PREPARING FOR WORSHIP **SUNDAY. OCTOBER 22** 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE WHAT WOULD CAUSE YOU TO CHANGE? Luke 16:19-31

Join us in person or, by way of live stream or radio broadcast WOUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM or later on the church YouTube channel. An order of service will be posted on our web site.

> 7:00 PM OUTDOOR MOVIE "Joshua"

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH YOUR BLESSINGS? Luke 12:13-21

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 GREAT PUMPKIN FELLOWSHIP Pumpkin Carving & Chili Contest

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Sara Hix. 10-23

Linda Rhodes, 10-27 Tommy Woodward, 10-28 Melody Cooper, 10-28 Vicki Rae Smith, 10-30 Stan Hix, 10-31 Mason Smith, 10-31 Bryan Lloyd, 11-01 Judy Cooper, 11-01 Vicky Clark, 11-2 Julie Carroll. 11-5

Christy Thompson, 10-25 Jonathan Clark, 10-26 Kristin Orr. 10-27 Scott Hix, 10-30 Melanie Garner, 10-31 Susan Culbreath. 11-01 **Emilee Thompson**, 11-01 James Talnges, 11-01 Chrisy Thompson, 11-4 **Tommie Jo McAbee, 11-5**

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Our church family grieves the death of Kay Shaver.

We extend our love and prayerful support to her husband Randy Shaver, her children, family and friends.

CONGRATULATIONS!

We celebrate with Jonathan & Candace Clark in the birth of their daughter, Scottie Jane Clark, born October 13. Scottie weighed 6 lbs & is 18 inches long. She is the granddaughter of Billy & Sandy Farmer.

YOUTH MINISTER NEEDED

If you know of a college student, young adult or seasoned adult that is a follower of Christ who loves young people, please share this opportunity with them.



OUTDOOR MOVIE Sunday, Oct. 22 * 7:00 pm Join us for this season's Christian outdoor movie. We will use a

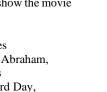
large screen (28 feet wide) & will broadcast the sound through speakers & over a radio frequency. You are welcome to enjoy the movie from your car or from lawn chairs (bring your own car or lawn chair.) Invite friends & family. Our youth will be selling Little Debbie's, popcorn and drinks. There is no admission charge. If it is raining, we will show the movie in the Fellowship Hall.

"JOSHUA"

Rated G Runtime 91 minutes Starring: Tony Goldwyn, F. Murray Abraham, Kurt Fuller, Stacy Edwards Music by: Michael W. Smith, Third Day, Jaci Velasquez, Mark Schultz, Point of Grace

What would happen if Jesus were to take up residence in a small town? A mysterious man named Joshua who appears in a small town named Auburn and begins changing the lives of everyone He meets, simply by being around them. The film is based on the

LADIES



crackers. (See Lisa to help) Also - Bring a pumpkin and be part of our Carving Contest. We will have prizes for both events. The best prize will be having you join us!

Dinner is

Served!

Family "M" Night

Meal, Music

Missions

TRUNK OR TREAT Tuesday, October 31 * 6:00 pm **FBC Front Parking Lot**

.FAMILY "M" NIGHT

Wednesday, Oct. 25 * 6:00 pm

Everyone is invited for our second

Meal, Music and Missions Night

(M Night.) We will enjoy breakfast

for supper around the tables, a

devotion time, music from our kids

choirs, reports on what our kids are learning in

Missions and work on our October Missions

project. Sign up in the church office if you plan to

attend. (Our next Family "M" Night will be Nov. 29

with a special visitor from the North! Be sure to join us!)

GREAT PUMPKIN FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, October 29 * 6:00 pm

Bring a pot of your favorite homemade chili & enter into

our Chili Cook off. Sign up in the office to enter. You

can also volunteer to make corn bread muffins or bring

Make our church the first stop on your Trick or Treating route. A portion of

the front parking lot will be set up for children to receive candy & prizes. We will invite people in our community to come and be part of the life of our church. Those who would like to give out candy are encouraged to call the church office & sign up so that we can reserve a parking space for you. Please help support this event by bringing individually wrapped candy or prizes and placing in the box in the office.

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.

- Matt Lineberger and John Ward A-Co
- Cp-Ham Perry McAbee and Milton Smith
- Han-Lc Jerald Craig and Ken Vaughn
- Li-Or Patrick Elliott and Nick Fortner
- Mike Elliott and Tommy Morgan Os-Ta
- Tb-Z Mark Smith and James Talanges

CHRISTMAS PICTURES

Our Sanctuary Choir will be presenting The Heart of Christmas during our morning worship service on Dec. 17. They would love to feature pictures of your family celebrating Christmas (distant or recent past) during part of the service. Please email them to the church office (office@fbcwsc.org) or bring them by and we can scan them and give them back to you.



SOCCER COACHES **NEEDED!!**

We need 12 coaches for the spring.

Applications for coaches are available on our church website. Experience is not required. Plavbooks are provided with step by step instructions as well as helpful videos.

What is required:

- A personal relationship with Jesus Christ
- A love for God and for people
- One hour for practice either on Monday, Tuesday, or Thursday
- Coach one game a week on Saturdays March 16 -May 11 with no games scheduled Mar. 30 or Apr. 6

WINTER YOUTH RETREAT **December 28-30 * Pigeon Forge**

Please let us know as soon as possible if you would like to be part of the group from our church attending this year's Strength to Stand Conference.

WORSHIP IN SONG November 12 * 6:00 pm

We look forward to this heartfelt time of worship as different people from our congregation provide special music. Contact John Carroll or our pastor if you or your group would like to help us worship through song.



