#### PREPARING FOR SUNDAY! 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

SUNDAY BLUEGRASS

Milton Smith, Mike Elliott, Skip Scott and special guests Abe Darling, Kevin Ward and Joey Warner WHAT WILL YOU DO WITH JESUS?

Matthew 27:1.2, 11, 26: Mark 15:1.15

Matthew 27:1-2, 11-26; Mark 15:1-15 Luke 23:1-25; John 18:28 – 19:16

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 INTERACTIVE BIBLE STUDY

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE CHOSEN?

"You Are Established" Isaiah 43:14-15

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

John Michael Soza, 3-27 James Westmoreland, 3-29

Rowan Elliott, 3-27 Othella Bernard, 3-29 Buddy Few, 4-2

Patrick Babson, 3-30 Cathy Grubbs, 4-2

#### THE PARABLES OF JESUS

Join us on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm as our lives are changed through a detailed study of Jesus' incredible parables.

#### March 23

The Parable of the Two Sons Matthew 21:28-32 The Parable of the Tenants Matthew 21:33-46

#### March 30

The Parable of the Wedding Banquet
Matthew 22:1-14
The Parable of the Ten Virgins
Matthew 25:1-13



#### WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE CHOSEN?

Interactive Bible Study Sunday, March 27 \* 6:00 pm

Join us for a great time of discussion and spiritual growth as we take part in a character driven Bible study written by the creators of *The Chosen*. This week's episode 'You Are Established' features the story of Jesus' conversation with Nicodemus (John 3:1-21) and the call of Matthew (Matthew 9:9-13; Mark 2:14-17; Luke 5:27-32.)

#### SUNDAY BLUEGRASS

This Sunday Morning, March 27 \* 10:00 am
Join us for Sunday Bluegrass. Milton Smith, Mike
Elliott, Skip Scott and special guests Abe Darling,
Kevin Ward and Joey Warner will be leading the music
portion of our worship service. Invite family and friends
to come with you. We give thanks and glory to God for
the way He has been at work!

#### **AUDIO / VISUAL TEAM TRAINING**

This Sunday, March 27

We are recruiting folks who are willing to assist on a rotating basis with our church sound system, projection or streaming. We will be having a training session this Sunday, March 27 immediately following the morning worship service in the sanctuary. Lunch (soup & sandwiches) will be provided. Please contact us if you would be willing to serve on one of these teams and let us know if you will be able to take part this Sunday.

#### LAKE BOWEN FISH CAMP

This Thursday, March 24 \* 4:30 pm

Join us for a night out to the Lake Bowen Fish Camp in Inman. Sign up in the church office if you would like to ride the bus. We plan to leave the church back parking lot at 4:30 pm.

#### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Come be part of the morning group or the evening group.

#### Mondays \* 11:00 am \* Builders' Room

Led by Sandy Farmer & Lisa Abercrombie

A fresh study – About Gideon: Your Weakness, God's

Strength by Priscilla Shirer will begin this Monday,
March 28. The study will encourage you to recognize
your weakness as the key that the Lord gives you to
unlock the full experience of His strength in your life.

Thursdays \* 7:00 pm \* Builders' Room

Led by Christy Thompson

#### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays \* 6:30 pm

"No More Excuses" by Tony Evans urges men to stop looking at their circumstances as excuses and instead to see them as challenges and opportunities for success. Exploring examples of men of God throughout the Bible, this study will challenge you to lay down your excuses, stop compromising, and fight to be a man of character and commitment. Despite your setbacks, failures, and pressures, you can find purpose, meaning, and direction in life and become the man God has called you to be.

#### ONLINE GIVING

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



#### SEASON OF PRAYER

For Missions in North America North American missionaries depend on your prayers. They are taking the gospel to a region

of 366 million people where the spiritual and cultural divides are deep and growing. Only the love of Christ can bring true unity and transformation.

Please consider what you will give to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering as we seek to reach the people of North America.

#### SUMMER YOUTH CAMP

The youth will be going to MFuge camp at Ridgecrest, NC – July 13-17. Cost is \$354 per person and a \$60 non-refundable deposit will be due by Sunday, April 3. If you would like to reserve a spot, please see Bryan Thompson. The "M" in MFuge stands for "missions." The camp is designed to be a combination of traditional summer camp (like Centrifuge) and mission projects. Join us for a fantastic time of fellowship, discipleship and missions service

#### YOUNG COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY

All young couples are invited to join us for Bible study on Sunday mornings. It meets at 9:00 am in the room next to the youth room.

#### CHRISTIAN YOUTH IN ACTION

Child Evangelism Fellowship Summer Missionaries
High school and college students (Ages 15-21) will be
conducting Bible clubs in backyards, churches, day care
centers, apartment complexes and recreation centers;
wherever children are in the Upstate this summer. At the
clubs, the children learn fun songs, powerful memory
verses, exciting Bible lessons, true missionary stories,
play games and have an opportunity to receive Jesus as
their Savior. Contact Rachel Abercrombie, the church
office or cefspartanburg.com/cyia.html for more
information about becoming one of this year's summer
missionaries.



#### GREAT START WOODRUFF

Great Start Woodruff is a community effort to provide book bags, school supplies, Bibles, haircuts & other resources to the students in District 4 as they prepare for the

new school year. (Presently District Four has 2,904 students — Over 64% qualify as Title I.) **Be praying about this & let us know in the church office if you have contacts with businesses or other organizations who could help.** 

#### 2022 FLOWER CALENDAR

Call or come by the church office to reserve the Sunday you would like to put flowers in the sanctuary in 2022.

