

The Informer

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Gear Up! Get Ready! Game On! **Vacation Bible School June 10-15**

Register online at www.fairfaxfbc.org.

MOVIE NIGHT

Wednesday, June 20th at 6:30pm. Movie Night: "I CAN ONLY IMAGINE".

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

P.O. DRAWER 820

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, 6/17		
Sunday School		10:00am
Morning Worship		11:00am 6:00pm
Camp ImpactTuesday, 6/19	8:00ar	n-3:00pm
Camp Impact Ensemble practice	8:00ar	n-3:00pm 6:00pm
Camp ImpactMOVIE NIGHY "I Can Only Imag Thursday, 6/21	-	•
Camp ImpactProperty Committee	8:00ar	n-3:00pm 6:00pm
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SERVANTS JUNE 17, 2018

NURSERY AM

Victory Williams

USHERS

Butch Sauls, Victor Googe, Jule Young, Nix Loadholt

GREETERS

Elbert & Sara Windham

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Butch Sauls

TELLERS

Elbert Windham & Tripp Williams

VISITATION TEAMS

Visitation Team Two: Joel Williams, Elaine Teems, Sara Windham & Mott McElveen will visit the week of June 10th.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

<u>Gainesville</u>, <u>Florida</u>: Rocky Potter (David's step-father)

Bradenton, Florida: Evelyn Janaro (David's Grandmother)

Orangeburg Rehab: Mrs. Royster (Susan's Mother)

VA Victory House, 2461 Sidneys Rd., Walterboro, SC 29488: Charles Kennedy, Room E-

Oak Brook Health & Rehab: 920 Travelers Blvd., Summerville 29485 - Dot Whitson (Rm. 115A)

JEH Nursing Home: Jacqueline Kearse, Delores Brunson, Jean Ferguson, Hazel Mathis, Celia Jones, Betty Sanders, Mary Reid Briana's Residential Care: Hilda Rahn, Claudine Mitchell

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

At Home: Jo Ann Brabham, Dr. Jones Bryan, Katie Champagne, Joe & Louise Cook, Sara Cook, Clyde Furman, Sara Gallagher, Donnie Jones, Horace Kearse, Peggy Loadholt, Billy Main, Annie Manuel, Dale Robinson, James Shramek, Susan Royster, Latrelle Still, Cambridge Stone, Patti Sullivan, Jerel Teems, David Wiley, Mary Williams, Myrna Wilson

Friends & Family: Ginger Altman, Andy Anderson, Raymond Bennett, Thomas Benton, Peggy Boleman, Barrett Boulware, Willis Bowers, David Brabham, Jenny Phillips Connon, Peggy Brabham, Sara Jo Brown, Jimmy Burbage, David Cook, Rev. Gene Carroll, Hank & Clara Coath, Sally Chassereau (Libby's sister), Holly Coker, James Deer, Jeff Dole, Linda Dyches (Cecelia's sister-in law), Laney Futch (niece of Lynn), Leslie Flenikan, Faye Gooding, Carrie Grubbs (Virginia's grand-daughter), Todd Grubbs, David Horn, Betty Hutto, Richard Koenig, Marie Lee, Gabriel Litchfield, Margaret Long, Annelle McCaskey, Lexie Monroe, Resa Monts, Ross McMillan, Betty Overstreet, Frankie Padgett, Rev. Allen Perry, Azilee Polk, Reid Porter, Jr., Shirley & Penny Robinson, Cliff Rogers, Helen Ruble, Megan Sharpe, Howard Simmons, Elizabeth Smith, Mark Smith, Sharon Snider, Rachel Stanford, Mary Ann Stanley (Sadie's Sister), Nellie Sullivan, Patti Sullivan, Tim Tomlinson, Rachel Wiggins, W. K. & Elese Windham, Blanche Winstead, Dennis Wright

OUR ACTIVE MILITARY: John Mark Cook, Major Lindi Kirkland, US Air Force

PRAY WITHOUT CEASING

Sermon: "The Lord Will Provide" Scripture: Genesis 22:1-19

Discipleship

"Marriage Lived for the Glory of God" —

John Piper

Why marriage? Why is there marriage? Why does marriage exist? Why do we live in marriages? This means that my topic is part of a larger question: Why does anything exist? Why do you exist? Why does sex exist? Why do earth and son and moon and stars exist? Why do animals and plants and oceans and mountains and atoms and galaxies exist? The answer to all these questions including the ones about marriage is: All of them exist to and for the Glory of God.

