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**Each One
Reach One**

New Life

Growing God's kingdom, one family at a time.



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“Blessed More Greatly than John!”

We can think of many outstanding people who served God in Old Testament times: Noah, Abraham, Sarah, Jacob, Joseph, Moses, Elijah, Esther and on and on. But Jesus spoke some surprising words concerning John the Baptist. After praising John for his strength of character, his simple humility and his role as a prophet and more than a prophet, Jesus said, "I tell you the truth: among those born of women there has not risen anyone greater than John the Baptist," Mt 11:11a.

No one in the Old Testament was greater than John, not Abraham, the great patriarch to whom God made His historic promises of the Israelite nation, of the promised land and of the universal blessing for "all peoples on earth," Gn 12:1-3! Not Moses, the great liberator from slavery and deliverer of the Ten Commandments and the Law of Moses! Not David, the famous king, psalmist and man after God's own heart!

But Jesus spoke even more surprising words concerning John and all Christians, "yet he who is least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he," Mt 11:11b. What a privilege it is to be a participant of the kingdom of heaven! This is the kingdom that was the very theme of John and Jesus' preaching, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is near," Mt 3:2; 4:17. John was not in that kingdom, but he preached it. The parables of Jesus presented the kingdom of heaven: the sower, the weeds, the mustard seed - all eight parables in Matthew 13. It is the precious treasure that a man found hidden in a field, and it is the pearl of great price. That kingdom is the church that Jesus said He would establish, Mt 16:18, and over which He has all authority, Mt 28:18. It was purchased not by the blood of an army of soldiers in a great battle but by the blood of the Son of God on calvary, Acts 20:28.

It is our privilege to participate in that kingdom, His church, the spiritual body of Christ, which is the "fullness of him who fills everything in every way," Eph 1:23. Christ is the head of this church seated at the right hand of the Father in the heavenly realms, "far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every title that can be given, not only in the present age but also in the one to come," Eph 1:20-21. No greater power or authority can be envisioned. It is in this kingdom that we can glorify God, "to him be glory in the

Today's Worship

- 31 Be Still and Know
- Elder's Welcome
- 38 Awesome God
- 39 Awesome Power
- 40 Holy, Holy, Holy Is the Lord of Hosts
- 32s The Joy of the Lord
- Prayer
- 33s You, O Lord, Are My Refuge
- 790 Lord, Take Control
- Lord's Supper
- 68 Give Thanks
- Giving to the Lord
- 12s Here I Am, Lord
- Scripture: Matthew 11:2-11
- Lesson: "The Privilege of Church Membership"
- 851 I'll Fly Away
- Additional Announcements
- Closing Prayer

church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen," Eph 3:21.

In this kingdom we become part of the ongoing program of God, His eternal purpose and plan which was promised to Abraham more than 3,800 years ago and which became the theme of the Old Testament. The kingdom, the church of Jesus Christ, did not originate in the mind of man but in the mind of God. God told David, "Your house and your kingdom will endure forever before me; your throne will be established forever," 2 Sm 7:16. Christ is seated on David's throne today, the throne of His kingdom and of His church, Acts 2:33-36, in fulfillment of that prophecy.

We have the privilege of being a part of this glorious

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The Broadway church exists to glorify God, to reflect the character and teachings of Christ, to carry out the Great Commission, and do all in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

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kingdom with King Jesus reigning in our hearts. His word sown in good and honest hearts produces the kingdom of God today. His Gospel is the power of God unto salvation and the key to the kingdom which Peter and the apostles used on the day of Pentecost to bring 3,000 souls into the church of the Lord. In contrast to John we can be one of the privileged ones. Let's take advantage of this opportunity, be a part of the kingdom of heaven and appreciate our blessings.

John Pennisi

Sunday Evening Worship
will be held in the
auditorium

Speaker: Wayne Rhoden

Welcome to Broadway Church of Christ

All Members and Visitors:
Please sign the Membership
Attendance Sheet which you
will find on a clipboard at the
end of your pew.

Visitors:

Please fill out a visitors card
which you will find on the back
of the pew in front of you, and
place it in the collection plate.
We invite you to stay for Bible
Class and let us get to know
you!

Members:

Please put any changes in your
family's info on the Member-
ship Attendance Sheet.

