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THE ROCK HILL HERALD

Bulletin of the Rock Hill church of Christ



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Worship Times:

- Bible Class — 9:00AM
- Sunday Worship — 10:00AM
- Sunday PM Worship — 6:00PM
- Wednesday Bible study — 7:00PM

Elders:

- Jim Boles
- Charles Haley

Deacons:

- Reiven Holt
- Doug Jones
- Burley Stinnett
- Fernando Zapata

Preacher:

- Park Linscomb

Today's Worship Program

- Introduction
- Opening prayer
- Song: Come Share the Lord
- Scripture: Mark 14:22-26
- Scripture: Mark 14:32-41 (Gethsemane and arrest)
- Song — Hallelujah! What a Savior — 337
- Scripture: Mark 14: 60-65 (Sanhedrin trial, condemnation, and abuse)
- Scripture: Mark 15:1-15 (Trial before Pilate)
- Song — Old Rugged Cross — 313
- Scripture: Mark 15:22-39 (Crucifixion and death)
- Song — When I Survey the Wondrous Cross — 315
- Scripture: Isaiah 53:1-6
- Sermon
- Song — The Lord's Supper — see projector
- The Lord's Supper
 - The prayer for the Bread
 - The prayer for the Cup
- The Contribution
- Song — Low in the Grave He Lay — 344
- Closing prayer

Family News

"For through Him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God." Ephesians 2:18,19

If you are a visitor to our church, welcome! If you have questions, we welcome them; please do not hesitate to ask Park Linscomb, our minister (the tall guy) or any other church member.

N . E . W . S .

THIS WEDNESDAY is our monthly singing Wednesday, in which we use the hour together to sing praises to God instead of our usual Bible study.

APRIL'S MEN'S BREAKFAST will be combined with a men's leadership class on April 16. Mark your calendars!

THE LADIES' CLASS meets in the fellowship hall each Tuesday at 10am. Don't forget; come enjoy the Bible study, discussion, fellowship, laughter, prayer, and lunch.

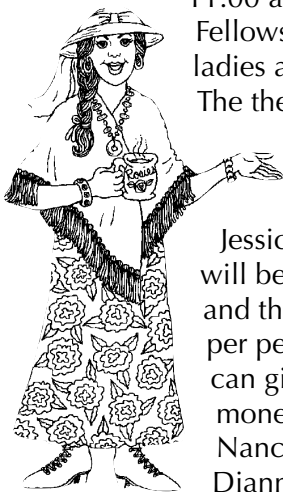
OUR LADIES' "SPRING FLING" is coming up on April 23rd

11:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. All ladies are invited.

The theme will be "What's in Your Purse?"

Jessica Stelzer will be the speaker and the cost is \$20 per person (you can give your money to either Nancy or Dianne)! All the ladies are invited.

It's always a lot of fun for our sisters; put it on your calendar and plan to come.

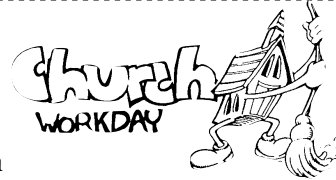


WORK DAY

— Mark
April 9 on
your

calendar for a work day around the church building. While it is true that we have a lawn service, there are still plenty of things that need to be done around the grounds. Come join in the work and fellowship.

GIVING... We can now give online (rhcoc.org), by mail (PO Box 2301, Frisco TX 75034), or of course in person at worship assembly.



PRAYER LISTS...

Giving Thanks...

- Elizabeth's friend Mark Bernstrom thanks the church here for prayers offered on his behalf regarding his back surgery

NEW REQUESTS...

Prayers needed

- Margret T. gets out of rehab Tuesday and will spend a few weeks with her son David in Stephenville TX. She is currently in PAM Rehab, 1001 Raintree Circle, Allen TX, room 208 and would welcome visitors.
- Please pray for Johnny Vaz's mother, Victoria Vaz. She is in the hospital in Rhode Island
- Norma Bautista is having vision problems and had cataract surgery on Mar 28th and another on April 4th. Please pray for successful surgical outcome.
- Ora Holt

- Donna Elliott's brother, Michael Joe, whose 33 year old son, Austin, died.

- Our continued search for a part-time youth minister

- Doug Jones' brother, Don Jones, is suffering with cancer

Remember these often:

- brethren in India
- the churches in New England
- our elders, deacons, and preacher

Long Term Requests

- Lori Cloud's father: cognitive confusion
- The Zapata's teenage friend Isabella with a heart lesion
- Carol P.
- Julia's nurse friend, Michaela
- Travis Y. feeding tube
- Trelitha Bryant
- Dale and Lavonia C.
- Bonnie B.
- Dianna C.
- Ken C.
- Mary H. and daughter Sharon
- Cheryl F.
- Ann S.

