

PREPARING FOR SUNDAY!

Sunday Morning Prayer * 9:00 am

Sunday School * 9:45 am

A SLOWER PACE

Exodus 20:8-11; 31:12-17

Worship Service * 11:00 am

WHERE IS YOUR TREASURE?

Matthew 6:19-24

Worship Service * 6:00 pm

Annual Peanut Boil

Rev. Dick Williams

Pastor of Green Pond Baptist Church, preaching

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Melody Cooper

191 Edwin Lanford Road

Woodruff, SC 29388

Deacons: Tommy Morgan & Milton Smith

Sara Cooper

636 Lundquist Drive

Spartanburg, SC 29301

Deacons: Tommy Morgan & Milton Smith

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Martha Jean Lanford, 9-29

Sandra Hix, 9-29

Shelby Hart, 9-30

Charles Brown, 10-1

Michiko Phillips, 10-2

Isabella Hang, 10-2

Jeff Hix, 10-4

Achim Hunt, 10-4

Laura Lee, 10-5

SEE YOU AT THE POLE

A Global Day of Student Prayer

Wednesday, September 25

Students and the community are invited to participate.

WPS & WES – 7:30 am * WMS & WHS – 7:15 am

PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY

Join us on Wednesday nights for our Church Family Prayer Time at 6:00 pm and then at 6:30 pm for a verse by verse study of the Gospel of Mark.

JOIN THE ADULT CHOIR!

Rehearsals Each Wednesday * 6:30 pm

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT

(A Chapter a Day with Your Family of Faith)

Will you make a commitment to read through the New Testament with your church family? If you would like a morning reminder, text @bibleam to 81010. If you would like an evening reminder, text @biblepm to 81010.
Wed., Sept. 25 – Matthew 22 Mon., Sept. 30 – Matthew 26
Thurs., Sept. 26 – Matthew 23 Tues., Oct. 1 – Matthew 27
Fri., Sept. 27 – Matthew 24 Wed., Oct. 2 – Matthew 28
Sun., Sept. 29 – Matthew 25 Thurs., Oct. 3 – Acts 1

ANNUAL PEANUT BOIL

Boiled and Roasted Peanuts

This Sunday, September 29

After the Evening Service

We have invited the congregation of Green Pond Baptist Church to join us for worship and for the Peanut Boil. Their pastor, (and former FBC Deacon) **Dick Williams** will be preaching.

GOLDEN AGE FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday, October 2 * 11:45 am

Join us for great food & fellowship! All are welcome!

Hosts: **Judy Davidson, Lottie Caldwell,**

Dayna Chumley, and Jim Skinner.

Devotional: **Rex Skinner**

Our program guests will be: **Danny Nicholson.**

Danny, a gifted song writer, performer and speaker, is the president of Connie Maxwell Children's Home and author of the book My Own Backyard: A Lifetime Collection of Stories, Poems and Songs.



YOUTH FIFTH QUARTER

Come join us at fifth quarter after the WHS vs. Newberry football game on Friday, October 4. Everyone is invited. Come and bring your friends.

ADOPT A WPS STAFF MEMBER

We are coordinating an effort to have people from the Woodruff area churches adopt a staff member at Woodruff Primary School. The goal is for an encouraging relationship to be formed through notes, tokens of appreciation & for prayer requests to be sent back to the churches. (If you are teaching a class of three year olds, you need all the prayer support you can get.) We are looking for people who will be willing to participate. See our pastor if you would like to be part of this team.

Season of Prayer For

MISSIONS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

God is at work in SC to *pave the way* for people to hear the gospel. Join in what God is doing as you pray for state missions and as you give to the Janie Chapman Offering.

SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER

Each Sunday * 9:00 am

Join us each Sunday morning in the choir room as we come together to lift the concerns of our hearts to God's throne of mercy and grace.

OVER AND ABOVE PROJECT

\$81,594.84 has been contributed! We give thanks and look forward to these projects being accomplished!

WOODRUFF HIGH SCHOOL COURSE

We are teaching two classes of Woodruff High Seniors at the church during the school day (16 students in one class and 17 students in the other.) Andy Watson is partnering with our pastor. Thank you for your prayers and your support of this incredible opportunity.

