



The Informer

Fairfax First Baptist Church

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

Pastor:

Music Director: Sandra Daubard

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, 7/25/21

Sunday School	10:00am
Morning Worship.....	11:00am
Praise Band Practice.....	4:00pm
Discipleship training, Youth & Children's Activities.....	5:00pm
Evening Worship.....	6:00pm

Wednesday, 7/28/21

Prayer & Bible Study.....	6:30 pm
Choir Practice	7:30 pm

SERVANTS—July 25, 2021

Tellers

Larry Manuel, Charles Carlson

Lord's Prayer

Stan Sibley

Church Monitor

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

CAMP IMPACT

Lorine Speck - 5 Tranquil Point, Lexington, SC 29072

JEH Nursing Home:

Jean Ferguson, Catherine Loadholt, Celia Jones, Annie Manuel

Briana's Residential Care: Hilda Rahn,

Tyler Rest More Home— Orangeburg, SC

Claudine Mitchel

OUR ACTIVE MILITARY: John Mark Cook,

Lt. Joseph Dyches Jr., Major Lindi Kirkland-US Air Force

Friends & Family:

Raymond Bennett, Paula Billingsley,

Peggy Boleman, Willis Bowers, David Brabham,

Jo Ann Brabham, Leigh Brabham, Marvin Brege,

Katie Champagne, Libby Chassereau Louise

Cook, Larry Cribb, James Deer, Charlie Drawdy,

Ralph & Elaine Elliott, Marvin Ferrer, George

Fogle, Ida Foust, Carrie Grubbs, Todd Grubbs,

Bonnie Harter, Kenny Morris, Jr., Walker Russell

Harter, Greg Hiatt, Jenny Jackson, Donnie &

Debbie Jones, Cecilia Kears, Chester & June

Kears, Linda Kears, Peggy Loadholt, Resa

Monts., Linda Moseley, David Murphy,

Kelly O Bryant, Frankie Padgett, Chris & Tammy

Page, Ralph Payne, Azilee Polk, Reid Porter Jr.,

Dr. Raman, Debbie Rish, Shirley & Penny

Robinson, Cliff Rogers, Linda Rowell, Libby

Smith, Latrelle Still, Cambridge Stone, Richard

Sumler, Jerel Teems, Sara Beth Thomas, Tina

Tuten, Kim Trabue, Teresa Tyler, David Walls,

David & Marsha Ann Wiley, Myrna Wilson, W. K.

& Else Windham, Billy Woolridge, Jule Young,

Janice Zissette

If I had the gift of prophecy, and if I understand all of God's secret plans and possessed all knowledge, and if I had such faith that I could move mountains, but didn't love others, I would be nothing. If I gave everything I have to the poor and even sacrificed my body. I could boast about it; but if I didn't love others, I would have gained nothing. —1 Corinthians 13:2-3

Influential individuals often demonstrate a care and compassion for the people they are around. This love propels them to make a difference. Without love nothing else matters. The famous love essay, written by the influential apostle Paul, reminds us of the need for love.

Love keeps the flame of influence burning brightly. Teilhard de Chardin said it this way; "The day will come when, after harnessing space, the winds, the tides and gravitation, we shall harness for God the energies of love. And on that day, for the second time in the history of the world, we shall have discovered fire."

What is love challenging you to do in your life, at your church, in your community? What sacrifices are you willing to make to see God's dream for you become reality?

A college professor has his sociology class to go into the Baltimore slums to get case histories of 200 young boys. They were asked to write an evaluation of each boy's future. In every case the students wrote, "He hasn't got a chance." Twenty-five years later another sociology professor came across the earlier study. He had his students follow up on the project to see what had happened to those boys. With the exception of 20 boys who had moved away or died, the students learned that 176 of the remaining 180 had achieved more than ordinary

success as lawyers, doctors, and businessmen.

The professor was astounded and decided to pursue the matter further. Fortunately, all the men were in the area, and he was able to ask each one, "How do you account for your success?" In each case the reply came with feeling, "There was a teacher."

The teacher was still alive, so he sought her out and asked the old but still alert lady what magic formula she had used to pull these boys out of the slums into successful achievement.

The teachers' eyes sparkled and her lips broke into a gentle smile. "It's really very simple" she said, "I loved those boys."

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Sunday Dr. Marvin E. Wood will be preaching.

Ministry Fair

Sunday-August 1

6:00pm

Come join us for food and fellowship. Be praying about the ministry you want to serve God on. Sign up August 1 at 6:00pm.

Butch Saul's is planning

a Study Group on

David Jeremiah's book

"10 Questions Christians are Asking?"

If interested please call the church office.

632-3228

**July 22 at 7:00pm
the Men's Ministry will meet at the church. Please try and attend.**

Mission Project

Our Youth will be collecting money for the Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes this year. What is collected between now and October will be used to purchase items to be packed in the Shoeboxes. There is a jar in our Sunday School room if you would like to drop in some change toward this goal. If you would like to donate, you may add this as a designated item on an offering envelope. If you have any questions, contact Mary Jean.

Additional jars will be in the entrance to church and church office.

Thank You

Online Giving

You can give online at:

baptistfoundationsc.org/give/ (Select **Fairfax First Baptist or #ffbc**)

You have the option to give by credit card or check.

OUR RECORD SPEAKS 7/18/21

SS Enrollment/Attendance 116/26

Visitors/New Members..... 00/00

Morning Worship..... 111

State Missions.....200.00

Christmas Child..... 10.00

Budget Offering..... 1585.00

Budget Needs (weekly)..... 3798.00

