

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, April 25, 2021

UPCOMING AT ROSE HILL

Tuesday: Ladies Bible Class 10am

Wednesday: Bible Study 7pm

Thursday: Thurs Night Bible Study 7pm

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	Richard Deising
Teen Class	Scott Johnson
Young Adults	Nathan Diller
Cradle Roll	Kara Johnson / Annie Kate Cobb
2's & 3's	Lacey Barnes
BDZ	Jeannie Cole / Jessica Ives

The Power of a Raindrop

I noticed a problem at our house this spring when I came out and saw the impact that recent rainstorms had been having. The ground naturally allows the water to drain away from the house and down toward the street; however, towards the street there is a portion of the ground that had no real grass or plant life. The result was that a small ditch was slowly starting to form where the water was eroding the soil. While not an immediate danger, I certainly began thinking about the best way to prevent that erosion from continuing.

But what was inconvenient for me also came with a few great spiritual lessons (God has a way of doing that!). One of them I thought was particularly relevant to consider in regards to the work of the church and the mission of God.

Raindrops are, obviously, very small. While raindrops vary in size, even the biggest raindrop does very little on its own. Individually, they do *almost nothing*. One raindrop has never quenched anyone's thirst, filled any pond, or eroded any landscape. From the outside perspective, one raindrop is completely useless.

At the same time, there are few things in the natural world as powerful as rain—both in terms of erosion (floods) and in terms of supporting life. And there would be no such thing as "rain" without individual raindrops! Each of them, as insignificant as they might appear, are absolutely essential to "rain."

I'm sure you already see the spiritual lesson here. At the individual level, no single Christian is able to change the world. Certainly, some Christians are capable of reaching many people, but in the grand scope of history the impact would be small. Even the apostle Paul, as much as he taught and wrote, would not have had such a great impact if there weren't other people also participating: listening to/reading his messages, following Jesus, sharing their faith, remaining faithful, etc.

Just as each individual raindrop is relatively powerless on its own but is made formidable when part of the whole rainstorm, we are also seemingly powerless on our own but made powerful when we work together in the kingdom of the Lord!

That's why Paul used the metaphor of the body in 1 Corinthians 12:12-31. Just like rain, the body requires *cells* that are powerless on their own but form a capable human body when put together. It is true that this passage teaches the need we have for one another, but it also teaches us what we become when we function together: a body that is capable of doing infinitely more than any one cell!

The rain needs raindrops, the body needs cells ... *and we need you!*

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

***BJ Foster** had surgery on Friday on his hand that was injured in an accident last year.

***Sandra Jackson** is recovering from a heart attack.

***Raymond Chipman** is dealing with health issues

***Dwight Miller** is recovering from a heart procedure.

***Stan Riggs** is recovering from a heart procedure.

Ongoing Health Issues:

Jerry & Mae Craft **Charles & Linda Brooks**

Larry & Margaret Stewart **Billy McQuilton**

Rick & Norma Cox **Dorothy Roach**

Lonnie & Pat Taylor **Ann Jones**

Mary Jo Hargett **Debbie Robison**

Victoria Garrett **Pat Johnson**

Jason Valero

PRAYER LIST - SHUT-INS

Burns, Chuck **Campbell, Patricia** **Riggs, Carol**

PRAYER LIST - FRIENDS & FAMILY

*Larry Stewart's dad was taken to hospital in Oregon with possible stroke.

***Michael Johnston** (Misty Johnston's dad) has stage 4 lung cancer. He had a procedure on Wednesday and is recovering.

***Josh Flynn** (Becky Rodgers' nephew) recovering from motorcycle accident.

***Cathy Bush** (Ray Chipman's sister) fell and broke some ribs and is now in rehab.

***Nona Griffith** (Darren Cobb's mother-in-law) is back in the hospital.

***Jerry Barnett** (Donna Greene's son) is dealing with long-term effects of COVID.

***Barbara Churchwell** (Hope Cobb's mother) has Bone Marrow Disease.

***Linda Barker** (Dewayne Long's sister) recovering from surgery due to a car accident last week.

***Frankie Long** (Dewayne Long's brother) health issues.

***Donna Eckstein** (Dewayne Long's sister) health issues.

***Billie Nolen** (Cindy Carnes' mother) suffered a stroke.

***Bill Nolen** (Cindy Carnes' dad) will have a stress test this week.

CANCER:

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

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

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

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

WORDS FOR THE WEEK

Rich, Treasure, Give



PRAYER LIST - ARMED FORCES

Army, Ft. Benning:

Allen Ives Gabe Johnson Walt Johnson

Ryan Franks Vincent Piombino

Other Duty Stations:

Justin Carnes - National Guard David Bryan - Italy

David Corder - KY Cory Grizzard - TX

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to **Blakely Arnold!** She was inducted to the National Junior Honor Society this week.



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

*Congratulations to **Ben & April Stewart!!** They are expecting a baby girl in September. Congratulations to **Larry & Margaret Stewart** who will be grandparents.



Rose Hill Church of Christ Ladies' Day
Saturday, May 1st, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Brunch on the Lawn

Please RSVP to cindy@rosehillchurch.com or on the Facebook page for the 13th Annual Ladies Day at Rose Hill Church.