OLD TIMEY PICNIC

Sunday, October 6 * After Worship Service

Set aside Sunday, October 6 for our Church wide Old Fashioned Picnic on the Grounds. Invite your friends and family as we picnic together and join in some good fellowship. Our Sunday School will host this event, but all the Church is included. Wear casual, comfortable clothes that Sunday. Weather permitting, we will set tables up under the portico and enjoy lots of good food and fun. We hope everyone will sign up for games. God has blessed us with a wonderful Church family, and this will be an added time to enjoy that family.

FAMILY NIGHT @ STEWART FARMS

Sunday, October 27 * 4 – 7 pm

We are headed to Stewart's Farm! (6472 Hwy 92, Enoree SC 29335). Join us for wagon rides, pumpkins, a small sunflower maze, drinks, and s'mores around the bonfire! The cost is \$5/person if you want to participate in the fall activities (includes a pie pumpkin, wagon ride, and small corn maze), but there is no cost to eat, watch the fun, and enjoy the fire and fellowship! The larger Sunflower Maize will be an additional \$5. We will have evening worship service around 6:00 pm so bring your lawn chair. Please sign up in the office if you plan to join us so we can plan for the snacks. See Lisa if you have any questions. Everyone is invited!

YOUR OFFERINGS

A portion of each dollar you place in the offering plate goes to support the Agape Care Center. Established in 2016, the Agape Care Center provides supper, linens, beds, shower facilities, laundry facilities, devotions, breakfast, case management, clothes and referrals for other services for homeless men. The center strives to serve the Lord through all of its services. The aim is to demonstrate God's goodness by providing rescue and recovery services in Jesus' name. Pray for Leslie Caldwell and the staff of the Agape Care Center as they seek to be the hands and feet of Jesus to the hurting in our community.

2019 MINISTRY SUPPORT BUDGET

The Stewardship Committee will begin meeting on October 3 to prepare a proposed budget for 2020. **Please pray for this group as they seek the Lord's will for our church.** They plan to present the proposed budget to the church for discussion at our Church Conference on Sunday evening, November 10 and for a vote on Sunday morning, November 17.

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 ninth year of service this week. She joined our church staff on September 27, 2010. We are so grateful for all the ways that Carol uses her gifts and allows her love for the Lord to shine through her life. We are grateful to the Lord for Carol. Please continue to pray for her as she serves in Jesus' name.

CALLING ALL SENIOR ADULTS

Come join us on a **Fall Retreat to Pigeon Forge, Tennessee** - November 11-13. The trip includes lodging at The Ramada Inn at Music Road, transportation, two Christmas shows, 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 - \$178. \$50 Deposit -to reserve your spot. A 2nd payment of \$50 is due by October 2 with \$78 balance due by November 1. Sign up in the church office! We must have 20 to make this trip possible. Spread the word!

GOOD NEWS CLUB

Tuesdays * 2:45-4:00 pm * Woodruff Elementary

Let us know if you can come & help us share the good news of Jesus Christ with the children of our community.

STOP BY FOR COFFEE

**Each Sunday before Sunday School
at the Welcome Center.**

Woodruff Community Revival OFFERING REPORT

\$ 3,726.10 was given during the Woodruff Community Revival. Checks for \$ 745.22 will be sent this week to Helping Hands Ministries, the Woodruff Area Soup Kitchen, the Woodruff Community Clothes Closet, the Agape Care Center and the Woodruff Community Center. To God be the glory!

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE	Sept 22	
Nursery	5	
Children	12	
Youth	7	
Adults	62	
Total Attendance	86	
BUDGET	Sept 22	2019
Needs	\$ 8,838.91	\$335,878.58
Offering	<u>\$ 8,858.18</u>	<u>\$321,746.67</u>
Over/(Under)	\$ 19.27	(\$ 14,131.91)
Additional Offerings Given for Special Accounts		
Over & Above	\$	10.00
Fall Community Revival Offering	\$	3,726.10
Fall Community Revival Speaker	\$	200.00
Janie Chapman	\$	256.00
Sr Adult Fall Retreat	\$	606.00
WHS Theology Class	\$	75.00

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

5:00 – 5:45 pm * Cost: \$3.00

This Wednesday, September 25

Sloppy Joes, Tater Tots, Green Beans,
Drink & Dessert

Next Wednesday, October 2

Eggs, Sausage, Gravy, Biscuits, Fruit, & Drink
Turn in a Reservation card or call (476-8171) or
email us (office@fbcwsc.org) by **Monday
afternoon, Sept 30**, so that we will know how
much food to prepare.

