

PREPARING FOR SUNDAY

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Christian Learning Center Dedication

Sunday's Sermon

DO WE REALLY NEED GOD?

Genesis 11:1-9; Romans 1:21; Psalm 73:25-26

Many feel that they can get along fine without a relationship with God and have convinced themselves that there is no God. The struggle is as old as the Garden of Eden and the Tower of Babel, yet each generation wrestles with the question and only a few are willing to discover the life-giving fulfillment of truly knowing God.

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

11:00 AM CLC TOUR & PRAYER WALK

6:00 PM BIBLE STUDY

BAPTIST HISTORY AND DISTINCTIVES

1 Peter 2:9; 2 Timothy 3:15-17; Ephesians 2:8-10

Where did Baptists come from and how are our beliefs and practices different from other Christian denominations? What is the scriptural basis for what we believe?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Rae Smith, 8-7	Hunter Casey, 8-7
David Ward, 8-7	Tab Patton, 8-8
Haleigh Webster, 8-8	Lauren Orias, 8-8
Jim Skinner, 8-10	Benjamin Ward, 8-10
Chelsea Reynolds, 8-11	Ben Weaver, 8-11
Emily Harrison, 8-12	Randy Shaver, 8-12



GREAT START WOODRUFF

Our church is scheduled to help distribute the school supplies on this **Wednesday, August 3 from 8:30 am - 1:00 pm**. We will need at least 8 volunteers. Please sign up in the office if you can help.

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH OUTREACH!

This Saturday, August 6

9:30 am – 1:00 pm * McKinney Park

Join us as the Woodruff Community sponsors a carnival to celebrate back to school at McKinney Park. The day will begin with a 5K Race hosted by Team Heart & Soul. From 10-3 there will be carnival type events & food vendors, from 3:00 – 9:00 pm there will be groups performing in the amphitheater. You can help by donating funds for our giveaway items or by helping volunteer at our table. See Lisa if you would like to help.

CHRISTIAN LEARNING CENTER

A New Afterschool Ministry (4 K – Grade 5)

Dedication, Tour & Prayer Walk – This Sunday

During our worship service this Sunday morning we will have a dedication prayer for the Christian Learning Center and after the service you are invited to tour, and prayer walk the rooms that have been prepared for this new afterschool ministry.

This Monday, August 8, will be the first day for students. School pick up will begin next Monday, August 15. Registration is still underway – call (476-8171) for an appointment!

If you would like to make donations to our WFBC Christian Learning Center...

- Consider helping families by contributing to a scholarship fund for tuition.
- Consider designating a special gift to the church that can be used to support the ministry of the Christian Learning Center.
- Consider purchasing something from the CLC Amazon Wish List (there is a link on the church website.)

Thank you for all you are doing to support our new ministry.

ZECHARIAH: THE LORD REMEMBERS

A Verse by Verse Bible Study

Wednesdays * 6:00 pm * Fellowship Hall

The Book of Zechariah contains many fascinating visions and interesting symbols designed to help God's people know that He remembers His promises and will bring them to fulfillment through the coming Messiah and the coming Messianic Kingdom. **Zechariah is quoted or alluded to 71 times in the New Testament.** It contains more Messianic references than any prophetic book except Isaiah. Plan to be with us as we dive deeply into God's word.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

*Discerning the Voice of God:
How to Recognize When God Speaks*
Mondays * 11:00 am

All ladies are invited to join us in this new study.

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

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

BREAKFAST AT STRAWBERRY HILL

Tuesday, August 9 * Meet at the church at 8:00 am
Join us for breakfast at Strawberry Hill and a shopping trip at the farm stand. Bring money with you for your meal, shopping, and to help cover the gas for the trip. Please sign up in the church office as soon as possible.

CALLED CHURCH CONFERENCE

For the Purpose of Electing Deacons

Next Sunday Morning, August 14 * 10:00 am

Please be in prayer for those who have been nominated and are praying about this opportunity

Appreciation is expressed to **Ted Culbreath, Jason Ketterman, Tommy Morgan** who will be rotating off the active deacon group at the end of the month.

BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER WALK

Next Sunday, August 14 * 6:00 pm * WHS

We will join with other churches in the community, meet in the high school parking lot, have a large group prayer together and then divide into groups to walk or drive to each school and to the district office. If it is raining, plan to drive to each school and have prayer in your car. We are grateful for the opportunity to cover our schools and the new school year in prayer.

LAD CAMP

Please pray for our boys and their leaders as they attend Lad Camp at McCall Royal Ambassador Camp in Sunset, SC, Aug. 5–7, **Benjamin Ward, Rowan Elliott, David Ward Sr & John Ward.**

BACKPACKS FOR APPALACHIA

We are collecting items to fill backpacks for children and youth in Appalachia. Our ladies have been crocheting hats for each backpack. A list of other items to include is available in the church office and on our church website on the "extra" page. The area where the backpacks are given out has been devastated by floods. Disaster Relief teams from SC and other states have been activated to help minister. Please lift the people of Eastern Kentucky up in your prayers.

CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST!

Thursday, August 18 * 6:30 pm

Ladies of all ages are invited to join us for a night of food, fun, fellowship, and discipleship. Bring your favorite Christmas appetizers to share with the group. We will be working on our backpack mission project and discussing plans for the fall. See Lisa for more information!

GOOD NEWS CLUB

**Woodruff Elementary School * Grades 3 -5
Thursdays beginning Sept. 8 * 2:30 – 4:00 pm**

Join in for songs, games, Bible stories and fun activities. See Lisa Abercrombie to sign up or register at <http://www.cefspartanburg.com/woodruff.html>. See Lisa if you would like to help with the Good News Club.

SHARE HOPE

August 28 * 6:00 pm * Fellowship Hall

Join with us as we learn different ways to help people put their trust in Jesus.

THE TANGLED BALL OF GRIEF

Sunday, August 21 * 6:00 pm * Fellowship Hall

Join us for a time around the tables where we will explore strategies and methods to help those going through a season of grief. Topics include: *A Biblical View of Grief; Bringing Comfort; What Do We Need During a Time of Grief; & Understanding the Tangled Ball of Grief.*

AUDIO / VISUAL TEAM

We are actively recruiting folks who are willing to assist on a rotating basis (or be able to fill in) with our church sound system, projection, and streaming. Let us know if you would be willing to serve.

GIFTS TO THE GLORY OF GOD!

Whether you give through bank draft, online giving, through the mail or in person, we are very grateful for your gifts to the Lord's church. We give thanks for the Lord blesses & multiplies as we seek to be faithful to the mission, He has entrusted to us in Woodruff & beyond.

Over & Above Fund

*In Memory of Ken Morrison
Milton & Vicki Rae Smith
Jane Turner*

In Memory of Jamie & Rylie Sloan

**Milton & Vicki Rae Smith
Ed & Rita Mobley**

*In Memory of Jimmy Fortner
Jane Turner*

**Richard & Sherry Turner
Milton & Vicki Rae Smith**

Work of the Church

*In Memory of Ken Morrison
Terry & Tammy Sumner*

Fellowship Sunday School Class

Joe & Frieda Ramsey

Dean & Beth Dover

Ann Poore Porter

Kenny & Anne Gilfillan

Tommie & Rita Bratton

FINANCIAL REPORT

	<u>July 24</u>	<u>July 31</u>	<u>2022</u>
Budget Needs	\$ 8,962.37	\$ 8,962.37	\$277,833.47
Budget Offering	<u>\$10,394.20</u>	<u>\$ 6,420.76</u>	<u>\$257,043.55</u>
Over/(Under) Budget \$	1,431.83	(\$ 2,541.61)	(\$ 20,789.92)
Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts			
Stewardship Fund		\$	14.38
Over & Above		\$	450.00
Great Start		\$	200.00
Ladies Bible Study Book		\$	200.00
WMU		\$	50.00
Office Supplies		\$	10.00
Ukraine Fund		\$	300.00
Theology Class		\$	100.00
Prison Ministry		\$	40.00

PLAYING AND PRAYING AT MCKINNEY PARK

Wednesday, August 17 & 24 *5:45 pm

All kids & youth are invited to join us at McKinney Park for 2 fun filled evenings. We will have Bible lessons, play games, have special prayer times & invite friends at the park to join us for our Wednesday night ministries that begin in Sept. See Lisa if you would like to help!

