

# We Gather for Worship

First Baptist Church  
Woodruff, South Carolina

The Lord's Day

May 2, 2021

Ten O'Clock

Broadcast Live on YouTube and Woodruff Radio 101.7 FM 1510 AM

**No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; He will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, He will also provide a way out so that you can endure it. 1 Corinthians 10:13**

Prelude

Welcome and Prayer

Lisa Abercrombie

Congregational Singing

Seek Ye First

Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, Alleluia!

Ask and it shall be given unto you, seek and ye shall find, knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, Alleluia!

Reflection

Andrew Shull

If We Will Seek the Lord

Worship in Song

Adult Choir

My Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading and Prayer

Bryan Thompson

Hebrews 4:12-16

Congregational Singing

It Is Well With My Soul

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, When sorrows like sea billows roll; Whatever my lot, Thou has taught me to say, It is well, it is well, with my soul.

It is well, with my soul, it is well, with my soul, It is well, and it is well, with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, Let this blessed assurance control, that Christ has regarded my helpless estate, And hath shed His own blood for my soul.

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought; My sin, not in part, but the whole is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more, Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled back as a scroll, the trump shall resound, And the Lord shall descend, even so, it is well with my soul.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, MAY 2

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:00 am Worship Service –  
Live on Radio & YouTube  
4:00 pm Deacons' Meeting  
5:00 pm Reaching Our Neighbors  
Planning Meeting  
6:00 pm Bible Study - Fellowship Hall  
*Better Decisions, Fewer Regrets*

### MONDAY, MAY 3

11:00 am Depart for Strawberry Hill  
7:00 pm Women's Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 5

3:00 pm Blood Drive  
5:30 pm Youth Outing – Cici's Pizza  
6:00 pm *Walking Through The Bible* – Live on YouTube;  
Mission Friends; Children's Choir  
6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, MAY 6

12:00 pm National Day of Prayer – The Beacon  
6:30 pm National Day of Prayer – McKinney Park

## 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.

### BETTER DECISIONS, FEWER REGRETS \* TONIGHT \* 6:00 PM

Good questions lead us to better decisions. Join us for this special study of God's word.

### REACHING OUR NEIGHBORS – PLANNING MEETING

Tonight \* 5:00 pm \* Fellowship Hall

### LUNCH AT STRAWBERRY HILL

Monday, May 3 \* Sign up in the Office \* Meet at the church at 11:00 am

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

Monday, May 3 \* 7:00 pm \* Builders' Room

### BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, May 5 \* 3:00 - 6:00 pm \* \$20 gift card for each donor

### YOUTH OUTING – CICI'S PIZZA

Wednesday, May 5 \* Leaving Church at 5:30 pm, returning around 7:30 pm \* Cost \$5.00

### NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER – THURSDAY, MAY 6

Spartanburg Observance – 12:00 pm at The Beacon \* Woodruff Observance 6:30 pm at McKinney Park

### MOTHER'S DAY

Next Sunday, May 9 \* 8:45 am

Make plans to join us as we celebrate Mother's Day with muffins with moms.

### MINISTRY PARTNERS

Children's Worship – Lorraine F, Grace C Nursery: Tommie Jo M, Laurie G AM Christy T, Heather E 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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*In Christ Alone*

In Christ alone my hope is found; He is my light, my strength, my song;  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease;

My Comforter, my All in All; Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone who took on flesh; fullness of God in helpless Babe.  
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.

'Til on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied;

For every sin on Him was laid. Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay; Light of the World by darkness slain.

Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!

And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me;

For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death this is the power of Christ in me.

From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.

No power of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand.

'Til He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

Children's Worship

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

*New Doxology*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost.

Let earth and heavenly saints proclaim

The power and might of His great Name;

Let us exalt on bended knee;

Praise God, the Holy Trinity.

Praise God, praise God, praise God, who saved my soul;

Praise God, praise God, praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise to the King, His throne transcends;

His crown and Kingdom never end;

Now and throughout eternity;

I'll praise the One who died for me.

Worship in Song

Ethan and Jenna Carroll

*I Shall Not Want*

Message

Andrew Shull

“SEEK HELP!”

**Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love Him.** James 1:12

\_\_\_\_\_ motivates faithfulness.

\_\_\_\_\_ is more important than life or death.

**When tempted, no one should say, “God is tempting me.” For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He tempt anyone. But each person is tempted when they are dragged away by their own evil desire and enticed. Then, after desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, gives birth to death.** James 1:13-15

Don't blame \_\_\_\_\_ or anyone else.

See the age old pattern – desire, deception, disobedience, \_\_\_\_\_.

**Don't be deceived, my dear brothers and sisters. Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows. He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all He created.** James 1:16-18

God wants to help you. \_\_\_\_\_ His help.

God's plans for you are \_\_\_\_\_.

Time of Commitment

*Just a Closer Walk with Thee*

I am weak but Thou art strong; Jesus keep me from all wrong  
I'll be satisfied as long as I walk, let me walk close to Thee.

Just a closer walk with Thee, Grant it, Jesus, is my plea,  
Daily walking close to Thee, Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

Thro' this world of toil and snares, if I falter, Lord, who cares.

Who with me my burdens shares. Not but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee.

When my feeble life is o'er, time for me will be no more;

Guide me gently safely o'er to Thy Kingdom shore, to Thy shore.

Benediction

Postlude

**Tonight \* 6:00 pm**  
Fellowship Hall

**The Legacy Question**  
“What story do I want to tell?”

**The Conscience Question**  
“Is there a tension that deserves my attention?”

**Good questions lead to better decisions!**

*C. Andrew Shull, Pastor*

*Bryan C. Thompson, Associate Pastor for Youth*

*John C. Carroll, Minister of Music*

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