



# The Scroll

As faithful followers of Jesus Christ our mission is:  
"To Proclaim His Gospel,  
To Pray and study His Word,  
To Share His love with others.

June/July 2011  
www.sjaxpc.org



**Contemporary Worship**  
9am in Harvin Hall  
Children's Worship 3rd Floor  
Sunday School 10 am

**Traditional Worship**  
11am in Sanctuary  
Children's Worship 3rd Floor



Ten at 10

Ten weeks at 10:00

**All Services will be held in  
the Sanctuary**

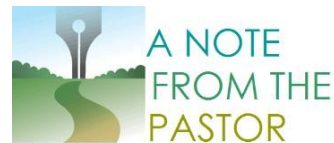
Ten at 10

**Changes effective  
July 3 – September 4**

**Happy Father's Day to  
our**

**Heavenly Father!**

"Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.  
Matthew 6:9 b



The road itself is the teacher.

I was reminded of that truth recently by a man whose wisdom I revere. His point was that you have to actually do faith, you have to live it, you have to practice it, you have to wear it for a good long time before it really works in you and changes life. The big things in this life don't come quick and easy.

I watch people who have been married a long time, watch the way they move so gently and easily with each other, walking in a love deeper than mere romance. When I ask them how they got there, they always seem to laugh, and then they say, "Well, it took a while." They may tell me about rough waters they forged together, about the days when they doubted each other, but how-with time-it came.

At times in ministry I have walked alongside men and women working their way out of addiction to drugs and alcohol. They always tell me that it takes time. The road to sobriety is long. No quick way there. In fact, you're getting there the rest of your life.

What is true about spouses and recovery is true in spades about faith. Faith is one long, adventuresome journey. It's forever edging deeper, ever deeper, into a knowing that just doesn't come unless you stay the course.

My plea for you this summer is simple. Have your doubts. Ask questions. Pray, even if you are still unsure about prayer. Worship, even though you have but a tenuous grasp of the One you praise. Believe, even as you confess your unbelief. Struggle to be a better human being, even though you'll never entirely get there.

Remember that most of what we know about God can be found only in the act of following God.

The road itself is the teacher.

Peace!  
Vince

**THANK YOU to our  
2010-2011 SJPC Christian  
Education Teachers &  
Volunteers**

**Children's Church:**

Ashley Johnson  
Dana Baldwin  
Laurie Tilbrook  
Grace Tilbrook  
Carol Garner  
Laurie Sparks  
Jim Orlando  
Susan Waldeck  
David Dunkley, Jr.  
Dick Cheatwood  
Kelly Ranney  
Macy Crouch  
Caroline Crouch  
Angela Lopez  
Christina Lopez  
Leslie Morgan  
Riley Slay  
Megan Slay  
Margaret Samuels  
Virginia Samuels  
Eleanor Samuels  
Peyton Middleton  
Ellie Adams  
Sarah Adams

**Children's Sunday School:**

Becky & Joe Bernard  
Matt & Amanda Baggett  
Allison Turknnett  
Kelly King  
Deanna Holland  
Sally Poland  
Dick Cheatwood  
Sara Coker  
Liz Adams

**Kids for Christ Club (KFCC)**

Cathy McClure  
Dick Cheatwood

**We-Tweens**

Susan Takis  
Laurie Ballasso

**Youth Sunday School**

Joe Bernard  
Mark Rosenberg

**LOGOS Volunteers**

Wayne & Laurie Ballasso  
Jeff & Kelly King  
Christian & Kelly Legler  
Dawn Geer  
David Goedtke  
Katherine Lyon  
Joe & Becky Bernard  
Wanda McDaniel  
John & Sheryl Wightman  
Matt & Andrea Hartley

**Adult Sunday School**

Dan Rush  
Cynthia Montgomery  
Harriette Dodson  
Elliott Adams  
Ramona Kromberg  
Mitch Turknnett  
Cindy Cheatwood  
Jim Montgomery

**Wholly Wednesday Adult Classes**

Vince Kolb  
Ashley Johnson  
Allison Turknnett

**PW Bible Study Leaders**

Anne Hawk  
Fran Ussery  
Harriette Dodson  
Cathy Carnes  
Susan Takis



Thank you for a  
wonderful year!  
Your church family  
appreciates your  
dedication!

