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News of Interest

Pantry Item: Crackers

Baptisms: **Lauren Atchley** was baptized July 11 at Horizons. **Katie Boggess** was baptized July 14 at the Chase Park building.

Sympathys:

To the family of Dean Moore, friend of Keith Griffin, in his recent passing.

To the families of Paul Smith, former member, in his recent passing. Funeral services were July 17 at Mayfair.

Sick/Prayer List: Pam MacLean; Bruce Champion; Peggy Flynt, David Corder, Shirley Sims (Rex's mother), Lynn Taylor, Michelle Sellers, Leatha Brannon, Sheila Landman, Maria Encarnacion, Janie Cunningham, Jeff Campbell, Mark Hall (friend of Chrisco's), Jeff Davidson (Randy and Rick's brother), Harriet Kawa (Mark Stiegler's aunt), Don Nayman (Robyn Brumlow's dad)

Regency Rehab: Carl Harris, room 206

At home: Gabie Luna, Paula Johnston, Tom and Joy Wharton, Pam Almo, John Fields, Evelyn Miles

Library News

Tim Row recently gave the library the following DVDs:
-Set of six DVD's with 20 lessons entitled, DOES GOD EXIST?
Presenter of these lessons is John Clayton, a public high school science teacher who was once an atheist, but came to believe in God through his studies in science.

-DVD of the film, *The Case For A Creator*, written by Lee Strobel. In this film, a journalist investigates scientific evidence that points toward God.

Thank you

"Dear Chase Park Family

Your kind gesture toward our family is deeply appreciated. The flowers, food, cards, and meal prepared following the service was vey generous. In Christian love,"

The Lawson Family



Today and Upcoming

Combined Adult Bible Classes

Andy Phillips will teach a combined bible class this morning (Family Ties and Small Auditorium class) in room 102.

Regency Services

Everyone is invited, and (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 Črabtree Speaker: Wesley McDonald

Homeschool Testing

Monday—Thursday, July 22-25, 9:00—12:30 p.m. Fellowship hall, Youth room classrooms, 3rd/4th grade and 1st/2nd grade classrooms.

TALENTS Team Meeting(s)

Team #4 led by **Ray and Pat Brown**, Monday, July 22. Assignments will be emailed.

<u>Ladies' Monthly Tuesday Morning Bible Study</u> Tuesday, July 23, 10:00 a.m., elder's conference room

Super Seniors Class

Wednesday, July 24, 10:00 a.m., in the dining room.

Chase Park Summer Series

Wednesday, July 24, 6:30 p.m. Speaker: Ken Tyler. Topic: "What Must I Do to Stay Saved?"

Friend's Day/Back-to-School Kickoff

Sunday, August 11. More details to come.

Barnabas Project

Prayer Requests and Congregational MeetingsMeetings are at 4:30 p.m. in the dining room.

Sunday, July 28, members names N—Z

Children's Ministry & CPYG

M4—Monday school mornings, 7:00 a.m., dining room. Summer Series (toddler—5th grade) continues July 24. Maywood Christian Camp—July 21-27

Children's Ministry: *GroupMe for events*.





Chase Park Youth Group: GroupMe for events.

A Brighter Light

In recent years, the traditional light bulb model that we had been accustomed to has been largely replaced by LED lights. LED's (light emitting diodes) are brighter, more efficient, and longer lasting than both incandescent and halogen bulbs which makes them the logical and popular choice for our homes, cars, flashlights, and just about any lighting need. But have you ever looked closely at an LED light? If you have, then you have probably noticed that an LED bulb of reasonable size is not made of one illuminating element but rather several light-producing diodes. Its brightness comes from the combined light of all the diodes. Together, they produce a light far brighter and more powerful than any one produces alone. We should learn from the LED light.

As Christians, we are called to let our lights shine in the world (Matthew 5:14-16). We each have a responsibility to do that individually within our own spheres of influence, but consider the lesson of the LED bulb. While we can each shine brightly for the glory of God, think about how much brighter and more powerful our combined light is within a community. When we come together to worship and serve God as a church, our light is magnified exponentially. When we work together in the Lord's kingdom, our ability to share the love of God and reach the lost is greatly increased. Think of the impact that could be made in this world for Christ if every Christian was letting their own light shine and was combining their light with that of every other Christian for the cause of Christ. What a difference we would make!

Given all of this, here are two questions for us all to consider. First, are you letting your light shine at work, in your neighborhood, and in the community? I hope that you are and I believe that you are because I know that the Chase Park family is filled with sincere, genuine, and devoted Christians. The second question may be a little tougher for some. Are you lending your light to the church as a whole so that we can have the greatest influence possible? You see, even if I am letting my light shine as brightly as possible individually, if I am not contributing to the shining light of the church, then I am keeping her from realizing her true potential. A church's light is only as bright as the combined lights of her members. So, keep shining and let's work to be a true and powerful beacon of light in this community as we serve God together to His glory.

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Chase Park Church of Christ

Ministers

Rusty Hills.....Pulpit
Pat Cowden Evangelism
Will TuckerYouth

Elders

Eric Corder
Curtis Hill
Sam Kachelman
Dennis Lawson
Barry Todd
Stephen Trammell

Worship Participants

Sunday, July 28, 2024

A.M.:

F Prayer......Naaman Goode LS Prayer.....Tyler Rosenblum Reading......Noah Boggess C Prayer.....Josh Casson

P.M.:

F Prayer.....Stephen Trammell
Reading......Caleb Sims
C Prayer......Jon Rosenblum

Statistics

Sunday, July 14, 2024

AM Worship 338	
Month Average 335	
Bible ClassNC	
PM Worship 214	
Regency WorshipNC	
Offering\$18,426.51	
Budget \$21,000	
Average '24 \$22,159	
Over Budget for year $+$32,461$	
Special contributions:\$150.00)
(Building) \$75.00 (Missions)	

Mid-week, July 17, 2024Devotional......236

Services

Sunday

Worship9:00 a.m. Bible Class10:15 a.m. Worship5:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Super Seniors10:00 a.m. Bible Class 6:30 p.m.

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