

## From The Senior Chaplain

We are very pleased that Dr. Bill Hinson will be preaching today at Big Canoe Chapel. Bill and Bettye are people who continually reflect the love of Christ. Their joy and enthusiasm in the church has been, and continues to be, a priceless gift of grace. I know we will be blessed as Bill shares his heart and powerfully proclaims the truth of God's Word.

As many of you know, Bill and Bettye are in the process of moving to Houston, Texas. They will be closer to their family and assuming a new opportunity of ministry to neighbors and friends. I'm convinced God will use Bill and Bettye to reach many people for Christ in the Houston area. We will continue to pray for them as they faithfully pray for us. Before the moving process got too far along, I wanted Bill to preach from this pulpit. He is certainly one of my favorite people and I've sought his counsel on a number of issues. I am terribly saddened to see the Hinsons move.

Bill has served some of the most prominent Baptist churches in the South, including First Baptist of Fort Lauderdale, Florida and First Baptist of New Orleans. He has also served in the president's office at Baylor University and within the ministry of the Haggai Institute. His gifts and graces are immense and we thank God they have been invested in Kingdom building ministry for many years.

Thank you, Bill and Bettye. You are always loved at Big Canoe Chapel.

Blessings and peace,

Len

### Welcome Guests!

Big Canoe Chapel is a multi-denominational congregation united in our faith in Jesus Christ as Lord. We're dedicated to showing His love through worship, fellowship, outreach, and welcoming guests or those new to the community. For more information, please contact one of our chaplains or Stephens Ministers after the service, or call the Chapel office (706.268.3203)

## The Seventh Sunday of Eastertide

May 20, 2012

Call to Worship "Church in the Wildwood" Sam Holmes  
and "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

"...in the time of my favor, I heard you..." (II Cor. 6:2a)

(Please use this quiet time to sign and pass the Friendship Pad.)

Welcome Rev. R. Len Walker, Jr.

Voluntary "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Buckwalter  
(Janet Larsen)

Psalm 32 (Hymnal, p. 766) Rev. V. Lamar Helms

Introit "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" Moglebust

Invocation Rev. Walker

\* Hymn 188 "Christ is the World's Light" CHRISTE SANCTORUM

+ The Children's Message (10:30) AM Rev. Walker

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Rev. Helms  
**Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Offertory "Total Praise" arr. D. Williamson  
(The Chapel Choir)

\* Doxology R. V. Williams OLD 100<sup>TH</sup>

\* Offertory Prayer Rev. Walker

\* Hymn 340 "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy" RESTORATION

\* Scripture: II Corinthians 5:17-21, 6: 1-2 (NIV) Dr. Bill Hinson  
6:2 "...in the time of my favor I heard you,  
and in the day of salvation I helped you."  
I tell you, now is the time of God's favor,  
now is the day of salvation.

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon "GOD'S FAVOR" (! or ?) Dr. Hinson

\* Hymn 577 "God of Grace and God of Glory" CWM RHONDDA

\* Benediction Rev. Walker

\* Benediction Response 71 "Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen."

Postlude "In Dir 1<sup>st</sup> Freude" arr. Paul Manz

\* Please stand, if you are able.

+ On the last verse of the hymn, children are invited to join Rev. Walker for the Children's Message.

Hearing devices are available from an usher.

Nursery is available downstairs during 9:00am and 10:30am services

### Today at the Chapel

9:00 AM

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10:00 AM

10:30 AM

10:30 AM

Adult Sunday School

Worship Service

Stand-Around

Sunday School for All Ages

Worship Service

### Ushers

9:00 AM

Bill and Pat Buss

Fred and Sue Gregg

10:30 AM

Ernie and Shirley Hensley

Fred and Pat Williams

### Stand-Around

Ron and Sue Ceravolo

Liz Donovan and M. J. Davis

## Chapel Announcements

**Pandamania VBS June 11-15**—Registration is going great and we are doing well with volunteers. Still needed: Teacher for 3's and 4's class. You will have lots of volunteer helpers! We also need helpers for Registration and Roving Helpers. It will be the best week of your summer! Please call or email Nancy Smith (706.268.3203) or [nancysmith@bigcanoechapel.org](mailto:nancysmith@bigcanoechapel.org).

