

**Our Sympathy:** is extended to the family of Diane Fincher who passed away Tuesday, May 5th. Diane is the husband of Mike Fincher, the daughter of Gwen Crane and sister of Joy Koger. Please continue to remember this family in your prayers.

### Mark These Dates

**May 11** - Food Pantry - 4:00pm - 6:00pm

**May 12** - Men's Prayer Mtg. - 9:00am

**May 12**- Tuesday Bible Class - 10:00am

**May 13** - Wednesday Evening Bible Class - 6:30pm

**Nursery for Today:** Ebeth Edwards & Sherry Welsh  
**Nursery for 5/17/26:** Ali & Cami Kate Davis



**O.W.L.S. EVENING OUT!**

**JUKEBOX REVUE!**

**COLONNADE THEATRE**

**Thursday, August 13th  
7:30pm.**

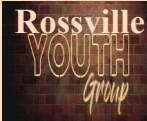
Tickets are \$21.40 each  
and deadline to sign up  
and pay is June 14<sup>th</sup>.

See Darlene Gregory for  
more information or  
questions and to pay.

**Sign up sheet is on the board.**

**Free popcorn with each ticket.**

### UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS



Youth group events are offered to students in grades 6-12! Contact Alan if you have any questions (423-326-5646 or alan@rossvillecoc.org).

### Youth Calendar!

**Teen Singing:** Sun, May 17 12-6pm

Meet in the Youth Room following worship. We will go eat out, then head to Riverbend for Teen Singing.

**Before Class:** Wed, May 27 3:30-7:30pm

**Recess:** Sat, May 30 6-9pm

### FALL CREEK FALLS BIBLE CAMP

Camp applications are available in the lobby and Youth Room. Cost is \$125. See Alan with any financial assistance needs. **Please mail in your application and payment to the address provided on the application.** SR Week (ages 14-19) will be June 21-June 26. JR Week (ages 10-13) will be June 28-July 3.



### *Birthdays*

May 10 - Allison Stephens

May 13 - Denise Crowder

May 13 - Lynn Dye

May 14 - Candace Farmer

May 14 - Hal Hunt

May 14 - Tom Johnson

May 14 - Ray Johnson

May 14 - Ethan Pitchford



### **Encouragement from God's Word** ***“Faith that Refuses the Pleasures of Sin”*** **Hebrews 11:24-25**

*“By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin.” (Hebrews 11:24-25)*

One of the strongest acts of faith is to reject the status and pleasures offered by the world. Moses could have had the highest levels of power, influence, and wealth if he identified as part of the royal family in Egypt. But because of his faith, he refused allegiance to the world and even chose to suffer with the oppressed people of God. Obedience to God's will is not easy and does not always win us friends or influence. But faith teaches us that it is far better to suffer doing God's will than to reject God while enjoying the futile pleasures of the world.

### *Anniversaries*

May 12 - Michael & Heather Best

May 13 - Robby & Missy Henson

May 14 - Jeff & Julie Poston

May 15 - Rick & Kathy Phillips



**Welcome To Rossville!!**

Your presence has helped to make this a very special day.

It is our prayer that you will be uplifted and encouraged as you come to worship with us.

## Worship Order

- 103 "He Has Made Me Glad"  
 97 "I Sing Praises"  
 801 "Where No One Stands Alone"  
 Prayer  
 Song "In Christ Alone"  
 Communion  
 129 "Amazing Grace"  
 Contribution  
 Scripture Reading: Titus 2:11-14  
 134 "The Lord's My Shepherd"  
 Series: Desiring God's Leadership: Following God,  
 Leading Others  
 Sermon: *Passing on the Faith*  
 Scripture: *Titus 2:1-15*  
 Song "What the Lord Has Done in Me"  
 Prayer  
 Announcements  
 975 "Get Right Church"