That is, they exist to magnify the truth and worth and beauty and greatness of God. Not the way a *microscope* magnifies, but the way a *telescope* magnifies. Microscopes magnifies by making tiny things look bigger than they are. Telescopes by making unimaginably big things look like what they really are. Microscopes move the appearance of size away from reality. Telescopes move the appearance of size toward reality. When I say all things exist to magnify truth and worth and beauty and greatness of God. I mean that all things—and marriage in particular—exist to move the appearance of God in people's minds toward reality.

That is the starting place for understanding marriage. If we get this wrong, everything goes wrong. And if we get it right—really right, in our heads and in our hearts—then marriage will be transformed by it. Marriage will become what it was created by God to be—a display of the truth and worth and beauty and greatness of God.

This leads to a very simple conclusion—so simple and yet so far reaching. If we want to see marriage have the place in the world and in the church that it is supposed to have—that is, if we want marriage to glorify the truth and worth and beauty and greatness of God—we must

teach and preach less about marriage and more about God.

Most young people today do not bring to their courtship and marriage a great vision of God—who He is, what He is like, how He acts. In the world there is almost no vision of God. He is not even on the list to be invited. He is simply and breathtakingly omitted. And in the church the view of God that young couples bring to their relationship is so small instead of huge, so marginal instead of central, and so vague instead of clear, and so impotent instead of all-determining, and so uninspiring instead of ravishing, that when they marry, the thought of living marriage to the glory of God is without meaning and without content.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The youth will be collecting items for Operation Christmas Child again this year. Please bring the item requested for each month and put it in the box in the church office. For March we are asking for toothbrush with holder. For January it was small flashlight with batteries. For February it was bar soap with a covered travel holder. For April we are asking for T-shirt (solid colors, stripes, or all over pattern - no writing or pictures). For June we are asking for small box of crayons or colored pencils with a sharpener.

NURSING HOME/SHUT IN MINISTRY

Monday, June 18 at 1:00pm - visit Shut-ins & deliver soft cookies.

2:30pm visit Nursing Home and serve vanilla ice cream with blueberries & strawberries.

2:30pm visit Briana's Day Care & serve soft cookies and juice. Elbert Windham & Marsha Wiley

HEALTH KITS

1 Toothbrush, 1 Toothpaste (6 oz.), 1 Bar of soap, 1 Comb, 1 wash cloth, and 1 bath towel. Place in 2 gallon zip-lock bag or bring to the church office and we will bag them. Have them at the church by noon Thursday, June 28th.

VBS Monday, June 10 - Friday, June 15th.

Camp Impact Monday, June 18 - Friday, June 29 & July 9 - July 27

Property Committee Meeting, Thursday, June 21 at 6:00pm.

Men's Ministry Meeting, Thursday, June 21 at 7:00pm

THANK YOU

Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for the financial support you contributed toward my mission work with Camp Impact. I am very blessed to be part of a church that is so generous and supportive of not only me, but its community. I began training in Greenville approximately two weeks ago, and the other interns and I moved into the Allendale house on Sunday., June 10th. I know God is at work, and I am excited to be a part of Camp Impact. Please pray that the Lord opens many opportunities for Camp Impact to make an impact on the lives of the children and families involved. May God's name be glorified. <Matt. 16:24-25.

Love, Michaela

OUR RECORD SPEAKS 6/10/2018

SS Enrollment/Attendance	123/76
SS Visitors/New Members	2/1
Morning Worship	106
Lottie Moon	\$50.00
Camp Impact	\$135.00
Counseling Book	\$10.00
VBS	\$66.92
Budget Offering	\$4093.00
Budget Needs (weekly)	\$3798.00