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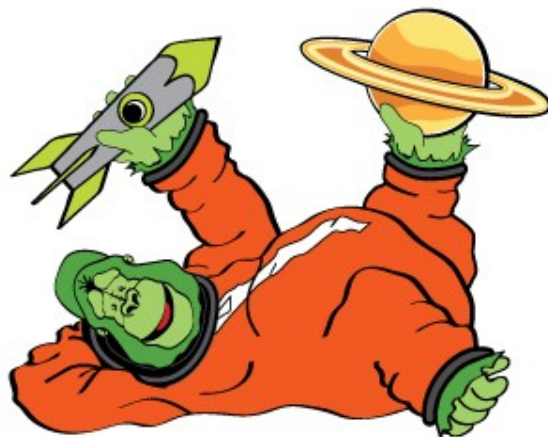
July 7, 2016

Counting Down to VBS Blast-Off July 25

It Will Be a Galactic Blast for Broadway Kids and Friends!

The Juno mission to Jupiter isn't the only space mission making news, at least here at Broadway! On Monday, July 25, our Galactic Blast Vacation Bible School will launch at 8:30 a.m. sharp, taking Broadway kids and their friends on an interstellar voyage through the scriptures!

This Sunday, July 10, is the final day to register your children for Broadway's VBS. Getting your registration in by the deadline will ensure that your child has a seat on the launch vehicle, and will be able to enjoy all of the VBS fun! Galactic Blast's VBS mission is set for four days, July 25-28, from 8:30 a.m.– noon each day. The registration form will also give our Launch



activities. Nursery care is available for children under four, but only for VBS volunteers.

Volunteers are needed to help with crew management and in other important areas. If you can help with a group, or would like to work in the Galley (kitchen) or as a Mission Specialist (crafts), please contact Aimee McBride at amcbride@broadwaychristian.net. If you'd like to help with VBS, but

can't be onsite for all the fun, check out the Giving Tree in Fellowship Hall for items that are needed for VBS.

Vacation Bible School at Broadway is always fun for the kids and the volunteers! So get ready for another adventure of galactic proportions at our 2016 Galactic Blast VBS, July 25-28. Are you ready for take off?



Commander Aimee McBride important information about your child, including food allergies and the all-important name of the friend he/she

wants to be with during VBS! A donation of \$10 per child is suggested.

If your child is age four by July 1, they are eligible to enroll for VBS at Broadway. If they have completed fifth grade, they are ready to graduate to "helper" status, assisting our adult leaders with a variety of mission

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And so it begins, the great turnover of the next church year: new Board, new ministry teams, new Elders and Deacons, and new special committees. Many of the ministries this leadership oversees will not manifest until nearly fall, but the planning and organizing begins now. The only staff team change will be the replacement of our beloved Beverly Kyriakos as church organist. Our new organist will join us in August as we commence our new musical worship season.

It has been such a pleasure to hear of your many summer activities and trips! Many of us are in motion during the summer. In church world this means camps and mission trips and vacation bible school. Very soon that tide will turn as we move into what will be a very



meaningful fall.

Thank you for your multi-faceted faithfulness of this last year. In addition to some of our ongoing spiritual formation, fellowship and service at Broadway, there are some new initiatives on the horizon. Keep a watch out for these and how you might channel your gifts and

graces to participate.

“Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.” (Philippians 4:6-7)

Gethsemane Pilgrims Return from Time at the Abbey

Twelve souls from Broadway traveled to the Gethsemane Abbey just outside of Louisville for a time of reflection and silence, June 27-30. Their time was spent in silence, alone and together, in a beautiful and peaceful setting.





Flower Ministry Is a Big Part of Church Family Caring for Church Family

Flowers can make just about anyone feel good, or at least better, and Broadway sure has the flowers. For years, the Flower Ministry has delivered bouquets of flowers to those church members who just need a boost. And we're still going strong.

The flowers are special, coming from the arrangement on the chancel in the church services each Sunday. Families in our church sponsor the floral arrangements on a rotating basis each Sunday for special events such as birthdays, anniversaries, to honor or remember someone or some other event.

