

THIS SUNDAY

June 14, 2020

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

Fellowship Hall, Youth Room & College Room

We are offering a class for adults taught by John Ward in the Fellowship Hall and a class for youth taught by Brian Thompson in the Youth Room and a class for Young Adults taught by Lisa Abercrombie in the College Room. We will practice social distancing.

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Church Sanctuary

Pastor's Message:

Living Water John 4:1-42

Broadcast Live on

*Woodruff Radio WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM
and on our church YouTube channel.*

An order of service will be posted on our church web site.

6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Fellowship Hall

Pastor's Message:

TAKE HIM AT HIS WORD John 4:43-54

WELCOME NEW MEMBER!

Amy Carlile

127 Fielding Lane
Fountain Inn, SC 29644

Deacons: Tommy Morgan & Milton Smith

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Jean Bonds, 6-14 **Jerald Ray Craig**, 6-14
Jason Foster, 6-15 **Robert Ward**, 6-16
Maddie Mabrey, 6-16 **Lindsey Thompson**, 6-17
Lorraine Forrester, 6-17 **Harrison Ward**, 6-19
Frances Garrett, 6-20 **Minnie Smith**, 6-20

CONGRATULATIONS!

Frances Garrett will turn 104 years old on June 20.

Cards may be sent to:

207 S Palmetto Street Summerville SC 29483.

BLOOD DRIVE

This Wednesday, June 10 * 4:00 - 7:30 pm

The Blood Connection is proud to offer COVID-19 Antibody Testing to all donors at no cost as part of the regular donation. See their website for more information.

CASUAL SUMMER

Please feel free to dress comfortably as you come for worship.

PRAYER & BIBLE STUDY

*1 Corinthians: Seeing Every Part of Life
Through the Lens of the Gospel*

Wednesdays * 6:00 – 6:45 pm * Fellowship Hall

We are spreading out in the Fellowship Hall practicing social distancing. We will not be able to offer a separate nursery or children's program but children supervised by their parents are welcome. We want this to be a safe experience for everyone. We will record the study for our church YouTube channel.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

In addition to the "in person" class for adults in the fellowship hall for youth in the youth room and for young adults in the college room, we will be recording a panel discussion of the Sunday School lesson that we will post on our church YouTube channel at the end of this week. Last week we begin a new unit from 1 Peter entitled *Living with Hope in a Broken World*. This week's lesson is...

"The Expression of Our Hope" 1 Peter 1:13-25

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOKS

Sunday School quarterlies for June, July & August are available. Please come by the office, call us to have them mailed or delivered to your house, or pick them up from a table that has been placed in the back foyer.

YOUTUBE CHANNEL

Each week we are posting worship services, Bible studies, special music and lessons for youth and children on our church YouTube channel. Visit our church website www.fbcwoodruff.org for a link to this channel or search for "First Baptist Woodruff" on YouTube. We give thanks for all who have been involved in recording, editing, and making this possible.

RADIO BROADCAST

Each Sunday * 10:00 am

Join with your First Baptist Family live from our church sanctuary on our Woodruff radio station, **WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM**.

FAITHFUL GIVING

Thank you for your faithful giving! Tithes and Offerings can be sent through the mail, through online giving, through the church office, at Wednesday Night Bible Study or at one of our Worship Services.

YOUTH TUBING TRIP

The youth will be going tubing in Helen, GA July 11-12. The cost will be \$80 per person, which covers one night's lodging, tubing expenses, and 4 meals. Please contact Bryan Thompson if you are interested, or if you have any questions.

PICTURES OF VETERANS

We would love to show pictures of our Veterans during the "pre-service" on Sunday, July 5. We collected pictures in years past, but would love to add your picture if it has not been included. Please bring your pictures (or email them) to the church office **before July 2**.

LET US KNOW IF YOU NEED HELP!

If you need help picking up groceries or items from the pharmacy, please contact us. We are very happy to help. Contact our pastor, church staff or deacons if you discover ways our church can be a channel of God's love and care.

ONLINE GIVING

Secure online giving is available

on our church website: www.fbcwoodruff.org

Giving online is easy and convenient but if you need assistance, Carol Morgan, our Church Secretary, is able to help. Feel free to give her a call, 476-8171.

ANNIE ARMSTRONG OFFERING FOR NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS

Church Goal: \$3,500.00 * Received: \$2,065.00

OVER AND ABOVE PROJECT

\$86,554.98 has been contributed!

GIFTS TO THE GLORY OF GOD!

