#### PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

### SUNDAY, APRIL 28 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

GOOD NEWS \* John 10

Join us in person or, by way of live stream or radio broadcast WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM or later on the church YouTube channel. An order of service will be posted on our web site.

#### 11:00 AM HOT DOG LUNCH

#### 6:00 PM THE CHOSEN

Season 4 - Episode 3, Part 1 MOON TO BLOOD

#### **SUNDAY, MAY 5**

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

GODLY WISDOM FROM A MATURE DISCIPLE

1 Peter 5:6-11

Join us in person or, by way of live stream or radio broadcast WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM or later on the church YouTube channel. An order of service will be posted on our web site.

#### 5:30 PM BAPTISMAL SERVICE

#### 6:00 PM THE CHOSEN

Season 4 - Episode 3, Part 2 MOON TO BLOOD

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Sergey Culbreath, 4-29
Ed Mobley, 4-29
Missy Workman, 5-3
Deacon Fain, 5-5
Margaret Murphy, 5-9
Mason Meadows, 4-29
Kate Hames, 5-2
John Lehman, 5-3
Margaret Murphy, 5-9

#### **CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY**

We extend our love and prayerful support to:

**Juliette Stone** and family in the death of her father, **Billy Spooner**;

in the death of her father, Billy Spooner;

Lea Ann Skinner, Todd Deaton and their families in the death of their mother, Phyllis Deaton.Phyllis' husband, Rev. Bob Deaton, served as our pastor from 1980-1987.

#### **FAMILY "M" NIGHT**

Wednesday, April 24 \* 6:00 pm

Everyone is invited to our Meal, Music and Missions Nights ("M" Night.) Sign up in the church office if you plan to attend.

#### **TIMELY ALERTS**

Sign up for *Remind* to receive time sensitive (deaths, schedule changes, etc.) texts or emails. Text the message "@wfbc1787" to 81010 or email us to sign up.



#### UPWARD SUNDAY

Sunday, April 28 \* 10:00 am We have extended a special invitation to our Upward

players, coaches and families to be with us. We will present a Bible to each player and a gift/information bag to their family members.



#### ALASKA MISSION TRIP HOTDOG FUNDRAISER

Sunday, April 28 \* 11:00 am – 1:00 pm Join us for hotdogs, slaw, chips, and

dessert. Please sign up in the church office and give your best donation toward the cost of the Alaska Mission Trip. Lunch will be dine in or carry out. **Joy Foster, Tommie Jo McAbee, & Tracy McAbee** will be serving this summer in Alaska. The cost for each participant is \$2000.

#### THE CHOSEN - SEASON 4

Sunday Nights \* 6:00 pm

On April 28 we will watch Jesus heal the man born blind (John 9) and discuss the mystery of why people are born with great difficulties. On May 5 we will discuss the mystery of God's purposes in why people experience supernatural healing and others do not seem to be healed.

#### CHURCH BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15 \* 6:00 pm

Join us for a special study that harmonizes the teachings, life and ministry of Jesus from the four gospel accounts.

#### **GRILLS & COOKS NEEDED**

Saturday, May 11

At the last Upward Soccer Games we would love for our closing celebration to include a cook out for the kids and their families. Contact us if you would like to help.

#### **UPWARD T-SHIRTS**

Help support our Upward ministry by purchasing a Woodruff League T-Shirt (\$15.00 for children's sizes - \$20.00 for adult sizes.)

#### NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Thursday, May 2

Lift Up The Word - Light Up The World!

Join us for the Woodruff Observance at Block 224 on Main Street from 12:00 – 1:00 pm.

#### WELCOME KIT MINISTRY

Please help us minister to new families as they move into our area. Bring: paper plates, cups, flatware, cleaning supplies, any items that would help someone as they settle in to a new home. If you have new neighbors in your community, please let us know so we can add them to our list of families to bless.



# Following the Lord in Believer's Baptism Sue McClure

Join us in the church sanctuary on **Sunday, May 5 at 5:30 pm** for this special service. A reception will be held afterwards in the fellowship hall before we gather for The Chosen Bible Study.

#### YOUTH MINISTER NEEDED

If you know of a college student, young adult or seasoned adult that is a follower of Christ who loves young people, please share this opportunity with them. Please be in prayer for our search team: Julie Carroll, Brandy Fortner, Matt Lineberger, Carol Morgan, Andrew Shull, Mark Smith, Milton Smith, Harrison Ward, & John Ward. Help us get word out about this employment / ministry opportunity in any way that you can.