Seven teams of "flower people" make up the BCC Flower Ministry which is part of the CareLink program. Each Sunday, one of those people carry the flowers to the kitchen after the 11:15 a.m. service and break it down into three to five arrangements in smaller vases. Most of us just enjoy arranging flowers, some of us are more skilled than others but it's the thought that counts. It's hard to make a mistake arranging flowers.

Each Flower Ministry team is issued a rotating schedule and a training sheet which tells them which people they are to deliver the flowers to, their addresses and phone numbers. As much as possible, the flower recipients are grouped by neighborhoods or addresses. We always take a church bulletin and identify the recipient and the person delivering the flowers on a card on a plastic stick.

Then the fun begins as we go to one of several homes, knock on the door and deliver the flowers. The smiles are already on their faces as the church family members receive their flowers. It instantly makes them happy and assures them that they are cared for. Usually we have the opportunity to visit for a while and then we move on to the next delivery.

The last step is a quick email summary to Ingrid, our church office manager, with any health updates or

other helpful information.

This important ministry is growing and we are hoping to utilize more volunteers. Our goal is to have two sets of "flower deliverers" each week in action to take the flowers to homebound members.

So this is where you come in. If you can take a Sunday in the rotation, please email Carolyn Ezzell at chezzell15@gmail.com or call Ingrid at 445.5312 and let them know. You will be added to the terrific list of volunteers. Or, if you know of someone who would appreciate the flowers, let Ingrid or Carolyn know right away. We rely on you telling us of people who need to be visited.

Carolyn Ezzell chairs the flower ministry and Leo Manson, Robert and Janie McArthur, John and Barb Gahagan, Dave Fore, Velma Dykstra and David and Patsy Dalton are the team members. For many years, Margaret Berends chaired this vital service and just this year turned it over to Carolyn. We thank Margaret for her years of kind, attentive service.

This CareLink flower ministry just reminds us of the love and care of church family caring for church family. Sometimes we're giving the care and sometimes we're receiving it. And the roles can reverse at any time. This is a great way to get to know other church families and to help others in the process.

Give yourself a treat and sign up as a flower ministry volunteer. You will instantly become part of the CareLink service network.

Patsy Dalton, 356.6036
Linda Poehlmann, 234.1950
CareLink Coordinators

A New and Easy Way to Give at Broadway

This may not exactly be an “easy” button, but it is pretty close!

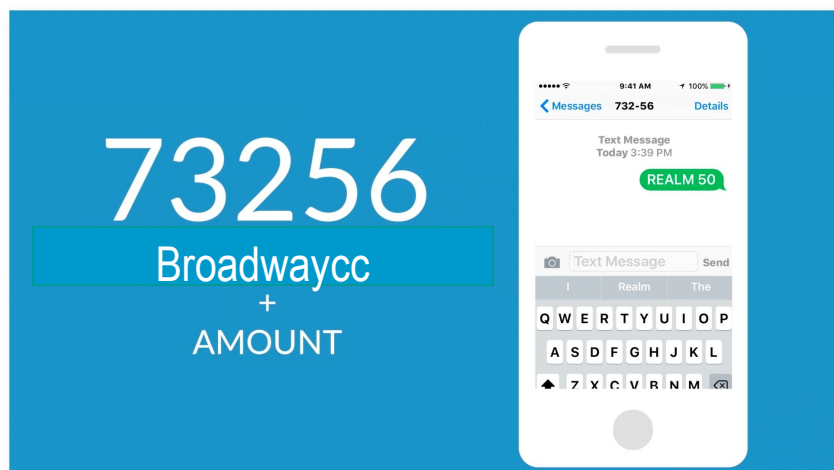
Broadway has just added another tool to our stewardship kit, with the addition of a “Text to Give” application for all smart phones. This giving ap was developed by ACS Technologies, Broadway’s long-time partner for our members’ electronic data storage, assuring all users of the same dependability, security and confidentiality that has served us so well over the past fifteen years.

The Text to Give tool will allow users to give a one-time or recurring donation to Broadway’s operating budget, or to make a donation to a special offering, the Broadway Bus Fund or for seasonal gifts to support Room at the Inn and other outreach giving.

There is no ap to download, just open a new text message window, and in the “to” line, type the numbers “73256.” In the message window, type “broadwaycc” which is not case-sensitive, but watch out for auto-correct! When the text message is sent, you will receive an immediate response: “You’re almost there. Click to complete your gift to Broadway Christian Church.” There will be a link at the end of the message—follow it.

