

## PREPARING FOR SUNDAY, SEPT 25

**9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**

*Called Church Conference*

MUSIC FROM THE HEART

**“Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord!” Ephesians 5:19**

We asked the choir to choose and present some of their favorite songs for this special service of worship. Join us as we worship God through songs He has placed in our hearts.

*Join us in person or, by way of live stream or radio broadcast WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM or later the church YouTube channel.*

*An order of service will be posted on our web site.*

**6:00 PM BIBLE STUDY**

RESILIENCY

When life knocks you down, can you get back up? Resiliency is the ability to recover and continue. Join with us as we discover what the Bible teaches about how to be resilient in the face of life's difficulties.

Fellowship Hall

## CONGRATULATIONS!

We celebrate with **Matt and Megan Lineberger** in the birth of their daughter, **Kinsley Austen Lineberger**. Kinsley was born on September 14. She is the sister of **Emery & Brayden**, granddaughter of **Terry & Tammy Sumner**, the great-granddaughter of **Sam & Sheila Stribling** and the niece of **Corey & Paige Fain**.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**Wayne Waddell**, 9-25 **Leola Richardson**, 9-27

**Ted Culbreath**, 9-27 **Eddie Brooks**, 9-28

**Marcia Ward**, 9-28 **Martha Jean Lanford**, 9-29

**Sandra Hix**, 9-29 **Michael Green**, 9-29

**Shelby Hart**, 9-30 **Charles Brown**, 10-1

## JAMES: LIVING CHRIST'S WISDOM

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

Join with us for a fresh verse by verse study of the book of James. Decaf coffee, tea, hot chocolate, and cider are provided.

## LAKE BOWEN FISH CAMP

**Thursday, September 22 \* 4:30 pm**

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

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

*A Place to Grow and Belong*

**Each Sunday \* 9:00 am**

## CALLED CHURCH CONFERENCE

**This Sunday, September 25 \* 10:00 am**

At the beginning of our worship service, we will have a balloted vote to see what time our congregation prefers to meet for worship on Sunday mornings – 10:00 or 11:00 am. Woodruff Radio WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM is willing to broadcast our worship service live at either time.

## UNITY IN THE COMMUNITY

**This Friday, September 23 \* 5:00 pm**

Area churches will coordinate together to provide a massive tailgate experience and outreach event prior to the Woodruff vs. Broome game. See Lisa Abercrombie if you would like to serve. Wear your Unity in the Community T-Shirt or maroon & gold.

## SEE YOU AT THE POLE

*A Global Day of Student Prayer*

**Wednesday, September 28**

Students and the community are invited to participate. **Woodruff Primary & Elementary Schools – 7:30 am**  
**Woodruff Middle & High Schools – 7:15 am**

## CHURCH WORKDAY

**Next Saturday, October 1 \* Beginning at 8:00 am**

Join us as we tackle some of our easy to reach outdoor painting. Contact us if you are not able to be with us on that Saturday but would like to help at a different time.

## PEANUT BOIL

**Boiled and Roasted Peanuts**

**Next Sunday, October 2 \* After the Evening Service**

## FBC FAMILY DAY AT THE FARM

**Sunday, October 9 \* 1:00 pm**

**Stewarts Farms \* 6472 Hwy 92, Enoree SC 29335**  
Bring your picnic baskets or take out food and join us for a picnic at the farm. We will meet at Stewarts Farm, eat, enjoy a time of devotion together (1:30 pm) and then take part in the wagon rides, picking pumpkins, a small corn maze, and farm animals. Bring your lawn chairs, friends, and families. The cost is \$9/person if you want to participate in the fall activities (includes 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 will be an additional \$5. Please sign up in the office if you plan to join us. Everyone is invited!

## OUTREACH TEAM

We are putting together a team to help organize and energize our church's outreach efforts. Contact Matt Lineberger, Tommie Jo McAbee, Tommy Morgan or Bob and Julia Howard to be part of this effort.

*With Love and Appreciation for*

**CAROL MORGAN**

We give thanks to God for Carol and for her ministry through our church office. She will complete her twelfth year of service this Tuesday, September 27. We are so grateful for all the ways that Carol uses her gifts & allows her love for the Lord to shine through her life. She goes over and above her job description on a daily basis to minister and care for the people of our congregation and community. Please continue to pray for her as she serves in Jesus' name. Carol plans to retire from her role as our church secretary at the end of this year.