2021 SENIOR RECEPTION

There will be a Graduation Reception in honor of our High School Senior's, which are **Emma Durham, Trevor Douthit & Matthew Douthit**, on Sunday, May 16th after morning worship. There will be finger food and snacks available. If you would like to donate money to these senior's, please see Cindy Carnes.



BROWN BAG OF COLUMBUS

The Brown Bag item for this month is 500 cans of **CORN**. Deadline will be May 12th.

GRADUATION

If you have a child that is graduating Pre-K, KDG, High School or College; Please send a picture and information to cindy@rosehillchurch.com by May 2nd to be included in the Graduation insert.

DIRECTORY INFORMATION

It is time to update your information. If you have a changed address, phone number or email address, please send it to Cindy at cindy@rosehillchurch.com so we can make sure that your information is current. If you would like a new picture, please let Dwight Miller know.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Ladies Bible Class will meet on Tuesday mornings at 10am at the church house. We are starting a new study in the book, "Lies Women Believe". If you would like to join us and need a book, please see Cindy Carnes.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY

Thursday Bible Study will meet on Thursday evenings at 7pm at the church house.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

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.

BIBLEDISCOVERYZONE



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Lesson 40

The Last Supper

Sunday, April 11th - Wednesday, April 28th

Memory Verse:

"This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." Luke 22:19

In this lesson, your child will be learning about the Last Supper with Jesus and his disciples before his crucifixion. They will learn about Jesus washing the disciple's feet and the Lords Supper that we partake in every week. Make sure to review this with your kids over these next few weeks. ☺



FUSION NEWS

The Heart of the Matter

Your faith is changing all the time. Hopefully for the better. The goal is that as we grow and mature physically and emotionally that we also grow and mature spiritually. We should have a deep personal desire to grow closer to God. We try to fulfill this goal by spending time in His word, serving others, talking with God, and in many other ways.

But sometimes as we are learning and our faith is becoming more complex and growing deeper roots, sometimes we need to be reminded of the heart of the matter. Paul hits on this point in 1st Corinthians 2:1-2. He says "And I, when I came to you, brothers, did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God with lofty speech or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified."

When he writes this, he's is continuing a point on boasting in Christ, but the concept of knowing Christ crucified is the same. He decided to be rooted in the fact of Jesus and his death. He was rooted in that because that is the heart of his faith. The very core of our faith is found in the truth that Jesus Christ came and was crucified for mankind's salvation. That sacrifice is something we should hold close to our hearts.

I pray that your faith grows and matures just as you do. I also pray that you like Paul, build your faith on the truth of Jesus' death and resurrection.

Scott

Youth
activities

Parent meeting TODAY after morning worship.



L2L

Thank you to all the parents and kids that participated in L2L in 2020 / 2021. There will be a parent meeting TODAY after morning worship.



Carol Fonville – April 26 Ann Chance – April 30
Shane McKinney – April 27 Diane Mock – April 30
Micah Cobb – April 28



Paepcke, Bud & Judy (3rd) – April 26
Homes, Rick & Cathy (19th) – April 28

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, April 25, 2021

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading
Matthew 6:19-24

Heavenly Sunlight
 Song #611 (v. 1 & 2)

Earth Holds No Treasures
 Song #884 (v. 1 & 3)

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross
 Song #315 (v. 1, 2, & 3)

Communion

Oh Master, Let Me Walk with Thee
 Song #763 (v. 1)

Sermon: Nathan Diller
"Be Rich"

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus
 Song #674 (v. 1 & 4)

Announcements

More About Jesus
 Song #678 (v. 4)

Closing Prayer



Parent Meeting after morning worship	April 25
Ladies Bible Class 10am	April 27
Thursday Bible Study 7pm	April 29
Ladies Day	May 1
Ladies Bible Class 10am	May 4
Thursday Bible Study 7pm	May 6
Mother's Day	May 9
Ladies Bible Class 10am	May 11
Thursday Bible Study 7pm	May 13

SUNDAY AM SERVICE LEADERS:

	April 25	May 2
WELCOME/OPEN	Riggs, Stan	Carnes, Fred
SCRIPTURE	Douthit, Brian	Barnes, Aiden
SONG LEADER	Ellis, Andrew	Barnes, Brian
COMMUNION	Miller, Dwight	McKinney, Booth
ANNOUNCEMENTS	Riggs, Stan	Carnes, Fred
CLOSING PRAYER	Riggs, Michael	Rodgers, Billy

WEDNESDAY SERVICE LEADERS:

	April 28	May 5
LESSON	Deising, Richard	Deising, Richard
INVITATION	Bone, Philip	Cobb, Daniel
SONG LEADER	Miller, Dwight	Cobb, Darren
CLOSING PRAYER	Hosmer, Chris	Rodgers, Billy

BAPTISTRY CLEAN & LOCK UP: MAY

Matt Simmons

PREPARE COMMUNION: MAY

Carnes, Cindy & Becky Rodgers

ATTENDANCE/CONTRIBUTION April 18, 2021

Sun Bible Study	87	Actual	\$5,345
Sun A.M. Assembly	128	Goal	\$4,815
Sun P.M.	0	Avg (YTD)	\$4,675
Wed P.M. Bible Study	75	Avg (QTRLY)	\$4,964



HEARING DEVICES

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