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TAKE UP YOUR CROSS FOLLOW CHRIST'S EXAMPLE

Turn Your clocks back one hour Saturday night, November 1, Before you go to bed.

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World Day of Prayer November 3, 2014 4:00pm West End Baptist Church

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

| Sunday, 11/2 | |
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| Sunday School | 10:00am |
| Morning Worship | 11:00am |
| Praise Band Practice | 4:30pm |
| Discipleship Training | 5:00pm |
| Evening Worship | 6:00pm |
| Tuesday 11/4 | - |
| Ann Neil Group | 10:00am |
| Beth Moore Bible Study | 5:00pm |
| Wednesday, 11/5 | - |
| Children's Activities | 6:00pm |
| Prayer/Bible Study | 6:30pm |
| Youth Bible Study | 6:30pm |
| Adult Choir Practice | 7:30pm |
| Thursday, 11/6 | |
| Deacon's Meeting | 7:00pm |
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SERVANTS: November 2, 2014

NURSERY AM Romonda Williams

USHERS

Buddy Craddock, David Wiley, Charles Carlson, Joe Oswald, IV

> GREETERS Elbert & Sara Windham

CHILDREN'S SERMON Butch Sauls

NOVEMBER TELLERS Butch Sauls & Gordon Kearse

> **SNACK SUPPER** Stan & Nettie Sibley

God Bless America

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Louise Davis: Presbyterian Home, 201 W. 9th Street, Unit 187, Room # 307, Summerville, SC 29483 Phone # 843-819-7018

National Healthcare: 2993 Sunset Blvd., West Columbia 29169 - Louise Jowers, Evelyn Ruff Jacksonville, Florida: Willard McGraw Chicago: Dean Morisesset (Larry's brother-in-

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JEH Nursing Home: Jacqueline Kearse, Ogreta Thomas, Delores Brunson, Jean Ferguson

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 Kay Cook, Sara Cook, Donnie Jones, Sue Ann Kearse (at Cecelia's), Richard Kinsey, Dottie List, Billy Main, Jacob Oswald, Betty Sanders, Latrelle Still, Cambridge Stone, L. R. Thomas, Dot Whitson, Mary Williams, Elizabeth Young **Friends & Family:** Thomas Benton, Redmond Bowers, Peggy Brabham, Jeff Brooks, Jr., Jimmy Burbage, David Cook, Jr., Rev. Gene Carroll, Ashley Carter, Holly Coker, Clyde Collins, DeLacy Crosby (Glory's Cousin), Mollie Cuttino, Michael Dyches (Cecelia's brother), Laney Futch (niece of Lynn), Faye Gooding, Carrie Grubbs (Virginia's granddaughter), Richard Grubbs, Trevor Horn, Lucille Hutchinson, Betty Hutto, Marie Lee, Ann Keys, Gabriel Litchfield, Margaret Long, Terri Marshall, Beverly Milner (niece of Hazel Loadholt), Wayne Mole, Lexie Monroe, Resa Monts, Rev. John McKeown, Louise Pathoulas(Mother of Charles Carlson), Reid Porter, Jr., Dr. Rahman, Anthony Rivers, Mary Rouse, Dot Scoggins, Rachel Stanford, Nellie Sullivan, Patti Sullivan, Sharon Teems, Buddy Terry, Lisa Thomas, Merle Ann Wall, Deborah Welch Warren, Timothy Williams, Elese Windham

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

PRAY WITHOUT CEASING!

DISCIPLESHIP - GOD'S POWER

As wind causes eagles to soar, the wind of the Spirit enables us to soar. The Hebrew language in the Old Testament and the Greek language in the New Testament use the word *wind* for spirit. Jesus used the wind as an illustration when He said that we cannot anticipate where the Spirit of God will lead us any more than we can tell where the wind will blow (see John 3:8). I don't know where the wind of God's Spirit is moving in your life, but I know that He's moving all around this world. Open your wings and let the Spirit guide you with His gusts wherever He leads.