Theology Class

In Memory of Gary Chumley

Ronnie & Becky Godfrey

John & Jennifer Pearson

Dennis & Sandra Thompson

Music Ministry

In Memory of Gary Chumley

Bill & Shelba Scott

Capital Needs Fund

In Memory of Bogie Mason

In Memory of Gary Chumley

Tommy & JoAnne Westmoreland

Annie Armstrong

In Memory of Gary Chumley

Don & Nelle Skinner

FINANCIAL REPORT

<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>June 7</u>	<u>2020</u>
Needs	\$ 8,821.10	\$202,885.30
Offering	\$ 6,129.02	\$206,143.25
Over/(Under)	(\$ 2,692.08)	\$ 3,257.95
Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts		
Annie Armstrong Offering	\$	25.00
Theology Class	\$	800.00
Music Ministry	\$	50.00
Katie Hauser – Europe Trip	\$	50.00
Capital Needs Fund	\$	40.00

SAY GRACE AND LIVE GRACE

If you know you have sinned... come to Christ. If you know your heart isn't what it ought to be... come to Christ. He does not treat us as our sins deserve - He pardons, He heals, He restores, He forgives. It is this grace that enables salvation. This is how a sinful person can be received by a Holy God. **For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God.** **Ephesians 2:8** Come to Christ! Let Him change your life! Begin a journey with grace! The ground at the foot of the cross is level. We all need His healing touch - every day! For a Christian, grace isn't a one time transaction. We are saved by grace and we are sustained by grace. We need it more than air, more than water, more than food. James Madison the 4th President of the U.S. said, *"Grace, it is a free gift of God... to neglect grace is to neglect Him."* Just as fish live in an aquarium, Christians live in the grace of God.

Grace is an area where continuous growth is needed. Church is a hospital, not a hotel. We are all struggling with sin. Our gracelessness is a sign that we have stopped growing and that our fellowship with God has been broken. The most miserable person in the world, is a Christian who is out of fellowship with God.

Grace does not avoid speaking the truth, condone sin, or compromise righteousness. Genuine grace draws people toward Christ and His righteousness. Pseudo grace tolerates sin and muzzles those who would speak against it. True Grace does not ignore sin. It recognizes the full ugliness of sin, and offers undeserved pardon and blessing.

Grace allows us to repent - to turn from our sin and to turn to God - to experience forgiveness and undeserved mercy - to restore our fellowship with a Holy God. Richard Blackaby wrote *"Many Christians have lost the wonder of what God's grace has done for them. Our behavior clearly communicates our understanding of God's grace in our lives."* The more aware you are of your need for God's grace, the more generous you will be toward others. Daily dependence on God's mercy causes you to be humble toward God and others. If you are truly grateful for God's forgiveness, you will be quick to forgive others. Grace is a way of life. Can we truly thank God for His forgiveness and then cling to a grudge? Can we truly experience God's mercy and then be unmerciful? It is a great tragedy when a Christian says or does Un-Christ-like things.

E. Stanley Jones said, *"Grace makes you gracious."* The more we mature as Christians... the more aware we are of our own sin... the more humble we become before God and the more gracious we are to others. What would happen if you prayed with sincerity... *"Lord, help me become a person of grace. Let me be a channel of Your grace."*

DEACON NOMINATIONS

Each member can nominate up to five church members to be considered for the Deacon Ministry. Those nominated will then be contacted to see if they are willing to serve if elected. The deadline for nominations is Sunday, **July 12**.

Those who are currently serving and those who are rotating off as deacons are not eligible for election.

ROTATING OFF: CURRENTLY SERVING:

<u>2017-2020</u>	<u>2018-2021</u>	<u>2019-2022</u>
Mike Elliott	Patrick Elliott	Ted Culbreath
Buddy Few	Milton Smith	Jason Ketterman
Bob Howard	Ken Vaughn	Tommy Morgan
	John Ward	

To be eligible for election to the office of deacon, a person must:

- (1) be a member of this church, and
- (2) have been a member of this church for a minimum of one year prior to election, and
- (3) be twenty one years of age or older, and
- (4) not be a paid staff member, and
- (5) not have served as an active deacon for the past twelve months.

Duties of Deacons: The duties and qualifications of the deacons shall be those prescribed by the New Testament in Acts 6:1-8 and 1 Timothy 3:8-13.

- They shall constitute an advisory council in all matters relating to the business affairs of this church and
- Shall assist the pastor in the discharge of his pastoral duties.
- They shall receive reports from the various officers and departments of the church, carefully considering such reports, making such recommendations and suggestions as they may deem judicious and for the best interest of the church.
- They shall be specifically charged with the administering of the Lord's Supper,
- With keeping the membership enlisted in the full program of the church, and
- With promoting peace, harmony and the spirit of cooperation among the membership.
- They shall furthermore serve as a committee of discipline, exercising a special watch-care over the members of the church, and
- Under the leadership of the pastor, make special effort to maintain spiritual harmony and righteous living among the membership of this church.

YOUTH BIBLE STUDY

Sundays * 9:00- 9:45 am * Youth Room

Wednesdays * 6:00 – 6:40 pm * Youth Room

Our youth room is large enough to meet in and practice social distancing. Join us for prayer and Bible study.



