

Welcome to South Side!

Please take a moment and fill out this card. Detach and place in The offering plate. Thank you

Are you currently involved in a church?

We would like to contact you to see if there is anything we can do for you, or any questions we can answer regarding our church or the Gospel. Which means of contact do you prefer?

- Phone
- Email
- Regular Mail
- Personal Visit
- I prefer not to be contacted, thank you.

Today's Date

Name(s)

Address

City

State/Zip

Phone

Email

Reflections

Thoughts About the Word & Our Lives in Christ

THIS SPACE IS AVAILABLE

Submit your article to Pastor Rick.

"...shine like stars in the universe as you hold out the word of life."

Philippians 2:15-16



South Side Bible Church

Morning Worship Service
August 16, 2009

Christians and the Law
Pastor Mike Brown

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Order of Worship

Prelude ~

Opening Hymn ~ Paul Tice

Lead Me to Calvary, #310

Welcome and Announcements ~ Pastor Mike

Offering ~

Just for Kids ~ Pastor Mike

Hymns of Worship ~

Spirit of the Living God, #389
Redeemed, #356

Morning Prayer ~ Jeff Hargus

Message from God's Word ~ Pastor Mike Brown

Christians and the Law
(Romans 7)

Closing Hymn ~

Bless Be the Tie that Binds (*Chorus Only, A Capella*)

Join us for Bible Study & music tonight!

Join Us Next Sunday Morning...

Freed from Sin and Death
Pastor Mike Brown

It is our joy and pleasure to welcome you and your family to our *family*—the South Side Bible Church. It is our prayer that you might find a home here, and that through our ministries, whether they be for adults, children or youth, you would grow in the knowledge of Jesus Christ. We are here to help you become His disciples—people who follow Him and listen to His voice.

We fully understand that *the church* is much more than mortar and brick, pew and hymnal. Those physical things are what make up a facility. The church is truly God's people, called out of the world in order to make a new family, a new place in which we can grow and mature as we ought. Paul stated in his treatise on the church that we ought...

"...prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the fullness of Christ." (Ephesians 4:12-13)

We sincerely hope that you experience this at South Side. If we can help you in any way, please do not hesitate to call.

— Pastors Mike Brown
& Rick McNally

The South Side Bible Church is...

Bible Focused — We believe that scripture alone is our authority for faith and practice. We strive to focus on the scriptures in our services, in our Sunday School classes, and other ministries.

Christ Centered — Our devotion, worship and attention is centered on Jesus Christ, who is Savior, Lord, Teacher and Friend. We believe that we are called to put our faith in Christ, then through the ministries of His Spirit, Word and Church to become His followers and disciples.

Evangelical — We believe in the need for each person to find peace with God through the message of the Gospel, to establish and maintain a relationship with Him by grace through faith in Christ Jesus.

Servant Led — We believe that servant hood is the proper attitude of leadership. Leaders are to follow the example of Christ—the ultimate Servant. As elders, deacons and pastors his leaders in his church need to be examples of Biblical submission in the body of Christ.

IFCA Affiliated — Although we are an independent congregation (locally led and organized) we are affiliated with the IFCA International. For more information on the IFCA, visit their website. www.ifca.org

Keep Us Informed!

Use this form to let the staff know of any prayer requests, or changes of personal info (phone, email, etc.).

Date _____

Name _____

Prayer Request or Information
(please print below)



Ladies' Tuesday Evening Bible Study — Our next study will be August 18th. We meet from 6:30pm to 9:00 pm.

Congratulations — to Brian & Amie Summers for the safe arrival of their daughter Awbree Anna (8lb 2oz) on August 4th.

Ladies Ensemble — Anyone interested in singing in a Ladies Ensemble please contact Renee Hill or Ruth Yousef.

Baptism Service — We will have a baptism service on Aug. 30th at 4pm at Gull Lake Ministries.

All-Church "50's" Picnic — will be held after the morning service Sept. 6. We'll have 50's games & you can dress in 50's outfits. The cost is \$2/person (\$8/family) as food will be provided. Please sign up on sheet in foyer.

New Address for Miriam

Gordon—
7 Varsity View Court
Apt. 20C
Sippy Down, Queensland
Australia 4556

Upcoming Events —

8/30, 4pm Baptism Service (@ Gull Lake)
9/6, 12:30pm All Church Picnic

Bulletin Announcements — Please have any announcements for the bulletin to Pastor Rick by Wednesday mornings.

(Prayer Requests Continued)

Bonnie Opper — Ed Petersen's niece has leukemia and will have a

bone marrow transplant. Her husband Steve now diagnosed with lymphoma and on chemo. They have 2 homeschooled children.

