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**WMU Churchwide Projects**

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**Children's Missions**

Downtown Campus  
Laura Guthrie, Preschool  
Krystal ManWaring, Kids  
Heather Rogers, Kids/Preschool  
Upstate Church: Harrison Bridge  
Ashley Meadors, Preschool  
Danielle Schoonover, Kids  
Upstate Church: Five Forks  
Emily Toole, Director  
Upstate Church: Mauldin  
Leah Abbott, Children  
Upstate Church: Anderson  
Katie Woods, Kids

**Mission Friends**

Mission Friends is for girls and boys ages 3 through 5. They meet every Wednesday night at 6:00pm Downtown. They study about missions and have mission related activities.

**Summer Camps**

Summer Camps are available for school-age children at Camp LaVida for Girls and Camp McCall for Boys. See your children's minister for dates and further information.

Visit [www.myMISSIONfulfilled.com](http://www.myMISSIONfulfilled.com) - this is a site especially designed for younger Baptist women.

Also visit [www.wmu.com](http://www.wmu.com) to learn about great resources, events, news, and ministry opportunities.

**Mission Emphasis Dates**

**2022**

**September 11-18**

Week of Prayer State Missions  
Janie Chapman Offering

**September 17**

Children's Mission Day

**October 16**

Christmas Backpacks for Appalachian Children due

**October 23**

Winter Mission Offering at FBS/UC (Lottie Moon=82%)

**November 7**

Baptist Women World Day of Prayer

**November 14-15**

SC Baptist Convention, Riverland Hills Baptist, Irmo

**November 27**

Prisoner Packets due at FBS/UC campuses

**December 4-11**

Week of Prayer Focus on International Missions  
Philippines

**2023**

**February 19**

Focus on WMU Sunday

**March 5-12**

Week of Prayer/Mission Study for N. Amer. Missions

**March 24-25**

Annual WMU Meeting, Riverland Hills Baptist, Irmo

**June 13-14**

SBC Annual Meeting - New Orleans, LA

**August**

Christmas in August project for N. Amer. missionaries

**September 10-17**

Week of Prayer State Missions  
Janie Chapman Offering

**September 16**

Children's Mission Day

**November 6**

Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer

**December 3-10**

Week of Prayer Focus on International Missions



**FIRST BAPTIST SIMPSONVILLE  
UPSTATE CHURCH**



**HOPE**

*in Christ*

*Be joyful in hope,  
patient in affliction,  
faithful in prayer.*

Romans 12:12

*Our Mission:*

*Inform and inspire  
Christians to influence  
their world for Christ.*

**First Baptist Simpsonville / Upstate Church**  
3 Hedge Street  
Simpsonville, SC 29681  
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**Other Campuses:**  
Upstate Church Anderson  
Upstate Church Five Forks  
Upstate Church Harrison Bridge  
Upstate Church Mauldin

## **Creative Connections Upstate Church Harrison Bridge**

**Leader:** Kathy Ballew 803-940-6800  
pureones53@hotmail.com  
Sylvia Koelling 864-692-3692  
Bobbie Luba 724-263-2114

**Meetings:** 2nd & 4th Saturdays  
Upstate Church Harrison Bridge

**Focus:** *Bible study followed by crafting time to crochet hats and shawls; make no-sew blankets for Jump Start for Women; stuff Teddy Bears for police and firefighters to hand out; card ministry.*

## **Freeland Group**

**Leader:** Maureen Heinbuch 864-979-3354  
m.heinbuch@charter.net

**Meetings:** 3rd Monday of each month  
(optional dinner out at 5:45pm;  
meeting at 6:45pm - often in  
someone's home)

**Focus:** *A hands-on group providing Christmas backpacks and prisoner packets and assisting the Servant Hands group as needed.*

## **Joyful Knitters/Crocheters**

**Leader:** Jeannie Hafner 864-616-5760  
nphafner@charter.net

**Meetings:** 2nd & 4th Tuesdays  
Call for meeting location

**Focus:** *Prays for missionaries, as they knit, and for the recipients of the hats and scarves.*

## **Moorhead Group**

**Leader:** Lois Bolanos 305-302-3227  
labolanos@aol.com

**Meetings:** 2nd Tuesday of each month  
10:00am in the Dining Room

**Focus:** *We prepare a cheer basket or provide a simple soup meal to deliver to homebound.*

## **Pam Bayne Group**

**Leader:** Janet Castles 864-979-0731  
jan@castlesfam.us

**Meetings:** 2nd Thursday of each month at  
10:30am in The Crossing

**Focus:** *Pray for and learn about missions and actively do projects to help mission teams.*

## **Patterson-Runyan Group**

**Leader:** Jean Holland 864-275-4618  
djholland\_4@yahoo.com

**Meetings:** 2nd Monday of each month  
2:30pm in The Crossing

**Focus:** *We are active in praying for and contributing to local and international missions. We enjoy a monthly Bible study from the "Mosaic" magazine or a guest speaker. Support all church-wide mission projects.*

## **Servant Hands**

**Leader:** Michele Christon 864-757-8242  
m.christon49@gmail.com  
Brenda Thompson 803-727-6035  
littleinjun@att.net

**Meetings:** 2nd Saturday of each month  
2nd Floor Auditorium

**Focus:** *Bring or create projects to be given to those in need. Women might be sewing, knitting, crocheting, or making cards and sharing supplies.*

## **Silver Threads Upstate Church Mauldin**

**Leader:** Jennie Wilson 864-967-7079  
jwilson0716.jw@gmail.com

**Meetings:** Every Thursday  
1:00pm

Call for meeting location

**Focus:** *Sew dresses for girls and shorts for boys in Haiti and Nicaragua and locally for Miracle Hill; crochet hats for the Cancer Center; and make Christmas stockings.*

## **The Springs**

**Leader:** Kathy Murphy 864-630-2191  
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Marilue Taylor 864-963-5975  
sweet4hbee@gmail.com  
Judy Koysza 864-399-6454  
jkoysza@gmail.com

**Meetings:** 2nd Wednesday at 10:00am  
Activity Room at The Springs

**Focus:** *An adults on mission group open to men and women.*

## **Willie Mae Berry Group**

**Leader:** Ann Flanigan 864-288-1681  
mimiflanigan39@gmail.com

**Meetings:** 2nd Tuesday of each month at  
1:30pm in 2nd Floor Auditorium

**Focus:** *Members encourage one another in authentic relationships that lead to a deeper level of involvement in missions ministry, witnessing, giving and prayer.*