DAY BY DAY

WEDNESDAY, June 10 – Revelation 6

4:00 pm Blood Drive
6:00 pm Church Family Prayer Time & Bible Study
6:00 pm Youth Bible Study

THURSDAY, June 11 – Revelation 7

FRIDAY, June 12 – Revelation 8

SUNDAY, June 14 – Revelation 9

9:00 am Sunday School Class for Adults – Fellowship Hall
Sunday School Class for Young Adults – College
Sunday School Class for Youth – Youth Room
10:00 am Worship Service - Sanctuary
Live YouTube Stream & Live Radio Broadcast
6:00 pm Worship Service – Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, June 15 – Revelation 10

TUESDAY, June 16 – Revelation 11

WEDNESDAY, June 17 – Revelation 12

6:00 pm Church Family Prayer Time & Bible Study
6:00 pm Youth Bible Study

THURSDAY, June 18 – Revelation 13

FRIDAY, June 19 – Revelation 14

FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Facebook users can use this resource to invite people to our “in person” and online worship services.

FLOWER CALENDAR

Call or come by the church office to reserve the Sunday you would like to put flowers in the sanctuary.

ONE WAY SUMMER CLUB!

July 13-17 * 9:30 – 11:30 am * Kids ages 5 – 12

Mark your calendar and plan to join us for exciting Bible lessons, missionary stories, fun games, great songs and more. We are looking forward to what God has in store for us! We will be practicing social distancing to the very best of our ability. Advance registration will be required. Look for registration information – coming soon. The Club will be offered in partnership with the Summer Missionaries from Child Evangelism Fellowship of SC.

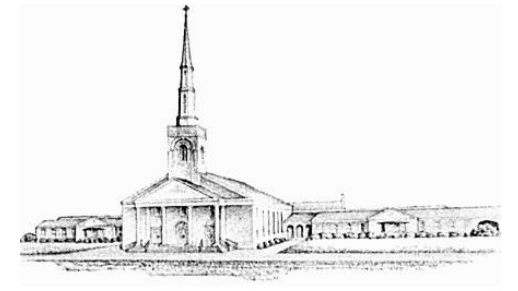


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THE ENCOURAGER

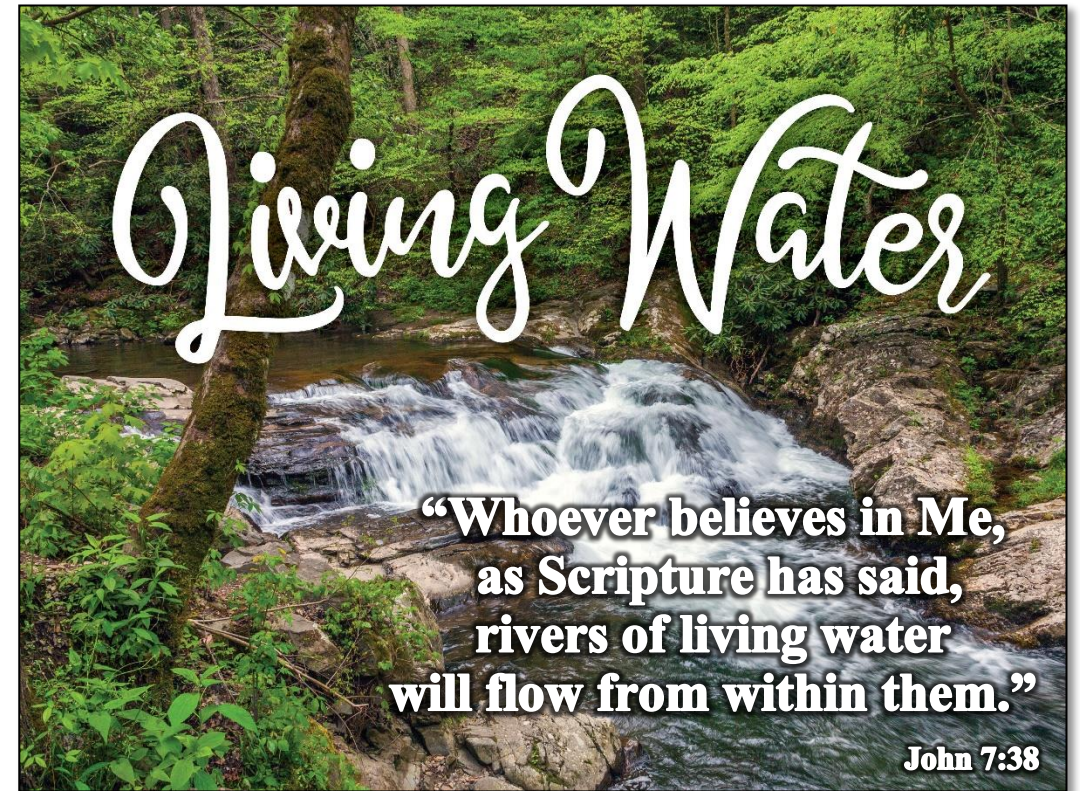
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