

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

9:00 am Sunday School
 10:00 am Worship Service –
 Live on Radio & YouTube
 4:00 pm ELC Board of Directors Meeting
 6:00 pm Bible Study –
 What Does It Mean to Be Chosen?

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28

11:00 am Ladies Bible Study

TUESDAY, MARCH 1

12:00 pm Titus 2 Ladies – Mr. Jalapeno

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2

5:45 pm Missions & Music (4 years to grade 5)
 Youth Lighthouse (grades 6 – 12)
 6:00 pm The Parables of Jesus - Live on YouTube
 6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MARCH 3

2:30 pm Good News Club – WES
 7:00 pm Ladies Bible Study

WELCOME!

We are delighted that you are here and pray that God will use this service of worship in a powerful way in your life. We would love to share information with you about our church. Please fill out one of the cards in the pew rack and place it in one of the offering boxes, which are located by the exits, at the conclusion of the service.

CALLED CHURCH CONFERENCE

Next Sunday, March 6 * During the Morning Worship Service

For the purpose of acting on a recommendation from the Music Ministry Committee, Personnel Committee and Deacons that we call **Susan Cooper** to serve as Church Pianist.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE CHOSEN?

Interactive Bible Study * Tonight * 6:00 pm

This week's episode is about being cherished and features Jesus' conversations with children.

THE PARABLES OF JESUS

This Wednesday * 6:00 pm * Join us as our lives are changed through the study of Jesus' incredible parables.

TITUS 2 LADIES FIRST TUESDAY

This Tuesday, March 1 * Mr. Jalapeño * Please let Lisa Abercrombie know if you plan to attend.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Faithful – Heroes of the Old Testament * Come be part of the morning group or the evening group.

Mondays * 11:00 am * Builders' Room * Led by Sandy Farmer & Lisa Abercrombie

Thursdays * 7:00 pm * Builders' Room * Led by Christy Thompson

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

"No More Excuses!" * Tuesdays * 6:30 pm * Beginning March 15

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

For The Proposed Early Learning Center / After School Ministry * Today * 4:00 pm * Builders' Room

MINISTRY PARTNERS

Nursery: Iris E, Kayla M (am) Tommie Jo M, Olivia T (pm) Children's Worship – Carol Anne T, Emilee T
 Welcome Center – Ellie W Outside Ushers – Terry H, Scott G, Cory F

MY DECISION

Name _____

I COME TODAY TO MAKE THIS PUBLIC COMMITMENT:

- I accept **Jesus Christ** as my personal **Savior** and **Lord**.
 I want to become a member of First Baptist Church by baptism.
 I want to join First Baptist Church by transferring my letter of membership from the _____ Church.
 I want to commit myself fully to serving **Christ**.
 Other Decision _____

C. Andrew Shull, Pastor

John C. Carroll, Minister of Music

Carol R. Morgan, Secretary

Bryan C. Thompson, Associate Pastor for Youth

Lisa C. Abercrombie, Ministry Coordinator

Tommie Jo McAbee, Site Manager

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We Gather for Worship

First Baptist Church
 Woodruff, South Carolina

The Lord's Day

February 27, 2022

Ten O'Clock

Broadcast Live on YouTube and Woodruff Radio 101.7 FM 1510 AM

**The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said,
 "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!"**
 John 1:29

Prelude

Welcome

Lisa Abercrombie

Men's Ministry Moment

John Ward

Call to Worship (Hymn 146)

Oh How He Loves You and Me

**Oh, how He loves you and me. Oh how He loves you and me;
 He gave His life, what more could He give?**

Oh how He loves you, Oh how He loves me, Oh how He loves you and me.

Jesus to Calvary did go, His love for mankind to show;

What He did there brought hope from despair,

Oh, how He loves you; Oh, how He loves me; Oh, how He loves you and me.

Scripture Reading and Prayer

Andrew Shull

1 Peter 1:3-5; 10-12; 18-21

Worship in Song

Nolan Young, Kenny Mabery

Death was Arrested

Praise & Worship

Come People of the Risen King

**Come, people of the risen King, who delight to bring Him praise.
 Come, all and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of Grace.
 From the shifting shadows of the earth we will lift our eyes to Him,
 Where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in.**

Rejoice, rejoice, let every tongue rejoice!

One heart, one voice, O Church of Christ, rejoice.

Come, those whose joy is morning sun and those weeping through the night.

Come, those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight.

For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease,

But follow us through all our days with the certain hope of peace.

Come, young and old from every land, men and women of the faith.

Come, those with full or empty hands, find the riches of His grace.

Over all the world, His people sing, shore to shore we hear them call

The Truth that cries through every age; our God is all in all.

How Deep the Father's Love for Us ('08 Baptist Hymnal 101)

**How deep the Father's love for us, How vast beyond all measure;
That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss; The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One, bring many sons to glory.**

**Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders;
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice, call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished.
His dying breath has brought me life; I know that it is finished.
I will not boast in anything: No gifts, no power, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ; His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer.
But this I know with all my heart; His wounds have paid my ransom.**

Hymn 547 - *I Stand Amazed in the Presence*

Worship in Song

Adult Choir

This Is What Grace Is For
Marcia Ward, soloist

Children's Worship

(After the choir sings, children age 4 – grade 2 are invited to go with our children's worship leaders.)

Message

Andrew Shull

ETERNAL LOVE

God loves us with an eternal love. His _____ of redemption was set in motion long ago. Jesus is the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world.

All inhabitants of the earth will worship the beast — all whose names have not been written in the Lamb's book of life, the Lamb who was slain from the creation of the world.

Revelation 13:8

All through the _____ Testament God prepares us for what Jesus will do for us on Calvary's cross.

_____ His ministry, Jesus describes His coming death and His resurrection in powerful and prophetic ways.

He refers to His death and resurrection as "The Sign of Jonah."

He answered, "A wicked and adulterous generation asks for a sign! But none will be given it except the sign of the prophet Jonah. For as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of a huge fish, so the Son of Man will be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth. Matthew 12:39-40"

He is the true Temple – the place where God and mankind meet together.

**"Destroy this temple, and I will raise it again in three days."
But the temple He had spoken of was His body. After He was raised from the dead, His disciples recalled what He had said. Then they believed the scripture and the words that Jesus had spoken. John 2:19, 21-22**

He must be lifted up on the cross so that we can live.

"Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, that everyone who believes may have eternal life in Him." John 3:14-15

He compares His death and resurrection to a seed that produces much fruit.

Jesus replied, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly I tell you, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds." John 12:23-24

The word used to talk about His crucifixion also means to "exalt."

"And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to Myself." He said this to show the kind of death He was going to die. John 12:32-33

He repeatedly tells the disciples that He "must suffer" and "must be killed and on the third day be raised to life" (Matthew 16:21; Mark 8:31; Luke 9:22.) He tells them that He will be crucified (Matthew 20:19, 26:2)

And He said, "The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests and the teachers of the law, and He must be killed and on the third day be raised to life." Luke 9:22

"As you know, the Passover is two days away—and the Son of Man will be handed over to be crucified." Matthew 26:2

Jesus _____ what He had to do to save us and willingly gave His life for you and me.

Time of Commitment (Hymn 407)

Because He Lives

Benediction

Postlude



What does it mean to be chosen?

"Since you are precious and honored in My sight, and because I love you..." Isaiah 43:4