

Rose Hill Newsletter

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



Sunday, June 14, 2020

"Love Covers A Multitude of Sins"

The title reflects the words of Peter in 1 Pet 4:8 where he wrote, "Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins."

Scattered and suffering. That's how I would describe the audience to which Peter addresses this thought. Of all things for Peter to close his letter with, here is his "above all else"—the "if you don't hear anything else, hear this" of Peter's letter.

His command to us is that we *keep loving one another earnestly*. That's family language! He wants his readers, more than anything else, to commit to loving one another with a zeal and intensity that continues to grow.

Why, of all things, did Peter make this his "above all else"? And why am I writing it for us to consider this week?

The thing about being a *family* is not that we never make mistakes or that we are perfect. The thing about being a family is that we *never stop loving*. My guess is that there's not a single thing in this world that your child could do that would make you stop loving him...sure, you may not "like" whatever your child did, but you keep loving them in spite of their mistakes.

That's what makes the church so unique—or at least, what *should* make us unique. When we commit to loving one another, we are making the decision to work through our issues together. We are not "ignoring" our issues, just like families don't ignore their issues—instead, we choose to "cover" our issues with a blanket of love.

Our love for one another has a power that allows us to grow in Christian living. Together, we can enable one another to grow beyond ways of sin and toward the "upward call" of God. At the same time, when we do make mistakes, we are able to see the bigger picture and not get bogged down with our failures. In fact, we can pick one another up!

We need, now more than ever, to set the example of how to love one another. To whom will the world look for guidance on how to treat people if not to the church? Sadly, there are so many churches that have *not* set the example and as a result the credibility of the church has been marred. Will we be content with that?

Instead, we want to strive to show people that God is great, and his church is great because of his grace. We do this by the way we love. In fact, Jesus himself said: "They will know you are my disciples if you love another" (John 13:35).

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Pastoral Institute Counseling



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Sunday Worship 10:30am
Wednesday Summer Series 7pm

PRAYER LIST – MEMBERS.

- ***Ann Venable** is having some pain in her back and legs.
- ***Donna Hasting** is having issues with her eyes.
- ***Lin Shaw** is recovering from back surgery.
- ***Camdyn Foster** will be having tests and labs done to determine some health issues.
- ***Omari Garrett** was taken to Children's Hospital in Atlanta for tests.
- ***Carol Riggs** cut her hand this week and had to have stitches.
- ***Marguerite McKinney** is recovering from foot surgery.
- ***Ray Wilson** is recovering from a stroke.
- ***Larry Stewart** is undergoing treatments for bladder cancer.
- ***Rick Cox** has cancer treatment every 3 weeks.
- ***Margaret Stewart** will be having surgery soon on a hernia.
- ***Diane Mock** will have eye surgery soon.
- ***Raymond Chipman** had tests done last week and waiting on results.

Ongoing Health Issues:

***Becky Day** (wrist), **Dorothy Roach**, **Billy McQuilton**, **Rick & Norma Cox**, **Donna Greene**, **Ann Jones** (health issues), **Mary Jo Hargett**, **Pat Johnson** (health issues). **Lonnie & Pat Taylor**, **Linda Brooks** (health issues), **Jerry & Mae Craft** (health issues), & **Jason Valero** (seizures).

PRAYER LIST - FRIENDS & FAMILY

- ***Marc Phillips** (Lisa Phillips husband) will have surgery on his elbow on Wednesday, June 17th at Piedmont Midtown.
- ***Scott Stewart** (the father of Amber McKinney – Booth & Marguerite McKinney's daughter-in-law) is in the hospital with pneumonia on a ventilator sedated.
- ***Austin Norris** (the son of Shireen Stewart) recovering from surgery to wire his jaw.
- ***Monica LaRock** (the niece of Marsha Crump) is still in the hospital at Vanderbilt for brain surgery after an aneurysm.
- ***Madelyn Schuler** (Bud Paepcke's sister) is now in hospice care. She has been in the hospital with leg issues after a spider bite for a long while, now she has been diagnosed with an inoperable cancer and covid-19.
- ***Mickey Deising** (brother of Richard Deising) had shingles in his eyes a while back and now may lose his sight.

