

CHASE PARK HERALD

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News of Interest

Pantry Item: Baby juice

New Members: **Angie Gaines** and **Jamie Parton**, are placing membership with us. They are sisters. Angie is a Receptionist/Clerk with System Studies and Simulations, Inc. Jamie is an Office Clerk with the Madison County Probate Judge's Office.

Directory Update: Delete **Nancy Pond's** landline.

Barnabas Project Meetings

Sunday, June 11, members A—M (4:30 and 6:15 p.m.)

Sunday, June 25, members N—Z (6:15 p.m.)

Sympathy: To **Curtis Hill** in the recent passing of his sister-in-law, Linda Hill. Keep the families in your prayers.

Sick/Prayer List: **Pam MacLean, Bob and Carol Layne, Susan Vinson, Sheila Landman, Jo McMahan, Eddie Albright, Jim MacLean, Richard Lawson, Scott Sanders** (Paul King's nephew), **Amos Soli** (Cowden's friend's son), **Joe Nichols, Raymond Tanner, Chris Engels, Bruce Champion** (Don's brother), **Herb Gooch** (Kristi Harmon's dad), **Jake Wilhoite** (Jerry's cousin), **Dorothy Johnson**

Huntsville Hospital: **Darlene Millson**, room 751.

Regency Healthcare/Rehab:

Alma Vanderlinden, Pam MacLean's mother

At home: **Wayne Pinchon**

Today and Upcoming

Regency Services

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

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

Speaker: **Gregg Crabtree**

Song Leader: **Gregg Crabtree**

Church Offices Closed

Tomorrow, May 29, in observance of Memorial Day.

TALENTS/Visitation Team(s)

No Talents Team meets tomorrow, May 29.

Team #1, led by **Michael and Caleb Sims**, Monday, June 5. **Assignments will be emailed.**

Balance Class

Suspended. Class will resume in September.

Super Seniors

Wednesday, May 31, 10:00 a.m., in the dining room.

Class will not meet Wednesday, June 7.

Baby Shower

For **Kirsten Gothart**, Sunday, June 4, 2:00—4:00 p.m., in the dining room. She is having a girl - babylist.com.

Summer Series Begins—Theme: "By Faith"

Wednesday, June 7. **Dave Miller**, with Apologetics Press. **Topic: "Inspiration Defined."**

Diana Singing

Friday—Saturday, June 9 and 10, 7:30 p.m.

Bridal Shower

For **Brandon and Aleya Maples Raber**. Sunday, June 11, 1:00—3:00 p.m., in the dining room. Registries:

<https://www.amazon.com/wedding/share/TheRabers2023> and

<https://www.walmart.com/registry/wr/4df76a19-c39d-45f7-96ea-66ab06b3488e>.

Willing Hands Ladies' Ministry

Monday, May 12, 6:00 p.m., Hospitality room.

JUNE Birthdays

1—Toney Atchley
4—Jean Hindman
5—Pat Brown
Doyle Peacock
6—Carolyn Trammell
7—Bob Layne
Fred Davis
Pat Cowden
9—Brian Emperley
10—Kylie Ivey
11—Carrie Horst
14—Jean Denney
Eden MacLean
Kirsten Gothart

16—Anna Sims
Kristi Harmon
Cody Gothart
Laura Breeden
Colleen Tucker
19—Sharon Dugan
21—Iva Mitchell
Melissa Wilhoite
27—Judy Upton
28—Andrea Hills
29—John Denney
Stephen Trammell
30—Gary Webster



Children's Ministry & CPYG

VBS—June 5-7. Children: 9:00 a.m. Teens: 5:00 p.m.

Children's Ministry:

Popsicle Party—Wednesdays,

June 14, 21, dining room. **Everyone welcome!**

Refer to GroupMe for events.

Chase Park Youth Group:

Rocket City Youth Camp—June 25-29,

Camp Ney-A-Ti

Refer to GroupMe for events.



The Just Shall Live by Faith

Habakkuk 2:4. *“Behold the proud, His soul is not upright in him; But the just shall live by his faith.”*

God, in this verse, sets out two opposing sides of human nature. The proud are on one side. Their deeds are not upright. On the other side are the just, those who live by faith. God is asking Habakkuk—and us, “Which side are you on? Can I count you among the proud, who will be destroyed, or the just, the faithful, who will be rewarded? Choose your side.”

This verse is quoted three times in the New Testament, all by the apostle Paul. In Romans 1:16-17, he shows that the gospel reveals God’s righteousness, the way we are to live, which is by faith in Jesus Christ. Thus, he writes, *“The just shall live by faith.”* Through the gospel message, God gives us instructions on how we are to live. It is the faith we must live. We are to live the gospel, the way Christ revealed in His life and teaching. We can live confidently according to God’s Word because we trust God—we have faith in Him and His revelation.

A second quotation of this verse is Galatians 3:11, with a usage slightly different: as a proof that God does not justify us by the deeds of the law but by faith. To paraphrase, he says that God has granted us eternal life because of our faith in Christ not by our adherence to the law. The apostle makes this verse say, *“The just shall have eternal life by faith, or because of faith”*—our faith in Christ, and so we live.

Finally, Paul quotes this verse in Hebrews 10:38-39: *“Now the just shall live by faith; but if anyone draws back, My soul has no pleasure in him. But we are not of those who draw back to perdition [or to destruction], but of those who believe to the saving of the soul.”* Paul uses the quotation from Habakkuk much like Habakkuk himself does, showing the two sides of the issue: the just on the one hand, who go forward to reward, and on the other side the proud, those who draw back and are destroyed. If we desire to live eternally, we must believe God and live our lives faithfully. The proud draw back from God, and they receive destruction. If we live by faith, we go forward to perfection (Hebrews 6:1-2) and thus to salvation, not to destruction. Paul says in 2 Corinthians 5:7, *“We walk by faith, not by sight.”* The lesson is whatever the circumstances, we must obey God and live our lives with the confidence that our God cares for us. We must always be faithful to be counted among the just.

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, June 4, 2023

A.M.:

F Prayer.....**Ronald Bryant**
LS Prayer.....**Ray Brown**
Reading.....**Drew Blankenship**
C Prayer.....**Toney Atchley**

P.M.:

F Prayer.....**Jerry Wilhoite**
Reading.....**Wesley Dozier**
C Prayer.....**Dennis Lawson**

Statistics

Sunday, May 21, 2023

AM Worship.....375
Month Average361
Bible Class NC
PM Worship301
Regency Worship.....NC
Offering.....\$17,750.00
Budget\$21,000
Average '23\$21,897
Over Budget for year... +\$18,842
Special Contributions/Donations:
.....\$50.00 (building fund)

Mid-week, May 24, 2023

Devotional.....235

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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