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, September 19, 2021

UPCOMING AT ROSE HILL

TODAY: L2L Potluck and Workshop

Tuesday: Ladies Bible Class 10am

Thursday: Thurs Night Bible Study 7pm

Sunday Morning Bible Classes

Auditorium Teen Class Cradle Roll 2's & 3's BDZ BDZ

Auditorium

Teen Class

Cradle Roll

2's & 3's

BDZ

BDZ

Fred Carnes
Michael Riggs
Marsha Crump/Cathy Holmes
Carol Fonville/Diane Mock
N. Diller / A. Simmons / J. Deising
J. Durham / A. Fonville

Wednesday Bible Classes

Nathan Diller Michael Riggs Buffy Glenn / Marsha Crump Gabe & Sydney Johnson Joseph Glenn / Andrew Murray Richard Deising

Not a Word, Not a Person

Joshua and the people of Israel had just been in a battle with Ai. Joshua had led a group of Israelites up to face Ai, and the army of Ai rushed out toward Joshua. Joshua and his army, seeing the full military force of Ai, turned and fled. But they didn't flee from terror or fear, they fled because there had been a plan—the best warriors of Israel had set an ambush. When they came upon Ai, they routed them and were victorious.

Joshua knew before the battle that the Lord would deliver them (Josh 8:1-2). So, when the battle had concluded Joshua set up an altar to the Lord and worshipped God with the people (Josh 8:30-31).

What's interesting is that it is here that Joshua makes a copy of the Law of Moses. All of Israel gathers around Joshua as he wrote on the stones. And when Joshua had finished, he made sure that all of Israel was gathered on the hills around him so that they could see him and hear what he had to say (Josh 8:32-35).

There was *not a person* of Israel who did not hear Joshua. The kids were there, the women were there, the men were there, the foreigners who had been living with Israel were there—*not a person* was absent.

There was *not a word* of the Law that Israel did not hear, for Joshua read to them "all the words of the law—the blessings and the curses—just as it is written in the Law of Moses" (v. 34).

Joshua wanted the people to hear *the words of God*. As we've been talking about in our Wednesday night series, Joshua believed in "eating the book"—he believed that every soul in Israel ought to be fed by the words of God.

Now, that's a very high view of Scripture—no doubt about it. But my emphasis today is that it is also a very high view of *people*. Joshua had a radical sense of the *equality* of all people as every soul in Israel was allowed to listen to the words of God and take them into their lives. Joshua could have read the Scriptures only to a select group of elders, or to the head of each clan, or to only the Israelite men, or to only Israelite adults, etc.

When I read about the children being present, I immediately thought of Jesus in Luke 18:15-17. Jesus didn't view sharing God's message with children to be a distraction or a burden, but he patiently said: "Let the children come to me!"

For Joshua, everyone had both the privilege and the responsibility to personally receive the holy words of God. And today, the same is true—the gospel is for all!

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

*Larry Stewart is recovering from knee surgery.

*Margaret Stewart has not been feeling well.

*Pat Taylor has asked for prayers.

Ongoing Health Issues:

Craft, Mae Charles & Linda Brooks

James & Sandra Jackson Ann Jones

Rick & Norma Cox Debbie Robison

Lonnie & Pat Taylor Pat Johnson

Mary Jo Hargett Jason Valero

Victoria Garrett Dorothy Roach

Billy McQuilton

PRAYER LIST – SHUT-INS

Burns, Chuck Patricia Campbell

Craft, Jerry Carol Riggs

PRAYER LIST - FRIENDS & FAMILY

*Barbara Churchwell (Hope Cobb's mother) had a bone marrow transplant and treatment and will be in Atlanta for several months for treatment. (New Address: 4003 Stonewall Jackson Dr., Lot #314, Stone Mountain, GA 30083).

Jeannette Brooks (Hope Cobb's grandmother) is now in rehab.

- *Steve Davidson (Jan Davidson's husband) is dealing with health issues and having tests.
- *Missy Martin (sister-in-law of Linda Willmschen) is recovering from surgery on a perforated colon. She is doing better.
- *Lindsey Johnson (sister-in-law of Philip Bone and Becky Day) is recovering from a stroke.
- *Donna Ennis and children (Mary Miller's niece) lost her husband.
- *Harold Stewart (Larry Stewart's brother) had a leg amputation recently.
- *Larry Stewart's dad is home recovering.

CANCER:

- *Rachel Jackson (the niece of Stan & Carol Riggs) has Hodgkin's Lymphoma.
- *Dorothy Roach's cousin's husband has prostate cancer.
- *Michael Johnston (Misty Johnston's dad) has stage 4 lung cancer.
- *Sandy (daughter of Sandra Ousley), breast cancer.
- *Mike Venable (son of Ann Venable), cancer.
- *Genevieve Silvia (Andrew Ellis' sister), cancer.

WORDS FOR THE WEEK

Cord - Three - Friend



PRAYER LIST - ARMED FORCES

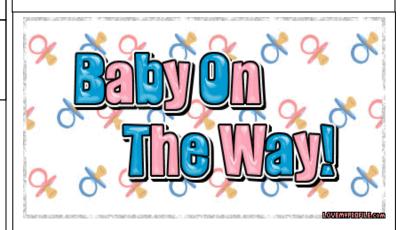
Army, Ft. Benning:

Gabe Johnson Walt Johnson Ryan Franks

Vincent Piombino Hunter Howell

Other Duty Stations:

Justin Carnes - National Guard David Bryan - Italy
David Corder - KY Cory Grizzard - TX



- *Congratulations to *Nathan & Sarah Diller!!!* They are expecting a <u>baby boy</u> in February 2022.
- *Congratulations to *Allen & Jessica Ives!!!* They are expecting a <u>baby boy</u> in February 2022. *Scarlett* is excited to be a big sister.
- *Congratulations to *Brodie & Brianna Studdard* (*Tim & Wendy Vander's* daughter)!!! They are expecting a <u>baby boy</u> in January 2022.
- *Congratulations to *Walt & Lizzy Johnson!!!* They are expecting a <u>baby girl</u> in December. *Waylen* is excited to be a big brother.