#### LADIES BIBLE STUDIES

Monday's @ 11:00 am - One in a Million: Journey to Your Promised Land by Priscilla Shirer

Thursday's @ 6:30 pm - WayMaker; Finding the Way to the Life You've Dreamed Of by Ann Voskamp



#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Great Jungle Journey An Epic Cruise From Genesis to Revelation K-4 – Grade 5

June 24-28 \* 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

#### **GRADUATE RECOGNITION**

Sunday, May 19 \* 10:00 am

If you know of someone who would like to be included in this service, please contact the church office so that we can send them an information letter. Forms and pictures must be turned in by **Sunday, May 12**. We give thanks for & continue to pray for the Class of 2024.

#### FCA BREAKFAST

Thursday, May 9 \* 6:45 am

Our church is hosting a breakfast for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes from Woodruff Middle School and Woodruff High School. Contact us if you would like to help cook.

#### BREAKFAST AT STRAWBERRY HILL

Thursday, May 16 \* 8:30 am

Meet us in the back parking lot as we load the bus and head to Strawberry Hill for breakfast. Sign up in the office if you plan to join us!

#### LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

Each Sunday \* 10:00 am Woodruff Radio WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM



South Wing Heating & Air

Needed: \$63,218.00 Received to Date: \$48,055.57

Waldrop Mechanical Services is scheduled to install a 15 ton gas packaged roof top unit to heat and cool the south wing of the church the week of May 20.

#### ONLINE GIVING

Secure online giving is available on our church website: www.fbcwoodruff.org

#### DONATE USED VEHICLES

The church is accepting used vehicles (boats, RV's, campers, cars, trucks) to sell at auction. Donations are tax deductible. Funds will be contributed to the Over and Above project to help us reach our goal for the Heating and Air project. Contact Mark Smith, 415-2583, to arrange for pick up and for more information.

#### JOIN US FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL

A Place to Grow and Belong! \* Sundays \* 9:00 am

#### DR. RONALD D. VAUGHAN

Dee Vaughan has announced his intention to retire from fulltime service after 41 years of pastoral ministry. A special recognition service will be held at St. Andrew's Baptist Church in Columbia on Sunday, April 28 at 10:30 am with a reception following the service. Dee served as our pastor from 1988-1994. We are grateful for his ministry through our church and community and for the lasting imprint and eternal impact he has had on our hearts and lives.

#### CLOTHES CLOSET

In May, our church will be staffing the **Woodruff Community Clothes Closet** on Saturdays from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. We need volunteers for May 11, 18 and 25. If you or your class or group would like to help, please contact the church office.

#### LET'S SERVE TOGETHER! Tuesday, May 14 \* 5:00 pm

Our Church has the opportunity to help serve supper to those in need at The Woodruff Area Soup Kitchen. Let Lisa know if you can help!

#### **CLC SUMMER CAMPS**

The FBC Christian Learning Center will be offering 10 week long Summer Camps for K4-5<sup>th</sup> graders. You may sign up for as many as you want for your child(ren). The CLC will be open each weekday from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm. Each camp will have a different theme. Contact Julie Carroll 476-3141 for costs, schedule and registration information.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT April 14 April 21 2024 \$ 8,936.68 \$ 8,936.68 \$ 142,986.88 Budget Needs Budget Offering \$ 7,158.98 \$ 6,287.99 \$ 136,106.76 (\$ 1,777.70) (\$ 2,648.69) (\$ Over/(Under) 6,880.12) **Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts** Stewardship Supplies 20.40 OVER and ABOVE \$ 1.700.00 30.00 Annie Armstrong Upward Soccer 110.00 Lottie Moon 100.00 Alaska Missions 60.00 Family "M" Night 10.00 Cemetery Maintenance Fund 50.00 Ladies Bible Study 244.00 Missions and Ministry Fund \$ 10,000.00

#### **GIFTS TO THE GLORY OF GOD!**

#### OVER AND ABOVE

In Memory of Carolyn Few McAllister
Liz Mason

In Honor of Andrew Shull **Bobby and Lisa Abercrombie** 

#### ANNIE ARMSTRONG

In Memory of Peggy Gilliland **Bob and Julia Howard** 

#### **LOTTIE MOON**

In Memory of Peggy Gilliland Curtis and Nancy Walker

#### MISSIONS AND MINISTRY FUND

In Memory of Peggy Gilliland

Peggy Gilliland's children and grandchildren



#### FAMILY FUN PARKING LOT PARTY!

#### Wednesday, May 22 \* 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Bring your family and friends as we celebrate the end of our school year with a parking lot party that includes food, fellowship, games and riding our wheeled toys. Please bring your wheeled toys, lawn chairs and friends. We will have corn dogs, corn hole, sno cones, games and then some. Be sure to invite your friends and sign up in the office if you plan to attend.

