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News of Interest

Pantry Item: Classrooms' Food List in Newsline.

<u>Sympathys—Keep these families in your prayers:</u> To the **Stanley Kendrick** family (friends of Rebecca

Fulks) in his recent passing.

To **Doris Renfroe** (aunt of Cathy Peacock) and family in the passing of her daughter, Angela, on January 19.

Sick/Prayer List: Pam MacLean; Sheila Landman, Joe Nichols (Peggy's cousin), Andrea McCarley (former member), John Norman, Ronald Lewis, Leonard Stewart (regular visitor), Johnny Campbell, Doug O'Dell, Jarod Atchley, Judi Campbell, Debby Lemley, Jim Denny, Tom Wharton, Rick Pressnell (former member), Dennis Lawson

<u>At home:</u> Jean Hindman, Don Champion, John Fields, Caleb Sipper, Dot Lewter

Library News

Jared and Nicole Olbricht donated this book to our library:

THE WEEKLY WORD; 52 Meditations from Scripture, written by G. Clay Leonard. The author offers to Christians 52 weekly meditations on a variety of important subjects. Each of the chapters includes a scripture reading associated to the meditations.

Thank you

"To Chase Park Family, I appreciate the cards, flowers, calls and kindness shown to me and my family during the recent passing of my father. It means so much to be a part of a loving and caring church family. In Christian love,"

Shonika McCreless & Family



Today and Upcoming

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. Song Leader: Gregg Crabtree

Speaker: Pat Cowden

TALENTS Team Meeting(s)

Team **#4, led Ray and Pat Brown**. Monday, January 27. Assignments will be emailed.

Ladies' Monthly Tuesday Morning Bible Study

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

<u>Super Seniors Class</u>

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

Friend's Day

Sunday, February 9. Be inviting your friends. 9:00 a.m. Worship, 10:15 a.m. Bible classes, 11:30 a.m. Potluck lunch, 12:45 p.m. Worship.

<u>Men's Breakfast</u>

Saturday, February 15. Stay tuned for more details.

Barnabas Project

Congregational Meetings, 4:30 p.m., dining room: Sunday, February 2: Members names A-M Sunday, February 16: Members names N-Z Prayer Requests: See Newsline for prayer requests.

Children's Ministry & CPYG

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

Children's Ministry: GroupMe for events.



Chase Park Youth Group: *GroupMe for events*.



Philippians 3:7-8

(7) But what things were gain to me, these I have counted loss for Christ. (8) Yet indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ

Notice Paul's statements about his service to Christ. He used to think certain things were valuable, but now he saw they are worthless compared to Christ. He considered everything a loss compared to the greatness of knowing Christ Jesus. Paul gave up everything for Him and to gain Christ, so this should be the pattern for our relationship to Him.

To walk as Christ did, we must strive to meet the sacrifices required in our lives. Christ embodied the purpose of biblical sacrifices; they were central to His life.

Paul followed Christ's example of sacrifice. He was a respected Hebrew, taught by Gamaliel, and possibly a member of the Sanhedrin. He gave up his esteemed position and possibly even his family to serve Christ. His sacrifices are detailed in II Corinthians 11:22-33.

Our Savior made the ultimate sacrifice, giving up His divine privileges to live as a human. Abraham left his homeland to wander as a nomad, and Moses gave up his dreams of ruling Egypt. Have we sacrificed anything comparable? Paul says he lost everything for Christ, considering it all rubbish to gain Him.

Many of us are like the rich young ruler in Matthew 19, who couldn't give up his wealth for Jesus. Wealth can become an idol, hindering our relationship with God. Idolatry is a serious spiritual sin that comes between us and God.

What is the cost of discipleship? We must be willing to give up everything, even our own lives, to follow Him. This may require deep soul-searching and significant sacrifices, but it is necessary to conform to His image.

Your elders

<u>Chase Park</u> <u>Church of Christ</u>	<u>Worship</u> <u>Participants</u>	<u>Statistics</u> Sunday, January 19, 2025	<u>Services</u> Sunday
<u>Ministers</u> Rusty Hills Pulpit Pat Cowden Evangelism Will TuckerYouth	Sunday, February 2, 2025 <u>A.M.:</u> F PrayerWill Tucker LS PrayerTim Row ReadingJimmy Boren	AM Worship	Worship9:00 a.m. Bible Class10:15 a.m. Worship 5:00 p.m.
<u>Elders</u> Eric Corder Curtis Hill Sam Kachelman Dennis Lawson Barry Todd Stephen Trammell	C PrayerBill Brothers <u>P.M.:</u> F PrayerChad Hastings ReadingHarden Husband C PrayerBob Williams	Budget	Super Seniors 10:00 a.m. Bible Class 6:30 p.m. <u>Website:</u> cpcofc.org