

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JULY 2

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Celebration of Freedom – God Bless America!

MY CHAINS ARE GONE!

Leviticus 25:10; Luke 4:16-21

Worship God with us as we celebrate the freedoms that come through our nation's independence and the freedoms that come through our relationship with Jesus.

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.

6:00 PM WORSHIP SERVICE

OUR PRESIDENTS AND THEIR HYMNS

Worship God with us as we highlight several US Presidents and discover which scriptures and hymns helped sustain them through the challenges & crises they faced in their time in office.

SUNDAY, JULY 9

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

SWEET COMMUNION

Revelation 3:20; John 15:5; Matthew 18:20

The presence of Christ makes everything different. Worship with us as we seek the sweet communion Jesus offers to us.

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6:00 PM WORSHIP SERVICE

HYMNS WE LOVE

The Music of Isaac Watts

Isaac Watt's hymns include: *At the Cross; When I Survey the Wondrous Cross; O God, Our Help in Ages Past; My Shepherd Will Supply My Need; Jesus Shall Reign and Joy to the World.* Join with us as we worship the Lord together.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Charlie Babson, 6-29 Bobby Abercrombie, 6-29
Mary Ann Cooper, 7-1 David Skinner, 7-1
Tracy McAbee, 7-1 Laura Reynolds, 7-2
Chou Hang, 7-2 Jennifer Davis, 7-6
Kayla Philbeck, 7-7 Amy Robinson, 7-8
James Duckworth, 7-8 Jacob Ketterman, 7-11
Zane Lanford, 7-11 Caitlin Webster, 7-11
Caden Webster, 7-12 Terry Davis, 7-13

THE LIFE OF JESUS

Church Bible Study

Wednesdays, June 28 & July 12 * 6:00 pm

Join us as we study of the life of Jesus by harmonizing the different Gospel accounts. We will not meet on Wednesday, July 5.



COMMUNION

JULY 9

10:00 AM SERVICE

GLUTEN FREE

Gluten free Communion wafers are available for anyone with this dietary restriction.

WILL YOU BE AWAY ON JULY 9?

If you will be participating in the worship service through our YouTube channel or through the radio broadcast Sunday, July 9, and would like to have a communion set, please stop by the church office or call us, 476-8171, and we will deliver it to you.

EXPERIENCING GOD

Young Couples Bible Study

Beginning Sunday, July 16 * 9:00 am

Come be part of our young couples group as they respond to the invitations God offers to know Him, His purposes and His ways.



YOUTH EVENTS:

BONFIRE AT THE WARD'S

Friday, June 30 * 5:30 pm

500 Anderson Drive – Woodruff

Spirit Works leading in Worship * July 9 * 10:00 am

Pool and Pancakes at the Fortner's

Sunday, July 9 * 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

2 Pearmac Court – Woodruff



Open Court Volleyball – July 11 * 6:30 pm

Carowinds – Friday - July 14 - Meet at church @ 8 am

See Rebekah for all the details.
Join us and invite your friends!

Game Night – July 18

Tubing – July 23

YOUTH REMIND & INSTAGRAM

Instagram – The username for youth activities is – woodruffbeyouth.

Remind for Youth – We will send out special announcements about youth events and activities. Text the message “@f32c8b” to 81010 or email us to sign up.

Remind for Youth Parents - Text the message “@f6b6a8” to 81010 or email us to sign up.



DEACON NOMINATIONS

Each member can nominate two 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 9**. Forms are available in the church office.

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.

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

Rotating off at

The end of Aug.

Terry Hauser

Terry Sumner

Continuing to Serve:

Chris Abercrombie Perry McAbee

Jerald Craig Mark Smith

Patrick Elliott Milton Smith

Nick Fortner James Talanges

Matt Lineberger Ken Vaughn

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.

FELLOWSHIP HALL FLOORS

The tiles in the Fellowship Hall area are scheduled to be refinished and the area will be closed for use July 1 – 8.

CASUAL SUMMER

Please feel free to dress comfortably as you come for worship. Invite friends to come with you!

VBS REPORT

Appreciation is expressed to all who had a part in Vacation Bible School. Our high attendance for the week was 85 on Thursday (63 preschoolers & children & 22 workers.) Our VBS offering of \$267.00 will be sent to the North American Mission Board to support the Byrd family - our missionaries we learned about during Missions. Special appreciation is expressed to JoAnn Waddell who provided ice cream sandwiches for everyone on Thursday and to the Winsome Sunday School Class who provided sandwiches, chips, cookies and drinks for the VBS picnic we enjoyed on Sunday. Continue to pray that God will use the Scripture verses, stories, songs, crafts & other expressions of love in the hearts of our VBS children.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Evening group meets each Thursday at 6:30 pm

The Morning group will resume July 10 at 11:00 am

We are exploring the seven I AM statements of Jesus found in the Gospel of John. Join us!

CLC SUMMER CAMPS

Please continue to pray for the children and staff of the Christian Learning Center as we show the love of Christ to our community this summer.

