

# CHASE PARK HERALD

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Chase Park  
CHURCH of CHRIST

## News of Interest

**Pantry Item:** Cereals, Oatmeal, Cream of Wheat

**Wedding Bells:** Congratulations to **Anna Sims** and **Caleb Herd** on their wedding in New Zealand on January 5. Happy for their new life together.

**New Member Directory Updates—Welcome them**

**Linda Stone** is placing membership with us from the Northwest congregation. She is Laura Brake's sister.

**Robert and Beverly Gordon** are joining us from the West Huntsville congregation. He is a retired accountant and she supports the Arc of Madison County.

**Sympathy(s). Keep the family(ies) in your prayers:**

To **Pam Huggins** and family in the passing of her aunt, **Barbara Phillips**. Funeral services were held January 7 at Valhalla Funeral Home.

**Sick/Prayer List:** **Jo McMahan, Pam MacLean, Caleb Sipper, Sheila Landman, Dobie Shirley, Martha Row, Peggy Flynt, Jill Burton, Regina Brothers, Melanie Champion, Joe Nichols**

**At home:** **Brian Hughes, Tom Wharton**

## Today and Upcoming

**WE CARE Team(s) Meetings**

**Teams #2, Casson, Lambrecht, and #8, McDonald, T. Rosenblum,** meeting for lunch in dining room after bible classes. **All visitors invited.**

**Sunday, January 18: Teams #4 and #6**

**Sunday, January 25: Teams #3 and #5**

**Today's Regency Services**

Everyone is invited; men encouraged to participate.

Retirement Village Sunroom: 12:45—1:15 p.m.

Healthcare & Rehab Dining Room: 1:30—2:00 p.m.

**Chase Park Class Volunteer:**

**Song Leader:** Gregg Crabtree

**Speakers:** Steve Parker/Wes McDonald

**TALENTS Team Meeting(s)**

**Team #2** led by **Vincent and Lindsey Schneider**. **No meeting January 12.** Assignments will be emailed.

**Super Senior Class**

Wednesday, January 14, 10:00 a.m., dining room.

**Ladies' Night Out**

Tuesday, January 20, 5:30 p.m., dining room. "High Tea." Sign-up sheet in foyer.

## Thank you

"Dear Friends,

I just wanted to thank everyone for the prayers, texts, words of encouragement and gifts during the past 3 months. Please continue to pray for me as I will be having surgery at the end of January and then maybe more treatment. I have been so blessed—the treatment so far has not made me ill. Love,"

*Martha Row & Family*

"Thanks to everyone for all the concern following my recovery from surgery and pneumonia. I am doing well now. The prayers, cards, calls, food and all the concern for us was so kind, thoughtful and appreciated. Our Chase Park family means so much to us for 50+ years! Love to all,"

*Bobby and Glenda Hall*

"Melissa and I are so thankful for the many cards, texts, emails, and personal expressions of caring for our family in the passing of my mother, Christine Wilhoite. None of us are ever ready to see our loved one pass from this life, but knowing that she was a faithful servant of Christ and having brothers and sisters such as the members of Chase Park has made our loss bearable. We are so thankful for you all, and we are grateful to be a part of such a loving family of believers and servants of God. May God bless each of you."

*Jerry & Melissa Wilhoite*

## Barnabas Project

**Congregational Meetings:** Sundays, 4:30 p.m., dining room.

**Members' names A-M:**

**Members' names N-Z:** Sunday, January 18

**Prayer Requests:** See Newsline for prayer requests.

## Children's Ministry & CPYG

**M4—Mondays, school mornings, 7:00 a.m., dining room.**



**CM GroupMe—calendar & events**

**CPYG GroupMe - calendar & events**





## January 2026 Chase Park Evangelism Update

Brothers and Sisters,

What a great year 2025 ended up being for our evangelistic outreach! It really ended strong with several people putting on Christ in baptism, and we still have several people who are studying with us as we enter 2026. I am very excited about 2026 and our theme: *Sharing Hope, Changing Lives* because that is exactly what we are trying to do with our evangelistic outreach. We share hope for a better life after this life as well as an “abundant life” even here and now (John 10:10). So many people are living lives with no hope at all. Paul talked about this condition in Ephesians 2. There he was speaking about the Gentile world; our take-a-way today from that principle is anyone who is not “in Christ.” That concept was so important to Paul (therefore the Holy Spirit who inspired Paul’s writings) that Paul used the phrases “in Him” or “in Christ” 8 times in Ephesians chapter 1; 30 times in the whole book of Ephesians; and 169 times in all of his letters combined. Being “in Christ” must be vitally important in God’s mind for Him to include that many mentions of it in the New Testament.

That is why our personal efforts to “give a reason for the hope that is in us” (1 Peter 3:15) is so important. Because the more people we can influence for good—the more people we can study the bible with—the more people who will consider the gospel—the more people will obey the gospel—and it is in the act of obedience to the gospel through baptism that puts us by faith into Christ (Galatians 3:26-27).

My prayer for 2026 is that each of us at Chase Park will make an effort (Hebrews 11:6) to bring at least one person to a decision about Christ and then let their decision be between them and God. No pressure, no anxiety, just sharing the gospel (good news) to those who might be interested. It should be our aim to give everyone we come in contact with the opportunity to say “No” to the gospel, while at the same time praying that they say “Yes.” God bless our combined efforts because God is more than able to help if we believe (Ephesians 3:20).

Remember, I love you and want to go to heaven with you,  
Pat

### Chase Park Church of Christ

#### Ministers

Rusty Hills..... Pulpit  
Pat Cowden ..... Evangelism  
Will Tucker ..... Youth

#### Elders

Eric Corder  
Sam Kachelman  
Dennis Lawson  
Barry Todd  
Stephen Trammell

### Worship Participants

Sunday, January 18, 2026

#### A.M.:

F Prayer.....Tim Row  
LS Prayer.....Mike Crawford  
Reading.....Garrett Williams  
C Prayer.....Eric Corder

#### P.M.:

F Prayer..Larry Hollingsworth  
Reading.....Wes McDonald  
C Prayer.....Andy Phillips

### Statistics

Sunday, January 04, 2026

AM Worship..... 354  
Month Average ..... 354  
Bible Class..... 272  
PM Worship .....224  
Regency Worship.....30  
Offering .....\$26,614.00  
Budget ..... \$22,100  
Average '26 ..... \$26,614  
Over Budget for year..... +\$4,514  
Special contributions:.....\$200.00  
(Building), \$25.00 (Missions)

Mid-week, January 07, 2026  
Devotional.....242

### Services

#### *Sunday*

Worship .....9:00 a.m.  
Bible Class ..... 10:15 a.m.  
Worship ..... 5:00 p.m.

#### *Wednesday*

Super Seniors ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Bible Class ..... 6:30 p.m.

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