## SENIOR ADULT FELLOWSHIP

**Tuesday, October 11 \* 11:45 am**

Join us for a wonderful time of food, fellowship, and inspiration. Music guest Van Broad will be singing. Ken and Lynn Vaughn will be cooking hotdogs. Please sign up in the church office if you plan to attend.

## SENIOR ADULT RETREAT

**November 14 - 16 \* Myrtle Beach**

The retreat package includes a 2 night stay at the Dayton House Resort; The Carolina Opry Christmas Show, 2 breakfasts & 2 dinners: Benjamin's Calabash Seafood, Chesapeake House, as well as shopping at Tanger Outlet. Sign up ASAP through a \$89.00 deposit. Total cost of trip is \$189 per person.

## AUDIO / VISUAL TEAM

We are actively recruiting folks who are willing to assist on a rotating basis (or be able to fill in) with our church sound system, projection, and streaming. Let us know if you would be willing to serve.

## WEB SITE TEAM

We are establishing a working group to review the current website with the goal of creating a more dynamic and engaging “front porch” for our church. Much of the work will focus on reviewing a variety of other websites and identifying designs that allow us to provide additional information with a more modern presentation. We welcome anyone that has an interest in webpage development, branding, creative design, and sharing news about our church. You don't need technical skills to be part of this group. If you are interested in working on this important project, please email Sam Cooper at [scoop341@hotmail.com](mailto:scoop341@hotmail.com) or contact the church office. The first meeting will be in early October.

## USHERS

We would like to resume the practice of having ushers serve inside the sanctuary during our worship services. Please contact us if you would be willing to be part of the ushers' ministry on a rotating basis.

## WOODRUFF HIGH SCHOOL COURSE

We are teaching two classes of WHS Seniors at the church during the school day (27 students.) If you would like to help with the cost of Bibles & books simply mark an envelope ‘Theology Class.’ Thank you for your support of this incredible opportunity.

## MINISTRY PROPOSALS

The Stewardship Committee will soon begin the process of putting together a church budget for 2023. Contact the church office if you would like a Ministry Proposal form. Ministry Proposals are **due this Sunday, September 25.**

## GIFTS TO THE GLORY OF GOD!

Whether you give through bank draft, online giving, through the mail or in person, we are very grateful for your gifts to the Lord's church. We give thanks for the Lord blesses & multiplies as we seek to be faithful to the mission, He has entrusted to us in Woodruff & beyond.

### Work of the Church

*In Memory of Evelyn Bryson*

**Bobby & Lisa Abercrombie**

**Carol Morgan**

**Pat Hunter**

**Mike & Michelle Barbour**

*In Memory of Lonnie Shull*

**Ken & Lynn Vaughn**

*In Memory of Ron Majeska*

**Bobby & Lisa Abercrombie**

*In Memory of Jimmy Fortner*

**Pat Fortner**

Over & Above Fund

*In Memory of Evelyn Bryson*

**Donald Eng**

*In Memory of Ron Majeska*

**Jane Turner**

Theology Class

*In Memory of Lonnie Shull*

**Lenn & Cindy Craig**

*In Memory of Ken Morrison*

**Lenn & Cindy Craig**

WFBC Christian Learning Center

*In Honor of Julie Carroll & Teachers*

**John & Jennifer Pearson**

## FINANCIAL REPORT

	<u>Sept 18</u>	<u>2022</u>
Budget Needs	\$ 8,962.37	\$340,570.06
Budget Offering	\$ 5,496.60	\$301,316.73
Over/(Under) Budget	(\$ 3,465.77)	(\$ 39,253.33)

### Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts

Stewardship Fund	\$	16.00
Over & Above	\$	150.00
WFBC Christian Learning Center	\$	200.00
Janie Chapman	\$	35.00
Theology Class	\$	100.00
Youth Winter Retreat	\$	75.00



## “CONNECT”

### Season of Prayer for

#### Missions in South Carolina

Join with other believers in praying for the people of South Carolina and our efforts to share hope with them. Please prayerfully consider your gift to the Janie Chapman Offering for State Missions.

## BACKPACKS FOR APPALACHIA

### This Week: Pop Top Cans of Food

(Vienna sausages, SpaghettiOs, Ravioli, Fruit)

We will be collecting a different item each week to put in the backpacks for children in Appalachia. There will be a box in the front foyer to place your items in. A full list of items is available in the church office & on our church website on the “extra” page. If you would like to donate money, please write Appalachia on your envelope.