**SOUTH JACKSONVILLE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
STAFF MEMBERS**

Dr. Vincent Kolb, *Pastor*  
Rev. Susan Takis, *Associate Pastor*  
Michael Dell, *Director of Music*  
Matt & Andrea Hartley,  
*Part-Time Directors of Youth*  
Charlotte Mercer, *Preschool Director*  
Alice Mickles, *Office Manager*  
Gayle Sheffield, *Administrative Assistant*  
Alice Rockliffe, *Bookkeeper*  
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be edited for content and length.

**The deadline for the  
August Scroll Newsletter is  
Wednesday, July 20th.**

# Come Join us for fellowship and family fun!

June 5<sup>th</sup>:                   Suns baseball with Woodlawn Presbyterian  
 June 12<sup>th</sup>:                Movie night, Harvin Hall  
 July 10<sup>th</sup>:                 Potluck after single service (Solace for the Children)  
 July 17<sup>th</sup>:                 Movie Night, Harvin Hall  
 August 7<sup>th</sup>:                Karaoke Night, Harvin Hall  
 August 14<sup>th</sup>:             Potluck after single service with Woodlawn Presbyterian



MONTHLY APRIL	 <b>BUDGET REPORT</b>		YTD	
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
<b>Pledges</b>	\$ 47,790	\$ 60,300	\$ 238,654	\$ 256,945
<b>Other Income</b>	\$ 11,119	\$10,758	\$39,529	\$ 38,830
<b>Expenses</b>	<u>67,002</u>	<u>\$ 64,070</u>	<u>\$ 271,535</u>	<u>\$ 261,564</u>
<b>Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<u>(\$ 8,093)</u>	<u>\$ 6,988</u>	<u>\$ 6,648</u>	<u>\$ 34,211</u>

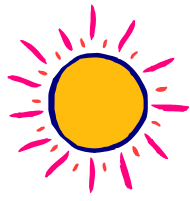


We have several pairs of eye glasses, a few umbrellas and a number of articles of clothing, and even more!

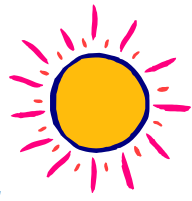
Please contact us at 396-0567 or email at us at [alice.mickles@sjaxpc.org](mailto:alice.mickles@sjaxpc.org) or [gayle.sheffield@sjaxpc.org](mailto:gayle.sheffield@sjaxpc.org) if you have lost an item and we'll see if it's among our lost and found items.



**The Prayer Chain** consists of (12) church members who are willing to be called upon for specific prayers or for an emergency situation. As implied, it is a chain. Confidentiality will be maintained if that is a concern. The request may begin by calling Sue Davis @ 636-0393 or Kathleen Herbertson @ 287-2655. If you have questions about the prayer chain and how it works, please feel free to contact us.



SUMMER 2011



CHILDREN'S CHURCH

June: 9am & 11am; July & August: 10am



We need your help!



In order to give our "regular" children's church teachers some well deserved rest, we are asking YOU to consider teaching for a week or two! The curriculum for the summer is very "user-friendly" and will be fun not only for the children, but for you, too! Little or no time is spent in preparation for the class – and it is fun for everyone! If you have a love of children, but don't want to make a "long-term" commitment to teaching, this is a perfect opportunity for you!

PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE BULLETIN BOARD BY HARVIN HALL ASAP!! THANK YOU FOR YOUR DEDICATION TO OUR CHILDREN!

For more information, please contact Pastor Susan!



*Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain. I Corinthians 15:58*

# Presbyterian Women



## *First Annual Summer Salad Luncheon*

*Sponsored by  
Presbyterian Women*

*You will not want to miss this opportunity to fellowship and have fun with the women of South Jacksonville Presbyterian Church! All you need to do is:*

***Bring your favorite salad and \$2!***

*Dessert and drinks will be provided, so mark your calendar and come join us!*

***Monday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at 11:am in Harvin Hall***

*Childcare will be provided*

*Questions and to RSVP, call or email Catherine Norton*

*398-2235*

*catnorton@bellsouth.net*



***Because We Care***

***Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture. Psalm 100:3***

**The shepherd ministry is expanding to visit more members who are unable to participate in weekly Sunday service and special events as they have in the past. We want these members to know that they are important and special part of our church family. We care about how they are doing and want them to know, and want to keep in touch with them and be a part of their lives. If you would like more information about this ministry or you would like to become a shepherd please feel free to contact Cheryl Dore at 731-8865.**

## **ICARE NEWS**

***All Justice Ministry Network Members*** are invited to the Annual Celebration on Tuesday, June 14 at 7PM at St. Paul AME Church, 6910 New Kings Rd. We will be recognizing outstanding achievements by our member congregations, getting issue updates about restorative justice in our high crime neighborhoods, the homeless day drop-in center, and the implementation of corrective reading for our below grade level students in Duval Public Schools. We will also be given the opportunity to own our Big Heavenly Audacious Goal of turning out 5,000 people to the Nehemiah Assembly in 2015! Talk to one of our Justice Ministry Team members (Lani Redington, Marcia Doby, Allan Clark, Mitch Turknett, Beverly Campbell, Mal Redington, Sandra Wallace, or Vincent Kolb) if you are planning to go. We will arrange for a bus or car pool to get us there. Come join us!





**JUNE**

- 01 Wilford Lyon
- 01 AJ Crouch
- 03 Reid Ellis
- 04 Betty Pierce
- 04 Caroline Coker
- 04 Martin Harrell
- 06 Sally Poland
- 06 Charles McBurney
- 07 Ethel Carrie
- 07 David Dunkley Sr.
- 08 Greg Holland
- 09 Sara Norton
- 09 Becky Bernard
- 10 Duane Leuthold
- 10 Thomas Coates
- 12 Nancy Rush
- 12 Helen Stolica
- 12 David Wise
- 13 Hunter Sparks
- 13 Freeman Irby
- 13 Bradley Beall
- 14 Hermine Forsyth
- 14 Norma Lewis
- 16 Kelly Sparks
- 16 Dennis Greene

**JUNE**

- 17 Matt Sparks
- 18 Harold Friedlin
- 20 Amanda P. Baggett
- 22 Land Johnson
- 22 Grace Tilbrook
- 22 Griffin Waggoner
- 23 Justin Ellis
- 25 Nicole Parkins
- 26 Wayne Ballaso
- 26 Brian Burns
- 27 Roger Palmer
- 28 Sam I. Smith
- 29 Rosemary Jackson
- 30 Olivia Ellis
- 30 Mae Walton

**JULY**

- 01 Doris Cheatwood
- 01 Kourtney Wilson
- 01 Melissa Montgomery
- 02 Kevin Burns
- 02 Katherine Garner
- 03 Lorin Cleghorn
- 03 Dot Fant

**JULY**

- 05 Rob Johnson
- 05 Carol Garner
- 06 Harry Pierce
- 06 Lani Redington
- 06 Jack Bernard
- 08 Susan Waldeck
- 09 Kelley Slay
- 09 Tim Hedrick
- 11 Kaley Webb
- 11 MaryAnn Lindsey
- 12 Andrew Morgan
- 12 Dorothy Barnette
- 12 Amy Zahra
- 12 Marie Zahra
- 12 Marilyn Carpenter
- 13 Jessica Beall
- 13 Jennifer Crouch
- 13 Ana Lugo-Berrios
- 14 Riley McDaniel
- 15 Pam Ellis
- 15 Laverne Sexton
- 17 Harriette Dodson
- 17 Tucker Ranney
- 19 David Henderson
- 20 Linda Everett