Once connected, you’ll see a green box at the top of your phone screen, with Broadway’s name, Columbia, MO, \$0.00 and a box that will show “general operating fund.” This is the default gift setting for Text to Give, but if you touch the box, a drop-down menu will appear, listing other giving options.

To designate an amount, just touch the numbers and enter the amount you wish to give. If the lower portion of your screen, you’ll be asked to enter your credit or debit card information. You will also be asked to enter an email address, so please use the email that is already connected to Broadway’s “Realm” system. Before clicking



on the green “Give” button at the bottom of your screen, you’ll need to prove you are not a robot by identifying some simple images. Once you pushed the “Give” button, you will receive a confirmation for your donation, showing the amount given and the fund which you have designated. Confirmations will be sent to your email address and to your phone via a text message. The minimum amount that can be donated is \$3.00.

You can use the Text to Give system as often as you’d like. The system will securely store your payment information, making the second time you use it even easier!

If you have questions about the new Text to Give option, please contact Church Administrator Ingrid Luckenbill at iluckenbill@broadwaychristian.net.

Noisy Offering Is July 31

Five Sundays in July means Noisy Offering on July 31!

This month’s Noisy Offering will be designated to build a camp scholarship fund for Broadway’s children and youth. Help us make church camp more affordable for everyone and empty out your change jar!

Picturing Broadway

Time for A New Pictorial Directory

Plan your wardrobe, or come as your are, but whatever you decide, we want to get you in our new Broadway Pictorial Directory!

It has been a little over five years since the last Pictorial Directory, and there are many new faces here on Sunday mornings! Along with our new (er) members, lots of kids have grown up—and it's amazing how those little faces can change between eight and thirteen! Our Pictorial Directory photographer will once again be Lifetouch, and all individuals and families who participate will receive a free 8"x10" photo of their choice. Everyone who is photographed will also receive a free church directory when it is published later this year. The directory will contain an updated list of all members' addresses and phones, as well as pictures of recent church activities.

Photo sessions will be scheduled from 2:00-8:00 p.m. during the following ten days: **August 16-20 and August 23-27**. Photos will be taken in the Christian Life Center. If you need to have your family's portrait taken prior to these dates, please contact Debby as soon as possible.

You can sign up on-line for a photo session as well. The link will be available on the Broadway website and in the Broadway Weekly e-news beginning this week. Electronic sign-up will allow you to enter all of your information prior to the session.

You may also sign up in the Fellowship Hall beginning Sunday, July 31 or simply contact Debby in the church office at 445.5312.



BROADWAY

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

CALENDAR

Saturday, July 9

- 4:00 p.m. World Refugee Day Celebration
- 7:00 p.m. Youth Worship

Sunday, July 10

- Youth Mission Team departs

Thursday, July 14

- 6:00 p.m. Ensemble rehearsal

Sunday, July 17

Food Ministry Orders due

- 2:00 p.m. Veterans' Healing Circle

Monday, July 18

- 6:00 p.m. Property Ministry Meeting

Tuesday, July 19

- 5:30 p.m. Board Orientation

Thursday, July 21

- 4:00 p.m. Veterans' Healing Circles
- 6:30 p.m. Room at the Inn Meeting

Friday, July 22

- 5:00 p.m. Food Ministry Distribution

Monday-Thursday, July 25-28

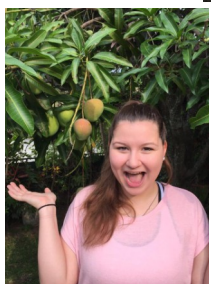
- 8:30 a.m. Galactic Blast VBS

Thursday, July 28

- 6:30 p.m. Galactic Blast VBS Ice Cream Celebration

El Salvador Team Returns With Stories to Share

Broadway's El Salvador Mission Team returned safely from their week of service, May 28-June 3. The team visited with Pastor Santos and the New Salem Church and spent their week building Eco-Stoves in Meliota. All of Broadway's team members came back with special memories that we hope to share with you soon.



Thank You to Our Outgoing Board and Officers

We know what a busy church Broadway is, but do we stop to think about the people who steer the church through all of the different ministries that make Broadway—Broadway? Broadway's Board and Board officers spend many hours keeping the Broadway Spirit alive and well through each church year!