#### MINISTRY PARTNERS

APRIL 28: Outside Ushers: Scott G, Levi G, Corey F Nursery: Taylor J & Emillia W Greeter: Stormy S C Worship: Lindsey T & Bryson O

MAY 5: Outside Ushers: Mark S & Jason K

Nursery: Laurie G & Summer B Greeters: T & T Sumner

Children's Worship: Lorraine F & Corey F



#### DAY BY DAY

#### **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24**

6:00 pm Family "M" Night

7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

#### **THURSDAY, APRIL 25**

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

6:30 pm Ladies' Bible Study – Builders' Room

#### **SATURDAY APRIL 27**

9:00 am Upward Soccer Games

#### **SUNDAY, APRIL 28**

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship Service - Live on Radio & YouTube

11:00 am Alaska Hot Dog Luncheon

3:00 pm Soccer Clinic

6:00 pm The Chosen (Season 4, Episode 3 – Part 1)

#### **MONDAY, APRIL 29**

10:00 am Ladies' Bible Study – Builder's Room

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

#### **TUESDAY, APRIL 30**

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

5:45 pm Music & Missions, Youth Lighthouse

6:00 pm Church Bible Study – Live on YouTube

7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

#### **THURSDAY, MAY 2**

12:00 pm National Day of Prayer - Block 224

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

6:30 pm Ladies' Bible Study – Builders' Room

#### SATURDAY, MAY 4

8:30 am Upward Soccer Games

#### SUNDAY, MAY 5

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship Service - Live on Radio & YouTube

4:00 pm Deacons' Meeting

5:30 pm Baptismal Service

6:00 pm The Chosen (Season 4, Episode 3 – Part 2)

#### MONDAY, MAY 6

10:00 am Ladies' Bible Study – Builder's Room

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

6:00 pm Upward Soccer Game - Lions at Bobcats

#### **TUESDAY, MAY 7**

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

6:00 pm Upward Soccer Game – Pups at Cubs

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

5:45 pm Music & Missions, Youth Lighthouse

6:00 pm Church Bible Study – Live on YouTube

7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

#### THURSDAY, MAY 9

6:45 am FCA Breakfast

5:30 pm Upward Soccer Practice

6:00 pm Upward Soccer Game – Eagles at Hawks

6:30 pm Ladies' Bible Study – Builders' Room

#### SATURDAY, MAY 11

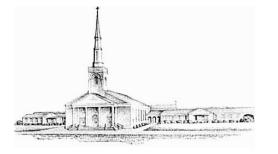
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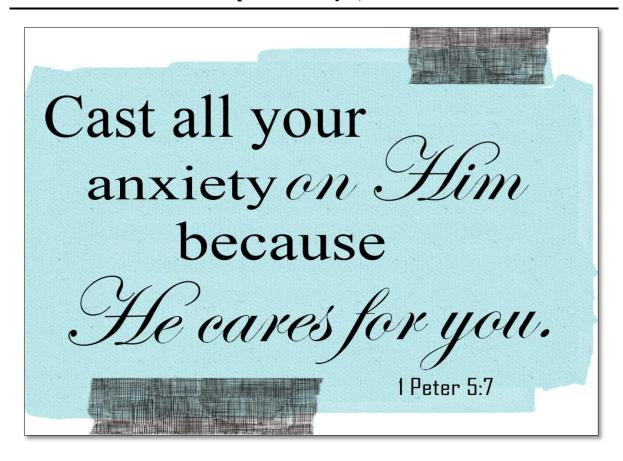
# THE ENCOURAGER

"...to prepare all God's people for the work of Christian Service to build up the body of Christ."

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## First Baptist Church \* Woodruff, South Carolina April 24 – May 7, 2024



#### **Regular Office Hours:**

 $\begin{array}{cc} Monday-Thursday & 8:00 \ am-5:00 \ pm \\ Friday & 8:00 \ am-12:30 \ pm \end{array}$ 

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