

WELCOME, GUESTS! We are honored to worship God with you today. If you would like to become a member of Fernwood Baptist Church, you are invited to speak with the minister following the worship service or by emailing matt@fernwoodchurch.org. If you need pastoral care, please call 864-582-7467.

SO GLAD YOU ARE HERE! Text "hello" to (864) 501-0585, for more information and to let us contact you.

Guest Information			
			Date _____
Name _____			
Address _____			
City _____			
State _____		Zip Code _____	
Home Phone # _____			
Cell # _____			
Best Time to Call:	Morning	Afternoon	Night
Email Address _____			
Your Age Group:			
<input type="checkbox"/> 13-18	<input type="checkbox"/> 19-29	<input type="checkbox"/> 30-39	<input type="checkbox"/> 40-49
<input type="checkbox"/> 50-59	<input type="checkbox"/> 60-69	<input type="checkbox"/> 70 & Older	
Children:			
Name _____	Age _____		
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Name _____	Age _____		
Please check the applicable:			
<input type="checkbox"/> First time guest	<input type="checkbox"/> Returning guest		
<input type="checkbox"/> Would like information about the church			
<input type="checkbox"/> New to the area	<input type="checkbox"/> Would like a visit		
<input type="checkbox"/> Would like to know more about becoming a Christian			
<input type="checkbox"/> I am a guest of _____			
<input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Request _____			

Our Vision

*is to be Christ to each other and our community –
doing justice, loving mercy and walking humbly
with our God.*

Choose How You Give

*"All must give as they are able, according to the blessings
given to them by the Lord your God"*

Deuteronomy 16:17

Give easily and securely...

1. Offering envelopes during the service or by mail.
2. Set up *bill pay* straight from your bank.
3. On our Website www.fernwoodchurch.org
4. Directly through our online giving
<http://onrealm.org/FernwoodBaptist/give/now>
5. Text from your phone: 73256 then keyword "fernwood" and dollar amount and follow the instructions.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER & BIBLE STUDY

5:30pm - Wednesday Night Supper - in the Dining Room

*For reservations call 864-582-7467, or email Angie@fernwoodchurch.org
or fill out the reservation forms that are available on the information table
in the lobby. Remember to let Angie know if you will be on the
permanent list or not. Deadline for reservations are Mondays at NOON.*

**Cost: \$7.50 12 years old and older | \$4.00 Children 4-11 years old
Children under 3 are FREE**

6:15pm – Missions, Music & More – for children in the Children’s Hall
6:15pm – Bible Study – for Adults in the Dining Room
7:00pm – Adult Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal – Music Suite



WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

The Roots: Basic Baptist Beliefs

For people who are new to church, new to Fernwood, or want to gain a deeper understanding of the Christian faith.

10/26: What are the Holy Spirit and the Trinity?

Masks are not required while in the building, except the children's hall, where masks are still required. For those who wish to continue wearing a mask while in the sanctuary, there is a designated place on the side nearest the baptistery. There are signs on the pews.

All Members of Fernwood Baptist Church, Ministers

Mrs. Lee Anne Bailie..... Director of Family and Communication Ministries
Mrs. Marcia Harris..... Music Associate
Rev. Matthew K. Johnson..... Senior Pastor
Mrs. Angie M. Quinn Administrative Assistant
Mrs. Rebecca Turner Music Associate
Dr. Stafford Turner Director of Music Ministries
Mrs. Mary Helen Wessinger Financial Administrator
Rev. Dr. P. Randall Wright..... Pastor Emeritus



Sunday, October 16, 2022

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday

9:45am - Sunday School in-person and online

11:00am - Worship in-person and online

Wednesday

5:30pm – Wednesday Night Supper – Dining Room (reservations required)

6:15pm – Bible Study for Adults – Dining Room in-person and online

6:15pm – Children’s Missions, Music & More – Children’s Hall

7:00pm – Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal – Music Suite

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The Worship of God

The Lord's Day October 16, 2022

The Welcome & Announcements Rev. Matthew K. Johnson

The Ministry of Music William B. Bradbury
arr. Don Phillips

Sweet Hour of Prayer
Rebecca Turner, piano

The Passing of the Peace Matt Johnson
One: May the peace of Christ be with you.
All: And also with you.