Remember In Your Prayers

Lourdes Hospital:
Robert Bobo, 315

Continue to pray for . . .

. . . Courtney Crowe, who is mak-
ing improvement since his surgery.

. . . Grace Dalla, who is on bed rest.

. . . Elizabeth Price, who is coping
with Chronic Fatigue Syndrome.

. . . Jody Smith.

. . . all of our cancer patients:
Don Spencer, Trudy Helton, Wilda
Morton, Carol Buford, & Martha
Robinson.

Our sympathy is extended to
Sue White following the death of
her brother, Hardiman Miller, on
June 18.

Area-Wide Gospel Meeting

July 25-27, 7:00 pm

Singing begins at 6:15

The Carson Center

Speaker: Keith Parker

“Jesus Christ - the Same
Yesterday, Today, & Forever”
Song Leader: Todd Walker

Bread of Life Humanitarian Effort

We are collecting items this quar-
ter for School Supply Kits. Items
in the kit are:

Spiral notebooks, loose-leaf
paper, children's school scis-
sors, school glue, crayons (8,
16, or 24 count), rulers, eras-
ers, pencils, pencil boxes

Please leave your donations in the
basket in the foyer.

This Week at a Glance

July 4-10

Today - Children's Worship Ages 2-6
Evening Worship, 6 pm

Tue. - Senior Seekers Activity, 11 am
Medco Nursing Home Devo,
6:30 pm

Wed. - Bible Class, 7 pm



harvest update

The Lord's church at Broad-
way trains preachers who go all
over the world teaching the gos-
pel. Through the video-
conferencing technology of the
Global Preacher Training Center,
Dan Owen teaches preachers who
become grounded in the Word
and spread out declaring the good
news. Consider a few of the
preachers who have been trained
and pray for them in their work:
**Joshua Ankiah - Durbin, South
Africa, Caleb Ohara - Ripon,
California, Sean Hochdorf -
Arusha, Tanzania, Garrett
Bookout - Denver, Colorado, Eli
Schnell - Visalia, California,
Daniel Haynes - Salt Lake City,
Utah, Tony Li - Wuhan, China,
Larry Davis - District Heights,
Maryland, Jeremy Sprouse -
Tulsa, Oklahoma, Travis Bookout
- Dallas, Texas...**

Do you need information?

www.broadwaycoc.com

Global Preacher Training:

Now on summer break until August 9, 2010

Check out [globalpreachertraining.com!](http://globalpreachertraining.com)



Broadway Kids Ministry

Family Bible Study TODAY!

For all 1st-5th graders
and their parents

Thank you to all those who had a role in making this year's VBS a great success. It takes good people to pull off a successful activity like this and that's just what we have here at Broadway. The dramas really drove home the Bible stories and Biblical principals. The snacks went smoothly. The games were lively. And the service projects really drove home the point of heroes taking action and living out what they believe. Again, thanks for another great year.

P.S. - Next year's planning session will be held this coming week. Just kidding. Let's take a break, eh!

Attention Moms with Babies:

An area for nursing babies and a table for changing diapers is now available for you to use at any time. It is located in Room 101N, the first room on the left as you go down the toddler classroom hallway. And for dads, another diaper changing table is located in the men's bathroom.

S.I.S.T.E.R.'S

July Schedule

Chair: Gayle Holifield 442-6492
217-251-0634 cell

Servants: Kim Rommelman, Janice Bryan, Norma Evitts, Donna Hadfield, Susan Mullen, Gloranna Reynolds, Luanne Shelton, Cookie Adams, Jennifer Pegram

Senior Seekers' Space

Senior Seekers' Activity Day

Tuesday, July 6 11-1 FLC
Sing, Study, and Lunch
Come and bring a friend!

The church office will be closed tomorrow, July 5, in observance of Independence Day.

You are cordially invited to a Bridal Shower honoring Kevin Hertter & Jamie Jacobs Sunday, July 11, 1:30-3:00 at Lone Oak Church of Christ.