There will be a Drive-By Birthday Party for *Ann Jones* on Sunday, October 3rd from 2-4pm on the church awning side.



BROWN BAG OF COLUMBUS

The Brown Bag item for this month is **\$\$ for CHICKENS.** Make checks out to **Brown Bag of Columbus** and give to *Billy or Becky Rodgers*. Deadline will be October 13th.





L2L Workshop Dates:

September 19 October 14 November 14 December 5

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Ladies Bible Class will meet at the church house on Tuesday at 10am.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY

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



If you are interested in attending Exposure Youth Camp this year (Dec 27-30) - we will have a meeting Sunday, Sept 12 immediately after morning worship in the training room. Prices, due dates, etc. will be discussed then.



Staying in Touch with YOUth

Don't Fool Yourself

An overweight man walked into a donut shop with a friend and ordered 12 glazed donuts. They sat down at a table and the hefty fella began to eat the entire box of sweet treats- without offering his companions any. The guest looked at him asked, "Do you think eating 12 donuts is good for your weight?" The glutton answered, "No, eating them all won't hurt me because I'm only eating the holes." It doesn't make what logic the guy was using, he was still consuming 3,600 calories- hole and all!

It's a fact of life that when we want to do something that's not good for us or is against the Lord's will, we try to convince ourselves that's it's okay, that nothing bad is going to happen and that there won't be any long-lasting negative consequences. Oh, and that's exactly what Satan wants us to do!

Look at Genesis 3:1-6. The devil provided Adam and Eve with just enough doubt about God's commandment about eating from THE tree that they convinced themselves it would be okay to munch on, we suppose, just one piece of the fruit. Satan worked, apparently, the same way in convincing David it was okay to take a census of how many soldiers he had in his army (1 Chron. 21:1-3), and when Judas made up his mind to betray Jesus for 30 pieces of silver (Lk. 22:3-6; Matt. 26:14,15). Many times, in our own lives, we can be sure that the devil will seek to "plant" the wrong ideas in our head that God doesn't care of we commit a "little" sin or that He's not watching when we travel down the road of disobedience. The devil seeks to practice mind control with us and if we are not always on guard and striving to block out his efforts in the same way Christ did when He was being tempted (Matt. 34:1-17- "it is written), we will do some mighty foolish things. We can control our thinking, make it clear and righteous by remembering Proverbs 3:5,6- "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him and He will make your paths straight."

Richard Deising



Lesson 47

Other NT Heroes

Sunday, September 5th - Wednesday, September 22nd

Memory Verse:

"They received the message with great eagerness."

Acts 17:11

For the next three weeks, we will be learning about other NT Heroes and their stories. We will learn about the lives of Stephen, Dorcas, Phillip and The Bereans and how they helped further God's Kingdom.



Patricia Campbell - September 21



Long, Dewayne & Tammy (21st) - September 21

UPCOMING VENTS

L2L Potluck and Workshop	Sept 19
Ladies Bible Class 10am	Sept 21
Thursday Night Bible Study 7pm	Sept 23
Ladies Bible Class 10am	Sept 28
Thursday Night Bible Study 7pm	Sept 30
Life, Love and Loss Workshop	Oct 9-10
L2L Potluck and Workshop	Oct 17

SUNDAY AM SERVICE LEADERS:

	September 19	September 26	
WELCOME/OPEN	Fonville, Alan	Riggs, Stan	
SCRIPTURE	Douthit, Bo Hill, Eth		
SONG LEADER	Pate, Dan	Barnes, Brian	
COMMUNION	Ellis, Andrew	Murray, Andrew	
ANNOUNCEMENTS	Fonville, Alan	Riggs, Stan	
CLOSING PRAYER	McKinney, Booth	Miller, Dwight	

SUNDAY AM ATTENDED NURSERY:

	September 19	September 26	
Nursery Attendant	Hosmer, Jessica	Allen, Deborah	
Nursery Helper	Piombino, Neva	Johnson, Sydney	

WEDNESDAY SERVICE LEADERS:

	September 22	September 29
LESSON	Diller, Nathan	Diller, Nathan
Song Leader	Ellis, Andrew	Fonville, Alan
Invitation	Miller, Dwight	Ellis, Andrew
Closing Prayer	Riggs, Michael	Rodgers, Billy

BAPTISTRY CLEAN & LOCK UP: SEPTEMBER

McKinney, Booth

PREPARE COMMUNION: SEPTEMBER

Carnes, Cindy & Rodgers, Becky

ATTENDANCE/CONTRIBUTION September 12, 2021

Sun Bible Study	78	Actual	\$4,657
Sun A.M. Assembly	120	Goal	\$4,815
Sun P.M.	0	Avg (YTD)	\$4,875
Wed P.M. Bible Study	61	Avg (QTRLY)	\$4,794

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, September 19, 2021

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

A Common Love Song # 705

How Sweet, How Heavenly

Song # 709

He Lives

Song # 346 (v. 1)

Communion

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Song # 711 (v. 1 & 3)

Sermon: Nathan Diller
"A Threefold Cord"

Burdens Are Lifted at Calvary

Song # 912 (v. 1 & 2)

Announcements

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Closing Song # 711 (v. 5)

Closing Prayer

16.33

HEARING DEVICES

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