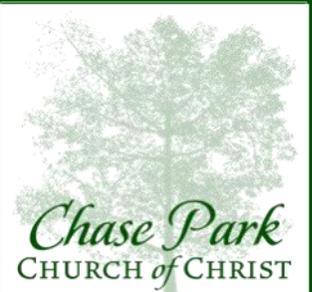


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News of Interest

Pantry Item: Canned Beans

Sick/Prayer List

Huntsville Hospital: Bobby Rosenblum, Gary Webster, Edith Landman (Mac's mother)

Home: Dorothy Johnson, Ruth King, Jo McMahan, Doylene Coffey, Nancy Stockton, Frankie Davis, Fred and Betty King, Mildred Smelser, Elbert Peters, Jean Hindman, Thomas Wharton (Joy's husband)

Barnabas Project

See Newline for prayer requests and addresses.

Congregational Meetings: Today, 4:30 and 6:15 p.m., members whose names begin with R—Z.

Thank you

"Dear Chase Park,
The love, prayers, and cards given to our family in the passing of my son, Chris, will always be remembered. Thank you. Love,"

Tom & Nancy Pond

"To Chase Park Family,
Thank you for your care and concern during my recovery from foot surgery. Your prayers, cards, texts, and phone calls were much appreciated. In Christian love,"

Mildred Smelser



OCTOBER Birthdays



1—Evan Davis
2—Mark Stiegler
Jeff Chrisco
4—Mallory Smith
5—Carol Layne
6—Jo McMahan
Cathy Maples
8—Margaret Norman
Leslie Campbell
10—Mary Bradford
Terri Emerson
Thulan Phan
11—Russ Davis
Kaelee Clark
15—Scarlett Maples
16—Kristy Cothren
Blake Gustin

17—Colene Webster
Virginia Hardy
18—Alyssa Hastings
22—Frankie Davis
23—Beth Husband
Linda Baccus
Caroline Black
Elizabeth Godfrey
24—Gary Holzheimer
26—Rusty Hills
27—Drew Blankenship
Ethan Washington
30—Andrea Blankenship
Lane Corder
31—Carrie Jennings

Today and Upcoming

Regency Services

Today, 1:30 p.m., Regency Retirement Village, Outdoor service. All participants must provide vaccination.

Speaker: Gregg Crabtree

Song Leader: Gregg Crabtree

Monthly Tuesday Morning Ladies' Bible Class

Tuesday, September 28, 10:00 a.m., elder's conference room.

Balance Class

Tuesday and Thursday, September 28 and 30, 1:00 p.m., fellowship hall.

Super Seniors

Wednesday, September 29, 10:00 a.m., dining room.

Willing Hands Ladies' Ministry

Monday, October 3, 6:00 p.m., dining room.

Chase Park Community Fall Festival

Saturday, October 16, 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Games, inflatables, food, and pumpkins. **Donations needed: individual size chips, snack cakes, drinks, and candy. Place your donations on the table in the foyer.** Sign-up sheet at the hospitality desk with time slots to help with this event. If you have any questions, please see Will Tucker or Erica Karraker.

Children's Ministry

Devo—Today, after p.m. service, dining room, fellowship hall

Bible Fact Finders—Sunday, October 3, 17, and 31, 4:30 p.m., small auditorium

Youth Group

Upcoming Activities

Junior & Senior Night—Today, September 26, 6:00—8:30 p.m., youth room

Wednesday Night Together—September 29, 5:00 p.m., dining room, fellowship hall

Parents refer to Will's calendar/newsletter for more upcoming weekly activities and events.

College/Young Pros

Upcoming Activities

Refer to the GroupMe for other activities and events.



Wasted Time

It's not unusual for us at different stages of life to wonder if the things that we have recently worked so hard on are really just wasted time. Maybe it's a summer of hard practice that never seems to pay off. Was it just wasted time? Later in life, maybe it's long hours working on a business proposal for an important contract that you don't win. Maybe it's a relationship that you have been in for years but never seems to get serious.

I think we can all think of times when we have wondered the same thing. But how do you know in the middle of one of these situations that what you are involved in is really wasted time? It's not an easy thing to do. But what if you were to examine your activities as if you are looking back on them at the end of your life? Would the thing that you are investing so much time in now seem worth it then? If not, as Rusty said in his sermon this past Sunday, "Let it go."

Would you ever think that spending time in prayer was wasted time? If you study the life of our Master, at the times in His life when He was busiest, He always found time to pray. Sometimes it meant that He got less sleep, but it was a priority. Jesus didn't waste time.

Would you look back on time that you took to serve someone who was struggling as wasted time? Even on Jesus' busiest days surrounded by people to teach, He paid attention to those who were overlooked and needed something. Sometimes it was healing, sometimes it was just to be noticed. Think of a tax collector named Zaccheus (Luke 19:5). Think of a woman who had a hemorrhage for 12 years who touched Him in a crowd (Luke 8:43-48). Think of a group of lepers who begged for His attention and healing (Luke 17:12-19), even though He knew that only 1 of the 10 would come back and say, "Thank you". Jesus' schedule was never too full that He chose not to serve others.

Did Jesus take advantage of the opportunities to teach the lost; that God loves them and wants them to be His children? Even the master teacher did not persuade everyone that He taught to be His disciple. But I'm sure that He never looked back at teaching even one of them as wasted time.

So, are there things that take up a lot of your time that when you look back on later you will consider as wasted time? If so, you know what to do.

Your Elders

Chase Park Church of Christ

Ministers

Rusty Hills..... Pulpit

Pat Cowden Evangelism

Will Tucker Youth

Elders

Curtis Hill

Sam Kachelman

Dennis Lawson

Barry Todd

Worship Participants

Sunday, October 3, 2021

A.M.:

F Prayer.....**Ben Boggess**

LS Prayer.....**Dennis Lawson**

Reading.....**Parker Clark**

C Prayer.....**Zeke Burton**

P.M.:

F Prayer.....**Bob Williams**

Reading.....**Jack Rosenblum**

C Prayer.....**Naaman Goode**

Statistics

Sunday, September 19, 2021

AM Worship.....234

Month Average271

Bible Class NC

PM Worship169

Regency Worship.....NC

Offering.....\$17,360.00

Budget\$19,500

Average '21\$20,700

Over Budget for year... +\$45,596

Building/Missions fund.....\$0.00

Mid-week, September 22,2021..210

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 Class6:30 p.m.

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