Elder Chair; Ron Marshall, Deacon Chair; Belinda Davis and Eric Lybeck-Brown, Children and Youth Ministries; Marilyn McCreary and Cindy Wilson, Connections Ministry; Susie Kempf, Deacon Vice-Chair; Resa Kerns, Discipleship; Cinda Eichler, Elder Vice-Chair;

Thank you to all who have served during the past year as Elders, Deacons and Sunday morning servants. Thank you to all of our dedicated Christian Education volunteers who spend part of their Sunday mornings in Worship and Wonder, Pathways, the Loft or teaching an adult class. Thank you to the hands that hang the banners and arrange the flowers. Thank you to all of the volunteers who make our fellowship gatherings so special (and delicious!). Thank you to everyone who has folded a chair, swept a floor, cleaned a spill or brought a dish for a potluck. It's been a busy and good year!

Special thanks to our outgoing Board members and officers: Roger Wilson, Board Chair; Jan Farr, Secretary; Andy Ward, Elder Chair; Sara Miller, Deacon Chair; Shawna Schulte and Stephanie Zaner, Children and Youth Ministries; Dixie Fisher and Judy Letourneau, Connections Ministry; Deb Ward, Discipleship; Dana Fritz, Personnel; Nancy Miller and Barbara McLay, Service Ministry; David Wallace, Worship; and Kristen Meade, Traditional service representative.

Welcome to our new Board officers and members: Leslie Clay, Board Chair; John Poehlmann, Vice-Chair; Sandy Henderson, Secretary; Tina Windett,

Don Day and Catherine Queener, Service Ministry; Kristen Meade, Worship; Jim Granneman, Traditional service representative.

Broadway's 2015-2016 Annual Report contains ministry reports from all of Broadway's ministers and ministry area chairs. The Report also contains complete listings of 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 board officers and members, as well as lists of each year's Elders and Deacons. The 2015-2016 end-of-year financial documents are now available, and will be available for download on the Broadway website and the Broadway Weekly in the near future. If you would like a printed copy, please contact Ingrid at 445.5312.

Ladies LUNCHEON

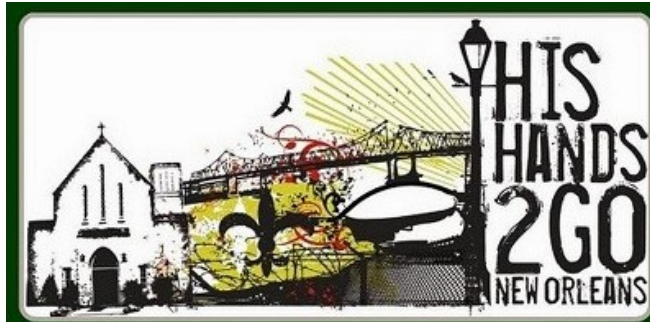
Wednesday, July 27

11:30 a.m. at D Rowe's

Please RSVP to the church office at 445.5312
by Monday, July 25.

Youth Get Set for New Orleans Mission

What? Our Youth Mission Team is headed to New Orleans again for a week of mission? Yes—and some mission teams that went south to serve after Katrina, never left.



There is still much to do in New Orleans. The poverty that preceded Katrina is still there. Many of the homes that were damaged or destroyed are still in need of repair and restoration. The children of the Ninth Ward are still in need of mentoring, skill building and safe places to go and just hang out when school is not in session.

The Youth Mission planning team researched many possibilities for their 2016 mission trip and when the youth cast their votes, New Orleans was selected. This year's mission team, the largest in Nick's tenure at 34, will be doing a variety of tasks, from re-

habbing homes to worked with children to sharpen skills for the coming school year. The Broadway team will be in New Orleans July 10-16, serving and sharing as the hands and feet of Christ. Please keep them in your prayers and they go forth to serve.

Mid-Summer Youth Worship Is Saturday, July 9

Just in time to send our Youth Mission Team off to New Orleans filled with the Spirit, Youth Worship is set for Saturday, July 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the Loft.

Broadway's Youth Worship is called "youth worship" because it is led by Michael Tatum with Nick providing the message. That's what makes it different! If you enjoy Broadway's Contemporary Worship service, chances are very good that you will enjoy "Youth" worship. Maybe we should begin calling it "youth-led" worship?