CANCER:

- ***Tim Ross** (Judy Deising's brother-in-law) has bladder cancer.
- ***Teri Whitehurst** (co-worker of Marguerite McKinney) breast cancer.
- ***Sandy** (daughter of Sandra Ousley) breast cancer.
- ***Mike Venable** (son of Ann Venable) cancer.
- ***Genevieve Silvia** (Andrew Ellis' sister) has cancer.
- ***Ferryn Rice Moss** (Lacey Barnes' sister), cancer.
- ***Carolyn** (friend of Rachel Riggs), Follicular B Cell Lymphoma.
- ***Kathy Bednar** (Larry & Margaret Stewart's niece) has thyroid cancer and her son **AJ** has osteomyelitis (a rare bone infection).
- ***Karen** (Linda Willmschen's cousin) lung cancer.
- ***Roberta Fedoush** (Donna Hasting's niece) cancer.

DEALING WITH HEALTH ISSUES:

- ***Ben Paepcke** (Bud Paepcke's nephew) broke his neck in a surfing accident on July 4th. He is home in his mom's care.
- ***Danette** (aunt of Jessica Ives) has stage 4 kidney failure.
- ***Frank Long** (Dewayne Long's brother).

Keep members that have lost their jobs due to the COVID-19 in your prayers.

We have several members that work in health care, police officers, truck/delivery services, & grocery workers; keep them in your prayers.

PRAYER LIST – SHUT-INS

Burns, Chuck & Jean

Campbell, Patricia

Fonville, Naomi

Hall, Ruby

Riggs, Carol



PRAYER LIST - ARMED FORCES

Army, Ft. Benning:

David Bryan

Allen Ives

Sean Fearing

Gabe Johnson

Ryan Franks

Christian Manjarrez

National Guard:

Justin Carnes

Other Duty Stations:

David Corder-KY

Cory Grizzard - TX



*Congratulations to **John & Kimico Sweet!!** They are expecting a baby in September. **Eli** is going to be a Big Brother!

*Congratulations to **Scott & Kara Johnson!!** They are expecting a baby boy in October. **Rylie** is going to be a Big Sister!

*Congratulations to **Dillon & Heather Dixon!!** They are expecting a baby girl in November.

*Congratulations to **Joseph & Buffy Glenn!!** They are expecting a baby boy in November. **Josiah** is going to be a Big Brother!

*Congratulations to **Jonathan & Kelli Carnes!!** They are expecting a baby boy in November. **Beau** is going to be a Big Brother!

ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving is now available! There is a video on the Facebook page to explain. See **Booth McKinney, Scott Johnson, or Nathan Diller** for details.

SUMMER SERIES

We will begin Summer Series on Wednesday nights at 7pm with **Mark Martin** speaking on June 17.

Join us at www.rosehillchurch.com or Facebook on the Rose Hill church of Christ page for worship on Sunday mornings at 10:30am and on Wednesday evenings for a devo.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

There is a Ladies Class that meets on ZOOM on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm on Facebook Ladies Bible Class. If you would like to join please send a message to Misty Johnston or Jeannie Cole.