#### PRAY FOR UKRAINE

With the recent Russian invasion of Ukraine, we join all those in Eastern Europe in praying for peace. We know that God is sovereign in all situations, and Scripture reminds us that He is close to the broken-hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. We keep our focus on Him, asking for His protection of the innocent and trusting that His justice will prevail. Pray with us that Jesus Christ would be glorified through the crisis in Eastern Europe, and that Southern Baptists would remain vigilant in meeting the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of those who are suffering.

— Dr. Paul Chitwood, International Mission Board President

Through Send Relief, IMB personnel and their local partners are actively ministering to Ukrainians escaping the escalating war. 100% of your gift is used to provide emergency supplies, water, shelter and clothing and show the love of Christ in practical ways. Give today to bring help and the hope of Christ to hurting Ukrainian families at imb.org/Ukraine or simply mark "Ukraine" on your contribution envelope or online gift to the church.

#### LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

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

#### JOIN US FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL!

A Place to Grow and Belong! Each Sunday \* 9:00 am

#### **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.

#### **GIFTS TO THE GLORY OF GOD!**

Over & Above Fund
In Memory of Genny Morrison
Walter & Linda Garrett

#### FINANCIAL REPORT BUDGET Mar 20 Needs \$ 8,962.37 \$107,548,44 \$ 10,354.00 \$113,509.24 Offering \$ 1,391.63 Over/(Under) \$ 5,960.80 **Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts** Over & Above Fund 50.00 Annie Armstrong 510.00 Stewardship Fund 3.75 25.00 FCA Ukraine Fund 675.00 Thrift Family 20.00 Ladies Spring Tea 80.00 Men's Ministry 103.00



#### PALM SUNDAY CELEBRATION

Children are invited to take part in the procession of palms, streamers, & banners. If you would like for your child to take part, please bring them to the front foyer of the sanctuary at 9:50 am on Sunday, April 10.



### PALM SUNDAY LUNCHEON & EASTER EGG HUNT

Palm Sunday, April 10

Everyone is invited to bring a well filled basket of food & join us for a covered dish luncheon. Following our meal we will share the Easter story & prepare for our Egg Hunt. Please help support this event by contributing **individually wrapped candy or prizes**. Contact Lisa if you would like to volunteer to help with the activities.

#### **MENTORS NEEDED**

ROAD678 is an at-risk youth program ministering to students from Woodruff Middle School. The group meets at the Woodruff Community Center on Thursdays from 3:00 – 6:00 pm. In addition to mentoring opportunities there are lots of fun activities and programs that teach biblical principles and other life skills. Contact the church office for information about how to volunteer. If you would like to help sponsor a student (field trips, birthdays, food, and summer camp) simply include "ROAD678" on your envelope or online gift.

#### **HEARTS FOR SCHOOLS**

Would you consider donating fruit snacks or contributing funds for their purchase? The school identifies children who have a need for food over the weekend. Bags are then packed for the children to take home on Fridays.

#### **HOUSE FIRE LOVE OFFERING**

Lee and Courtney Robertson Thrift's house was damaged in a fire. If you would like to help with a financial contribution simply mark "house fire" on your contribution envelope or online gift.

#### **FCA**

The Woodruff High School Fellowship of Christian Athletes is seeking support to send students to camp, host local events, speakers, t-shirts, food and expenses. If you would like to contribute to the love offering we will send from the church, simply designate an amount & mark it "FCA" on your contribution envelope or online gift.



#### DAY BY DAY

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23

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 24**

4:30 pm Sr Adult Outing – Lake Bowen Fish Camp

7:00 pm Ladies Bible Study

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 27**

9:00 am Sunday School

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

11:00 am Audio/Visual Team Training

4:00 pm Deacon's Meeting

6:00 pm Bible Study – What Does It Mean to Be Chosen?

#### MONDAY, MARCH 28

11:00 am Ladies Bible Study

#### **TUESDAY, MARCH 29**

6:30 pm Men's Bible Study

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30

3:15 pm Children leave for Circus

5:45 pm Mission Friends (4 & 5 year olds)

Youth Lighthouse (grades 6 – 12)

6:00 pm The Parables of Jesus - Live on YouTube

6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

#### **THURSDAY, MARCH 31**

7:00 pm Ladies Bible Study

#### MINISTRY PARTNERS – MAR 27

Nursery: C Thompson, A Junge (am)
T Sumner & L Morgan (pm)
Children's Worship – C A Talanges, E Thompson
Welcome Center – E Westmoreland

Outside Ushers – T Hauser, S Gillespie, C Fain

#### FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Facebook users can use this resource to invite people to our events and services.

#### 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

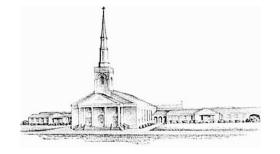
#### THANK YOU!

Dear Church Family, Thank you for all the prayers, cards, visits and food during my surgery and recuperation over the last several weeks. **Rickey Forrester** 

## 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 March 23, 2022

### SUNDAY BLUEGRASS

Join us this Sunday morning at 10:00 am



So Jesus came out, wearing the crown of thorns and the purple robe. Pilate said to them,

# "BEHOLD THE MAN!"

John 19:5, ESV

#### Regular Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Friday 8:00 am – 12:30 pm

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