

# Rose Hill Newsletter

"Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common"  
-Acts 2:44



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Brown Bag of Columbus  
Correspondence Courses  
Lads to Leaders  
Ladies Weekly Bible Class  
Pastoral Institute Counseling

## Sunday, March 17, 2018

### UPCOMING AT ROSE HILL

- TODAY: Congregational Potluck
- TODAY: L2L Meeting after services
- TODAY: Muscogee Moms Fair 12-4pm
- Monday: Ladies Bible Class 10am
- Wednesday: Bible Study 7pm

### Sunday Morning Bible Classes

Auditorium	Fruit of the Spirit-Richard Deising
Hall Classroom	Young Pros Class-Fred Carnes
Conference	College Age Class

### Sunday Evening Bible Classes

Auditorium	A New Way to Read the Bible
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### Wednesday Evening Bible Classes

Auditorium	Good Samaritan-Richard Deising
Conference Rm	College Age Class

## The Amazing Grace of God!

Thank you so much for the invitation to speak to you today. My wife, Tina, and I are delighted to be with you! One of the great joys of my life is to be able to meet and get to know God's people in other congregations all over the country. I'm looking forward to our time together and to meet as many of you as possible. I encourage your questions as well. It is important that we do our homework as we investigate the possibility of our serving the Lord together.

In my lesson this morning I will be discussing **Romans 5:1-2**.

*Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup> through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.*

The message is entitled, **The Amazing Grace of God!** What is so amazing about God's grace? Paul said that because of God's grace (1) we have been justified; (2) we have peace with God; and (3) we stand. All of this is because of our Lord Jesus Christ. We access this grace through our faith in him. What does this all mean?

Justification is a legal term It envisions a trial, a judge, and a criminal. Because of the grace of God, Jesus died for us – the godly for the ungodly. Because of the grace of God, we are not pronounced, "guilty" and sentenced; we are pronounced, "not guilty". We have been pronounced, "just!"

Paul says God's grace is amazing because it creates peace with God. He uses the analogy of reconciling friends to make the same point. Our sin interferes with our relationship with God. It separates us from him. However, because of God's grace, manifest in Jesus, he has removed the sin which was the obstacle to our friendship. He has made peace with us through Jesus. We are friends again!

Finally, Paul says God's grace is amazing because we "stand" in it. We don't move in and out of grace. Grace is not something God takes away when we misbehave. In fact, it is precisely when we misbehave, that we need grace the most. We have the continual forgiveness of God!

**Joey A. Gafford**

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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

Sunday Morning Bible Class	9:30
Sunday Morning Worship	10:30
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00
Wednesday Evening Bible Class	7:00

## PRAYER LIST – MEMBERS

\***Marsha Crump** will be having tests done this week to determine why she is having chest pains.

\***Lonnie Taylor** was taken to ER on Tuesday and had a procedure on Thursday to insert a pacemaker.

\***Dewayne Long** is recovering from surgery.

\***Turner Durham** is recovering from a broken foot.

\***Larry Stewart** is recovering from hip replacement surgery.

\***Jeff Bedsole** is undergoing treatments for cancer.

**Ongoing Health Issues:** *Becky Rodgers, Pat Johnson, Rick Cox, Ann Johns, Lisa Phillips, Patrick Rathert, Patricia Campbell, Ruby Hall* (leg pain), *Carol Riggs, Pat Taylor, Jerry & Mae Craft* (health issues), & *Jason Valero* (seizures).

## PRAYER LIST - FRIENDS & FAMILY

\***Michaela Cobb** (Darren Cobb's daughter) is home recovering after being in the hospital.

\***Charles McClellan** (friend of Larry Hicks) is in Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta with heart issues.

\***Sarah George** ((a friend of Larry Hicks) has terminal health issues.

\***Mike Venable** (son of John & Ann Venable) is recovering from back surgery.

### CANCER:

\***Ferryn Rice Moss** (Lacey Barnes sister), cancer.

\***Laura** (Judy Paepcke's niece) has been diagnosed with stage 4 breast cancer.

\***Sherri Bankston** (Otto Bankston's mother), breast cancer.

\***Carolyn** (friend of Rachel Riggs), Follicular B Cell Lymphoma.

\***Ben Dunnum** (family of the Mullins), stage 4 colon cancer.

\***Steve Davidson** (JJ's grandpa) has prostate cancer.

\***Kathy Bednar** (Larry & Margaret Stewart's niece) has thyroid cancer and her son **AJ** has osteomyelitis (a rare bone infection).

\***Genevieve Silvia** (Andrew Ellis' sister) has cancer.

\***Karen** (Linda Willmschen's cousin) lung cancer.

\***Roberta Fedoush** (Donna Hasting's niece) cancer.

### DEALING WITH HEALTH ISSUES:

\***Marie Faircloth** (Marsha Crump's mother) is now in rehab.