BROWN BAG OF COLUMBUS

The Brown Bag item for this month is 500 packs of **HOT DOG SAUCE**. The deadline will be July 8. Please drop off your items at the door by the awning.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN
IDOB BBQ
COUPLES SHOWER
HONORING
Jessica & Chris

SUNDAY JULY 12 • 2020
ROSE HILL CHURCH OF CHRIST
7479 OLD MOON ROAD • 11:45 AM
COLUMBUS, GA 31909
RSVP to Tricia Pate at (706) 566-1612 by Thursday July 9th
REGISTERED AT AMAZON, BED BATH & BEYOND, AND HONEYFUND



Jeannie Cole - June 14

Edwin Hill - June 15

Tyler Bone - June 16

April Stewart - June 17

Rylie Johnson - June 20

Joseph Glenn - June 20



Carnes, Fred & Cindy (35th) - June 15

Cox, Rick & Norma (50th) - June 19



Log into Fusion Facebook and look for the ZOOM log in for class on Sunday evenings at 7pm and Wednesday evenings at 7:45pm with Scott.



Father's Day	June 21
OFFICE CLOSED-Independence Day	July 3
"I Do" Shower -Chris & Jessica	July 12



FUSION NEWS

www.rosehillyouth.com

Desiring More

I was making breakfast for Rylie the other day and one thing I know is that she loves is fruit. She is all about it. The other thing Rylie loves is numbers (didn't get that from me). She has some favorite numbers: 2, 5, and 10. This comes out in some unique ways. For instance: she wants to give us 10 kisses before bedtime or she wants to watch 5 movies. Well while making breakfast I put 3 strawberries on her plate instead of 2 like I normally do. Do you think she liked that? No.

She didn't understand that I was trying to give her more of what she liked. Rylie couldn't see that this was meant as kindness to her. She got upset because there weren't 2. Her normal number had been violated and it made her uncomfortable. I had to explain that 2 strawberries are good but 3 is better. What she liked was fine, but I wanted to give her more.

How many times are we like her in that situation when it comes to our faith? We have our comfort zone of faith and God is there trying to give us **more**. He's trying to push us out of our comfort zone because what He has planned is **better**.

We often reject God's guiding hand because it requires us to be vulnerable. We have to come to terms with the idea that the way we like things often isn't the best way.

How is God wanting to grow you, mold you, and define you? What are some of the obstacles that you may be putting up? What are the obstacles He needs to tear down for you? Are you willing to desire more and are you willing to give Him control?

Matthew 7:11

How much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him!

Scott



Join us on ZOOM!

We can't wait until we can be back in BDZ again, but until then, join us on Zoom! We have class every Sunday at 1:00pm and every Wednesday at 7:00 online. Check the Rose Hill Facebook Group for the link and password. This is for birth through 5th grade.

SUNDAY AM GREETERS

LORD'S SUPPER TABLE FOR

SUNDAY AM

	June 14	June 21
WELCOME	TBA	Johnson, Scott
SONG LEADER	Ellis, Andrew	Barnes, Brian
OPENING PRAYER	TBA	TBA
COMMUNION	TBA	TBA
CLOSING PRAYER	TBA	TBA

SUNDAY PM

NO SERVICE

ATTENDED NURSERY

NO NURSERY

LEADERSHIP TRAINING CLASSES (PM)

NO CLASSES

WEDNESDAY SUMMER SERIES

June 17	Mark Martin	Fruit Bearing
July 1	Micah Cob	Discipled
July 15	Joshua Cantrell	Saved
July 22	Brad Giles	Equipped

BAPTISTRY & LOCK UP - JUNE

Riggs, Michael

PREPARE COMMUNION - JUNE

Riggs, Stan

ATTENDANCE/CONTRIBUTION June 7, 2020

Sun Bible Study	0	Actual	\$4,155
Sun A.M. Assembly	74	Goal	\$4,815
Sun P.M. Assembly	0	Avg (YTD)	\$4,655
Wed P.M. Bible Study	0	Avg (QTRLY)	\$4,475

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
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Announcements

Scripture Reading
Ezra 3:10 – 13

Song:

Stand Up and Glorify the Lord

Song:

Hosanna to the Lamb

Communion

Song:

Highest Place

Sermon: Nathan Diller
*"Out of Exile:
Returning to the Foundation"*

Song:

I Love You Lord

Closing Prayer



HEARING DEVICES

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