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Dr. Larry Sizemore WDOG Monday - Friday 8:10am

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Pastor: Dr. Larry Sizemore Music Director: Sandra Daubard

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HOMECOMING

Fairfax First Baptist Church

Sunday, May 4, 2014

11:00am

Guest Speaker Jeff Brooks



Dinner on the Ground Bring a complete meal Meat, vegetables, salad & dessert We furnish the Lemonade

OUR ANNIE ARMSTRONG GOAL: \$3000.00 RECEIVED TO DATE: \$1877.00 NEEDED: \$1123.00

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

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Sunday, 4/27	
Sunday School	10:00am
Morning Worship	11:00am
Praise Band	4:30pm
Discipleship Training	5:00pm
Youth Activities	5:30pm
Evening Worship	6:00pm
Snack Supper	6:45pm
Monday, 4/28	•
Young at Heart	6:00pm
Tuesday, 4/29	•
Beth Moore Bible Study (David)	5:00pm
Wednesday, 4/30	•
Children's Activities	6:30pm
Prayer & Bible Study	6:30pm
Youth Activities	6:30am
Adult Choir Practice	7:30am
Thursday, 5/1	
Deacons Meeting	7:00pm
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SERVANTS; April 27, 2014

NURSERY AM

Annie Manuel & Claire Manuel

<u>USHERS</u> Joey Oswald, Leroy Googe, Kent Seley, Justin Williams

GREETERS

Kent & Laura Seley

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Lynn Manuel

APRIL TELLERS

Week #4

Larry Manuel & Addison Williams

SNACK SUPPER

Mike & Cindy Hauptmann

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Allendale Co. Hosp.: Billy Main Rm 57, Jean Ferguson Rm. 31

Unicare Health, Walterboro: Bill Williams

<u>National Healthcare:</u> 2993 Sunset Blvd., West Columbia 29169 - Louise Jowers, Evelyn Ruff

<u>Jacksonville, Florida:</u> Willard McGraw <u>Chicago:</u> Dean Morisesset (Larry's brother-in-law)

JEH Nursing Home: Ethel Thomas, Ed Cone, Jacqueline Kearse, Ogreta Thomas, Delores Brunson

Briana's Residential Care: Mary Reid, Hilda Rahn

St Matthews Convalescence Center: Omma Lee Folk, Box 157, 601 Dantzler St., 29135

Emerald Gardens Assisted Living: 201 Overland Dr., Greenwood, SC 29646 (Rm. 315) - Ann Tyler

At Home: Pearl Barnes, Joe, Louise & Donna Cook, Sara Cook, Sharon Craddock, Louise Davis, Donnie Jones, Dottie List, Betty Sanders, Latrelle Still, June Thomas, L. R. Thomas, Dot Whitson, Gloria Williams, Mary Williams

Friends & Family: Thomas Benton, Michael Birch, Paula Birch Billingsley, Redmond Bowers, Peggy Brabham, Rev. Gene Carroll, Ashley Carter, Clyde Collins, DeLacy Crosby (Glory's Cousin), Mollie Cuttino, Jeff Davis (Buddy's cousin), Laney Futch (niece of Lynn), Lucian Ginn, Carrie Grubbs (Virginia's granddaughter), Lucille Hutchinson, Betty Hutto, Marie Lee, Ann Keys, Gabriel Litchfield, Hailey Litchfield, Heather Long, Margaret Long, Beverly Milner (niece of Hazel Loadholt), Wayne Mole, Lexie Monroe, Rev. John McKeown, Reid Porter, Jr., Dr. Rahman, Anthony Rivers, Mary Rouse, Rachel Stanford, Dot Scoggins, Nellie Sullivan, Patti Sullivan, Sharon Teems, Buddy Terry, Kathy Tumlin (Felicia's mother), Merle Ann Wall, Deborah Welch Warren, Elese Windham, Abbie Wiggins, Judy Zinsser

OUR ACTIVE MILITARY: Chaplain Brian Bailey, Chaplain Warren Sibley, John Mark Cook

Community Health Fair

Wednesday, May 21, 2014 USC Salkehatchie Atrium

DISCIPLESHIP

Way of God # 4

Danny thought for a long time before answering, "I don't understand. I did the right thing. I acted with moral purity and integrity when I resigned from the church. You know I did. Yet here I am in this garbage...I don't understand it, but yes, I'd much rather be in Your will in a Dumpster than anywhere else in the whole wide world."