Stephen Yousef — Stephen's hemoglobin counts continue to rise. Thanks for praying.

Danette Wilkins' Dad — has lung cancer. Doctors put a stent in his heart at the time of surgery & his cancer surgery was postponed for 3 months. Pray the cancer doesn't grow during this waiting period.

Smalls — are in urgent need of additional financial support for their ministry.

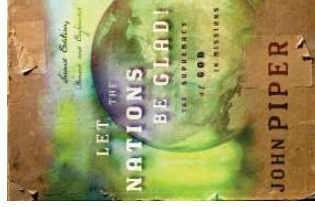
Joe Layton's brother, Bill — was admitted to the hospital with a massive blood clot in his leg. Bill is an unbeliever but seeking God.

Marcia Odenbach—David and Marcia Odenbach are friends of the Tuttles. In 2008 Marcia had surgery to remove a tumor on the left side of the brain. Last May growth was detected. She's been a variety of medications and chemotherapy. In early July side effects of the new medication and/or of the tumor's growth set-in and she's had loss of function in her right leg and right arm. A recent MRI shows the tumor is still growing. Pray for healing, and quality of life.

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Missions Challenge: Let the Nations be Glad — The missions committee is encouraging our congregation to read the book "Let the Nations Be Glad" by John Piper. This book is a wonderful book on Missions, and will encourage you as well as challenge you to be interested in the Great Commission of Jesus Christ. Please take one of our 7 library copies out today, bring it back when you are through so others can enjoy this book too.



SSBC Sunday School — 9:30am Sundays

Nursery — Peggy Gordon
2's & 3's — Chris & Tina Brown
4's & 5's — Cathy de Jong
1-3rd Grade — Joy Newby
4-6th Grade — Megan de Jong

Jr. & Sr. High — Rick McNally
College & Career — Larry Gordon
Young Adults — Rich de Jong
Adult #1 — Pastor Mike Brown
Adult #2 — Naz Yousef & Steve Snyder

Most classes located downstairs (Adult #2 in Sanctuary) & Youth in Gym

Young Men's Bible Study Group — no young men's Bible study tonight.

Youth Group — Youth Group this Wednesday at 6pm will be at the Drum residence. More information will be forthcoming through email!

Summer Memory Verse Review

John 3:36

Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life, but whoever rejects the Son will not see life...

THIS WEEK —

Today (8/16) ~ 9:30am Sunday School,

10:45am Morning Worship Service,
6pm Evening Worship Service

Tues (8/18) ~ 6:30pm Ladies Bible Study

Wed (8/19) ~ Youth group at Drum's

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

Tue (8/18) Ed Fromm, Joy Liebrandt, Sheldon & Vicki Rhodes

Wed (8/19) Craig Bennett

Thu (8/20) Cindy Brown

Fri (8/21) Cathy de Jong, Kori Chappa, Mike Noora

Sat (8/22) Natalie Snyder, Sheldon Rhodes

FACILITY CLEANING —

Aug 22 ~ Clayton/Walters

Aug 29 ~ Harper

PRAYER CLOSET —

Today ~ Renee Hill

Next Week ~ Richard de Jong

10:45AM NURSERY —

Today ~ Lori Drum, Jenae Drum

Next Week ~ Shelley Hiscock, Rachel McFall

SOUND SYSTEM —

Today ~ Grayson Hargus

Next Week ~ Robin McNally

USHER SCHEDULE —

August ~ Jon Powers/Terry Hill

September ~ Jim Hall/Jerry Harper

FINANCIAL —

Weekly BGT \$4,006.56

August 2 \$5,019.92

August 9 \$3,005.40

Our Servicemen & Women —

Brandon de Jong, Joe & Andy Layton, Zac Hall, Tena Auton, Daniel Kennett, Matt Gordon, Jim Hall & Heidi Fouty.

Carissa Drum —

diagnosed with Scheuermann's kyphosis: (curved spine) & wearing a brace for a year. Pray cyst on her spine is benign or gone at next MRI & that no further surgery is needed.

Jenae Drum —

scope went well, no signs of ulcers or any other major problems. They did take several biopsies, results pending. U of M suggested that they follow up with a surgeon at Bronson regarding her gall bladder.

Bill Peacock —

had surgery to reduce 3 discs in his lower back. Pray as he is still experiencing some pain.

Birgitt Humphery —

Her dad in Germany has pancreatic cancer and on chemo therapy. Now her mother also has pancreatic cancer, and is even farther along than her dad. Her heart is weak so they will give her a pacemaker then start chemo, the prognosis is not good.

Shirley Townsend —

Mark Townsend's mother is now home from hospital after having gall stones removed July 30. Her pneumonia is clear & antibiotics are helping the infection. Please continue to keep her in your prayers.