## Round Hill Presbyterian Church

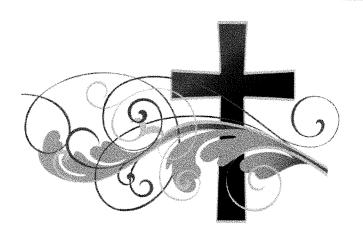
## A caring community in Christ. Making Disciples for Christ. Equipped for ministry by Christ.

#### Organized 1778

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September 14, 2025

Verse for Meditation:

Isaiah 46:10

"I declare the end from the beginning, and from ancient times what is still to come. I say, 'My purpose will stand, and all My good pleasure I will accomplish."

WELCOME

\* HYMN

"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

#### CALL TO CONFESSION

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious and Just God, you call us to make known your wisdom to all people and to share the boundless riches of life in Christ with all people. Yet, we confess that too often we keep the good news to ourselves and fail to share the mysteries that are revealed in Christ. Open our eyes to the wonder of your love; renew our commitment to proclaim your praise; strengthen us to join your mission, that righteousness may flourish and peace abound. Amen.

(Now follows a brief time for silent, personal confession.)

#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\* PRAISE:

"Gloria Patri"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, World without end, Amen, Amen.

#### \*RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING

Various Scripture

Nehemiah 1:5

Leader: And I said, "O Lord God of heaven, the great and awesome God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments.

Nehemiah 9:6

People: "You are the LORD, you alone. You have made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them; and you preserve all of them; and the host of heaven worships you.

Psalm 68:35

Leader: Awesome is God from his sanctuary; the God of Israel—he is the one who gives power and strength to his people. Blessed be God!

#### \* GREETING - PASSING THE PEACE

Give ear, O heavens, and I will speak; hear, O earth, the words of my mouth. Let my teaching fall like rain and my speech settle like dew, like gentle rain on new grass, like showers on tender plants. For I will proclaim the name of the LORD. Ascribe greatness to our God! He is the Rock, His work is perfect; all His ways are just. A God of faithfulness without injustice, righteous and upright is He.

Leader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.** 

#### **NEW TESTAMENT LESSON**

Revelation 19:1-10

After this I heard a sound like the roar of a great multitude in heaven, shouting: "Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belong to our God! For His judgments are true and just. He has judged the great prostitute who corrupted the earth with her immorality. He has avenged the blood of His servants that was poured out by her hand." And a second time they called out: "Hallelujah! Her smoke rises forever and ever."

And the twenty-four elders and the four living creatures fell down and worshiped God who sits on the throne, saying: "Amen, Hallelujah!" Then a voice came from the throne, saying: "Praise our God, all you who serve Him, and those who fear Him, small and great alike!"

And I heard a sound like the roar of a great multitude, like the rushing of many waters, and like a mighty rumbling of thunder, crying out: "Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him the glory. For the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His bride has made herself ready. She was given clothing of fine linen, bright and pure." For the fine linen she wears is the righteous acts of the saints.

Then the angel told me to write, "Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb." And he said to me, "These are the true words of God."

So I fell at his feet to worship him. But he told me, "Do not do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your brothers who rely on the testimony of Jesus. Worship God! For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy."

\* Confession of Faith: from "The Orthodox Presbyterian Confession of Faith"

I believe that the entire Bible, from Genesis to Revelation, testifies to the person and work of Jesus Christ. I believe that every word of the Scriptures was written for our learning, so that through its guidance and the promises it contains, we might have hope in Christ.

"For everything that was written in the past was written for our instruction, so that through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures, we might have hope." (Romans 15:4)

#### \*APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

\* HYMN

"Crown Him With Many Crowns"

No. 345

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

#### LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

#### OFFERING OF SELF AND SERVICE

\* Doxology:

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

\* HYMN

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

No. 325

#### **BENEDICTION**

\* RESPONSE:

God be with you 'til we meet again, if life's trials should confound you, God will put His arms around you: God be with you 'til we meet again.

My tongue shall speak . . . praise all the day long. -- Psalm 35:28

**AZMON** Carl G. Gläser Charles Wesley Descant by Eugene Butler Descant for last stanza O hear His praise, Your loos-ened tongues em-ploy; 1 0 a thou-sand tongues to sing My great Re-deem-er's praise, gra-cious Mas - ter and my God, As - sist me to pro-claim, 3 Je - sus! the name that charms our fears, That bids our sor - rows cease, 4 He breaks the power of can-celled sin, He sets the pris-oner free; 5 Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, Your loos-ened tongues em-ploy; Ye blind, be-hold Him come; And leap for joy! A - men. glo-ries of my God and King, The tri-umphs of His grace! 2 To spread through all the earth a-broad The hon-ors of Thy name. mu - sic in the sin-ner's ears, 'Tis life and health and peace. 4 His blood can make the foul-est clean, His blood a-vailed for me. blind, be-hold your Sav-ior come; And leap, ye lame, for joy! A - men.

