

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

September 10, 2023

WELCOME AND PRAYER - PASTOR RUSTY

CONGREGATIONAL WORSHIP

“How Firm A Foundation” #456

“Firm Foundation” #510

BIBLE DAY PRESENTATION

CONGREGATIONAL WORSHIP

“Thy Word” #342

“Ancient Words” #344

CHORAL WORSHIP

“Show Us Christ”

SERMON - Pastor Rusty

2 Corinthians 11:1-15

“The Gospel Ministry: A Sincere Ministry”

INVITATION HYMN

“Be Still My Soul” #514

POSTLUDE

WI-FI access is brfbc_guest No password required.

Please silence cell phones during the worship service.

TO OUR VISITORS

We are pleased you have chosen to worship with us today, and trust your experience here will be one in which you feel a renewed appreciation for our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

WORSHIP BAGS

for children are provided in the hall by the elevator and in the foyer.

SENSORY BAGS

for special needs children are available at the Welcome Center.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Contribution boxes are placed in the foyer and at each entrance to the sanctuary. Please drop tithes/offerings and visitor information in one of these boxes as you exit today.



MEAT AND DRINKS PROVIDED. BRING SIDES/DESSERTS



SEPTEMBER—SEASON of PRAYER & OFFERING for STATE MISSIONS
OUR GOAL—\$10,000.00
RECEIVED TO DATE—\$280.00

Prayer Guides are available at the Welcome Center and Vestibule. Please write “STATE MISSIONS” on your check “memo” line or on your offering envelope.

DEACON OF THE WEEK

SEPTEMBER 10—TIM SMALLWOOD—706-248-1091

SEPTEMBER 17—JERRY GORDON—706-632-5321

Child Care is available during the Sunday morning/evening services for age three and under, and Wednesday evening for children age two and under.

SUNDAY—SEPTEMBER 10

BED BABIES AM: Cindy Rowe/Mallory Thigpen

2-3 YEAR OLD AM: Gina Golden/Elizabeth Patton

PM: No Service

WEDNESDAY—SEPTEMBER 13

Stephanie Lacy/Jordan Long/Corinne Smith/Christine Hinman



BEGINS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

9:00 AM @ THE A/Y CENTER

Rusty.thomas@blueridgefbc.org



How We Accept Members:

- 1) By profession of faith and believer's baptism
- 2) By statement of faith (if you have been previously baptized)
- 3) Transfer of letter from a like-minded Baptist Church

If you are interested in church membership, contact Pastor Rusty or the church office.

FIRST CONNECTIONS

Like to know more about FBC?
Interested in church membership?

Join us for lunch immediately following the morning worship service.
October 1

Sign up in the Fellowship Hall.

WEDNESDAY DINNER—SEPT. 13

HAMBURGER & FIXINGS/DESSERT

SERVING BEGINS @ 5:00

Cancellations & Reservations are needed by Tuesday morning.

Tear off this reservation form and drop it in the offering box as you exit.

RESERVATION FOR:

NAME _____

ADULTS _____ **CHILDREN** _____

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Thank you for visiting with us today.

To help us get acquainted with you,
please fill out the following information
and place in the offering box as you exit
or bring to Pastor Rusty.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone _____

Best way to contact you

☐text ☐email ☐phone

☐first time guest ☐returning guest

☐regular attender

☐update my information

My Decision Today

☐I have decided to follow Christ.
What's next?

☐I want to know more about
following Christ.

☐I would like more information
about this church.

☐I would like a call/visit from the
pastor concerning a spiritual
matter.

(Drop this form in the offering box as you
exit or give to Pastor Rusty.)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ~ September 10-16, 2023

- Sun.

Sunday School.....9:30 am
Morning Worship Service/BIBLE DAY for 1st grade10:45 am
Church wide cook out—Toccoa Campground.....5:00 pm
- Mon.

Aerobics5:30 pm
Deacons’ Meeting.....6:00 pm
- Tues.

WMU Heart to Hands.....10:00 am
Young Adult Ministry Bible Study.....7:00 pm
- Wed.

Homeschool (Sanctuary @ 9:30)classes....8:30 am - 3:30 pm
Painting with a Purpose.....3:30 pm
Family Fellowship Meal.....5:00 pm
Preschool/Children Bible Study/Choir.....6:00 pm
Youth Bible Study—A/Y Center.....6:00 pm
Prayer Mtg./Adult Bible Study.....6:00 pm
Worship Choir Practice.....7:15 pm
- Thurs.