USHERS

We give thanks for our ushers & their ministry to our congregation & to our guests. Our ushers serve on a rotating basis one Sunday each month. If you would like to join one of our ushering teams, please contact the church office.

“STORYING”

Sunday, October 13 * 6:00 pm

Join us for a creative service held around the tables in the Fellowship Hall. At each table we will learn and practice the techniques of “storying” – a wonderful way to help people know the joy and peace that come through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

NIGHT OF FAVORITES

Sunday, October 20 * 6:00 pm

Join us for a wonderful service as we lift our hearts and voices in praise of Almighty God. Music touches our hearts and strengthens our relationship with God. As we sing your favorite songs we would love for you to share with the congregation (either by speaking, or by writing something for our pastor to read, or by pre-recorded video) why that song is meaningful to you. We will also include reflections and favorite worship songs from different people in history. Contact John Carroll or our pastor and let us know your favorite songs.

North Greenville University's ACT II

Sunday, October 27 * 11:00 am

Join us and invite friends and family for a powerful dramatic presentation by students from North Greenville University.

FOSTER PARENT MEETING

There is will a prospective foster parent informational meeting Saturday, October 5, 1:30 pm at the Woodruff Public Library. There are more foster children in South Carolina than there are foster families. Please consider becoming a foster parent. If you have any questions, please call Amber Barrick, 828-707-7726.

DAY BY DAY

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 – Matthew 22

7:15 am SYATP – WMS & WHS
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5:00 pm Wednesday Night Supper
5:45 pm Preschool & Children's Choirs, Youth Lighthouse
6:00 pm Church Family Prayer Time
6:30 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study, Mission Groups,
Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 – Matthew 23

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 – Matthew 24

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 – Matthew 25

9:00 am Sunday Morning Prayer
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
6:00 pm Worship Service
7:00 pm Annual Peanut Boil and Roast

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 – Matthew 26

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1 – Matthew 27

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2 – Matthew 28

11:45 am Golden Age Fellowship
5:00 pm Wednesday Night Supper
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LOOKING FURTHER AHEAD

SCBN Celebration at Mt. Zion – November 3
SC Baptist Convention at The Mill – November 11 & 12
Ministry in Grief – November 17
Friday Family Fun Night – November 22
Community Thanksgiving Service – November 24
Community Outreach Meal – November 27

CAMPUS MINISTRY MEAL

Our church has been asked to prepare the meal for the students of the Spartanburg Baptist Collegiate Ministry on **Thursday, October 10**. Contact us if you would like to help.

A PLACE TO GROW AND BELONG!

Join us this Sunday for Bible Study! There is a small group for everybody. Contact the church office or stop by the Welcome Center if you need help knowing which class would best meet your needs.

ONLINE GIVING

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

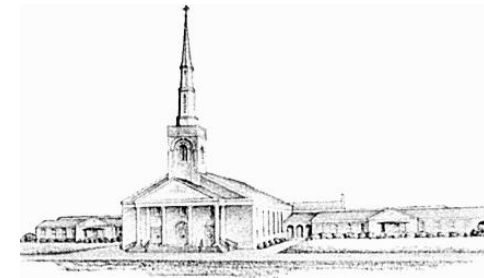
SHARING THE MINISTRY – SEPT 29

Counting: K Vaughn, D Chumley, J Turner Notes: John W
W Center: T & D Bailey B Pressure: N Fortner
Nursery: Iris E, K Foster pm: B & L Abercrombie
C Worship: Vicky C, Jonathan C
Ushers: Tommy W, Hugh M (c) J Craig,
D Babson (f) R Foster (p) K Vaughn (o)
Outside Ushers: M Smith, C Brown, T Sumner

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

September 25, 2019

Store up for
yourselves treasures in
heaven...



For where your treasure is,
there your heart will be also.

Matthew 6:20-21

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
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