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*In Our Prayers*

**The Key to Prosperity**

*And in every work that he began in the service of the house of God in the law and in the commandment, to seek his God, he did it with all his heart. So he prospered.*

2 Chronicles 31:21

**There is a way to ensure that you prosper in what you do: serve the Lord with all your heart! Hezekiah, king of Judah, lived in a dangerous and tumultuous time. He faced powerful enemies. Idolatry was the popular religion of the day. His parents had rejected God and encouraged people to worship other gods (2 Chron. 28). Hezekiah had the opportunity to reject God as well, yet he chose to serve God with all of his heart. He did everything in his power to promote worship of the true God. He diligently followed God's commandments. As a result of Hezekiah's determination to serve God, God blessed him. Hezekiah thrived in an unsettled time because he resolved to follow God despite popular opinion.**

**God will honor the heart that commits to follow Him (2 Chron. 26:5). In times when worshipping God is not in vogue and when the forces of the day oppose Him, it takes courage and resolve to seek after God. God is pleased to prosper those who strive to please Him rather than to seek the approval of people (1 Sam. 2:30). Hezekiah stands in stark contrast to Rehoboam, an earlier king of Judah. It is said of Rehoboam that “he did evil, because he did not prepare his heart to seek the Lord” (2 Chron. 12:14). When you do not set your heart to seek the Lord, calamity is the inevitable result. The surest way to prosper in your endeavors is to diligently pursue the will of God.**

**Henry T. Blackaby and Richard Blackaby, Experiencing God Day by Day (Nashville, TN: B&H Books, 1998).**

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**The Janie Chapman Offering for State Missions was started and continues to be the driving force for missions happening throughout our state. Over 2,000 churches affiliate with the South Carolina Baptist Convention and cooperate in missions giving, missions discipleship, and missions support through the Start, Strong, Share, Send and Serve teams. Every year, the Janie Chapman State Missions Offering helps South Carolina Baptists reach their lost neighbors, plant churches, send missionaries, serve communities in crisis, and much more. Please give to Jamie Chapman Offering!**

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**2024 Fall Clean-Up  
September 20th-21st  
8:30-12:00**

**Supplies will be available at the following locations on Sep. 19, 1-4 pm  
Sept. 20-21, 8-11am  
Allendale Town Hall  
Fairfax Police Department  
Farmers Grain, Ulmer SC**

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**September 29-6:00pm**

*Video - “Before the Wrath”  
It was the #1 bestselling Christian documentary-drama in America during 2020 and has regained new interest in Jesus return for millions of people worldwide. You will see some of the research regarding the ancient wedding customs from the time of Christ that led researchers to uncover greater insight into the biblical Rapture. The film reveals ow the customs practiced by Jesus disciples bring unprecedented clarity to why nobody can know the day or hour of His return at the end of days. Join us for popcorn and fellowship*

**Homecoming -October 6**

*A day of rejoicing and fellowship.  
Dr. Scott Moore will be preaching and he and Dory will be singing. We will have lunch and then fellowship outside on our new playground equipment. Fun for all ages. Dress casually or bring something to change into. Bring a chair if you just want to watch the games!*

<b><u>OUR RECORD SPEAKS</u></b>	<b><u>9/15/24</u></b>
<b>Enrollment/Attendance</b>	<b>47 /30</b>
<b>Morning Worship.....</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>J. D. Chapman Mission.....</b>	<b>20.00</b>
<b>Sanctuary Carpet.....</b>	<b>400.00</b>
<b>Budget Offering.....</b>	<b>4125.00</b>
<b>Budget Needs (weekly .....</b>	<b>4339.00</b>

# The Informer

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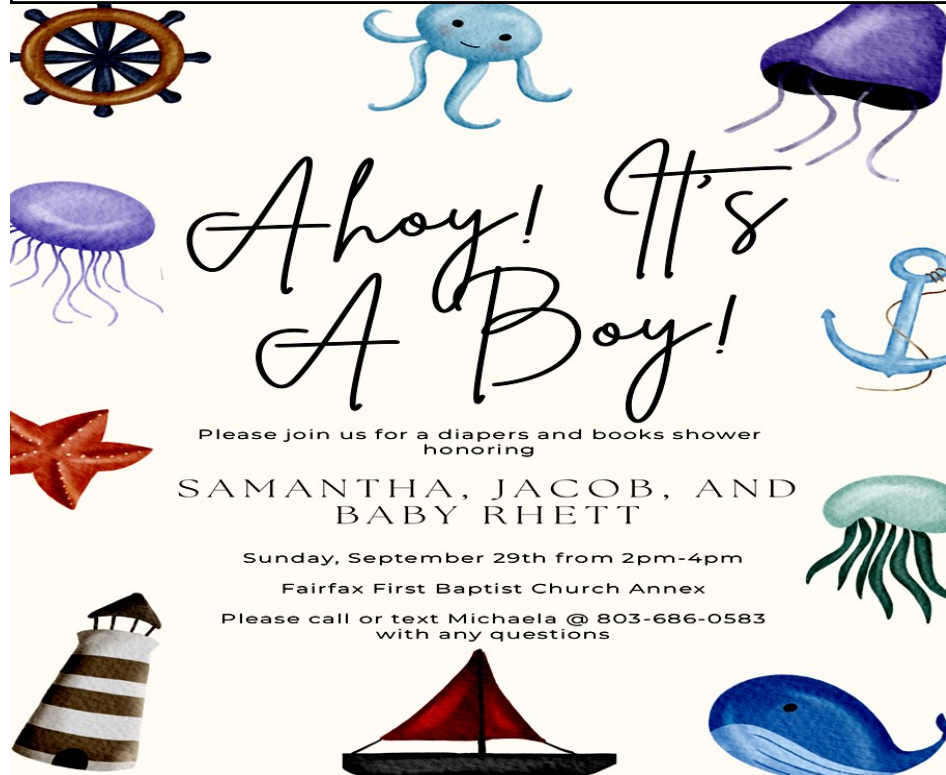
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*Ahoy! It's  
A Boy!*

Please join us for a diapers and books shower honoring  
**SAMANTHA, JACOB, AND  
BABY RHETT**

Sunday, September 29th from 2pm-4pm  
Fairfax First Baptist Church Annex  
Please call or text Michaela @ 803-686-0583  
with any questions

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday 9/22**  
Coffee & Christ..... 9:00am  
Sunday School..... 10:00am  
Morning Worship..... 11:00am  
**-No Evening Activities-**

**Monday, 9/23**  
Young at Heart..... 6:00pm

**Tuesday, 9/24**  
Handbells..... 6:00pm

**Wednesday, 9/25**  
Children's Choir..... 6:30pm  
Prayer & Bible Study..... 6:30pm  
Choir Practice..... 7:30pm

**\*\* Fall Associational Meeting is  
Sunday, September 22.  
The meeting will be at  
Brunson Baptist Church at 2:30.**

### SERVANTS: September 22, 2024

#### Tellers

Joey Oswald, Jonathan Wiley

#### Lord's Prayer

Joe Oswald

#### Church Monitor

Jonathan Wiley

#### Greeters

Joey & Gina Oswald

#### Ushers

Butch Sauls, Jonathan Brabham

#### Nursery

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