

Rose Hill Newsletter

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



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Local Mission Works

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

Sunday, December 27, 2020

UPCOMING AT ROSE HILL

- *Wednesday: Devo 7pm
- *New Year's Day January 1
- *Church office will be closed January 1

Sunday Morning Bible Classes

Auditorium	Nathan Diller
Teen Class	Scott Johnson
Cradle Roll	Marsha Crump/Becky Rodgers
2's & 3's	Carol Fonville/Diane Mock
BDZ	Michael & Rachel Riggs/Shireen Stewart

Wednesday Bible Classes

Auditorium	Dan Pate
Teen Class	Scott Johnson
Young Adults	Nathan Diller
Cradle Roll	Jessica Ives/Annie Kate Cobb
2's & 3's	Daniel & Hope Cobb
BDZ	

Location, Location, Location

You've heard the saying in the real estate world...the three most important features of a property are "location, location, location." No matter how bad the condition of the house, how mismanaged the property has been, the degree of neglect to the landscaping—if the location is right, there is still a high degree of probability that the property can be lucrative.

Unfortunately, what is true of real estate is not true of the church. Well, it is and it isn't; let me explain.

Sometimes we buy-in to the notion that if a church building is in the right location, if the sign is facing the right direction, if the traffic light is in just the right place, then the church will grow.

Now, I do not have a single grievance with building churches in good locations. The problem is that, statistically speaking, people just aren't "dropping by" churches very often. Having a building near a main road might be a minor blessing, but it isn't exactly transforming a community with the gospel.

There's a *different kind of location* that makes all the difference. For the Church, we should be far less concerned about the location of our building and far more concerned with the *location of the lost*.

Where are the people who are grasping for hope? Where are the people that are at their breaking point? Where are the ones who are longing for forgiveness? Where are the strugglers? Where are the hungry and poor?

When it comes to sharing the gospel, *that* is the location that matters. And if we know the answer to those questions and *go to those locations*, then we can fulfill the Great Commission. After all, Jesus didn't say: "Let them come to you in your building and make disciples out of them."

No, Jesus said: "Go and make disciples" (Matt 28:19). *Go!* Why? Because if we aren't at the *location, location, location* of the lost...who will be? How can they hear the good news if no one shares it with them (Rom 10:14)?

Nathan Diller



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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

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

PRAYER LIST – MEMBERS.

***Debbie Robison** is recovering from eye surgery.

Ongoing Health Issues:

***Ruby Hall** (health issues), **Billy McQuilton** (health issues), **Larry Stewart** (health issues), **Donna Greene**, **Rick & Norma Cox** (health issues), **Ann Jones** (health issues), **Mary Jo Hargett** (health issues), **Pat Johnson** (health issues). **Linda Brooks** (health issues), **Jerry & Mae Craft** (health issues), **Lonnie & Pat Taylor**, & **Jason Valero** (seizures).

PRAYER LIST - FRIENDS & FAMILY

Pray for those with COVID-19: **Chris Murray** (Andrew Murray's dad), **Ross Anderson**, **Andy** (Cathy Holmes cousins' son in Nebraska), **Debbie Robison's brother and wife**.

***Mark Riggs** (Stan Riggs brother) is recovering from kidney surgery.

***Ms. Fisher** (long-time friend of Deborah Allen) had a stroke on Monday and doctors discovered she also has a brain tumor.

***Susan Andrews** (Philip Bone's daughter, Beth Bone Andrew's mother-in-law) is recovering from a car wreck.

***Myrtle House** (former member) fell and broke her hip. She is in Phenix City Rehab.

CANCER:

***Michael Johnston** (Misty Johnston's dad) has stage 4 lung cancer.

***Tina Dobrzeniecki** (Fred Carnes' sister) has breast cancer and is undergoing treatments.

***Sandy** (daughter of Sandra Ousley) breast cancer.

***Mike Venable** (son of Ann Venable) cancer.

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

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

DEALING WITH HEALTH ISSUES:

***Rita Johnson** (Cathy Holmes' mother) is recovering from a mini stroke.

PRAYER LIST – SHUT-INS

Burns, Chuck & Jean **Campbell, Patricia**

Hall, Ruby **Riggs, Carol**



PRAYER LIST - ARMED FORCES

*Army, Ft. Benning:

David Bryan

Allen Ives

Gabe Johnson

Ryan Franks

Vincent Piombino

*National Guard: Justin Carnes

*Other Duty Stations:

David Corder-KY

Christian Manjarrez- Germany

Cory Grizzard - TX



*Congratulations to **Andrew & Jaime Murray!!** They are expecting a baby boy in May 2021. **Maya & Maggie** are super excited to be big sisters!

Congratulations to **Justin & Cayla Carnes!!** They are expecting a baby girl in May 2021. Congratulations to **Fred & Cindy Carnes** who will be grandparents.



“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.”