\***Gwen** (5-month-old baby of a friend of Hope Cobb) is in PICU in Birmingham, AL and doing some better.

\***Bill Nolen** (Cindy Carnes' dad) is home and is still not doing well.

\***Frank Long** (Dewayne Long's brother) is in hospice.

\***Misty Johnston** has a family member that needs prayers.

\***Christy Taylor** (Lonnie & Pat Taylor's daughter) health issues.

\***Calvin Long** (Dewayne Long's dad) health issues.

## PRAYER LIST – SHUT-INS

*Jeff Bedsole*

*Chuck & Jean Burns*

*John Pyles*

*Patricia Campbell*

*Naomi Fonville*

*Carol Riggs*



## PRAYER LIST - ARMED FORCES

### Army, Ft. Benning:

*Otto Bankston*

*David Bryan*

*Sean Fearing*

*Ryan Franks*

*Allen Ives*

*Christian Manjarrez*

### National Guard:

*Justin Carnes*

*John Sweet*

### Other Duty Stations:

*Larry Coon*

*David Corder*

## BABIES DUE

\***Ben & April Stewart** are expecting a baby boy in June.

\***Patrick & Cathy Rathert** are expecting a baby boy in July.

\***Aaron & Lauren Brewer** are expecting a baby girl in August.

\***Michael & Rachel Riggs** are expecting a baby in September.

## DEATHS

The great aunt of Joseph Glenn passed away this week. The funeral is today in Birmingham, AL.

## LADS TO LEADERS

If you are planning on going to the Lads to Leaders Convention on April 19<sup>th</sup> -21<sup>st</sup>, there will be a brief meeting with Scott in the Training Room after morning worship.



## LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Ladies Bible Class will meet in the Café downstairs on Monday morning at 10am.

## FOR DONATIONS TO THE COC DISASTER RELIEF

**Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort, Inc.**

**disasterrelieffort.org**

**888-541-2848**

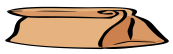


## GARDEN PLOT

If you would like a garden plot this year, please see Stan Riggs.

## FOCUS THRIFT STORE

On Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 p.m., we are privileged to get the clothes from FOCUS Thrift Store in Hamilton for P4A Banana Boxes. We need lots of people to help and pick-up trucks to haul the clothes back to the building. Their address is 232 Hamilton Square Street, Hamilton, GA. Please see Alan Fonville if you can help.



## **BROWN BAG OF COLUMBUS**

The Brown Bag item for this month is **15 oz cans of SWEET PEAS** The deadline will be April 10<sup>th</sup>.

If each family would donate 10 items, we would easily make our goal.

## **GROUP ACTIVITIES**

Group 2, ***John & Dawn Hiers*** will host the potluck Sunday, April 7 at the church house and there will be an Easter Egg Hunt afterwards.



## **CHURCH PICTURES**

Dwight & Mary Miller will be taking pictures for the directory. If you have not had a picture taken for the directory or would like an updated picture, please plan of meeting them in the training room either before class, after class, or after church.

Cindy will be printing the directory sheets and putting them in the foyer. If you would like your book updated, please see her.



***Mary Miller - March 17***

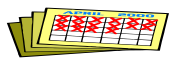
***Lori Shaw - March 17***

***James Jackson - March 20***

***Catherine Grizzard - March 22***

***Scott Johnson - March 22***

***Eddie LeGallais - March 22***



## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Ladies Bible Class 10am	March 18
SOAR Youth Rally	Mar 22-24
Ladies Bible Class 10am	March 25
Youth Movie Night 6pm	March 29
College Group go to Valley Rescue	March 30
Young Men Service	March 31
Ladies Bible Class 10am	April 1
Youth Service Project 6:30pm	April 5
Edgewood Church of Christ Ladies Day	April 6
Group 2 Potluck/Egg Hunt	April 7
Ladies Bible Class 10am	April 8
Youth Wednesday Night Dinner	April 10



## ***FUSION NEWS***

**[www.rosehill youth.com](http://www.rosehill youth.com)**

### **Deep Roots**

You aren't the same person you were five years ago. You've made choices, you enjoy different things now, and you are more mature than you were back then. Think about yourselves five years ago. What were the things you were doing? What about you has changed?

As we grow up, we are supposed to become more mature. The same goes for us as we spiritually grow. We should be gaining a deeper understanding of what God has done for us and what He can do through us. Ephesians 4:14-15 says, "As a result, we are no longer to be children, tossed here and there by waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, by craftiness in deceitful scheming; but speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in all *aspects* into Him."

As we grow our faith should grow. As our faith grows, we become more stable in our belief. Imagine a massive tree. You see what comes out of the ground, but what you don't see are the roots that go deep into the dirt and supply the tree with the nutrients it needs to live. Those roots also keep the tree standing firm when storms come. Your faith works in the same way. As you grow, your roots need to stretch deep into Gods word to give you what you need to be a Godly person as well as helping you stand firm through difficult times.

