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News of Interest

Pantry Item: Canned fruit

Barnabas Project

See Newline for prayer requests. Congregational meetings, 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.:

Sunday, February 13, member's names A—M.

Sunday, February 27, member's names N—Z.

Member Directory Updates

Ethan and Leila Washington are moving to Davenport, Florida. We will miss them and wish them well.

Sympathys

To **Ruth** and the family of **Morris Bridges** in his death February 3. Family requests no funeral services.

To **Jon Michael Williams** and family in the recent death of his grandfather, Joe Williams, in Amory, MS.

Sick

Huntsville Hospital:

John Powell, recovering from knee surgery

Thomas Wharton, ICU, blood sugar issues

At Home: **Stefanie Benson, Sheila Landman, Peggy Flynt, Nancy Stockton, Pam MacLean**

At Home with COVID: **Traci and Ashlynn Chrisco, Regina and David Brothers, Douglas and Joan Deaton**

Library News

Peggy Flynt made a contribution to our library in memory of her parents, **Herman and Sarah Black**. The money was used to purchase a set of, *The New International Commentary on the New Testament*.

Thank you

"Chase Park Church of Christ,
Thank you so much for all the cards, thoughts and prayers, during our time of loss. In Christian love,"

The Allred's

"To our Chase Park Church of Christ family:
Thank you for your thoughts and prayers, phone calls and food. Fred is still weak, but gets a little stronger each day. Please continue to pray for us. In Christian love,"

Fred & Betty King

"To our Chase Park family:
There are no words to express our sincere gratitude for the out-pouring of concern, caring and love shown to us during the sickness and passing of our dear husband, father, and grandfather. We know there were countless prayers raised on our behalf—not to mention all the cards, flowers, food, and phone calls over a period of months. A special thank you to all who sang at the funeral. It was beautiful! We thank you all at Chase Park for your support and love and we will forever remember your kindness and love during a most difficult time."

*Lena Rosenblum
Jon & Kaycee Rosenblum and family
Rick & Rhonda Rosenblum and family*

Today and Upcoming

Regency Services

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

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

All participants must be vaccinated and wear masks.

Speaker: **Gregg Crabtree**

Song Leader: **Gregg Crabtree**

Freed-Hardeman Lectureship

February 6—10

Balance Class

Will not meet this week.

Bible Bowl Practice

Wednesday, February 9, 5:30 p.m., Ladies' classroom.

Mid-week Services, February 9, 2022

Combined adult bible class in the auditorium.

Teens and children's classes will return to Winter Quarter classes.

Ladies' Retreat

Friday and Saturday, February 11—12. See Erica Karraker with questions.

Super Seniors

Class resumes Wednesday, February 16, 10:00 a.m., dining room.

Children's Ministry

Bible Fact Finders—Will resume in February.

Youth Group

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

Nice to Meet You - Sunday, February 13, 8:00 a.m.—10:30 a.m. Buckhorn softball teams will be at services.

CYC Trip Meeting—Sunday, February 20, after a.m. services, small auditorium

CYC—Friday through Sunday, February 25—27, Pigeon Forge, TN

College/Young Pros

Refer to the GroupMe for other activities and events.



How Quickly We Forget

This week in our daily Bible readings our assignment has been Exodus 1-21. This has been an exciting read seeing God raise up Moses as the leader of the Israelites, the plagues brought upon Egyptian, and the exodus from Egypt. According to Exodus 12:37-42, the Israelites had been under the rule of the Pharaoh for 430 years. God had heard their cries during their time of bondage and the time was now to deliver them.

It was a day of celebration for the Israelites as they left the land of their affliction and headed off to a land flowing of milk and honey. With Moses as their leader and God as their guide it seemed only a matter of time till they reached their Promise Land. Yet when challenges arose, we see complaining and doubt creep into the minds of God's people. One of the more bewildering phrases we will come to see throughout our readings occurs in Exodus 16:3, *"Would that we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat and pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into the wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."* As you read this passage you may be thinking to yourself, "What is their problem?" "Why couldn't they just trust in God and follow Moses' lead?"

Upon examination of the Israelites, a few things come to mind. First, their relationship with God was blooming. They had just left Egypt, a land where they were slaves, but yet, had a sense of security there. Second, they were afraid. As Pharaoh and the Egyptians pursued the Israelites at the Red Sea, great fear came among the people. The Israelites had witnessed for years the shrewdness of the Egyptians. Now what would be done to them if they were captured? Third, they were worried. What will we eat or drink? How do we get there? How long is the journey?

The fact is, there are times in life when we find ourselves asking these same questions and struggling with doubt in our journey with God. At times our relationship with God is weak, thus, we look at the momentary pleasures of this world as our security instead of our Father. At times we become fearful in our momentary afflictions and trials. Jesus said in John 16:33, *"... in this world you will have tribulation. But take heart, I have overcome the world."* Finally, if we are not careful, our fears will lead to worry. Worry can wrap us in a blanket of anxiety and uncertainty and grow tighter with every obstacle we encounter.

We must be vigilant in our Christian walk. We must realize that God is our ever-present guide. We must understand that we can overcome the world's tribulations if our minds remain focused on the goal. 2 Timothy 1:7 tells us, *"For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."* Keep allowing God to guide you through His word and follow the path he sets before us with joy in our hearts.

Will Tucker

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Chase Park Church of Christ</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Ministers</u></p> <p>Rusty Hills..... Pulpit Pat Cowden Evangelism Will Tucker Youth</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Elders</u></p> <p>Curtis Hill Sam Kachelman Dennis Lawson Barry Todd</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Worship Participants</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, February 13, 2021</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>A.M.:</u></p> <p>F Prayer.....Tom Pond LS Prayer.....Ronald Bryant Reading.....Justin Gransky C Prayer.....Paul King</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>P.M.:</u></p> <p>F Prayer.....Ben Boggess Reading.....Kaleb Karraker C Prayer.....Andy Phillips</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Statistics</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, January 30, 2022</p> <p>AM Worship.....262 Month Average182 Bible Class NC PM Worship183 Regency Worship.....NC Offering\$24,774.00 Budget\$20,500 Average '22\$20,779 Over Budget for year..... +\$1,395 Special contributions/donations: Missions/Youth.....\$825/\$50</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mid-week, February 2, 2022</p> <p>Devotional.....176</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Services</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sunday</i></p> <p>Worship..... 9:00 a.m. Bible Class 10:15 a.m. Worship.....5:00 p.m.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Wednesday</i></p> <p>Super Seniors 10:00 a.m. Bible Class6:30 p.m.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Website:</u> <i>cpcofc.org</i></p>
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