

**Upcoming Events**  
 May 22 Veteran's Luncheon  
 May 22 New DU term begins  
 May 24 IBC Men's Softball 6:30pm Field 12  
 May 26 IBC Men's Softball 7:40pm Field 12  
 May 28 Youth Car Wash  
 May 30 Church office closed  
 May 31 IBC Men's Softball 7:40pm Field 12  
 Jun 2 Youth Work Day  
 Jun 2 IBC Men's Softball 6:30pm Field 10  
 Jun 4 Women's Prayer Breakfast  
 Jun 8 Business Meeting  
 Jun 13-17 Vacation Bible School  
 Jun 20-24 Youth Summer Camp  
 Jun 27-30 Kid's Camp

**Nursery Schedule**  
**Sunday, May 22nd**  
 SS: Brandon & Michelle Penninger  
 AM Babies: Theresa Lester & Jennifer Washburn  
 AM Toddlers: Joel & Heather Strahan  
 PM: Michelle Betts & Iva May  
**Wednesday, May 25th**  
 Lynn Lindsey & Sarah Jones  
**Sunday, May 29th**  
 SS: Kay Morton & Sandra Harvey  
 AM Babies: Lorena Watson & Sharon Kratzer  
 Toddlers: Grace & Carl Jackson  
 PM: Ila Skelton & Joan Conley  
**Wednesday, June 1st**

**Greeters & Ushers**  
**Sunday, May 22nd**  
 AM: Greeters: Harold Allen Steve Trent  
 Ushers: Adult Men II  
 Parking Lot: Matt Rushing  
 PM: Greeters: Mark Walgenbach Greg Hurtt  
 Ushers: Bob Brown David Willman  
 Parking Lot: John Groves  
**Sunday, May 29th**  
 AM: Greeters: Steve Trent Bill Van Dyke  
 Ushers: Adult Men II  
 Parking Lot: David Haraway  
 PM: Greeters: Harold Allen Glen Sprayberry  
 Ushers: Steve Pyles Jim Farrar  
 Parking Lot: Carl Jackson

**Church Staff**

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 Cathy Walgenbach (901) 359-2948

 **IBC**   
**Men's Softball**

**Please come out and support our team!**

Tues., May 24th	6:30	Field 12
Thu., May 26th	7:40	Field 12
Tues., May 31st	7:40	Field 12
Thu., June 2nd	6:30	Field 10

Women's Prayer  
 Breakfast  
 June 4th



**Blood Pressure Checks  
 Every 2nd Sunday**

**The third Sunday of each month, IBC is represented in an afternoon music and devotion time at 2:30pm at the OB Assisted Living Facility on Goodman Road. Everyone is invited to attend, perform special music or bring the devotion. If interested in serving, please call Joan Conley at 893-6629.**

**May 18, 2011**



*Worship Times*

**Sunday**  
 Sunday School  
 9:30 a.m.  
 Morning Worship  
 10:45 a.m.  
 Visitation  
 3:45 p.m.  
 Discipleship  
 University  
 5:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship  
 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Adult Prayer Service  
 Youth  
 Children  
 6:30 p.m.

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Dear Immanuel Family,

So much has happened in such a short period of time, I thought it might be helpful for the body of IBC to understand a bit better what exactly has happened over the past month leading up to the battle with cancer I am experiencing today. It began as what I believed to be a sports injury. Soon it escalated to a probable cyst, then maybe a benign mass, followed by the potential for a malignant tumor. A simple, routine doctor's appointment turned into the necessity for a follow-up CT scan which evolved into a consultation with a cancer doctor. At the end of April, I was told that the pain in my right hip was caused by a mass that stretched from my right hip to my left hip, the mass most likely a form of cancer...only surgery would confirm/deny. Given the option to move forward with surgery, the mass in my pelvis was removed and was confirmed to be a very rare type of aggressive, mutating cancer cells that reproduce and spread in unique ways. In the last month I have experienced surgery, CT scans, MRIs, biopsies, and countless pricking and probing by some of the most compassionate, intelligent, patient men in the area. Several of my doctors and nurses have prayed with and over me in the name of Jesus Christ...because there is no other Who is worthy! This is only one example of countless answered prayer...that SO many of my doctors and nurses profess Jesus as their Saviour. My name and situation have been discussed throughout the nation (literally) among doctors I will never have the privilege of knowing their investment in my treatment and diligent quest for a cure. Because of your prayers, they see me not as a case study, but a success story in the making of the healing power of the LORD...great medical "geniuses" who are sincerely relying on the miracles of God.

My treatment consists of radiation and chemotherapy. The effects of both are not all the way certain...everyone reacts differently. However, God has answered countless prayers, because my process has brought along with it great success and healing already. I am doing better than I could have ever anticipated. Time will tell how the process will progress, and each new day presents new challenges and countless victories. There is still so much unknown to me, but hope, joy, peace, and contentment flood my life.