Precept Bible Study—A/Y Center.....9:00 am
Aerobics.....5:30 pm

TITHES/OFFERINGS SEPTEMBER 3 - 6, 2023 \$18,247.25

BUSINESS MEETING - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17
Information for the Agenda is needed by NOON
Wednesday, September 13.

You may bring information to the church office or email to
martha.buchanan@blueridgefbc.org.

HANDBELL Choir has openings. If you read music and would like
to participate, see Pat Young. Rehearsals on Tuesdays at 6 pm.

*The sanctuary flowers are placed by Jeff Turner and family in
memory of Margaret Turner (9/14/1938 – 9/11/2010).*

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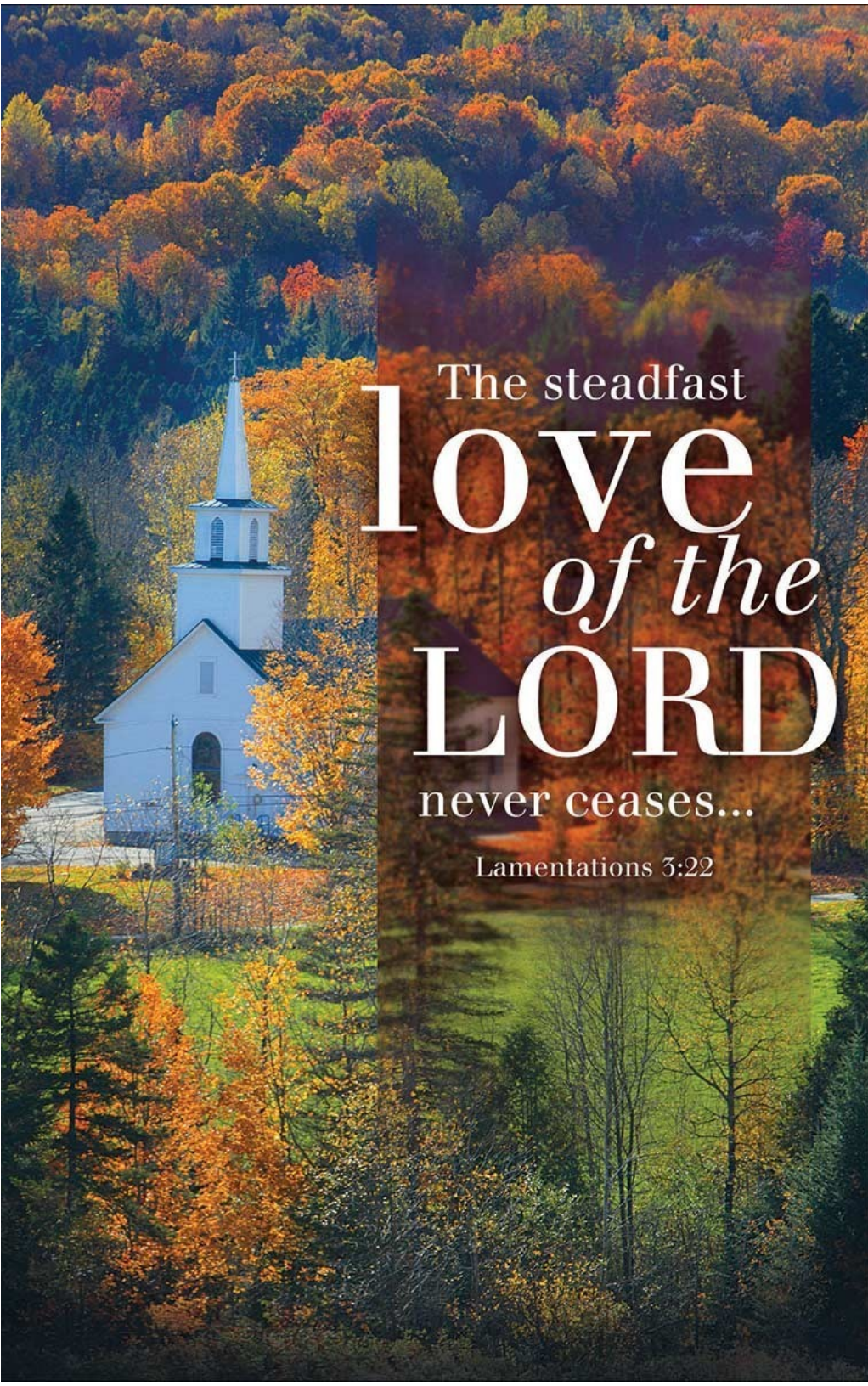
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The steadfast
love
of the
LORD
never ceases...
Lamentations 3:22