READ-THE-BIBLE-THROUGH-IN-A-YEAR SCHEDULE

- Apr 3, 1 Sam 18-20
- Apr 4, 1 Sam 21-24
- Apr 5, 1 Sam 25-27
- Apr 6, 1 Sam 28-31
- Apr 7, 2 Sam 1-3
- Apr 8, 2 Sam 4-7
- Apr 9, 2 Sam 8-11
- Apr 10, 2 Sam 12-13

A Word of Encouragement

"For this reason we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, so that we do not drift away from it." Hebrews 2:1, NAS95.

Stained Glass Words — "Righteousness"

Last week we began a series on biblical words that are seldom used in the everyday world and which therefore are little or poorly understood. Last week we talked about "grace" and this week we'll look at "righteousness".

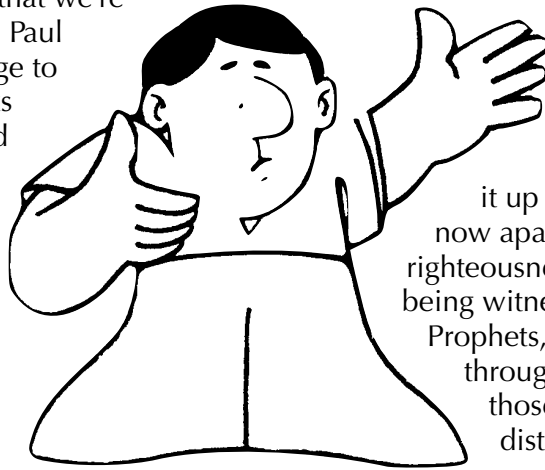
The essential meaning of righteousness is the state of being right — "rightness" as it were. It can also refer to the things that we do that are good and right. But either way, you can easily see the Bible talk about it a lot in both the Old and New Testaments, which makes it an important word and concept to know about.

One of the first and most important things to know about righteousness is that we're not — not on our own, anyway. Paul quoted an Old Testament passage to make an important point to folks who were *mistakenly* convinced that they were righteous, "... THERE IS NONE RIGHTEOUS, NOT EVEN ONE" (Romans 3:10. This is not because we were born sinful, but because from our first sin, we became unrighteous in the eyes of our holy and perfectly righteous God.

We sometimes call such people, who mistakenly presume their righteousness, self-righteous. They bestow or confer righteousness upon themselves usually on the basis of good things they've done that they believe cancel out the bad things they've done, which *supposedly* makes them "better than you". They do this not realizing that in God's eyes their good deeds don't cancel out the sinful things they do — those righteous deeds are things they are supposed to do anyway. Righteousness bestowed on ourselves is an illusion.

So how *can* we be righteous?

One way is to perfectly obey the law that God gave us. To the Jew this would mean the Law of Moses — all 613 commands as the rabbis count them. To the Gentiles this would mean living by the instinctive law that God placed in their hearts (Romans 1:32 and 2:14,15). But the problem here has always been that — Jesus being the single exception — "...all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). The ship named "I CAN BE RIGHTEOUS ALL ON MY OWN" has already sailed for all of us. All have committed at least one sin, and that's all it takes to make us unrighteous and condemned before God.



The only other way to be righteous, then, is a righteousness bestowed on us from God found in Jesus. Paul talks a lot about this, especially in Romans, but sums it up nicely in Romans 3:21-22, " But now apart from the Law the righteousness of God has been manifested, being witnessed by the Law and the Prophets, even the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all those who believe; for there is no distinction." We can't obtain it on our own, it is a gift of grace to all who believe and obey. We are *made* righteous by God.

Such a gift comes from Jesus actually paying for our sins on the cross, taking them away (Colossians 2:14), which makes us now as righteous and guiltless before God as Jesus is (2 Corinthians 5:21), and gives us the indescribably wonderful privilege of entering into eternal life (Matthew 25:46).

Are you righteous? You can be, but you can't get there on your own; you can only through Jesus.

Park Linscomb

FAMILY CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK IN APRIL

3 Pam H. ■ 9:00 AM Bible classes ■ 10:00 AM Worship ■ 5:30 PM Putting legs on our prayers ■ 6:00 PM Worship	4 ■ 10:00 AM Ladies class	5 ■ 7:00 PM Wed. Bible class ■ 7:00 PM Singing	6	7	8 Sandy L.	9 Ken C.. ■ 9:00 AM Work Day
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SERVICE IN WORSHIP

April 3	AM	PM
<i>Announcements</i>	Burley S.	Burley S.
<i>Songleading</i>	Doug J.	Doug J.
<i>Opening Prayer</i>	Reiven H.	Yaw F.
<i>Communion</i>	Chris S.	Fernando Z.
<i>Closing Prayer</i>	Charles H.	Doug J.
<i>Greeter</i>	Burley S.	Burley S.

April 10	AM	PM
<i>Announcements</i>	Jim B.	Jim B.
<i>Songleading</i>	Doug J.	Reiven H.
<i>Opening Prayer</i>	Burley S.	Doug J.
<i>Communion</i>	Johnny V.	Burley S.
<i>Closing Prayer</i>	Chris S.	Reiven H.
<i>Greeter</i>	Charles H.	Charles H.

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To our website...



A quick teaching on salvation...



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Sermon Notes...