All are welcome and invited to join us in the Loft on July 9. It will be joyful evening of scripture, song, message and praise!

Broadway Will Host World Refugee Day This Saturday

Columbia's office of Refugee and Immigration Services welcomes refugees and immigrants from around the world. Imagine leaving your homeland or a refugee camp in southeast Asia, and winding up in mid-Missouri. How isolating and lonely that might be!

The vast majority of immigrants to the mid-Missouri area find their way to jobs, homes and self-sufficiency. To celebrate new beginnings and to honor the past and historic cultures, we will celebrate World Refugee Day on July 9, from 4:00-8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. There will be lots of food—bring a dish to share if you'd like—and activities for children, from soccer to face painting.

Don Day will be on hand to lead groups through Broadway's Community Garden, which continues to be a blessing to many refugee families. If you've never taken the time to walk up to the garden, Saturday would be a perfect time, in the company of many of those who are served so well by this important ministry.

Welcoming New Members to Broadway

Kay Cook



Welcome Kay Cook to our Broadway family. Kay transferred her membership earlier this year, but is no stranger to Broadway. As you may remember, she

was one of the directors of our children's Christmas program and currently sings in Broadway's Ensemble. She enjoys theater, restoring her farmhouse and her cats. Kay has three grown children. Kay is a travel consultant for Adelman Travel.

Mayah Hall



Please welcome Mahyeden (Maya) to our Broadway family. Maya, originally from Liberia, located on the West African Coast, made Broadway her

home in April. Maya is a nursing aide at The Bluffs. Maya and her husband have two children, Christopher, age 7, and Audrianna, age 4. Maya enjoys reading and spending time with family.

Heather Hargrove



Please welcome Heather to our Broadway family. Heather joined Broadway in April. She is the local sales manager at KRCG. Heather has a connection to Broadway via The All

The Way Home program. She enjoys reading, sports and spending time with family. Please extend a warm welcome to Heather next time you see her.

Matt Ballard



Welcome , Matt Ballard, who joined Broadway this spring. He has been part of our Wednesday Night Live Youth Group

and is one of our accomplished musicians during Youth Worship. Matt is a sophomore at Hickman High School and enjoys football and music.

Adam and Clare Willard



Please welcome Adam and Claire Willard, along with their two children George and Violet to our Broadway family!

They joined on June 26 during the 11:15 service. Adam is employed by the University of Missouri as an academic advisor/teacher in the health professions department. Claire works for the Columbia Public Schools and a speech language pathologist. They are busy raising a young family and enjoy the outdoors, their dogs, watching movies and reading. Please introduce yourself next time you see them!

Continuing Recovery...

... Wanda Angel, Melvin Fisher, Roger Fisher, Ted Jacobs, Mildred Mayginess, Kimberly Poehlmann Simons, Wanda Slaughter, Al Taylor, Jim Thorne, Chuck Watts, Phil Weedin, Polly White, Eulene Zizner.

Our Thoughts and Prayers...

... to Joe Moseley and family on the passing of Rusty Moseley, Joe's mother and a Charter Member of Broadway Christian Church. Funeral services will be held Friday, July 8, at 10:00 a.m. in the Broadway Sanctuary.

... to Jack Miles and family, on the death of his sister-in-law, Norma, on June 17.

... to Faye and Vicki Conn, on the death of husband and father, Oliver, on June 15.

... to Rick and Terry Matheny on the death of their nephew.

Thought You'd Like to Know...

... Rev. Hannah Fisher Ryan, daughter of Carl and Debbie Fisher, has been called to serve the congregation of St. Luke's United Church of Christ in Burlington, Iowa.

Thanks Received...

... I would like to thank the three ministers of Broadway for their calls and hospital visits when I had surgery this spring. Thanks to Terry for getting to the hospital so early the morning of my surgery and having prayer with me and my family. Thanks to Tim, for the call the day before surgery and your visit to the hospital the Saturday afternoon following. And thanks to Nick, for his call before surgery and his calls after I came home.

Thanks to the Wednesday afternoon Sisters in Study group for the beautiful flowers they sent to me while I was in the hospital.