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# Crown Him with Many Crowns



Revelation 19:12

# 325 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised. — Psalm 145:3



### Liturgist - Gayle Larcinese Greeter - Leslee Schwirian

| STAFF                          |                             |                             |                                  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Pastor                         |                             |                             |                                  |  |  |  |
| Director of Music/Accompanist  |                             | Mayim Stith                 |                                  |  |  |  |
| Nursery Direct                 | tor                         | Karen Simon                 |                                  |  |  |  |
| Custodian                      |                             |                             | Tim Guffey                       |  |  |  |
| Secretary                      |                             | Mary Beth Katonik           |                                  |  |  |  |
| SESSION ELDERS                 |                             |                             |                                  |  |  |  |
| Bonnie Craig/ Class            | Bonnie Craig/ Class of 2025 |                             | Diana Hicks/ Class of 2025       |  |  |  |
| 412-400-9284                   |                             | 412-384-3675                |                                  |  |  |  |
| Linda Leggett/ Class of 2026   |                             | Julius Simon/ Class of 2027 |                                  |  |  |  |
| 412-901-0149                   |                             | 412-480-7260                |                                  |  |  |  |
| Lisa Wagner/ Class of 2025     |                             | Jesse Sandor/ Class of 2027 |                                  |  |  |  |
| 412-650-5482                   | 2                           | 412-877-6760                |                                  |  |  |  |
| Gayle Larcinese/ Class of 2027 |                             | Bob Leggett 412-384-4175    |                                  |  |  |  |
| 412-860-4659                   | 412-860-4659                |                             | Clerk of Session / Class of 2027 |  |  |  |
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| Finance / Jackie Karnes        |                             | Support /                   |                                  |  |  |  |
| Physical Property / Fr         | an Hicks Corporate          |                             | Secretary / Bev Harchelroad      |  |  |  |
|                                | President / J               | ackie Karnes                | 3                                |  |  |  |
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| Laurie Ferraton                | Robin Lane                  |                             | Kevin Fritz                      |  |  |  |
| Tanya Jackson                  | Eileen Russell              |                             | Bill Leggett                     |  |  |  |
| Mayim Stith                    | Bob Zirkle                  |                             | Leslee Schwirian                 |  |  |  |
|                                |                             |                             |                                  |  |  |  |
| Moderator of I                 | Deacons / Tai               | nya Jackson                 | & Eileen Russell                 |  |  |  |

| MONTH/YTD INCOME & EXPENSE                                  |             |              |              |  |  |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| Month/Year to Date  | Aug 2025    | Aug 2025 YTD | Aug 2024 YTD |  |  |
| Weekly Offering/Gen Fd                                      | \$12,674.00 | \$90,400.00  | \$100,695.00 |  |  |
| Total Receipts  | \$30,472.00 | \$130,855.00 | \$113,821.00 |  |  |
| Payments  | \$29,095.00 | \$94,802.00  | \$160,375.00 |  |  |
| Checking account balance as of August 31, 2025: \$71,360.88 |             |              |              |  |  |



**Electronic Giving Code** 



#### **September 14, 2025**

**Intercessory Prayer Group -** gathers in the C.E. building on Tuesday at 10:00 AM; open to all. We are praying for weekly prayer requests along with other concerns as led by God's Spirit.

<u>Prayer Requests</u>: Email dreamstogo2@gmail.com or fill in a prayer request form and place it in the offering plate. Prayer requests for the following were received <u>this past week</u>; please include them in your prayers:

Alex, Lisa Andrews, Jesse & Joyce Sandor, Earl Schwalm, Sophie, Binh Tran, Denise Underdahl

On-Going Requests: Barry Branik, Elfriede Christ, Steven Evans, Caleb Fritz, Byron Harris, Frank & Sandy Hayden, Janet LaFrankie, New Life Options, Jesse Sandor, Earl Schwalm, Round Hill Home Churched, Round Hill Leaders & Support Staff, Growth of the Congregation of Round Hill Church, Children & Teens at RHPC, Round Hill Church's transition, President Trump & Governing Leaders

<u>Military</u>: Aaron Baumann, Ben Elder, Kat Gower, Matthew Gross, Corey Hobaugh, Noah Reed, Aerion Salas, Joram Stith, Grayson Wonsettler, Samuel Wonsettler, and all those serving in the Armed Services

College Students: Ava Karnes, Audra Morgan, Luke Napoli, Corrine Wright

**Special Prayer:** Pastoral Search Committee, Nominating Committee

**Prayers for POA Churches:** Bethany Presbyterian (Pastor White)

Prayers for EPC Missionaries: Ryan, Kelly, & family (U.S. Based)

Always pray and never give up. - Luke 18:1



# RHPC Announcements September 14, 2025

September

| <b>This</b> | Week | at Roune | d Hill | Church |
|-------------|------|----------|--------|--------|
|             |      |          |        |        |

| Tues. Sept. 16 | Intercessory Prayer | 10:00 a.m. |
|----------------|---------------------|------------|
| Wed. Sept. 17  | Bible Study         | 6:30 p.m.  |
| Fri. Sept. 19  | Chair Yoga          | 7:00 p.m.  |



#### UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

Joe DeCarlo Sept 22
Pat Conley Sept 27



#### THIRD CHAIR YOGA SESSION WITH JULIE

Join us **this Friday, Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.** in the CE Building for chair yoga. Contact Gayle if interested or with questions. *Invite a friend!* 



#### **2026 CALENDARS NEEDED**

Marilyn Christenson is collecting 2026 calendars for the food pantry clients; If you have any extra 2026 calendars, please bring them in and place them in the box specially marked, located in the narthex.



#### **FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**

The Food Pantry is requesting **canned/boxed dinners (chili, ravioli, etc.) for September.** Please place these items either in the basket in the vestibule or drop them off in front of the Food Pantry door.

Thank you for helping those in need!

