WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

9:00 am Sunday School 10:00 am Worship Service 4:00 pm CLC Board Meeting

6:00 pm Bible Study - The Chosen

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

5:30 pm Family Fun Pool Party – 3 Pines 6:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study 6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

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.

BLESSED ARE THE CHOSEN!

Tonight * 6:00 pm * Fellowship Hall

Join us as we conclude our Bible study of the Beatitudes by looking together at the 8th Beatitude - "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness sake, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven." Matthew 5:10

FAMILY FUN POOL PARTY

This Wednesday, June 29 * 5:30 - 7:30 pm * Meet us @ Three Pines Country Club - 255 Plantation Drive Bring your family and friends as we celebrate the end of Vacation Bible School with a pool party that includes food, swimming, fellowship and fun! Please sign up in the church office if you plan to come. Children ages 6 and under must be supervised by a parent or guardian.

THE PARABLES OF JESUS * THIS WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29 * 6:00 PM The Parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector * Luke 18:9-14

THE CHRISTIAN LEARNING CENTER

A New Afterschool Ministry - Beginning August 8 * 4 K - Grade 5 * School Pick Up until 6:00 pm Call for an appointment to register! We are hiring strong Christians who love children. – Call for an application!

DEACON NOMINATIONS

Each member can recommend up to four 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 10. Forms are available in the foyers and church office.

PICTURES OF VETERANS

We would love to show pictures of our Veterans during the "pre-service" next Sunday, July 3. We collected pictures in years past, but would love to add your picture if it has not been included. Please bring your pictures to the church office (or email then) before this Wednesday, June 29.

GREAT START WOODRUFF

Great Start Woodruff is a community effort to provide book bags, school supplies, Bibles, & other resources to the students in District 4 as they prepare for the new school year. This year our church will be purchasing wide ruled composition notebooks. If you would like to contribute, simply indicate "Great Start" on your envelope or online gift.

MINISTRY PARTNERS

Nursery: Iris E, Kayla M (am) T & S Culbreath (pm) Children's Worship - Summer B, Emilee T Welcome Center - Ellie W. Outside Ushers - T Hauser, S Gillespie, C Fain

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 baptisn	1.	
[]	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		

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We Gather for Worship

First Baptist Church Woodruff, South Carolina

The Lord's Day June 26, 2022

Ten O'Clock

Broadcast Live on YouTube and Woodruff Radio 101.7 FM 1510 AM

"Walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God." Ephesians 5:2

Prelude

Call to 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.

Welcome, Scripture Reading and Prayer

Lisa Abercrombie

Galatians 5:22-23

Songs of Grace

Hymn 333 - Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

The Wonderful Cross ('08 Baptist Hymnal 239)

When I survey the wondrous cross, on which the Prince of Glory died; My richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.

See, from His head, His hands, His feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down; Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown.

O the wonderful cross. O the wonderful cross Bids me come and die and find that I may truly live O the wonderful cross, O the wonderful cross All who gather here, by grace, draw near and bless Your name.

Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were an offering far too small: Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

Scripture Reading, Music Meditation and Pastoral Prayer Romans 12 Bryan Thompson

Songs of Faith

By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God in the light of creation's grand design, in the lives of those who prove His faithfulness, who walk by faith and not by sight. By faith our fathers roamed the earth with the power of His promise in their hearts of a holy city built by God's own hand, a place where peace and justice reign.

We will stand as children of the promise;

We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul's reward.

Till the race is finished and the work is done; We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day when the longed-for Messiah would appear with the power to break the chains of sin and death,

and rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith the Church was called to go in the power of the Spirit to the lost, to deliver captives and to preach good news in every corner of the earth.

By faith this mountain shall be moved and the power of the gospel shall prevail, for we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon His name.

Hymn 253 – Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Stewardship Prayer

John Carroll

Children's Moment and Children's Worship

(After the Stewardship Prayer, children are invited to join our pastor at the front - and after the Children's Moment, they are invited to go with our children's worship leaders to Children's Worship.)

Children's Moment

Worship in Song

Adult Choir

Born Again

Message

Andrew Shull

THE AROMA OF CHRIST

Jacob made himself smell like Esau to deceive his father Isaac.

When Isaac caught the smell of his clothes, he blessed him and said, "Ah, the smell of my son is like the smell of a field that the LORD has blessed." Genesis 27:27

Sacrifices are repeatedly described as a "pleasing aroma to God."

The LORD smelled the pleasing aroma and said in His heart: "Never again will I curse the ground because of humans, even though every inclination of the human heart is evil from childhood. And never again will I destroy all living creatures, as I have done." Genesis 8:21

God gave instructions for a unique and exclusive fragrance for worship.

"Do not make any other oil using the same formula. It is sacred, and you are to consider it sacred." Exodus 30:32

The altar of incense was placed at the entrance of the Holy of Holies.

Place the gold altar of incense in front of the ark of the covenant law and put the curtain at the entrance to the tabernacle. Exodus 40:5

<u>Idolatry is condemned – the worship of idols who could not smell.</u>

They have ears, but cannot hear, noses, but cannot smell.

Psalm 115:6

The smoke of incense is mixed with the prayers of the saints.

The smoke of the incense, together with the prayers of God's people, went up before God from the angel's hand. Revelation 8:4

The followers of Christ have a distinct smell.

But thanks be to God, who always leads us as captives in Christ's triumphal procession and uses us to spread the aroma of the knowledge of Him everywhere.

For we are to God the pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing. To the one we are an aroma that brings death; to the other, an aroma that brings life. 2 Corinthians 2:14-16

What should a Christ follower smell like?	
We should smell like His	
We should smell like His	
We should smell like	

Time of Commitment (Hymn 502)

Open My Eyes, That I May See

Benediction

Postlude



C. Andrew Shull, Pastor
John C. Carroll, Minister of Music
Bryan C. Thompson, Associate Pastor for Youth
Lisa C. Abercrombie, Ministry Coordinator
Susan R. Cooper, Pianist
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