Camp Schedule:

Math (June 26-30) Sports (July 10-14)
Olympics (July 17-21) S.T.E.A.M. (July 24-28)
Lego (July 31 – Aug. 4) School Prep. (Aug. 7-11)

Volunteers are still needed for some of our camps.

Contact Julie Carroll 476-3141 if you can help.

JULY CHURCH CONFERENCE

Sunday, July 16 – After the Morning Worship Service

ONLINE GIVING

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

TIMELY ALERTS

We are using *Remind* to send out “timely alerts” (schedule changes, death announcements, etc.) Text the message “@wfbc1787” to 81010 or email us to sign up.

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

Each Sunday * 10:00 am

Woodruff Radio WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM

UPWARD SOCCER

We are seeking to determine the interest level for our church to sponsor an Upward Soccer League for Woodruff Community children in the Spring of 2024. Please let us know if you would like to help with this effort.

FINANCIAL REPORT

	June 18	June 25	2023
Budget Needs	\$ 8,754.71	\$ 8,754.71	\$ 227,622.46
Budget Offering	\$ 5,489.51	\$ 10,854.75	\$ 244,787.61
Over/(Under)	(\$ 3,265.20)	\$ 2,100.04	\$ 17,165.15
Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts			
Over & Above		\$	435.00
Stewardship Fund		\$	16.80
Theology Class		\$	150.00
Youth Fund		\$	50.00

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

*We extend our love and prayerful support to
The Family of Molly Irby.*

BIBLICAL WORLD VIEW & APOLOGETICS COURSE

For the 10th year we have the opportunity to offer a Bible course during the school day for Woodruff High School students. Andy Watson will be sharing teaching & transportation responsibilities with our pastor as he has the last four years. We will provide the students with Bibles & with 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 toward the cost of Bibles and books, 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.

WHS FOOTBALL TEAM

Fellowship of Christian Athletes Camp

Brett Sloan, the WHS Head Football Coach is planning to take 40-50 players to FCA Camp the week of July 13 and has asked the churches in our community for help. The young men will hear great speakers who will present the truth of the gospel and will compete in various football and team building activities. The cost is \$170.00 per student. We will make a contribution as a church but also wanted to receive a love offering for this life changing opportunity. To contribute, mark "FCA" on your contribution envelope or online gift.

MINISTRY PARTNERS

JULY 2: Welcome Center: T & T Sumner

Nursery: X Dotson & J Yarbray (am) & M & E Ward (pm)

C Worship: Lorraine F & Corey F O Ushers: Mark S & Jason K

JULY 9: W Center: P & T McAbee

Nursery: P & C Fain (am) L Morgan & T Sumner (pm)

Children's Worship: Amanda W & Abby Jo F

Outside Ushers: James T & Matt L.



DAY BY DAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

6:00 pm Church Bible Study – Live on YouTube

7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

6:00 pm Web Team Meeting

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

FRIDAY, JUNE 30

5:30 pm Youth Bonfire at the Ward's

SUNDAY, JULY 2

9:00 am Sunday School

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

5:00 pm Spirit Works

6:00 pm Worship Service

TUESDAY, JULY 4

OFFICES CLOSED

SUNDAY, JULY 9

9:00 am Sunday School

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

4:00 pm Youth – Pool & Pancakes at the Fortner's

6:00 pm Worship Service

MONDAY, JULY 10

11:00 am Ladies' Bible Study – Builders' Room

TUESDAY, JULY 11

6:30 pm Youth – Open Court Volleyball

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

6:00 pm Church Bible Study – Live on YouTube

7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, JULY 13

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

FRIDAY, JULY 14

8:00 am Youth to Carowinds



Our **Church Office** will be closed on
Tuesday, July 4
in celebration of **Independence Day.**

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 Mark Smith
Cp-Ham Terry Sumner and Perry McAbee
Han-Lc Milton Smith and Matt Lineberger
Li-Or James Talanges and Ken Vaughn
Os-Ta Terry Hauser and Jerald Craig
Tb-Z Chris Abercrombie and Patrick Elliott

Thank You



Thank you for your continued support to this outreach ministry. God is truly blessing this ministry, and we give Him all the glory. Many thanks again.

Woodruff Soup Kitchen.

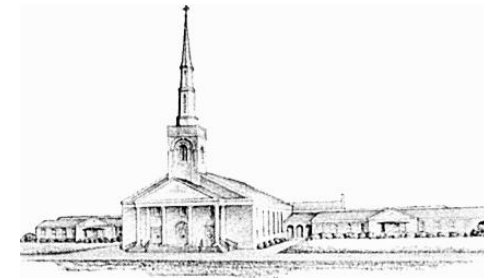
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Helping Hands ministries of Woodruff

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

June 28 – July 11, 2023



Regular Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am – 12:30 pm

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Rebekah Wireman, Summer Youth Associate

Susan R. Cooper, Pianist

Bobbie Cox, Church Secretary

Tommie Jo McAbee, Site Manager