**JULY**

- 20 Sally Anderson
- 21 Owen Parkins
- 22 Elizabeth Dunkley
- 22 Jim Orlando
- 24 Virginia McMillan
- 24 Paul Soud
- 24 Kenneth Cleveland
- 25 Liz Adams
- 26 Lib Holger
- 27 Jordan Mullens
- 27 James Garner
- 27 Margaret Soud
- 27 Mo Melton
- 28 Lorna Kennedy
- 28 Irene Miller
- 28 Linda Tilbrook
- 28 Tom Baber
- 29 Laurie Tilbrook
- 29 Michael Meek
- 30 Robert Jenkins
- 31 Blair Redington
- 31 Kathy Shad



**TWO CENTS A MEAL**

*Two cents a meal offering will be collected on Sunday, June 5. This offering will benefit our Presbytery's Mutual Mission in Jamaica.* Don't forget your collected loose change. You may also write a check for your contribution. For reference: two cents a meal for 3 months for 1 person = \$5.40, for 2 persons = \$10.80, for 3 persons = \$16.20, for 4 persons = \$21.60. Collection coin wrappers are available at the Ask- Me- Desk.



**Volunteer drivers are needed** to deliver hot meals to needy families on the Southside. Drivers leave from Lakewood Presbyterian Church on University Blvd. about 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday and delivery of the meals takes about an hour. If you can spare

one hour a month and would like to volunteer to help, please contact Twilight McKnight, MOW Coordinator at 866-6391 or 396-2401 between 9:30am -12:30pm.

**FOOD for UCOM**

**This month's requests are:**  
*Can meats, Jiffy muffin mix and cereal.* Also always needed are paper bags!



*Please leave your items @ the Ask-Me-Desk.*



## Get Ready for Galactic Blast Vacation Bible School 2011!

This summer, we will voyage into outer space praising God. We will go on “daily missions” and see space like never before, all the while developing a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

Kids entering Pre-Kindergarten  
through rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders,  
put on your moon boots and join us  
June 27 – July 1 from 9:00 to 12:00.

We are always looking for volunteers so please email Ashley Johnson [ashley\\_ufl@yahoo.com](mailto:ashley_ufl@yahoo.com) or Cathy McClure [scsmcclure@comcast.net](mailto:scsmcclure@comcast.net) if you're interested in helping out. Registration forms are available at the Ask-Me-Desk, please submit your forms by June 10<sup>th</sup>, forms will not be accepted after this date.

**Michael G. Dell**  
PIANO • ORGAN • KEYBOARD  
Improvisation • Music Theory  
Lessons  
(In-Home or My San Marco Location)  
Special Events  
Weddings • Receptions  
Accompanying  
Individuals & Groups  
Arranging / Composing  
Music & Text  
904-434-4625  
[PianoMan59@aol.com](mailto:PianoMan59@aol.com)  
TUNES IN  
B L A C K  
&  
W H I T E

### WHAT IS THE PASTOR READING?



Created Equal: How the Bible Broke with Ancient  
Political Thought, Joshua Berman

Are you growing as a Christian? The way to grow in Christ is to read and study! Find a great book in our church library or find one of these books and have a conversation with Pastor Vince about it!



*Happy Father's Day!*



*The Secret of Contentment is the Realization that  
Life is a Gift Not a Right.*



*A*t age 14, Andrea Jaeger won her first professional tennis tournament. At 18, she reached the finals of Wimbledon. At 19, a bad shoulder all but ended her career. Many a world-class athlete may have become bitter or discontented with life at that point. Jaeger, however, turned her competitive spirit to a new endeavor, a non-profit organization called Kids' Stuff Foundation that attempts to bring joy to children suffering from cancer and other life threatening illnesses. Her work there has also inspired her to take correspondence studies in nursing and child psychology.

Jaeger not only created the program, but runs it full-time, year-round, and unpaid. "I'm inspired by these brave kids, and humbled," she has said. "They lose their health, their friends, and sometimes their lives. And yet their spirit never wavers. They look at life as a gift. The rest of us sometimes look at ourselves as a gift to life."

"You get very spoiled on the tour," she adds with a twinkle in her eye. "The courtesy car, the five-star hotels, the thousands of people clapping for you when you hit a good shot. It's easy to forget what's important in life... I forget it a lot less lately."

*from: God's Little Devotional Book  
Alice Mickles*



*Happy Birthday America!*

*July 4th*