



To know God, to love and to serve

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For the week beginning Sunday, September 10, 2023

September is Young Adult Month at Bible Way and their theme is **Celebrating 60 Years of Great Things and Beyond**. All young adults and the young-at-heart are invited to check in with the ministry and join them for social engagement. Your donation of \$30 is requested to help with their programs and events. We are collecting laundry supplies to distribute to Benedict students. Please drop off items in the bins in the vestibule. To stay up-to-date with the Young Adult Ministry, go to bwcar.org.

Sunday, September 10. Join Pastor Darrell Jackson as he shares a special message, **"Somewhere You Have Never Been Before."** Sunday services are held at 8:00am and 11:00am in the Worship Center, and are live online at bwcar.org, on Facebook at [bwcar1](https://www.facebook.com/bwcar1), and on YouTube at [bwcar](https://www.youtube.com/bwcar).

Sunday, September 10. WIRED teens service will be held at 11:00am in the Sanctuary. All youth are invited to come, hear a message from Youth Pastor Antione Jackson on the new September-October series, **Transformation**. This week's message is, *"What is Salvation?"* WIRED teen services are held second and third Sundays in the Sanctuary.

Children and Youth **Good Vibes Only T-shirts** are available on demand for a limited time. Go to bwcar.org to order your t-shirts by Tuesday, September 19. For more information, email wired@bwcar.org or ajackson@bwcar.org.

Join us as we continue special mid-week services in September as we celebrate Young Adult Month. **Pastor Bruce Robinson** of City of Hope will minister on Tuesday, September 12, **Faith Jacobs** speaks on Tuesday, September 19, and **Elder Eric "Freeze" Cameron** ministers on Tuesday, September 26. Services will be held in-person at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary.

Thursday, September 14. Men's Ministry continues its study of the book, **"Elevating Others Through Mentorship and Relationship."** All men are invited to join us each Thursday at 7:00pm. Contact Men's Ministry, mministry@bwcar.org for the Zoom meeting access information.

Saturday, September 16. Young adults host a Kickball Tournament – Let's Kick It! At the C. R Neal Dream Center, 2441 Atlas Road. Calling all young adults...bring some friends and **Let's Kick It** from 4:00pm - 6:00pm. Sign up at bwcar.org.

Sunday, September 17 - Sunday, November 12. Military Support Ministry is asking for the names of Active Duty Service Members from their families, to send Thanksgiving and Christmas care packages to the service members. All names must be submitted to Deacon and Mother Melton no later than November 12 at melo7bw@aol.com. For more information call or text 803.206-3011.

Saturday, September 23. Our 60th Anniversary's Signature Event for September will be an adults-only all white party, and is open to all. This free event will be held from 6:00pm – 9:00pm in the Harlem Street Parking Lot, and will feature a jazz band and refreshments. The event's theme is, "A Night in All White: Celebrating the Past and the Future." The attire is all white with sneakers and

pearls. Register at bwcar.org.

Sunday, September 24. Pastor Willie Mae Jackson will be the guest speaker at 10:00am at **Zion Mill Creek Baptist Church**, for their “**Women of Royalty Fellowship.**” Zion Mill Creek Baptist Church is located at 97 Mill Creek Parkway, Columbia, SC. For more information, call 803.647.5163 or 803.427.5659.

Families in Richland School District One are invited to **ThriveRichland Play Groups** for the 2023-2024 school year. Play Groups will be held at the C.R. Neal Dream Center for children from birth-5 years old. Play Groups will have fun playing games, singing and dancing, listening to stories and more. Each child will receive a free book and a snack and free household items will be available for each family. Dates and times vary. Also, Parent Education and Support (PEAS) Network is available the 3rd Thursday of the month from 6:00pm-7:00pm. Take advantage of all that’s available for children and parents! To attend any of these programs, go to thrivrichland@richlandone.org or call 803.231.7174.

