

The Informer

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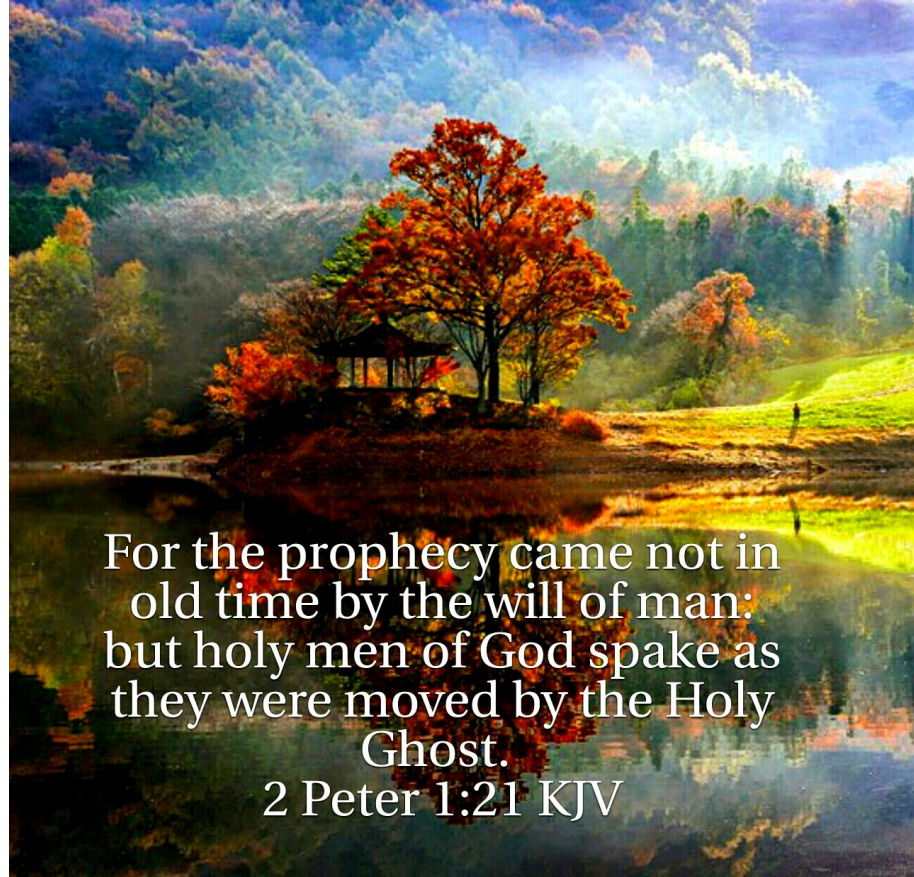
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Love God Supremely, Love Others as Yourself, Share the Gospel of Jesus

Interim Pastor

Music Director
Sandra Daubard

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For the prophecy came not in
old time by the will of man:
but holy men of God spake as
they were moved by the Holy
Ghost.
2 Peter 1:21 KJV

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, 2/5/23
 Sunday School 10:00am
 Morning Worship..... 11:00am
 Deacons Meeting..... 1:00pm
 Praise Band..... 4:00pm
 Discipleship Training..... 5:00pm
 Evening Worship..... 6:00pm

Monday, 2/6/23
 Handbell Practice..... 6:00pm

Tuesday, 2/7/23
 Constitution & By-Law..... 5:30pm

Wednesday, 2/8/23
 Children's Choir..... 6:30pm
 Prayer and Bible Study..... 6:30pm
 Adult Choir Practice..... 7:30pm

Thursday, 2/9/23
 Bible Study..... 6:00pm

SERVANTS February 5, 2023

Tellers

Joe Oswald, Charles Carlson

Lord's Prayer

Jacob Oswald

Church Monitor

Jacy Birt

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Sadie Kinard-Oaks at Salem Road, 109 Old Salem Road, Beaufort, SC 29902

Lorine Speck - 123 Gibson Rd. Unit 12 Lexington SC. 29072

JEH Nursing Home:

Jean Ferguson, Catherine Loadholt, Annie Manuel, Hilda Rahn

Tyler Rest More Home- 139 Seminole Dr.

