

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8**

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:00 am Worship Service  
1:00 pm Family Day at Stewart Farm

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 9**

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

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11**

5:45 pm Music & Missions, Youth Lighthouse  
6:00 pm Church Bible Study – Live on YouTube  
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

**WELCOME!**

We are glad you are here and pray that God will use this service of worship in a powerful way in your life. If you are new here, please fill out one of the cards in the pew rack & place it in the offering plate or give it to our pastor.

**FBC FAMILY DAY AT THE FARM \* TODAY \* 1:00 PM**

Stewart Farms - 6472 Hwy 92, Enoree SC 29335

Bring your picnic baskets or take out food & join us for a picnic at the farm. We will meet at Stewart Farm, eat, enjoy a devotion together (1:30 pm) & then take part in the fall activities. Bring your lawn chairs, friends, & families. The cost is \$10/person for a pie pumpkin, wagon ride, small corn maze, farm animals and bee exhibit, but there is no cost to picnic, watch the fun, and enjoy the fellowship! The larger corn maze is an additional \$4 for ages 6 & up (free for those under age 6.)

**CHURCH PARKING LOTS**

Panagakos Asphalt Paving has been working on our parking lots. They have already put some major patches in place & plan to return this week to work on cracks, sealing and restriping the parking spaces. 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 be using for that ministry.

**SOUTH CAROLINA MISSIONS & BARBEQUE**

Next Sunday, October 15 \* 6:00 pm \* Fellowship Hall

Join us for BBQ (with sauces from across SC) served over rice or with buns and an opportunity to learn about and pray for missions in SC. Nick Fortner and Terry Sumner are our BBQ Chefs. All are welcome!

**CARE VISITS \* MONDAY, OCTOBER 16 \* 10:00 AM**

Join us as we spread cheer to our church friends in care facilities. We will leave from the church to visit with our friends and then enjoy lunch together. Please sign up in the office if you plan to join us!

**HARE AND THE HOUND DAY OUT \* TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17 \* 11:00 AM**

Sign up in the office & travel with us for lunch in Landrum with shopping at the nearby stores.

**UPWARD SOCCER – HELP US RECRUIT COACHES FOR THIS SPRING**

Registration is open on our church website (\$70 per player.) Each player will receive a reversible jersey with a pair of socks, practice cards, a soccer ball, a poster for award stars and an end of season medal.

**LADIES NEW BIBLE STUDY \* BEGINNING MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 \* 11:00 AM**

All ladies are invited to join us as we begin The Armor of God By Priscilla Shirer. See Lisa to order your book.

**MINISTRY PARTNERS:** Greeters: P & T McAbee Outside Ushers: James T & Matt L

Children's Worship: Amanda W & Abby Jo Nursery: Jennifer Y & Lindsey T

**MY DECISION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Information \_\_\_\_\_

**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

**October 8, 2023**  
**Ten O'Clock**

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

**Search me, God, and know my heart;  
test me and know my anxious thoughts.  
See if there is any offensive way in me,  
and lead me in the way everlasting. Psalm 139:23-24**

Prelude

Worship in Song

Andrew Shull

*Mr. Simon*

Pastoral Prayer

Welcome

Lisa Abercrombie

Gathering

*The Name of the Lord*

**Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be the name of the Lord,  
Blessed be the name of the Lord most high!**

**Holy is the name of the Lord, holy is the name of the Lord,  
Holy is the name of the Lord most high!**

**The name of the Lord is a strong tower the righteous run into it and they are safe!**

**Glory to the name of the Lord, glory to the name of the Lord,  
Glory to the name of the Lord most high!**

Worship in Song

Sanctuary Choir

*Beautiful Savior*

Hymns of Praise

*Open the Eyes of My Heart* (08 Baptist Hymnal 66)

**Open the eyes of my heart, Lord. Open the eyes of my heart;  
I want to see You, I want to see You;  
To see You high and lifted up, shining in the light of Your glory.  
Pour out Your power and love as we sing, "Holy, Holy, Holy!"  
Holy, Holy, Holy! Holy, Holy, Holy! Holy, Holy, Holy! I want to see You!**

*O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer*

**O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer - Greatest treasure of my longing soul!  
My God, like You there is no other - True delight is found in You alone!  
Your grace, a well too deep to fathom - Your love exceeds the Heaven's reach!  
Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom - My highest good and my unending need!**

**O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer - Strong defender of my weary heart.  
My sword to fight the cruel deceiver - And my shield against his hateful darts.  
My song, when enemies surround me - My hope, when tides of sorrow rise.  
My joy, when trials are abounding - Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night.**

**O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer - Gracious Savior of my ruined life.  
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders  
- In my place You suffered bled and died.  
You rose, the grave and death are conquered!  
You broke my bonds of sin and shame.**

**O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer - May all my days bring glory to Your Name!**

Stewardship Prayer

John Carroll

Offertory and the Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Hymn 138 v. 1

*At Calvary*

Hymn 253

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Children's Moment and Children's Worship

(After we sing the Doxology, children are invited to join our pastor at the front.  
And after the Children's Moment, children (age 4 – grade 2) are invited  
to go with our children's worship leaders to Children's Worship.)

Children's Moment

Hymn

*Yet Not I but Christ Through Me*

**What gift of grace is Jesus my Redeemer!  
There is no more for Heaven now to give.  
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom,  
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace.  
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus. For my life is wholly bound to His.  
Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.**

**The night is dark, but I am not forsaken. For by my side, the Savior He will stay.  
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing for in my need, His power is displayed.**

**To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me,  
Through the deepest valley He will lead.  
Oh, the night has been won, and I shall overcome!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.**

**No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven. The future sure, the price it has been paid.  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon  
And He was raised to overthrow the grave.  
To this I hold, my sin has been defeated. Jesus now and ever is my plea.  
Oh, the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
With every breath I long to follow Jesus.  
For He has said that He will bring me home.  
And day by day I know He will renew me. Until I stand with joy before the throne.  
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus. All the glory evermore to Him.  
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!**

Reflection

WHO IS THE TABLE FOR?  
Luke 18:9 - 14

Andrew Shull

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Hymn 145 v. 1 & 2 *Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed*

Reflection – The Body of Christ

Hymn 145 v. 3 & 4 *Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed*

Reflection – The Blood of Christ

Hymn 144 v. 1 & 2 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

Reflection - Thanksgiving

Hymn 144 v. 3 & 4 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

Time of Commitment (Hymn 308)

*Pass Me Not O Gentle Savior*

Benediction

Postlude



**FBC FAMILY DAY  
AT THE FARM**  
Today \* 1:00 pm  
**STEWART FARMS**  
6472 Hwy 92, Enoree SC 29335

*C. Andrew Shull, Pastor*

*John C. Carroll, Minister of Music*

*Lisa C. Abercrombie, Ministry Coordinator*

*Susan R. Cooper, Pianist*

*Bobbie Cox, Church Secretary*

*Tommie Jo McAbee, Site Manager*