



# First Baptist Church West Columbia

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## This Sunday, June 15 FATHER'S DAY

**DR. DON BISHOP**  
INTERIM PASTOR

**CHARLTON BOZARD**  
MUSIC/ADULT ACTIVITIES

**DR. LONNIE SHULL**  
PASTOR EMERITUS



“Honor your  
father...  
as the LORD  
your God has  
commanded,”  
you ....

Deuteronomy 5:16

**Dr. Bishop's Message**

**“Our Model”**

Luke 15:11-24

**Our Church “Dads” will be honored.  
There will be no evening activities.**



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#### Sunday

- 9:30 am Library open
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Morning Worship
- 5:30 pm Library open
- 6:00 pm Evening Worship

#### Wednesday

- 5:30 pm Supper/ Library open
- 6:30 pm Prayer Meeting  
Children's Choirs
- 7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir



Update on the Transition Process:  
We have just about completed 'task #1' as we have celebrated our history event. Our History Task team will make a final report on Sunday night, June 29 in the fellowship hall, please make every effort to attend.

In completing the next task, Decision Making/Leadership, let me inform you of special dates and events:

1. June 18 - Conflict Management (fellowship hall)
2. July 9 - Robert's Rules of Order
3. July 13 - AM & PM Spiritual Gifts
4. July 23 - Decision Making (fellowship hall)

Our personnel committee is working on staff job descriptions and a policy guide that will complement our new By-laws. All this work will prepare us for the next pastoral leadership and for our future.

Many people are working on this project and doing a great job. Keep up the great work and prayers.

See ye Sunday,  
Don Bishop, Interim Pastor



## CHILDREN'S SUMMER CHOIRS

are meeting on Wednesday evenings  
6:30 - 7:15 p.m.

Two groups will be offered for our children during the summer:

**Younger Children**  
(for children age 3 through age 5)

**Older Children**  
(for children entering grades 1-5)

**THANKS** to Phyllis Johnson for filling in for me this past Sunday. It's good to have such a capable leader who is willing to serve in my absence. Thanks, Phyllis.

**SANCTUARY CHOIR** is on its "Summer Rehearsal Schedule". We will meet on June 18 and skip June 25.

*Charlton*

# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



## JUNE 22-26

### 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

for children age 3 (by September 1, 2007)  
through 8th grade

(Childcare is provided for children of VBS workers  
and those attending adult classes.)

**BIBLE  
STORIES**

Classes offered for adults are:

"Parenting with Love and Logic" (taught by Sallie Bozard)

"The Purpose-Driven Church" (taught by David Ness)

**MISSION  
STORIES**

**MUSIC**

Bring the whole family!  
There's something for every member!

**CRAFTS**

### *Associate Pastor's Desk*

My official duties will begin on June 16. I am entering the position in humility and thanksgiving. I want to thank the church for being so graceful during this process and I applaud you all for looking with faith on our future as a church. We must believe that God has great years ahead or we will not do everything within our strength and spiritual gifts to see it happen.

Many have asked how you can pray for me at this time. Pray that I will be granted wisdom as I work with our current leaders to access where our ministries are and where we would all like to see them move in the future. We will seek the Lord's vision and desire for First Baptist Church. I will be liaison for many important committees and we will be working very hard very soon. Pray especially for our Youth Council as we have already begun meeting to build our program up.

Pray that God would release our community from their spiritual blindness and that God would release us to be His ambassadors to them. No effort of ours will go forward before we pray!

I am also looking forward to my duties of pastoral care. You are dearly loved by me. Do not hesitate to let us know if you are sick, in need of spiritual counseling or prayer, or need a meeting of any kind. Your pastoral staff is ready to equip you and comfort you in your Christian walk. Our doors are always open.

*Jody*

### Special Conference for Senior Adults Polypharmacy: Medication Therapy Management June 30 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. West Columbia County Library

Our church is partnering with Agape Senior, Green Hill Baptist and Lexington Baptist Churches to provide this event. It will be a night of Refreshments and information to help you understand the complexity of managing medications for you or your loved one. The one hour session will cover topics such as:

- Monitoring Medication Interactions
  - Choosing the best for you: generic Vs. name brand and oral vs. topical medications
- Enrolling in Medicare Part D
- Choosing a Medicare Part D Plan
- Keeping a personal health record
- Choosing and keeping a physician

If you would like to ride the bus to this conference, contact Charlton Bozard or the church office. This meeting is also being offered on Tuesday, June 24 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the Lexington County Library. Transportation will NOT be provided to this meeting.

For more information, please call (803) 454-0365

### MEMORIALS For Such A Time As This

In memory of: Marion Hammett  
Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Carl Keisler

In memory of: G. D. Hutto  
Given by: Mrs. Cornelia Hutto

### MATTER OF FACT

Rev. T. A. Snyder was pastor of our church from 1929 thru 1951, longer than any pastor has served. In spite of the Great Depression and World War II, the church experienced tremendous growth resulting in the need to expand its facilities. Projects accomplished during his pastorate equaled more than one million in today's dollar value. By 1950 our church was contributing 25% to the Cooperative Program.

At the time of his retirement, the church had grown from a little over 300 members to a total of 1,427. Reverend Snyder, forced to retire due to health reasons, was voted Pastor Emeritus with retirement pay of \$50 per week. Sharon Snyder is the granddaughter of Reverend Snyder.



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WHAT'S NEW?!?!

Look under the resource tab and go to Picture galleries to see pictures from the "Celebrating Our History" Sunday and from the Sr. Adult trip to Lake Murray.

*I*  *Dad*

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE**

**June 15 - 21, 2008**

**Sunday, June 15**

- 9:30 to 9:45 a.m. B P Screening
- 9:30 a.m. Library Open
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- 6:00 p.m. **No Evening Worship**

**Monday, June 16**

**Tuesday, June 17**

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Time
- 9:00 a.m. Life Exercise

**Wednesday, June 18**

- 5:30 p.m. Library opens
- 6:00 p. m. Youth Lighthouse
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting-Church Conf.  
Children's Summer Choirs
- 7:30 p. m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, June 19**

- 9:00 a.m. Life Exercise

**SPECIAL MINISTRIES**

**June 15**

**HEALTH MINISTRY**

Julie Barfield

**EXT. TEACHING CARE**

Coordinator: Sallie Bozard

**11:00 a.m. Worship**

*Babies and Ones*

Debra Shepherd  
Nick and Jill Zueger

*Twos and Threes*

Laura Rose and Katie Gauden

**SOUND**

Rich Wandover

**SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETERS**

**Snyder Building**

Dorothy Thompson and Ruby Clamp

**Burris Building**

Rich and Melissa Wandover

**Front Lower Level**

Andrew and Colette Hutto

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DO NOT DELAY!**



**Pray for These  
Hospitalized  
Members:**

**As of Tuesday,  
June 10**

The church staff is not aware of any church members in the hospital. If you or a family member become hospitalized, please notify us.

**Pray every day for our church!**