JOIN THE ADULT CHOIR!

Come use your gifts to bring glory to God. Rehearsals are on Wednesdays at 6:45 pm.

BIBLICAL WORLD VIEW & APOLOGETICS COURSE

We have the opportunity to offer a Bible course during the school day for Woodruff High School Seniors. Andy Watson will be sharing teaching & transportation responsibilities with our pastor. We will provide the students with Bibles, books and notebooks for the course that will be a great resource for them now & in the future.

The Case for Faith by Lee Strobel

How Now Shall We Live

by Charles Colson & Nancy Pearcey

More Than a Carpenter by Josh & Sean McDowell

So, What's the Difference by Fritz Ridenour

If you would like to contribute, simply mark "Theology Class" on your contribution envelope or online gift to the church. Pray for us as we prepare to minister through this incredible opportunity.

TIMELY ALERTS

We are using *Remind* to send out "timely alerts" (schedule changes, death announcements, etc.) Text the message "@wfb1787" to 81010 or email us to sign up.

HELPING HANDS GOLF CLASSIC

Thursday, September 22 * (Rain date – Sept. 29)

1:00 pm Shotgun Start * Three Pines Country Club

Registration & Sponsorship forms are available in the church office. The Golf Classic raises funds to help those in need in our community. Contact S.turner@hbmow.org or call 864-476-2401 for more information.

CASUAL SUMMER

Please feel free to dress comfortably as you come for worship and invite others to come with you.

YOUTUBE CHANNEL

Worship services, sermons, Bible studies, music and podcasts can be viewed on phones, computers, and televisions across our community and across the world on our YouTube channel. Visit our church website www.fbcwoodruff.org for a link to this channel or search for "First Baptist Woodruff" on YouTube.



DAY BY DAY

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

8:30 am Great Start – Woodruff Community Center
5:45 pm Youth Lighthouse
6:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study – Live on YouTube
6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

RA's depart for LAD Camp

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

9:30 am Back to School Bash – McKinney Park

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7

9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Worship Service – Live on Radio & YouTube
11:00 am CLC Tour and Prayer Walk
6:00 pm Baptist History and Distinctive – Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, AUGUST 8

11:00 am Ladies Bible Study

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9

8:00 am Breakfast at Strawberry Hill

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

5:45 pm Youth Lighthouse
6:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study – Live on YouTube
6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

SUNDAY SCHOOL

A Place to Grow and Belong

Each Sunday * 9:00 am

COLLEGE ADDRESSES

Each college student will be listed on our weekly prayer sheet on a rotating basis. Please call us or email us with contact information for the new school year.

ONLINE GIVING

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

DEACON FAMILY MINISTRY

Our deacons are committed to being part of the ministry team along with our pastor & church staff. Contact them with prayer concerns, questions, & ministry opportunities as we seek to love & care for one another.

A–Co Nick Fortner and James Talanges
Cp–G Chris Abercrombie and Matt Lineberger
H–Lc Ted Culbreath and Tommy Morgan
Ld–Q Terry Hauser and Jason Ketterman
R–S Sam Cooper
T–Z Terry Sumner and Randy Rhodes

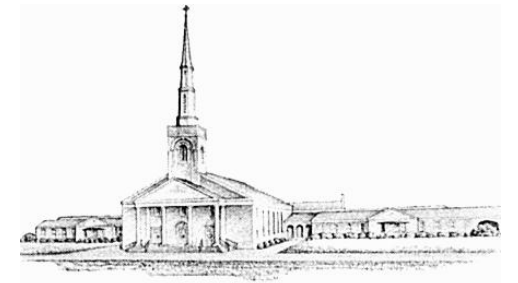
MINISTRY PARTNERS – AUGUST 7

Welcome Center – T & T Sumner
Nursery C & P Fain (am) I Elliott, M Ward (pm)
Children's Worship L Forrester, O Thompson
Outside Ushers – M Smith, J Ketterman

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

August 3, 2022



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Friday 8:00 am – 12:30 pm

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