

# Order of Worship

**Prelude** ~

**Opening Hymn** ~ *Paul Tice*

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (#43)

**Welcome and Announcements** ~ *Pastor Rick*

**Morning Prayer** ~ *Pastor Mike*

**Morning Offering** ~

**Just for Kids** ~ *Pastor Rick*

**Hymns of Worship** ~

Praise the Almighty King (#7)  
Come, Thou Almighty King (#8)  
Glorify Thy Name (#9)  
Majesty (#10)

**Special Music** ~ Josh de Jong

**Message from God's Word** ~

I Am Not Ashamed!  
Romans 1:1-17, *Pastor Mike Brown*

**Closing Prayer & Benediction** ~

Pastor Rick

Tonight: Please Join us for our Communion Service, childcare for 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade on down available by Pastor Rick & Katherine.

**Join Us Next Sunday Morning...**

*Bad News for the Godless!*  
Pastor Mike Brown



**I**t 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](http://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)

# 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?  
 Regular Mail  
 Email  
 Phone  
 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*

**A Haiku**  
By Katrin Vaden

*Haiku (HI-coo) poetry is usually three short lines, the first usually contains five syllables, the second line seven syllables, and the third line contains five syllables.*

*Katrina wrote one for each member of the trinity:*

**Almighty Father**  
Ever so loving and caring  
Ruler of the world

**Jesus Christ, Savior**  
Died for the mistakes of all  
Sinless though He was

**The Holy Spirit**  
Dwells within every Christian  
Guides them in the Truth

*"...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**  
June 7, 2009

**I Am Not Ashamed!**  
*Pastor Mike Brown*

**South Side Bible Church**



4515 Beckley Road, Battle Creek, MI 49015  
269.979.1061 [www.south-sidebible.org](http://www.south-sidebible.org)

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

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

**Michelle Ostergren** — there is a box in the foyer for donations to “Michelle’s Garden”. Also please check the counter in the kitchen for dishes or items taken to the Ostergren’s and make sure you get yours back.

**Food and drink in the auditorium** — Please remember that food and drinks should be consumed downstairs and properly disposed of before coming into the auditorium during Sunday School or worship services. Thank you for your help in this matter.

**Vacation Bible School** — please consider volunteering for VBS the week of July 20-24th. Talk with Julie Fuller or Pastor Rick for details.

**Hickory Corners Bible Church**—have invited us to a Saturday night sing June 13 at 6:30. There is a potluck beforehand. Bring your family and have a great time praising the Lord together! Directions: *13720 S Kellogg School Rd, Hickory Corners, MI 49060*. Take Michigan/M89 west towards Richland. Turn right (north) on 40<sup>th</sup> Street, follow through the S-curve into Hickory Corners. At the stop sign, continue north and the church will be on your left

**Directory Updates:**  
**Cliff & Dinah Vaden**  
Home: 269-967-7497  
Cell: 269-967-7496  
**Brett & Ruth Tuttle**

269-207-8008  
**Mary Tuttle**  
269-720-7460  
**Brett Tuttle, Jr.**  
269-720-7463

**Ladies Day @ Gull Lake Conference Center**—Tuesday, June 16th. Interested ladies need to sign up on the sheet in the back, cost for the day is \$25. Questions, see Cindy Brown.

**Thank you**—I would like to thank my church family for all the prayers, love and concern shown to me and my family in Ed’s passing. The love of Christ was greatly demonstrated by those who came to the hospital, called, sent cards and brought food. Thank you to all the ladies who took part in providing the dinner for the memorial service. It was wonderful. A special thanks to Pastor Mike and Pastor Rick for being there for me and helping me through this difficult time. Love in Christ, Jill Petersen and family.

**Lane Fuller Honduras Mission Trip**—In June Lane will be traveling to Honduras for 2 weeks with WAYFM 88.3’s mission team. If you’d like to make a financial contribution, there are yellow envelopes in the back. Please keep Lane and the team in your prayers.