Orangeburg, SC 29115 Claudine Mitchel

OUR ACTIVE MILITARY: Lt. Commander Joseph Dyches Jr., Major Lindi Kirkland-US Air Force

Friends & Family : Weston Altman, Karrie Armstrong, Raymond Bennett, Paula Billingsley, Peggy Boleman, Willis Bowers, Jo Ann Brabham, Leigh Brabham, Oranne Brunson, Kelly Bryant, Katie Champagne, Salley Chassereau, Larry Cribb, James Deer, Charlie Drawdy, Ralph & Elaine Elliott, Marvin Ferrer, George Fogle, Ida Foust, Carrie Grubbs, Todd Grubbs, Walker Russell Harter, Hayne Herndon, Greg Hiatt, Elaine Johnson, Donnie & Debbie Jones, Cecilia Kearsse, Chester & June Kearsse, Linda Kearsse, Jesse Lee, Lib Loadholt, Resa Monts, Kenny Morris, Jr., David Murphy, Frankie Padgett, Chris & Tammy Page, Ralph Payne, Jim Phillips, Reid Porter Jr., Dr. Raman, Shirley Robinson, Cliff Rogers, Libby Smith, Latrelle Still, Cambridge Stone, Steve Sullivan, Richard Sumler, Elaine & Jerel Teems, June Thomas, Mike Thomas -Gloria’s brother, Sara Beth Thomas, Tina Tuten, Kim Trabue, David Walls, David & Marsha Ann Wiley, Sherry Williams, W. K. & Elise Windham, Billy Woolridge, Jule Young, Pat Zeigler, Janice Zissette



“Then said Jesus unto them, yet a little while am I with you, and then I go unto him that sent me. Ye shall seek me, and shall not find me; and where I am, thither ye cannot come.”

-John 7:33-34

While Jesus visited the temple, the religious authorities opined about Jesus’s credentials. Formal training in rabbinical school was customary to Jewish culture and the Jews were clueless as to how such a man could teach such marvelous truth. Jesus clarified the matter. God directly commissioned Jesus to teach truth, and Jesus evidenced truth by His works.

The only way to know God and His will is to know the Scriptures, as did Jesus. Jesus is the will of God for mankind, and anyone can know Him if they put their full, unreserved confidence in Him. If you do not understand Jesus, it is because without faith it is impossible to please God and to do His will.

Simply put, without faith, you do not know Jesus or the Father. You do not know God’s will, and you risk failing to make the greatest discovery in your life. Jesus warned that there would come a time when people would long for the Savior but not be able to find him.

The time for spiritual opportunity is now. The time will come when it is too late.

The crowd was confused, but Jesus was clear. Call upon him while you can. Turn from your misplaced trust in yourself or your successes. Jesus is the way. There is no other way. There is no other truth.

There is no other hope. There is no better time! Make today the day of your salvation! “For he saith, I have heard thee in a time accepted, and in the day of salvation have I succored thee: behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation”.

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13 Strategies to Grow Your Church

- **Develop great welcome and follow-up programs.**
 - **Collect feedback from guests and members.**
 - **Offer online sermons.**
 - **Keep members updated.**
 - **Become active on social media.**
 - **Host a ‘Friends and Family Day’.**
 - **Volunteer around the community.**
 - **Promote small groups.**
 - **Promote a few but interesting programs.**
 - **Inspire people to serve the church.**
 - **Utilize your money better.**
 - **Partner with other churches.**
- Identify local opportunities for growth.**

ATTENTION

Community Outreach & Prayer will start meeting at 6:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month.

February Birthdays

- 4 Romonda Williams**
- 5 Robert Sanders**

**Lottie Moon to date is \$ 4373.20
Goal is \$6000.00**

The Constitution and By-Laws committee will be meeting every two weeks.

**Mark 16:15-16 KJV
15 And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.
16 He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.**

OUR RECORD SPEAKS 1/29/23

SS Enrollment/Attendance	59/20
Morning Worship.....	47
Lottie Moon.....	79.20
Outreach Ministry.....	50.00
Budget Offering.....	1225.00
Budget Needs (weekly)...	4339.00