

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**SUNDAY, MAY 16**

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:00 am Worship Service  
- Live on Radio & YouTube  
11:00 am May Church Conference  
6:00 pm Bible Study  
- *Better Decisions, Fewer Regrets*

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 19**

6:00 pm *Walking Through The Bible* - Live on YouTube;  
Mission Friends; Children's Choir;  
Youth Lighthouse  
6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

**FRIDAY, MAY 21**

6:00 pm Family Parking Lot Party

**MONDAY, MAY 17**

7:00 pm Women's 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.

**MAY CHURCH CONFERENCE**

**This Morning after the Morning Worship Service**

Financial reports, Over and Above project updates and other church business will be presented and discussed.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY – "HOW TO READ YOUR BIBLE"**

Monday, May 17 \* 7:00 pm \* Builders' Room

**FAMILY PARKING LOT PARTY!**

Friday, May 21 \* 6:00 - 7:30 pm \* Back Parking Lot

Join us for a wonderful family event! Bring your wheeled toys, lawn chairs & friends. We will have corn dogs, corn hole, yard games & then some. Sign up in the office if you plan to attend.

**GRADUATE RECOGNITION**

We are preparing for Graduate Recognition Day **next Sunday, May 23**. If you know of someone who could be included in this service, please contact the church office.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

*Concrete & Cranes - Jesus our strong foundation!*

Wednesdays in June (June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30) \* 5:30 – 7:30 pm \* K4 – Grade 5

**TIMELY ALERTS**

Our church has begun using *Remind* to send out texts and emails when the normal methods of communication will not reach people in time (schedule changes, death announcements, etc.) **If you would like to receive these "timely alerts" text the message "@wfbcl1787" to 81010 or email us and we will sign you up.**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOKS**

The Sunday School quarterlies for June, July, and August have arrived. Pick them up in Sunday School, or the table in the foyer. Help us deliver them to those who are not able to be with us.

**MINISTRY PARTNERS**

Children's Worship – Tammy S, Jaden J  
Nursery: Bobby & Lisa A (am) Zane & Rebecca L (pm)

**MY DECISION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

**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 \_\_\_\_\_

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# We Gather for Worship

First Baptist Church  
Woodruff, South Carolina

The Lord's Day

May 16, 2021

Ten O'Clock

*Broadcast Live on YouTube and Woodruff Radio 101.7 FM 1510 AM*

**And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ. Philippians 1:9-10**

Prelude

Call to Worship

*O Church, Arise*

**O Church, arise and put your armor on; hear the call of Christ our Captain; For now the weak can say that they are strong in the strength that God has given. With shield of faith and belt of truth we'll stand against the devil's lies; An army bold whose battle cry is "Love!" reaching out to those in darkness.**

**Our call to war, to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor; And with the sword that makes the wounded whole we will fight with faith & valor.**

**When faced with trials on every side, we know the outcome is secure, And Christ will have the prize for which He died —an inheritance of nations.**

**Come, see the cross where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God is stricken; Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen!**

**And as the stone is rolled away, and Christ emerged from the grave, This victory march continues till the day every eye and heart shall see Him.**

**So Spirit, come, put strength in every stride, give grace for every hurdle, That we may run with faith to win the prize of a servant good and faithful.**

**As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace, We hear their calls and hunger for the day when, with Christ, we stand in glory.**

Welcome and Prayer

Andrew Shull

Worship in Song

Adult Choir

*The Rock on Whom We Stand*

Scripture Reading and Prayer

Bryan Thompson

Matthew 24:4-14

Congregational Singing

*'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*

**'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, just to take Him at His Word; Just to rest upon His promise, just to know, "Thus saith the Lord!" Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him! How I've proved Him o'er and o'er! Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! Oh, for grace to trust Him more!**

**O How sweet to trust in Jesus, just to trust His cleansing blood;  
 Just in Simple faith to plunge me neath the healing, cleansing flood!  
 I'm so glad I learned to trust Him, precious Jesus, Savior, Friend;  
 And I know that He is with me, will be with me to the end.**

*Find Us Faithful*

**Oh may all who come behind us find us faithful;  
 May the fire of our devotion light their way.  
 May the footprints that we leave lead them to believe,  
 And the lives we live inspire them to obey.  
 Oh may all who come behind us find us faithful.**

Children's Worship

(As we sing *By Faith* children age 4 – grade 2 are invited to go with our children's worship leaders.)

*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.**

Message

Andrew Shull

“FAITH LIKE MOSES”

2 Timothy 3:1-9

*God empowered Moses to face a culture that had turned away from God.  
 We need God's power in a world where the love of most has grown cold.*

- A D \_\_\_\_\_ Faith** – living differently than the world.
  - Love for God (first and foremost) not \_\_\_\_\_ (love of pleasure.)
  - Humility (putting others' before yourself) not \_\_\_\_\_ (love of self.)
  - Generosity (an overflowing heart) not \_\_\_\_\_ (love of money/things.)
  - Benevolence (seeking good) not \_\_\_\_\_ (intending evil.)
  - Relationships of Integrity (healthy) not \_\_\_\_\_ (causing harm.)
  - Freedom (redemption) not \_\_\_\_\_ (addicted and compelled.)
  - Powerful (genuine) not \_\_\_\_\_ (religion without relationship.)
- A D \_\_\_\_\_ Faith** – being able to determine what is true.
  - All supernatural events are \_\_\_\_\_ of God.
  - The nature of deception is \_\_\_\_\_ mixed with error.
  - False teaching \_\_\_\_\_. What you believe matters.

God's \_\_\_\_\_ can be abused and misused.  
 There is a difference between being spiritual and being \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Truth is resisted, denied and \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Opposition to God can only go so far. One day it will be \_\_\_\_\_.

- A D \_\_\_\_\_ Faith** – learning to rely on the power of God.
  - Based on the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Wrapped in God's \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Fully \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Seeks to protect those who are \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Prepared to give an answer for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Grounded in love for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Displayed in love for \_\_\_\_\_.

Time of Commitment

*Speak, O Lord*

**Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to receive the food of Your Holy Word.  
 Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness,  
 That the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love & our deeds of faith.  
 Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us all Your purposes for Your glory.  
 Teach us, Lord, full obedience, holy reverence, true humility;  
 Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity.  
 Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority.  
 Words of power that can never fail, let their truth prevail over unbelief.  
 Speak, O Lord, & renew our minds; help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us.  
 Truths unchanged from the dawn of time that will echo down through eternity.  
 And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,  
 And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.  
 Speak, O Lord, till Your Church is built and the earth is filled with Your glory.**

Benediction

Postlude

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

*Kay M. Young, Pianist  
 Carol R. Morgan, Secretary  
 Tommie Jo McAbee, Site Manager  
 Randy C. Rhodes, Site Manager*