## GOOD NEWS CLUB SNACKS

We are excited about the number of kids we have signed up for Good News Club (over 120.) The club (grades 3-5) meets at Woodruff Elementary School on Thursdays from 2:30 – 4:00 pm. You can help by donating snacks (small water bottles, snack size goldfish, cheezits, etc) or by making a donation. Thanks for helping us bless the kids in our community with the Good News!

## HEARTS FOR SCHOOLS

The school identifies children who have a need for food over the weekend. Volunteers from area churches come together to pack the supplies that are sent home with them on Fridays (currently 150 bags each week.) Our church is contributing fruit gummy snacks. If you would like to help, please bring boxes by the office, or contribute by marking Hearts for Schools on your envelope. Thanks!

## LADIES BIBLE STUDIES

**Mondays \* 11:00 am \* *Discerning the Voice of God***

**Thursdays \* 7:00 pm \* *None Like Him***

## CHRISTIAN LEARNING CENTER

**An Afterschool Ministry (4 K – Grade 5)**

Consider designating a special gift to the church that can be used to support the ministry of the Christian Learning Center. A scholarship fund to help families with their tuition expenses has been established. There is also a link to the CLC Amazon Wish List on our church web page. Thank you for your support of this incredible ministry.

## LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

**Each Sunday \* 10:00 am**

**Woodruff Radio WQUL 101.7 FM 1510 AM**

## DAY BY DAY

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

5:45 pm Missions & Music (4 years to grade 5)

Youth Lighthouse (grades 6-12)

6:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study – Live on YouTube

6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

1:00 pm Helping Hands Golf Classic – 3 Pines

2:30 pm Good News Club – Woodruff Elementary

4:30 pm Lake Bowen Fish Camp

7:00 pm Ladies Bible Study – *None Like Him*

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

5:00 pm Unity in the Community

4:30 pm Chonda Pierce Concert

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

10:00 am Ladies Painting Fun

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

9:00 am Sunday School

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

6:00 pm Bible Study – Fellowship Hall

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

11:00 am Ladies Bible Study - *Discerning the Voice of God*

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

7:15 am See You At the Pole - WMS, WHS

7:30 am See You At the Pole - WPS, WES

5:45 pm Missions & Music (4 years to grade 5)

Youth Lighthouse (grades 6-12)

6:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study – Live on YouTube

6:45 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

2:30 pm Good News Club – Woodruff Elementary

7:00 pm Ladies Bible Study – *None Like Him*

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

8:00 am Church Work Day

## 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 Mark Smith**

**Cp–Ham Terry Sumner and Perry McAbee**

**Han–Lc Milton Smith and Matt Lineberger**

**Li–Or James Talanges and Ken Vaughn**

**Os–Ta Terry Hauser and Jerald Craig**

**Tb–Z Chris Abercrombie and Patrick Elliott**

## TIMELY ALERTS

We are using *Remind* to send out “timely alerts” (schedule changes, death announcements, etc.) Text the message “@wfbcl787” to **81010** or email us to sign up.

## MINISTRY PARTNERS – SEPT 25

Welcome Center: K & X Dotson

Nursery: C Thompson, A Junge (am)

I Elliott, M Ward (pm)

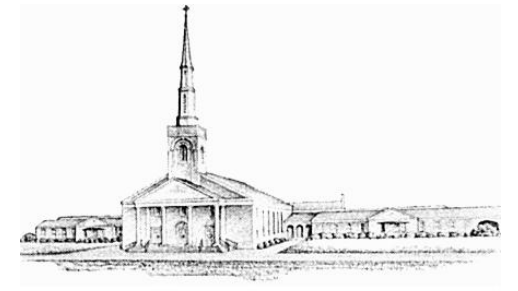
Children’s Worship: C A Talanges, H Ward

Outside Ushers: S Gillespie, L Gillespie, C Fain

# THE ENCOURAGER

“...to prepare all God’s people for the work of Christian Service to build up the body of Christ.”

[www.fbcwoodruff.org](http://www.fbcwoodruff.org)



**First Baptist Church \* Woodruff, South Carolina**

**September 21, 2022**



I will praise the  
*name of God*  
with a song;  
I will magnify him  
*with thanksgiving.*

Psalm 69:30

### Regular Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am – 12:30 pm

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**C. Andrew Shull, Pastor**

**Bryan C. Thompson, Associate Pastor for Youth**

**John C. Carroll, Minister of Music**

**Lisa C. Abercrombie, Ministry Coordinator**

**Carol R. Morgan, Secretary**

**Susan R. Cooper, Pianist**

**Tommie Jo McAbee, Site Manager**