(Prayer Requests Continued)

**Bill Peacock**—will be having surgery to reduce 3 discs in his lower back. The discs are interfering with nerves in his left leg and make walking difficult.

**Kim Worden-Renee Hawes’** sister will be having back surgery at U of M on June 17th. Doctors will remove previous hardware and fuse 10 vertebrae together also will try to correct some stenosis.

## Sermon Notes

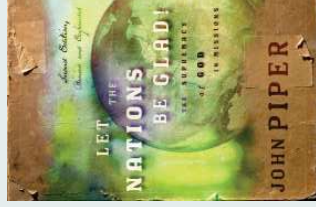
### I Am Not Ashamed!

Pastor Mike Brown  
June 7, 2009

## Announcements

## Missionary Focus

**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 — Tim & Michelle  
 Ostergren (C & T 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*

**Student Ministries**  
 Middle / High School / College  
 Wednesdays 6:30-8pm



**Young Men's Bible Study** — Tonight: Communion Service (Be there!)

**Youth Group This Wednesday** — At the Church, Movie Night! Popcorn and Soda!



**Bible Club! Fun & Learning**  
 for 3 year olds-6th Grade  
 Mondays 6-8pm (school year)

**Summer Memory Verse Review**

Psalm 96:2  
 Sing to the LORD, praise His name; proclaim His salvation day after day

## Our Ministries

## Fellowship Notes

**THIS WEEK** —  
**Today (6/7)** ~ 9:30am Sunday School, 10:45am Morning Worship Service, 6pm Communion Service  
**Mon (6/8)** ~ 7:15pm SSBC Men's Softball vs Rhema Praise @ Pennfield field  
**Tue (6/9)** ~ 6:30pm Ladies Bible Study  
**Wed (6/10)** ~ 6:30pm Youth Group  
**Thur (6/11)** ~ 5pm Deacon Meeting; 6:30pm Elders Meeting  
**Sat (6/13)** ~ 1-4pm Ryan Potter's Open House @ SSBC; 6pm Heritage Hills Sing

**BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES**  
**Sun (6/7)** Aaron Kauffman, Craig & Deborah Bennett  
**Mon (6/8)** Brie Stampfler  
**Thur (6/11)** Rob King

**FACILITY CLEANING** —  
**June 13** ~ Brown/Snyder  
**June 20** ~ Brown/Layton

**PRAYER CLOSET** —  
**Today** ~ Richard de Jong  
**Next Week** ~ Dennis & Alesa McFall

**10:45AM NURSERY** —  
**Today** ~ Joy & Heather Newby  
**Next Week** ~ Renee Potter/Simone Yousef

**SOUND SYSTEM** —  
**Today** ~ Danny Layton  
**Next Week** ~ Grayson Hargus

**USHER SCHEDULE** —  
**June** ~ Andy & Joe Layton  
**July** ~ Jerry Gillette/Jw Harper

**FINANCIAL** —  
**Weekly BGT** \$4,006.56  
 May 3 \$3,439.98  
 May 10 \$3,324.10  
 May 17 \$3,996.00  
 May 24 \$8,086.80  
 May 31 \$2,213.15

## Prayer Requests

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

**Michelle Ostergren** — Last couple of weeks have been very difficult for her. Pray for her & her family. Check progress (patient name milostergren) @ [www.carepages.com](http://www.carepages.com)

**Evan Sumpter** — broke his sternum. Is in need of surgery, the doctor is researching a hospital that will perform the operation.

**Carissa Drum** — diagnosed with Scheuermann's kyphosis (curved spine) and must wear a brace. A

cyst was discovered on her spine, which they believe is benign.

**Jenae Drum** — struggling with acid reflux again.

**Heather Newby** — will be having her tonsillectomy on Wednesday, June 17th.

**Jack Parr** — Praise! Doctors removed all the lymph nodes that contained cancer. He is doing well — thanks for your prayers.

**Elizabeth Hawes** — recovering from foot surgery.

**Sophie Townsend** — will be having her tonsils and adenoids removed on Friday, June 12th.