†The Hymn of Praise, No. 22 DUKE STREET
How Great Our God's Majestic Name!

1. How great our God's majestic name! His glory fills the earth and sky.
His praise the heavenly host proclaim, eternal God and Lord most high.

2. His fingers set the moon in place, the stars their Maker's hand declare;
in earth and sky alike we trace the pattern of his constant care.

3. And what of us? Creation's crown, upheld in God's eternal mind;
on whom he looks in mercy down for tender love of human-kind.

4. His praise the heavenly host proclaim and we his children tell his worth:
how great is God's majestic name, his glory seen in all the earth!

Spotlight on Serving Ministries Penny Ginn

The Psalm Reading Barbara Jean Callaway
Psalm 121; NRSV
(Pew Bible, page 498)
One: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

Guided Prayer Matt Johnson

The Anthem Matthew 6:9-13 Jack Noble White
Our Father
Sanctuary Choir; Rebecca Turner, piano

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us,
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

The Gospel Reading Matt Johnson

Luke 18:1-8; NRSV
(Pew Bible, page 853)
One: The Good News offered for all.
All: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon Matt Johnson
JesusTALKS: Prayer

†The Hymn of Response, No. 42 PLEADING SAVIOR
If My People's Hearts Are Humbled

1. If my people's hearts are humbled, if they pray and seek my face,
if they turn away from evil, I will not withhold my grace.
I will hear their prayers from heaven; I will pardon every sin.
If my people's hearts are humbled, I will surely heal their land.

2. Then my eyes will see their sorrow, then my ears will hear their plea;
if my people's hearts are humbled, I will set their nation free.
If my people's hearts are humbled, if they pray and seek my face;
if they turn away from evil, I will not withhold my grace.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving Melanie Vick

†The Doxology OLD 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him, above ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Musical Reflection Marian Wood Chaplin
Come, Holy Spirit
Sanctuary Choir

Come, Holy Spirit, come; I have need of your healing grace.
Come, make me pure within; all my sins erase.
Let them, like bonds set free, nevermore my captors be.
Humbly to you I bow; come, Holy Spirit, now.

Come, gentle Jesus, come; I have need of your perfect peace.
May calm repose begin; all my fears release.
Let them on wings take flight, nevermore to cloud my sight.
Not only for this day, come, gentle Jesus, stay.

The Pastoral Benediction Matt Johnson

The Ministry of Music arr. Don Wyrzten
Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying
Rebecca Turner, piano

†Please stand, as you are able.

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SERMON SERIES

October 23 / *JesusTALKS: Generosity*
October 30 / *JesusTALKS: Conversion*

MINISTRY TEAM SIGN-UPS

Ministry Team sign-ups have begun. Please see the boards which are located on the wall in the lobby corridor which leads to the front parking lot. Check the list to see which team fits you best and sign-up.

COAT AND BLANKET DRIVE

We are collecting coats, hats, gloves, scarves, socks and blankets. Drop off at the rack in the lobby.

PIEDMONT CARE DRIVE

We are collecting food and personal care items for Piedmont Care, that is one of our local missions that we sponsor. Lists are available at the display in the lobby.

PRIVATE REFLECTION TIME

The sanctuary is open from 9am-4pm, Monday – Thursday for a time of reflection, prayer, meditation and contemplation of the inspirational panorama of the stain glass windows. Please ring the door bell at the church office and a staff member will let you in.

HABITAT WORK DAY Saturday, October 29

The sign-up sheet will be on the information table in the lobby. The location is the Blackburn Home at 625 Fulton Avenue in Spartanburg. If you have any questions, please contact Russ Blackburn at 864-621-6095.



We are collecting individually wrapped candy.
Drop off boxes are located in the lobby.