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Chase Park
CHURCH OF CHRIST

News of Interest

Pantry Item: Dry Rice or pasta mixes

Sick

Valleyview Rehab Facility

Juanez Tanner

Home: Jerry Smelser, Deborah Dalton, Eden MacLean, Pam MacLean, Eric Corder

Sympathy

To the family of **Louis Burroughs** (Nancy Stockton's niece's husband) in his death in Mississippi.

To **Maria Cowden** and **Delores Eitzen** in the death of their cousin and niece, Connie Bush, in Arkansas.

To the family of **Walt Mitchell** in his death on Tuesday, May 11. He and his wife, Carol Ann, were members at Arab Church and former members at Memorial Parkway.

Thank you

"To the Chase Park Family,
I want to thank everyone for the cards, calls and especially the prayers while I was recovering from surgery! I have missed being at church so much, but was so blessed to have the screening of the services.

Dot Lewter

"Dear Church Family,
Thank you for all the prayers, cards and phone calls. Your kindness meant a lot during my son's illness. Thank you for remembering us."

Evelyn Miles, Christina Spear

"Thank you for all the food, calls, cards, and prayers during my recent back surgery. It is great to be a part of such a caring church. It is a slow recovery but I'm getting there."

Martha Norris

Library News

These books were recently donated by **Janet Jenkins**. They belonged to her mother, **Nancy Harton**. They were both written by **Libby Hunter**, former member of Memorial Parkway.

Rogers Notes: The Bible in other words, Proverbs—Malachi, written after visits to the Holy Land and Egypt. It is a chapter by chapter study of these books.

Sunset of Life, is a collection of scriptures, poems, and writings dealing with the transition from life on Earth to life in the hereafter.

Today and Upcoming

VBS Volunteer Meeting

Today, 4:00 p.m., small auditorium. All those who have been contacted to help with VBS please attend.

Young Adult's (College/Young Pros) Dine & Devo

Today, after p.m. services, dining room and fellowship hall. Brown bag or go "dutch" for pizza.

Buckhorn High School AP Testing

Monday, May 17, 8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Super Seniors Class

Wednesday, May 19, 10:00 a.m., fellowship hall. Class will also be recorded for later in the day viewing.

Men's Breakfast

Saturday, May 22, 8:30 a.m. Speaker: **Will Tucker**. Sign up at Hospitality desk for catered meal. Mulching project after.

Senior Reception

Sunday, May 23, after p.m. service. Auditorium and fellowship hall. If you would like to stay for the boxed meal, sign up at the Hospitality desk.

VBS

June 2-4, 10:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m. Pre-K through 12th Grade

Fellowship Meal

Sunday, June 6, after a.m. worship and bible class.

Chase Park Youth Group

Upcoming Activities

M4—Monday morning, May 24, 7:00 a.m., dining room.

Hiking Trip at Monte Sano—Today, after bible class

Parent Meeting—Tonight, after p.m. service, small auditorium

Wednesday Night Together (WNT) - May 26

Teen Devo & Games—Sunday, May 30, after p.m. service

Rocket City Youth Rally—June 12

Campaign Trip to North Carolina—June 22-28

Workdays—June 16, 20



The Root of the Problem

For the last couple of weeks I have been doing some physical therapy for my chronic back issues. It is fascinating to listen to (and feel) the therapist work to determine and treat the root cause of the problems instead of simply treating symptoms. It occurs to me that, far too often, we deal with our struggles and problems by simply treating the symptoms while ignoring the deeper causes. This is true with our health and in other physical situations, but it can also be true of our spiritual lives.

So often, when we are troubled by temptation, spiritual weakness, or some struggle with our faith, we respond by trying to fix the symptoms instead of addressing the real problem. For example, if I struggle with daily Bible study, I might try to “fix” the problem by finding a daily reading schedule to follow. But what if the real problem is a lack of recognizing and understanding the importance and value of Bible study. If my struggle with daily Bible study is for that reason, then a reading schedule might help for a few days or weeks, but it will most likely not be a permanent solution. It is only a “band-aid” to fix the outward symptom of an inner problem. While treating the symptom with a daily Bible reading plan might be an important thing to do, the real solution is to work to develop a greater love for God’s word and a greater appreciation for its importance in my daily life.

Much like our physical health, our spiritual health requires our constant monitoring and occasional treatment when problems arise. In those times, it is crucial that we look beyond the outward symptoms to determine what, if any, deeper issue exists that needs our attention. The result of that diligence will be a stronger health and a deeper and healthier relationship with God.

Rusty

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, May 23, 2021

A.M.:

Reading.....Parker Clark
F Prayer.....Clint Dozier
LS Prayer.....Bob Baccus
C Prayer....Brandon Karraker

P.M.:

Reading.....Wesley Dozier
F Prayer.....Steve Watson
C Prayer.....Bob Williams

Statistics

Sunday, May 9, 2021

AM Worship.....311
Month Average309
Bible Class NC
PM Worship170
Wed., May 5 Bible Classes 208
Regency Ret. Worship.... NA
Offering.....\$19,781.00
Budget\$19,500
Average '21\$21,297
Over Budget for year... +\$32,343
Building fund.....\$665.00

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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