Your role has been integral through the entire process. My family is sincerely grateful for your rallying around us, engulfing us in your compassion. We FEEL and are experiencing your tenderlovingcare moment by moment throughout each day. We have drawn great hope, peace, joy, and grace as you have lifted us up before our King. OUTPOURING of yourselves have reached levels in our spirits far deeper than imaginable. God's grace poured out through His vessels...

Love in Christ,

Tammie Daniel



**YOUTH**

- May 28  
Car Wash  
Camp Fundraiser
- June 2  
Work Day
- June 20-24  
Summer Camp

**Summer Camp Scholarship Opportunities**

Nathan Washburn



Saturday, May 28

**Car Wash**

We will have a car wash Saturday (at a location to be determined) to help raise money for your summer camp costs. Those who are present and help will receive an equal portion of the money raised to go towards their balance.

Thursday, June 2

**Work Day**

We will have a workday in which students will help people in the church with their chores around the house. Priority will be given to our Young at Heart, but if you have something you want done, please contact me and let me know.



**JOBS NEEDED!**

We are having a workday for the youth to raise a little money for summer camp (see above), so if you have any small jobs you would like done, please let me know, and I will see if its something we can do. We will not charge, but we will not refuse donations either. :)



TAMMIE DANIEL

**Vacation Bible School**

**When: June 13—17 (9:00—12:30)**

**Who: 3 yrs old — 6th graders**

**VBS TIE DYE DAY**

**When: June 1, 4:30-6:15pm**

**Shirts need to be washed & wet**

**If you cannot attend, please bring dry shirts to Ashley Nelson by 5/25**

**VBS POSTCARD DISTRIBUTIONS**

**When: Sat. June 4, 12-2pm & Sun. June 5, 2-4pm**

**We will be distributing VBS postcards to the Magnolia, Eastover, and Allendale neighborhoods.**

**VBS DECORATION DAY**

**When: June 10, 10:00-3:00pm**

**Pizza provided for lunch**

**WANTED: VBS VOLUNTEERS**

**We are in need of more workers for VBS. If you are willing to let God change your life through serving in VBS, please contact Heather Hurtt. hurtt@att.net or (901)326-4543**

**Children**

**Dates to Remember:**

- June 1  
VBS TIE DYE @ 4:30
- June 4 & 5  
VBS POSTCARD DISTRIBUTION  
Sat. 12—2pm  
Sun. 2-4pm
- June 10  
VBS DECORATION DAY  
10:00—3:00pm
- June 13-17:  
VBS 9:00—12:30
- June 19  
VBS FAMILY DAY
- June 27-30:  
KIDS' CAMP

**Discipleship University**

Paul Betts

This Sunday night marks the beginning of another term of Discipleship University. Thank you for your great attendance during last term's DU. Attendance for last term was the highest we have had in a number of DU terms in the past.

**Bro. Stan** will be teaching "**Spiritual Formation.**" This class will focus on how you can develop the spiritual disciplines of Bible study, prayer, and devotional reading in order to grow towards maturity as a man or woman of God.

**Greg Hurtt** will be leading a class on **evangelism.** He is looking for participants who not only want to learn how to witness, but who want to put that knowledge into practice by going out into the community to witness. Part of the class will be devoted to discussing how to share your faith; however, the majority of the class will be spent out "in the streets" sharing the gospel with people in our community.

I will be leading **Discovering Immanuel** for our new members. If you have joined our church in the last few months and have not taken this class, please plan to attend DU for the next four weeks to complete this important class.

Please make it a priority to take part in DU in order to invest in your walk with Christ as you grow in His grace and knowledge.

Again, DU begins this Sunday, May 22, at 5 pm. This term will last for four weeks and concludes on June 12.

**R.E.A.P.**  
**May 22**  
**A-Team**

**May 29**  
**P-Team**

Meet in Fellowship Hall at 3:45 pm

**Veteran's Luncheon**  
**May 22nd**  
Immediately Following Morning Worship.

**MEMORIAL DAY**  
A Time To Honor America's Heroes

The church office will be closed Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day

**Congratulations to our Graduates!**

Jonathan Binkley  
Betsy Fausto  
Paul Willman  
Kevin Young  
Tammie Daniel  
Greg Hurtt  
Brock Sund  
David Willman  
Ben Wofford

Two Weeks in Review				
	5/8	5/15	Offerings:	5/8 5/15
Sunday School:	153	157	Weekly Needs:	\$ 8,369.00 \$ 11,421.00
Morning Worship:	204	186	Offering to Date:	\$ 170,061.01 (thru 5/15)
Evening Worship	—	—	Needs to Date:	\$ 163,500.00 (thru 5/15)