Tuesday, October 10. The Prisma Health 3D-Digital Mobile Mammography Van is coming to the Jannie R. Jackson Women's Center, 2527 Atlas Road, Columbia, SC, from 8:00am-4:00pm. To schedule and register, call 803.434.9100 and 803.296.5160. (Please note, you must call both numbers). Please reference Bible Way as your site location of choice. You will need to bring your Picture ID & Insurance Card to your appointment. If you are age 40 or above, no doctor's order is required. If you are under age 40, a doctor's order is required. For more information, call the Jannie R. Jackson Women's Center at 803.776.6353.

Tickets for the 60th Anniversary Gala are still available! The Gala will be held Friday, November 3, at the Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center, 1101 Lincoln, Street, Columbia, SC. Tickets are \$60 per person and can be purchased online, at bwcar60.org, or in the vestibule after 8:00am and 11:00am services. ***Attention all business owners...if you would like to become a sponsor of the gala, purchase an ad in the journal, or support our silent auction, go to bwcar60.org, or email gala@bwcar60.org.***

Save the Date: Our church anniversary service will be held **Sunday, November 12**, at 8:00am and 11:00am in the Bible Way Church Worship Center. Stay up-to-date about anniversary services, events and more at bwcar60.org.

The 20/30 Club is open for young women to join. This new ministry will be enlightening, fun, and focused on today's young women. If you are between the ages of 20-30, register or sign up at bwcar.org to get involved and be blessed. Associate Pastor Willie Mae Jackson is the Women's Ministry president.

Christian Education Ministry is seeking leaders and co-leaders to coordinate their activities, and programs. If interested, please email ChristianEd@bwcar.org.

Join us for Christian Education Ministry (Sunday School) on Sundays, 10:00am to 10:30am. Classes for Men are held in Memorial Chapel, and Women will meet in the Sanctuary. For more information, email ChristianEd@bwcar.org.

A survey is being conducted by the City of Columbia to address the food desert in the Lower Richland community. We need your feedback to make a difference. Please complete the survey at bwcar.org, and let your voice be heard!

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BWCAR Deacons and Wives will host an overnight fellowship trip to *The Asher Theater* in Myrtle Beach, SC, to attend a private showing of *Motown 59'* on Friday, September 29 - 30, 2023. Tickets to the dinner show are \$50 per person. Married couples are invited to join us! Attendees can make hotel reservations with a special group rate at the Hilton Myrtle Beach. Couples can purchase tickets and make hotel reservations at bwcar.org. Full ticket purchases and hotel reservations must be made no later than **September 17**. Hotel reservations using the BIB group code also includes a complimentary breakfast/brunch on the September 30. Please join us for a weekend of fun, laughter and fellowship!

The Beautification Ministry's Lost and Found closet continues to hold lost items in the church vestibule after 8:00am and 11:00am services. Coats, hats, Bibles, glasses and more have been found. If you have lost any of your possessions, please stop by the vestibule to claim your items. Items will be kept for 90 days.

A 9-week small group course, led by Dec. Will Hayes via Zoom, is available to help you get free from debt and become a lender and not a borrower. Gain control of your spending habits by joining Dave Ramsey's *Total Money Makeover* course from Financial Peace University. **Classes are held on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 7:00pm to 8:00pm.** The cost is \$129 for materials and other access. To sign up or for more information, email Dec. Will Hayes at Willhayes647@aol.com or call 803.445.8323.

Our Women's Prayer Line is open each **Tuesday morning at 6:00am**, with Sr. Elder Shirley Biggs and Elder Theresa Jones hosting the line. Start your Tuesday mornings off with prayer by calling 425.436.6302 - Access Code: 782443#.

Our Men's Prayer Line is held every **Saturday morning at 7:00am**. All men are encouraged to dial in for prayer at 508.924.1141.

All clergy and aspiring ministers are invited to join the Men's Ministry at Midlands Health and Rehabilitation Center (formerly Magnolia Manor), 1007 N. Kingsway, Columbia, **every second Saturday** of each month, at 10:00am and to ProMedica Skilled Nursing & Rehabilitation (formerly Heartland), 2601 Forest Drive, Columbia, every third Saturday of each month, at 10:00am. All men are encouraged to join us as we minister to others.

PRAYER LIST

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