Let yourself be rooted in God's word and let Him supply you with all of your spiritual needs. Let Him be the one to keep you standing firm when life hits hard. Then take that faith and go speak the truth in love.

Scott

## **BIBLE DISCOVERY ZONE**



A ministry of the Rose Hill Church of Christ

## **Lesson 25**

### **Job**

**Sunday, March 3- Wednesday, March 20**

### **Memory Verse:**

**"DOES GOD SEE MY WAYS AND COUNT MY EVERY STEP?"**

For the next several weeks we will discuss Job. We will see the losses Job suffered, but the faith he continued to have in God.

### SUNDAY AM GREETERS

(March 17)

Hicks, Larry & Vanessa  
Venable, John & Ann

(March 24)

Hargett, Chad  
Simmons, Matt  
Willmschen, Bob & Linda

### LORD'S SUPPER TABLE FOR MARCH

McKinney, Booth  
Mullins, Ridg  
Brewer, Aaron  
Dixon, Dillon

Hiers, John  
Hasting, Bill  
Chipman, Ray  
Barnes, Brian

### SUNDAY AM

(March 17)

(March 24)

WELCOME LeGallais, Eddie  
SONG LEADER Pate, Josh  
SCRIPTURE Vander, Tyler  
OPENING PRAYER Fonville, Alan  
COMMUNION Deising, Richard  
CLOSING PRAYER Cobb, Daniel

LeGallais, Eddie  
Pate, Josh  
Davidson, JJ  
Hicks, Larry  
Fonville, Alan  
Ellis, Andrew

### SUNDAY PM

(March 17)

(March 24)

SONG LEADER Miller, Dwight  
OPENING PRAYER Overstreet, John  
COMMUNION Murray, Andrew

Mullins, Ridg  
Riggs, Stan  
Carnes, Fred

### ATTENDED NURSERY

(March 17)

(March 24)

AM Attendant Vander, Wendy  
AM Helper Pena, Lily  
PM Attendant Crump, Marsha

Cole, Jeannie  
Cole, Ellie  
Cobb, Annie Kate

### LEADERSHIP TRAINING CLASSES (PM)

(March 17)

(March 24)

SPEECH/ORAL READ

PUPPETS

Pre-K - Deising, Richard & Judy  
12<sup>th</sup> Simmons, Amanda  
grade Ives, Allen  
Johnson, Scott

Dixon, Heather  
Durham, Jennifer  
Glenn, Buffy, Hill, Julie

2-3 yrs Cole, Jeannie

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### WEDNESDAY

(March 20)

(March 27)

INVITATION Hiers, John  
SONG LEADER Bone, Philip  
CLOSING PRAYER Davidson, JJ

Mullins, Ridg  
Ellis, Andrew  
Riggs, Stan

### BAPTISTRY & LOCK UP MARCH

McKinney, Booth

### PREPARE COMMUNION MARCH

Hiers, Dawn & Riggs, Rachel

### ATTENDANCE/CONTRIBUTION March 10<sup>th</sup>

Sun Bible Study	82	Actual	\$3,712
Sun A.M. Assembly	147	Goal	\$4,815
Sun P.M. Assembly	82	Avg (YTD)	\$4,379
Wed P.M. Bible Study	85	Avg (QTRLY)	\$4,459

We are so glad that you are here with us today. Our service today will be to praise and worship our God and to encourage and uplift us to face another week in this world. We will sing and pray. We will meet around the Lord's Table to remember what our Savior did for us so long ago. We will give of the many blessings that God has given us to do the work He has given us. We will have a lesson from His Word that will hopefully be applicable to your daily life.

If you are a visitor, please fill out a visitor's card so we can have a record of your time with us. Ask any of our family members where you can get one of these cards. If there is anything, we can do to help you then please let us know.

## Order of Worship Service Sunday, March 17, 2019

### *Announcements*

#### O Worship the King

Song #144 (v. 1 & 3)

#### Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing

Song #121 (v. 1 & 3)



### *Scripture Reading*

Romans 5:1-2



### *Opening Prayer*

#### Wonderful Grace of Jesus

Song #112 (v. 1 & 3)

#### When My Love to Christ Grows Weak

Song #350 (v. 1, 4, & 5)



### *Lord's Supper*



### *Contribution*

#### I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord

Song #609 (v. 1 & 3)

#### Amazing Grace

Song #129 (v. 1 & 2)



### *Sermon: Joey Gafford*

#### Amazing Grace

Invitation Song #129 (v. 4 & 5)

#### Farther Along

Closing Song #753 (v. 1)



### *Closing Prayer*



### HEARING DEVICES

Hearing Devices are available for all services. Ask for help at the sound booth at the back of the auditorium.