Titus 2:1-15

### Elder on Call:

Tim Easter



### Preaching Schedule

May 10

Andy Baumberger

May 17

Andy Baumberger



Tyler Crawford - recent scan - brother of Morgan Grace  
 Barbara Sentell - is at home- Lynn Dye's mother  
 Lena Webb - cancer - cousin of Sherre Bales  
 Susan Rule - health issues - daughter of Sandra Russell  
 Jim Grant - health issues - friend of Sherry Welsh  
 Kim Davis - cancer-niece of Patsy Williams

Maggie Waldrep - recovering from surgery  
 Candy Britton - health issues  
 Kristy James - recent procedure  
 Hal Hunt - cataract surgery this past Thursday  
 Betty McGarity - recovering from surgery - at home  
 Paul Cranfield - recent knee surgery  
 Lauren Cabrera - health issues  
 Lacey Meredith - health issues  
 Sherry Welsh - results from recent tests  
 Tisa Frizzell - health issues  
 JoAnn Ritchie - health issues  
 O'Dell Denton - health issues  
 Barbara Roy - health issues  
 Reita Mills - continuing health issues  
 Phylis Cranfield - health issues  
 Gwen Crane - health issues  
 Gail Farmer - maintenance treatments  
 Joy Koger - health issues

Russell Meredith, Steve Downs, Roselynn Stephens, Edith Atkins, Brenda Petty, Paula Cranfield-Clark, Sallie Smith, Faye Thomison, Steve Downs, Kristy James, Wilma Patecell, Diane Fincher, Mitch James, Leola Campbell, Nancy Johnson, Grace Catlett, Denise Crowder, Kim McBryar

Vivien Young - recent eye surgery - daughter of Andrew Young - our missionary in Australia  
 Jeff - health issues - son of Sandra Russell  
 McCoy Locke - health issues - grandson of Shirley Byrd  
 Megan Hill - health issues - friend of Laura Neely  
 Mark Petty - recent surgery for cancer - son of Brenda Petty  
 Karen Petty - health issues - daughter of Brenda Petty  
 Victoria Dye - health issues  
 Angie Hill - bronchitis - friend of Laura Neely  
 Jess Cobb - health issues - brother of Genice Long  
 Jack Hansard Sr. - health issues - relative of Laura Neely

Kennedy Baker, Tom Liner, Larry Nance, Andy McDonald, Mark McNabb, Jackie Odum, Bruce Elrod, Michael Farmer, Sondra Voorhees, Elizabeth Cook, Helen Hatfield, Austin Ware & Family, Margie Elliott, Ellison Reece, Christy Burnett, Tim West

### Children's Teaching Schedule

May 10 - May 27  
 Group I

Rotation 14  
 Leviticus  
 Offerings & Feasts

May 31 - June 17  
 Group II

Rotation 15  
 Miriam, Spies, Rebels,  
 Meribah, Balaam

### This Week's Special Shut-In:

**Denise Crowder**  
 NHC Healthcare Rm. 423  
 2700 Parkwood Avenue  
 Chattanooga, TN 37404  
 (423) 580-9116

**Her birthday is this Wednesday!**

## Adult Bible Fellowship Classes

**May**

*Sundays @ 9:30 am*

*Galatians*

Adult Classes

Auditorium - Jack James

Room 1 - Ray Johnson

Families Class

Fellowship Room - Adam Miller

## College and Young Professionals Class

Room 11 - Andy Baumberger

*Sundays at 6:00 pm*

*Life of Elijah and Elisha*

*Auditorium*

*Jack James & Andy Baumberger*

*Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m.*

**1st Peter**

Fellowship Room - Jack James

*Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m.*

**1 John**

Room 1 - Jack James

**Lamentations**

Fellowship Room - Andy Baumberger

### Record For May 3, 2026

Attendance For Sunday BF	133
Attendance For A.M. Worship	212
Attendance For P.M. Worship	70
Attendance For Wed. BF	70
Budget	\$9,028.00
Contribution	\$12,566.00