**Day Camp** for children ages 5-12 begins June 12<sup>th</sup> and continues through the end of July. Please call the Chapel (706.268.3203) for more information.

**Summer Sunday School Teachers**—We need you to sign up today! Please visit us today at Stand Around.

**Teachers Appreciation Breakfast**, Saturday, June 2, 9 A. M. All of our teachers from Sunday School, Wonderful Wednesday and Vacation Bible School are invited to join us for this Thank-You breakfast. Please call Mary Donna in the Chapel office (706.268.3203) to make your reservation! Significant others are welcome!

## Community Activities

**BCERT** is an organization dedicated to assisting Big Canoe Public Safety in response to emergency events and other community needs. **BCERT** is currently conducting a membership drive, with the objective of increasing the membership in order to better accomplish its goals. Anyone interested in serving the community in this way should contact the Director of **BCERT**, Ray Bowyer (706.268.3913).

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**Annual Meeting of Big Canoe Chapel**—You are invited and encouraged to attend the Annual Congregational meeting today in the Chapel following the second worship service.

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**Our sympathy goes out to Carolyn Omundson and family for the loss of beloved husband and father, Fred. A Memorial Service is scheduled for Thursday, May 24, at 1 p.m. at Big Canoe Chapel.**

## This Week's Chapel Calendar

Mon.	5/21	Men's Fellowship-Room 107	1:00PM
Mon.	5/21	Personnel Committee-Board Room	2:15PM
Mon.	5/21	Chapel Bells-Cousins Hall	4:30PM
Tues.	5/22	<i>Bella Voce</i> Rehearsal-McCormick Hall	9:30AM
Tues.	5/22	Technology Infrastructure Committee Rm. 107	2:45AM
Wed.	5/23	Guild Bible Study-McCormick Hall, Room 102	9:30AM
Wed.	5/23	Stephen Ministers-Rooms 101,102	6:30PM
Thurs.	5/24	Property Committee Meeting-Room 107	3:00PM
Thurs.	5/24	Men's Chorus Rehearsal-McCormick Hall	7:00PM
Fri.	5/25	I Phone Club-McCormick Hall	1:00PM
Sat.	5/26	AA Meeting-Teen Room	9:00AM
Sun.	5/27	Chapel Worship Service	9:00AM
Sun.	5/27	Men's Chorus Sings both Services	9:00AM
Sun.	5/27	Adult Sunday School	9:00AM
Sun.	5/27	Chapel Stand- Around	10:00 AM
Sun.	5/27	All Sunday School	10:30 AM
Sun.	5/27	Chapel Worship Service	10:30 AM

## Chapel Member Prayer List

At Home: Fred Hintz; Jayne Beske; Margaret Anderson; Catherine Grizzle; Gene Boeke; J. C. Finley; David Owen, undergoing test; Joyce Whitaker; John Fleming; H. T. Smith; Judy Garner

In the Hospital: James Moore, St. Joseph's; Joyce Robyn, Odyssey Health Care (Hospice) Decatur, GA

In Assisted Care: Betty Laughlin, Arbor Terraces, Decatur, GA; Martha Adkins, Gold City Personal Care, Dahlonga, GA; Bill Almand, Heritage of Sandy Plains, GA; Jean Payne, Grandview, Jasper, GA; Vivian MacDonald (Jean Ann Miller's mother), Rock Creek Manor, Jasper; Margie Hunter, Chambrel at Roswell

## Special Thanks

**We want to extend our sincerest appreciation to everyone for their cards, phone calls, food, flowers and outpouring of love extended to our family after the death of Judy's mother. Our loss is great, but our strength comes from your prayers and support and God's assurance that we will see her again one day in heaven. Thank you, dear friends, for letting us know YOU care. Truly, Big Canoe residents are in a class all their own! With much love, Judy and Claud Lacey and family.**

Rev. R. Len Walker Jr.  
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