

# AROUND THE HILL

The Round Hill Presbyterian Church **Newsletter**

"A caring community in Christ. Making Disciples for Christ. Equipped for ministry by Christ."

## MARCH 2026

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Monday - Friday 8:30am  
- 12:30pm

### Sunday Hours

Classes 9:15 AM  
Worship. 10:30 AM

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www.RoundHillChurch.org

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RoundHillChurch



## Baptism

After attending the Inquirer's Gathering and expressing a desire to join our congregation, Jesse Jameson and Zachary Gapsky were baptized by Rev. Dan Muttart on Sunday February 22, and became active members of our Round Hill congregation. Welcome to the family Zach and Jesse!

## **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS**

Beginning on March 8<sup>th</sup> the adult class will be using Max Lucado's study entitled Jesus, The God Who Knows Your Name. For thirty-three years Jesus felt everything that we have ever felt: weakness, weariness, rejections. He got colds. His feet grew tired. His head ached. To think of Jesus in such terms, says Max Lucado, almost seems irreverent. It is much easier to keep the humanity out of the incarnation. Clean up the manure from around the manger. Pretend he never snored or hit his thumb with a hammer. There is something about keeping Jesus divine that keeps him distant, packaged, and predictable. Max's goal in this study is for us to simply *get to know Jesus*; then we will understand more clearly the people we were created to be. All are welcome to join us at 9:15 am in the Conference Room of the C.E. Building. You need no great knowledge to be part of this class. If you want, just sit and take in what's being talked about, or participate. Come a little early and have a cup of coffee.

### **Session Notes:**

On Monday, February 9<sup>th</sup> Session met and received the usual reports. Motion was made to receive into membership and baptize Katrina Mellinger, Jesse Jameson and Zachary Gapsky on Sunday, February 22 during worship. They attended the Inquirers Gathering to prepare for membership. (Inquirers Gatherings will be held in the future when interest is expressed.) Plans for the joint gathering with the Deacons on Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup> were discussed. The possibility of securing a stated supply minister are being explored. If you have any concerns or questions, you are encouraged to speak with any member of Session. The next meeting will be on Monday, March 9<sup>th</sup>.

## GAME NIGHT...



Steve's turn!

was **Friday, February 13 at 6PM**. Pizza and snacks and soft drinks were shared. The game chosen was Pictionary. The purpose of this fellowship is to laugh and we certainly accomplished that!

**Next Game Night is planned for Friday March 13, at 6PM**



And we laughed and laughed and laughed

## LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Continues on Tuesdays, at 12:00 p.m. in the C.E. Building. All are welcome. No previous Bible study experience necessary. We will be studying some of the ministry of Jesus from the book of Matthew in an interesting way. Give it a try.

Call or text **Laurie Conley (412)841-3193** or **Bonnie Craig (412) 400-9284** for further information.

### Worship Online

During these winter months if the weather prevents you from attending worship on Sunday you can watch the service online.

\* Go to [roundhillchurch.org](http://roundhillchurch.org) and pull down the "Worship" line to "Worship Online"

\* Click it and it will take you to the instructions to view the service.

\* Once you have the list of services on the right, click on the "live" service if you are watching Sunday (which may be the first or last in the list). If you watch at a later time, click the date of the service you want to watch.

### Communication Team

*I DON'T KNOW WHO YOU ARE, BUT GOD DOES!!*

WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF YOUR HELP. You can help with as much or as little as you want.

Areas where you could help:

Live Stream Worship

Church website.

Facebook and other social media platforms

Around The Hill Newsletter.

Thank you and God bless. Call or text **Bonnie Craig at (412) 400-9284.**

## 2026 Deacons



Robin Lane, Bill Leggett, Eileen Russell, Nancy Painter, Leslee Schwirian (hiding behind Tom's head), Bob Zirkle, Kevin Fritz, Tom Russell, Barb Gaylord.

We extend our deepest sympathy and prayers to the friends and family of our friend, Elfriede Christ. Elfriede joined the Church Triumphant on Sunday February 22. Funeral arrangements are not known at this time,

## WHO IS IN THE PULPIT

Mar 1 - Rev. Mitch Walls  
Mar 8 - Rev. Mitch Walls  
Mar 15 - Rev Paul Thwaite  
Mar 22 - Rev. Paul Thwaite  
Mar 29 - Rev. Bill Little (*Palm Sunday*)

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Joram Stith	March 5.	Charlotte Minda	March 24
Janet LaFrankie	March 9	Marilyn Christenson	March 27

## MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Bev Harchelroad	March 8	Tom & Eileen Russell	March 23
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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	<b>01</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>06</b>
9:00 am Deacons Mtg 9:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship 			10:00 am Intercessory Prayer 12:00 pm Bible Study 			
	<b>08</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
9:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship 	6:30 Trustees Mtg. 7:00 Session Mtg.	10:00 am Intercessory Prayer 12:00 pm Bible Study 			6:00 p.m. Game Night  Newsletter Submission Deadline	
	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
9:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship		10:00 am Intercessory Prayer 12:00 pm Bible Study 			 <i>Spring Begins!</i>	
	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
9:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship		10:00 am Intercessory Prayer 12:00 pm Bible Study 	Food Pantry truck 	8:30 a.m. Clothes Closet/ Food Pantry 		
	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>			
9:00 am Family Breakfast 10:30 am Palm Sunday  		10:00 am Intercessory Prayer 12:00 pm Bible Study 				

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