin
- 8 Allyson Lloyd
- 10 Brian Standridge
- 11 Shane Johnson
- 13 Carrol Benefiel
- 15 Olysha Magruder
- 21 Debbie Clark
- 22 Bob Casey
- 23 Kyle Smith
- 24 Barbara Caley
- 31 Evelyn Casey
- 31 Jayne Deal



Welcome