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS You are invited to help decorate our

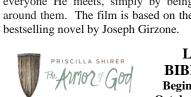
sanctuary during the Christmas Season by giving to help purchase poinsettias In Memory of or In Honor of a loved one. Your donation (of any amount) will help offset the cost of the 8 - 10" poinsettias the church will purchase. Forms are available in the church office. The deadline is Sunday, Nov. 26.

SENIOR ADULT TRIP

Come join us on a Fall Retreat to Pigeon Forge, Tennessee - November 13-15. The trip includes lodging at The Ramada Inn, transportation, the Array Christmas show, breakfast at the hotel each morning, & dinner at the Applewood Farmhouse. All you need is money for shopping, one dinner & three lunches. Total cost for trip - \$185. \$65 Deposit will reserve your spot. Sign up in the church office! We must have 15 to make this trip possible. Spread the word!

LADIES NIGHT OUT A Candlelit Christmas Save the Date: Saturday, December 2

Ladies make plans to join us for an elegant evening. We will have a wonderful meal, entertainment and be waited on by our handsome men. More details to come soon but see Lisa if you would like to host a table.



Ladies, we are at war - everyday things rage around

we start an action plan for putting on our armor and

developing a personalized strategy to secure victory

against the enemy. All ladies are invited to join us as

we begin The Armor of God by Priscilla Shirer. See

CHURCH PARKING LOTS

Panagakos Asphalt Paving is working on our parking

lots. Our church ministries (Wednesday night Activities,

Theology Classes, Ladies Bible Study, Christian

Learning Center, etc.) will still operate and the Church

Office will remain open, but portions of the parking lot

may be closed. Please park in the sections that are open

and look for signs directing you to the door that we will

PARENTS NIGHT OUT!

Friday, November 17 * 6:00 -8:00 pm

Parents enjoy a night to yourself while your kids have fun

here at church. We will enjoy supper, a movie, games and

crafts. Please sign up in the office by Wed. Nov. 15 if

Lisa to order your book.

be using for that ministry.

your child plans to join us!

us. The enemy wants to defeat us. Come join was as

BIBLE STUDY Beginning Monday,



FINANCIAL REPORT

Budget Needs Budget Offering Over/(Under)	Oct. 8 \$ 8,754.71 \$ 6,465.80 \$ (2,288.91)	Oct. 15 \$ 8,754.71 \$ 5,985.00 \$ (2,769.71)	2023 \$ 367,697.82 <u>\$ 369,120.90</u> \$ 1,723.08
Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts			
Stewardship Supplies		\$	14.30
Senior Adult Retreat		\$	620.00
Janie Chapman Offering		\$	151.00
OVER and ABOVE		\$	600.00
Use of the Church		\$	50.00
Church Outing – Stewart Farms		\$	30.00
Stewart's Farm Outing		\$	390.00
Theology Class		\$	50.00
Ladies' Bible Study Books		\$	150.00
Wednesday Night Dinner		\$	5.00

GIFTS TO THE GLORY OF GOD!

WORK OF THE CHURCH

In Honor of Andrew Shull's 28 Years of Ministry In Honor of Lisa Abercrombie's 10 Years of Ministry **Bob and Julia Howard**

> In Honor of Betty Rhodes **Daniel and Melissa Craig**

OVER and ABOVE

In Honor of Andrew Shull **Tommie Jo McAbee Carol Morgan**

In Honor of Tommy Westmoreland **Tommie Jo McAbee**

In Honor of Betty Rhodes Jane C. Turner **Carol Morgan Buddy and Loretta Burdette Tommie Jo McAbee**

In Memory of Michiko Phillips **Carol Morgan** In Memory of Kay Shaver

Jane C. Turner



OVER and ABOVE Heating & Air for the South Wing Fund Balance: \$18,116.64 as of 10/3/23 Gifts to the OVER and ABOVE fund will go toward the purchase of a new heating and air unit for the south wing (youth wing) of the church. October giving to date \$646.00

ONLINE GIVING

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



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

5:45 pm Music & Missions, Youth Lighthouse 6:00 pm Church Bible Study – Live on YouTube 7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19** 6:00 pm Website Team Meeting

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22 9:00 am Sunday School 10:00 am Worship Service - Live on Radio & YouTube 7:00 pm Outdoor Movie - "Joshua"

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

11:00 am Ladies' Bible Study - Builders' Room WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

6:00 pm Family "M" Night 7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29**

9:00 am Sunday School 10:00 am Worship Service - Live on Radio & YouTube 4:00 pm Deacons' Meeting 6:00 pm Great Pumpkin Fellowship **MONDAY, OCTOBER 30** 11:00 am - Ladies' Bible Study - Builder's Room **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31** 6:00 pm Trunk or Treat - FBC Front Parking Lot

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MINISTRY PARTNERS

OCTOBER 22: Greeters: Stormy S & Sharon V Outside Ushers: Scott G Levi G Cory F C Worship: Lindsey T & Bryson O Nursery: Lisa & Bobby A

OCTOBER 29: Greeter: Catherine H Outside Ushers: Mark S Jason K Nursery: Lynn M & Joy F Children's Worship: Summer B & Emellia W

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST Each Sunday * 10:00 am Woodruff Radio WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM



"Many blessing for your support and prayers for the soup kitchen. We are so blessed to have

wonderful churches in our community to support this outreach ministry. Many thanks again."

Woodruff Soup Kitchen

"Please know your faithful support is deeply appreciated." Javne McOueen, Mobile Meals

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 October 18 - 31, 2023



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