Worship Service ***July 13, 2008***

Call to Worship

… may all who search for you
be filled with joy and gladness in you.
May those who love your salvation
repeatedly shout, "God is great!" Psalm 70:4

Welcome & Prayer

Praise & Worship

VBS Clip & Children's Feature

Worship Song

Scripture Reading – **Luke 15:1-10** NLT

Sermon
Fruit of the Spirit: JOY
Down In My Heart To Stay
Bruce Hamm

Offering

Sending Song

Closing

Sermon Notes

Scripture Luke 15:1-10 NLT

1 Tax collectors and other notorious sinners often came to
listen to Jesus teach. 2 This made the Pharisees and teachers
of religious law complain that he was associating with such
sinful people—even eating with them!

3 So Jesus told them this story: 4 "If a man has a hundred
sheep and one of them gets lost, what will he do? Won't he
leave the ninety-nine others in the wilderness and go to
search for the one that is lost until he finds it? 5 And when
he has found it, he will joyfully carry it home on his
shoulders. 6 When he arrives, he will call together his friends
and neighbors, saying, 'Rejoice with me because I have
found my lost sheep.' 7 In the same way, there is more joy
in heaven over one lost sinner who repents and returns to
God than over ninety-nine others who are righteous and
haven't strayed away!

8 "Or suppose a woman has ten silver coins and loses one.
Won't she light a lamp and sweep the entire house and
search carefully until she finds it? 9 And when she finds it,
she will call in her friends and neighbors and say, 'Rejoice
with me because I have found my lost coin.' 10 In the same
way, there is joy in the presence of God's angels when even
one sinner repents."