Romans 15:13

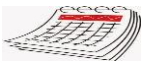


BROWN BAG OF COLUMBUS

The Brown Bag item for this month is **500 cans of CANNED TOMATOES**. The deadline will be January 13th.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Beginning Wednesday night, January 6th, the auditorium class will look at the topic, "The Roaring Lion and You." This examination is a biblical study of temptation, the Tempter, and how God's children can resist the devil and make him free. If you would like a class book, please see Richard Deising.



2021 CALENDAR EVENTS

If you have an event you are in charge of or you would like an event on the calendar, please send it to Cindy.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Ladies Bible Class will not meet again until Monday, January 4th. We will resume at 10 am at the church house.

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY

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Lads to Leaders will not meet until after the Holidays.

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BDZ LESSONS:

Dec 27 – 30	Lesson 32	Twelve Apostles
Jan 3 – 6	Lesson 33	Sermon on the Mount
Jan 10 – 13	Lesson 33	Sermon on the Mount
Jan 17 -20	Lesson 34	Miracles Part 1
Jan 24 – 27	Lesson 34	Miracles Part 1
Jan 31 – Feb 3	Lesson 35	Miracles Part 2

We will be meeting on Sunday at 9:30am and on Wednesday at 7pm downstairs and we will be live streaming the lessons.



FUSION NEWS

Resolved

As the New Year approaches, we all have prayers and hopes that 2021 will be better than 2020. We pray for this nation and for the world all over that more people would look to Jesus. We should also be praying that *we* as a congregation and as individuals have spiritual growth in 2021. We should be praying to be built up in God so much that it doesn't matter what this next year throws at us.

During this time of year, we make resolutions. We see this as a fresh start. A new beginning. Commitments are made and goals are set. What will you set as a priority? I'm reminded of a song that we often sing: I Am Resolved.

"I am resolved no longer to linger, charmed by the worlds delight; things that are higher, things that are nobler, these have allured my sight. I am resolved to go to the Savior, leaving my sin and strife; He is the true One, He is the just One, He hath the words of life. I am resolved to follow the Savior, faithful and true each day, heed what He sayeth, do what He willeth, He is the living way. I am resolved to enter the kingdom, leaving the paths of sin; friends may oppose me, foes may beset me, still will I enter in."

This year may we pray to walk as close as we can to our Savior. May we be resolved and committed to walking in His light. And may we be resolved to reach those that are lost so that they may discover the love of God.

Scott



Youth class will meet in the church house on Sunday mornings at 9:30am and on Wednesday evening at 7pm.

EXPOSURE LIVESTREAMING: We will meet at the church building to watch Exposure on Livestream.

Sunday: 8:15-10:15 (Lonnie Jones)
Monday: 8:15-9:45 (Jeff Jenkins)
Tuesday: 8:15-10 (David Shannon)



Bud Paepcke – December 28

Deborah Allen – December 29

Rick Cox – December 30

Easton Barnes – December 30



Deising, Richard & Judy (47th) – December 28

Stewart, Larry & Margaret (49th) – December 30



New Year's Eve	Dec 31
New Year's Day (office closed)	January 1
Ladies Bible Class 10am	January 4
Small Group Bible Study 7pm	January 7
Ladies Bible Class 10am	January 11
Small Group Bible Study 7pm	January 14
MLK Day	January 18
Ladies Bible Class 10am	January 25

SUNDAY AM SERVICE LEADERS:

	December 27	January 3
WELCOME/OPEN	Riggs, Stan	Fonville, Alan
SCRIPTURE	Vander, Tyler	Hill, Ethan
SONG LEADER	Barnes, Brian	Ellis, Andrew
COMMUNION	Murray, Andrew	Johnson, Scott
ANNOUNCEMENTS	Riggs, Stan	Fonville, Alan
CLOSING PRAYER	Rodgers, Billy	Brewer, Aaron

WEDNESDAY SERVICE LEADERS:

	December 30	January 6
LESSON	Devo	Deising, Richard
INVITATION	Devo	Miller, Dwight
SONG LEADER	Cobb, Darren	Bone, Philip
CLOSING PRAYER	Riggs, Michael	Rodgers, Billy

BAPTISTRY CLEAN & LOCK UP: December

Barnes, Brian

PREPARE COMMUNION: December

Carnes, Cindy

ATTENDANCE/CONTRIBUTION December 20, 2020

Sun Bible Study	72	Actual	\$5,298
Sun A.M. Assembly	117	Goal	\$4,815
Sun P.M. Singing	0	Avg (YTD)	\$4,857
Wed P.M. Bible Study	47	Avg (QTRLY)	\$5,098

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, December 27, 2020

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading

Proverbs 16:9

This World is Not My Home

Song #957 (v. 1 & 3)

Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Song #679 (v. 1 & 4)

Only a Holy God

Song PP Only (v. 1, 3, & 4)

Communion

Standing on the Promises

Song #452 (v. 1 & 2)

Sermon: Nathan Dillar

"Our Plans; God Plans"

I Know the Lord Will Find a Way

Song #523 (v. 1 & 3)

Announcements

Sing to Me of Heaven

Song #716 (v. 1 & 3)

Closing Prayer



HEARING DEVICES

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