My blessings to each of you,
Donna Burris

Celebrating July Birthdays

- 7/10 Brenda Dunne, Maria Smith
- 7/11 Randy Coil, Katie Essing, Sabrina McDonnell
- 7/12 Melvin Brees, Ken Buckler, Faye Conn, Joseph McBride, Darlene Morris
- 7/15 Alex Kirby, Laura Schonhardt, Bryn Tate, Haden Tate
- 7/16 Bob Aulgur, Jay Dudley
- 7/17 Bob Klein, Rick Matheny
- 7/18 Wayne Dykstra, Andrew Essing, Donna Walters
- 7/19 Jan Jones, Daniel Lowery, Colleen Smith, Shanda Weathers
- 7/20 Linda Poehlmann
- 7/21 Patsy Dalton
- 7/22 Grace Brotherton, Diana Ratliff, Roger Wilson
- 7/23 Matt Ballard, Mimi Wenger
- 7/24 Mary Jane Thorne
- 7/25 Robert Canine, Jackson Cook, Darren Day, Luci Fichter
- 7/26 Kristen Crews, Brooke Ward
- 7/27 Judy Buckler, Cassie Dykstra, Michelle Marshall
- 7/28 Tyler Brittain
- 7/29 Luke Morris, Jackson Winn
- 7/30 Genevieve Howard
- 7/31 John Glynn

Celebrating August Birthdays

- 8/1 Colleen Colaner, Drew Hentges, Dani Jennings
- 8/2 Elizabeth Tate, Jan Varnum
- 8/3 Rick Frost, Rachel Howard, Cecelia Kersey, Chris Rainwater, Bob Taylor
- 8/4 Judith Bodani, Vanessa Horner
- 8/5 Sarah Thomas
- 8/6 Mike Crews, Leslie Winn

Attendance: May 8, 2016*Rocheport Bluegrass (6/4/16) 103***Worship**

8:00 44
 9:00 139
 11:15 189
 475

Attendance: June 19, 2016**Worship**

8:00 44
 9:00 107
 11:15 184
 335

Attendance: July 3, 2016**Worship**

8:00 40
 9:00 100
 11:15 219
 359

Attendance: June 12, 2016*One service at 10:30 a.m.***Worship**

10:30 264

Attendance: June 26, 2016**Worship**

7:00 47
 9:00 134
 11:15 198
 379

BROADWAY'S FINANCIAL REPORT AS OF JUNE 30, 2016

REVENUES		Total Budgeted 2015-2016	Monthly Budgeted	Received
Offering				
	Pledged Giving	\$698,730.00	\$58,227.50	\$743,478.71
	Unpledged Giving	\$56,840.00	\$4,736.67	\$80,788.00
	Loose Offering	\$8,120.00	\$676.67	\$11,761.21
	Sunday School	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$40.74
	Interest Income	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$78.01
	TOTAL	\$763,690.00	\$63,640.84	\$836,146.67
EXPENSES		Total Budgeted 2015-2016	Expended	
	Staff Payroll	\$522,244.00	\$514,004.59	
	Administration	\$48,985.00	\$48,946.05	
	Children & Youth	\$7,260.00	\$7,482.72	
	Connections	\$1,300.00	\$1,274.32	
	Discipleship	\$1,200.00	\$547.10	
	Property	\$136,111.00	\$121,079.66	
	Service (MOM)	\$81,200.00	\$81,616.	
	Stewardship	\$700.00	\$695.96	
	Worship	\$13,000.00	\$10,227.91	
	TOTAL	\$812,000.00	\$785,874.31	

Current Year Net Activity **\$50,272.36****BROADWAY'S FINANCIALS AS OF JUNE 30, 2016**

Budget Monthly Target To Date (12/12 of 812,000)	\$812,000.00
Actual Expenses To Date	\$785,874.31
Income Received To Date	\$836,146.67
Difference Between Anticipated Budget Income And Actual Income	\$24,146.67
Current Year Net Activity	\$50,272.36





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Sunday Sermons and Scriptures

July 10

John 5: 2-9
Do You Want to be Healed?

July 17

Mark 3: 1-6
Breaking Good

July 24

Mark 5: 25-34
Force Fields

Senior Minister
Tim Carson

Associate Minister
Nick Larson

Associate Minister
Terry Overfelt