The Holy Spirit of God resides in every Christian, but many try to live by their own physical power. Jesus wants you to operate in the Holy Spirit, and He promised, "If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give he Holy Spirit to those who ask him!" (Luke 11:13).

I once thought that effective Christian discipleship and service were the result of greater dedication and effort. But after trying to be more dedicated and working harder, I was in the depth of discouragement. At my lowest point God began to teach me about the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is given to us to teach, guide, empower, and use us for God's glory. I also learned that there is a difference in *having* the Spirit and *being filled* with the Spirit. Paul said, "Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit" (Ephesians 5:18). Most Christians insist on upholding the negative command of that verse not to be drunk with wine, but few Christians insist on the positive command to be filled with the Spirit

PRISONER PACKETS

One **Black** non-retractable pen (no wire clip & no other color pen). One junior legal or no larger than 5 1/2" x 8" writing tablet (<u>no wire bound tablets</u>), One Adult Toothbrush <u>individually factory-sealed</u>), no multi-packs), Five first class #10 Stamp-Embossed Envelopes (purchased at Post Office), two rolls of candy (life Savers, Mentos, Breath Savers type), One 4 oz. to 6 oz. bar of soap, (no travel size), & One 5.8 oz. or larger Toothpaste (no travel size), Put in 1 gallon size zip lock bag. Prisoner Packets due in office by Wednesday, November 12

ATTENTION YOUTH!!

Wednesday night youth Bible Study will not meet for the next 2 weeks. It will resume on Wednesday, October 29 at 6:30pm in the youth room.

Pastor Ponderings...

Having A Peace That Lasts

And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away." Revelation 21:3-4

It's amazing how far technology has come in the past 200 years. Just think...In 1813, the only people who knew what the President of the United States looked like would've been those who had seen him personally. But now, we're inundated with news and pictures of our president, celebrities, and our friends every day.

Not only that, but think about how much we've progressed in just the past 20 years. Tasks that a normal smart phone performs today—taking photos and videos, talking, emailing, texting, watching TV programs, and a host of other things—would've required more than a dozen different pieces of equipment in 1993.

Thanks in large part to communication, our world has become a global community. Yet even with all the shared knowledge today, world peace is no closer now than it was 100 years ago.

Here's the hard truth: Apart from the Prince of Peace, there is no peace. It will always evade us as long as we trust in a path to peace created by man. But one day, Jesus will return and bring real and lasting peace. Hope for that day, when world peace will be here for good!

PUT YOUR HOPE FOR PEACE NOT IN MAN, BUT IN THE PRINCE OF PEACE WHO WILL RETURN AND REIGN FOREVER!

ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR WANTED CRAFTERS & ARTISTS NOVEMBER 8 Bellinger Chapel Methodist Church, Fairfax

To reserve space contact Marilyn 803-632-2908

Bethel Baptist Church 64 Confederate Hwy, Fairfax, SC Jamaica Mission Trip Fundraiser \$20.00 per plate 5-7pm eat at church or pick up Steak, Baked Potato, & Salad November 1, 2014 If you would like tickets please call 632-2495 or 632-2133

Bethel Bapt. Church Revival/Homecoming

Revival Sunday, November 2 at 11:00am & &:700pm. Monday, November 3 - Wednesday, November 5 at 7:00pm. Dr. Ron Long will be the guest speaker. Joe & Kim Stanley will present special music each service.

Homecoming will be Sunday, November 9 at 11:00am with dinner following in the fellow-ship hall.

OUR RECORD SPEAKS 10/26/2014

| SS Enrollment/Attendance | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| SS Visitors/New Members | 0/0 |
| Morning Worship | |
| Community Missions | \$5.00 |
| Revival | \$650.00 |
| Building Fund | \$90.00 |
| Young at Heart Memorial | \$50.00 |
| VBS Memorial | \$25.00 |
| CD | \$1.00 |
| Budget Offering | \$3345.50 |
| Budget Needs (weekly) | \$4109.00 |