Together with their parents, Adrienne Dawn Standridge

and

Ryan Adam Hayden

request the pleasure of your company at the celebration of their union,

*Saturday, July 17, 2:30 pm
at Rosebower Baptist Church
1120 Tyree Road
Paducah, Kentucky*

*You are cordially invited to a Baby Shower honoring Shera and Derek Miller Sunday, July 18, 2:00-3:30 in the Reception Room. Registered at Toys-R-Us
*It's a Boy!**

Upcoming Events

August 1 - Bridal shower for Adrienne & Ryan Hayden
August 14 - Rachel Enlow & Jason Mackey wedding
August 21 - Bridal shower for Rebecca Davis & Jared Dunn
September 11 - Bridal shower for Johnna Morris & Blake Coursey



Life Groups meet Tonight!

*here at the building for
Evening Worship at 6 pm!*

Participants in the Navajo Nation Mission Trip departed for Arizona early Friday morning. Please keep them in your prayers this week. They plan to return next Sunday evening.

Mark Your Calendar

WKYC

GROW & DEVOTE

July 18-23

Six Flags

REACH & CONNECT

July 26

Clay Pits

REACH & CONNECT

July 27

Upcoming Events:

Fall Retreat

October 22-24

Servant Saturday

Celebration

November 5-7

Our youth ministry exists to Reach non-believing teens, to Connect them with Christians, to help them Grow in their faith, challenge them to discover their ministry by Serving others, and Devote their lives to God.

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Jason Harriman, Family/Children Minister
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 Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Bible Study 10:45 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

Missions

Nashville Inner City - Lytle Thomas
 Sorocaba, Brazil - John Pennisi - jpennisi@terra.com.br
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 Mayfield, KY - Hispanic Ministry
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 India - G. David Illankumaran
 Dubai, UAE - Phillip Ganta - oasis@usa.net
 Gorlovka, Ukraine - Terry Harmon
 Milan, Italy - Lewis Short short@milanoteam.org

Valet Parking

Sunday a.m. 9:00 - 9:25; p.m. 5:40 - 5:55
 Wednesday p.m. 6:40 - 6:55

2's and 3's Children's Worship Teachers

Sunday, July 4, 2010

2's - Lisa Davidson, Jill Wilcox, Miranda Davidson
 3's - Cathy Randolph, Lori Boyles, Brenda Foster

Those Privileged to Serve Today

July 4, 2010

Pray	J.V. Kerley
Table Prayer	Garry Hoyt
Scripture	Jim Moss
Announcements	Chad Kerley
Closing Prayer	Ryan Hayden

Those privileged to Serve Communion in July

Grant Gagnon	Shawn Washer
Paul Ludovissie	Nathan Foster
Jordan Ludovissie	Tom Hargrove
Tom Clayton	Kemble Smith
Ben Clayton	Leo Green
Brandon Morgan	Mason Watkins

Balcony

John Farr	Mike Price
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July 2010

11 Ben Adams	14 Paulette Wilferd
11 Justin Growel	14 Lurlene Gregory
11 Jacob Shanks	15 Ronny Scott
11 Steven Dudley	16 Phillip Hastings
11 Signe Clayton	16 Jeanette Crowe
12 Campbell Harriman	16 Ginger Moore
13 Zach Perry	16 Dorothy Owen
14 Reed Harriman	17 Jeff Brandon
14 John Williams	17 Melissa Walker

Service Date - July 11, 2010

Glad to Meet You

Team Leader: Jason Harriman and Lee Powell

Audio/Video Operators: Craig Wisner and Chad Kerley

Communion Preparation: Jim and Dana McAfee

Nursery Staff for July

A.M.	P.M.
Janice Bryan	Esther Etheridge
Carol Parker	

June Van Driver needed - call church office

If you are unable to serve, call:

Those to serve: Jim Farris 554-5193, Jim McAfee 908-0128, or
 Bob Gibb 444-8312

Nursery: Marilyn Simpson 444-7333 or Pam Clausen 554-7704

Van Drivers:

Communion preparers: Bill & Elizabeth Bradford 898-2682

For the Record

Morning Worship	393
Bible Study	292
Evening Worship	71
Wednesday Evening/VBS	77 + 145
Contribution	\$15,717

DEACONS

Kyle Allbritten	Mark Hall	Buddy Lewis	Steve Meiners	Hollas Reynolds
Phillip Barnett	Mark Hammons	John Losher	Mike Moore	Monte Rommelman
Bill Bradford	Antoine Hutcheson	Jim McAfee	Chuck Mullen	Vernon Shanks
Steve Davis	Todd Isenberg		Lee Powell	Jim Smith
Paul Hadfield				Craig Wisner