God took Danny's humble response to a humiliating situation and eventually made him a seminary president! Danny said, "I really don't want to go through that again, but having been there and having seen what God did, I know that I would not be where I am today if He had not taken me through those experiences."

When you don't understand what God is doing in your life, do what He tells you to do anyway—because He knows the end of the story. He will show you enough to begin and then hover over you and supply *what* is needed *when* it is needed as you learn to trust Him.

DISHES IN ANNEX

These dishes need to be picked up in the annex: 1 large clear casserole dish, I clear plate, 1 white plastic bowl with red top, & 1 tea jug with unsweet on it. If any of these are yours please pick them up.

E-MAIL ADDRESSES REQUESTED

To enable the church to contact members in events of emergency or change in schedule, we are asking you to provide us with your current e-mail address. Please give the church office staff this information via telephone or e-mail.

VISITATION MINISTRY

Visitation Team Four will visit the week of April 27. Visitation Team Four members are: Butch & Carolyn Sauls, Grace Sharpe, Sadie Kinard, & Lib Loadholt

BETH MOORE BIBLE STUDY

Beth Moore Bible Study on Life of David will be Tuesdays at 5:00pm in the annex.

Pastor Ponderings...

HIS Sacrifice For You

Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him; he has put him to grief; when his soul makes an offering for guilt, he shall see his offspring; he shall prolong his days; the will of the LORD shall prosper in his hand. Isaiah 53: 10

I remember hearing the story years ago about a man who took a job in the South operating a drawbridge over a river. One day, he brought his young son with him to work so he could see what his daddy did for a living. The two were talking when the man looked down at his watch and saw the 3:00pm train from Memphis was nearly due to arrive.

He was about to pull the lever when he saw something that horrified him. His son had wandered off and become caught in the gears that lowered the bridge. He could go help him, but the train was too close and would derail if the bridge didn't go down right then. So with tears in his eyes, he lowered the bridge and crushed his boy.

With a tearstained face, that man watched as the trainload of passengers went safely over the bridge, not one of them knowing what had transpired and the sacrifice that father made to save their lives.

Our Father in heaven made a very similar sacrifice, crushing His own son so that we may have life. Don't go today without stopping to thank Him for that amazing act of love for you. Praise God that through the death of His Son, you can have eternal life!

PRAISE GOD FOR THE AMAZING SACRIFICE OF HIS SON SO THAT YOU CAN HAVE ETERNAL LIFE.

Bro. Larry

BIBLE STUDY

On Monday, May 5th, 10:00am we will begin a Bible Study on different religions entitled "Christianity, Cults, & Religions". It is a 6 week class where we will look at everything from Jehovah's Witnesses to Scientology to Buddhism and many more. We will learn about each of these and compare them to our beliefs as Christians. The book for the Bible Study is \$7.00. If you are interested please contact the church office.

ROBERT WILLIAMS DISCIPLESHIP GP

The next meeting for the Robert Williams Discipleship Group will be Thursday, April 24, 6:00pm, at the home of Carol Ann Priester.

EASTER LILIES RECEIVED LATE; In Memory of:

Edgar Monroe Stanley & Bessie Bowers Stanley

by Chaplain Marlowe & Geneva Link

SPECIAL THANKS TO

Charles & Mary Jean Carlson, Dwight & Jenny Causey, Betty Coker, Buddy & Sharon Craddock, Gordon Kearse, Ken Ready, Butch & Carolyn Sauls, Laura Seley, Grace Sharpe, Nettie Sibley, Norma Smith, Gale Sullivan, & Bobby Thomas for their help in making the Appreciation Breakfast for the town of Fairfax employees such a success. The food was great! A very special thanks for coming out so early.

OUR RECORD SPEAKS 4/20/2014

SS Enrollment/Attendance	141/86
SS Visitors/New Members	8/0
Morning Worship	135
Annie Armstrong Home Missions	\$45.00
Easter Lilies	\$84.00
DVD	\$3.00
Budget Offering	\$4921.75
Budget Needs (weekly)	