



ROUND HILL CHURCH

2993 Northwestern Pike
Winchester, VA 22603
(540) 877-2317

Sunday Worship

Early Service — 8:00-9:00am
Livestream on YouTube @ 8:00am
Late Service — 10:30-11:30am

Sunday School

In-Person or Zoom (Adult Class)
9:15-10:15am

Doug Rinker
Pastor

Roy Riley
Assistant Pastor

Whitney Johnson
Youth Director

Barbara Gray
Music Director
Sound Booth

Chris Gray
Worship Director

Sarah Solomon
Pianist

Kim Filbert
Building Superintendent

Marsha Miller
Administrative Assistant

Trinity Lane

August 2025



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Colossians 3:12: Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.



August 2025

The August heat can make us shut down and stay sequestered inside ... the heat can even convince us to sequester our planning. That's certainly not the case with our Mission Ministry!

Rusty Pugh is our Board representative for the Mission Ministry and he and his team are active in planning and delivering our mission goals. Your Church Board approved a "tithe" of our annual budget to specifically target our efforts in mission and benevolence.

So, in addition to the \$24,000 regular budget for Missions, we have designated \$36,000 for special Mission and Benevolence efforts. Our Mission Team is seeking God's direction in determining where these funds may be of the most benefit in our church and community.

Also, Greg Trenary and Joe Salyer are planning to take a mission team in the fall to western North Carolina to aid the victims of Hurricane Helene, which occurred in September of 2024. If you are interested in joining their team, please let Greg or Joe know. As the details are developed, we'll keep everyone posted.

It is exciting to see our body of believers looking "outward" instead of focusing only "inward".

RHC is financially supporting a young family, Josh and Rachel Herschner, in their International Mission Ministry in east Africa.

Lane Pugh, one of our young adults, recently went on an international mission trip to Spain. Lane recently shared in one of our Adult Sunday School Classes about the purpose and results of his trip.

Mission and ministry go hand in hand, and I'm excited to see our church expanding beyond our already excellent regular events. All can "plug in" at some level ... think Bless the Child, Shoebox Ministry, Bid for Help, and even more!

Mission is about helping others, mission is about sharing the Gospel, sometimes with our time, sometimes with our talent, sometimes with our treasure, always with our hearts!

Thank you for being Jesus to the world!

Blessings,
Doug



RHC Board & Finance News

**The next Round Hill Church Board meeting will be
August 11, 2025 at 6:30pm.
All are invited to attend.**

Giving Report

For May, the actual regular offering was \$26,245, budget was \$35,140, representing 75% of the budgeted amount received. For January through June, actual was \$173,309 and budget was 182,728, representing 95% of the budgeted amount received.

Offering Boxes are at each door outside the auditorium/sanctuary, and in the main entrance. Please also remember that you may mail in your offering, give online at *RoundHillChurch.com*, or drop off during church office hours. Thank you for your past and future support of our church!

Proverbs 3:9-10 Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine.



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Chairman	Chris Boyce
Vice Chair	Jeff McKay
Secretary	Kate Snapp
Treasurer	Steve Ginn
Congregational Care	Frank Roy
Facilities	Rocky Keplinger
Family Ministries	Sue Boyce
Lay Ministries	Kim Black
Leadership Development	Todd Legge
Mission/Outreach	Rusty Pugh
Worship	Chris Gray



***Volunteers are always appreciated.
Be a mentor, be a friend,
make a meal, Make a Difference!***

Contact Whitney Johnson at (540)352-8835 or whitleann@gmail.com to learn more about how you can serve!

YOUTH & PARENTS

Text @RHCYOUTH to #81010

Email: YOUTH@roundhillchurch.com

Mission News

We provided lunch on Monday for the youth who were showing animals at the Frederick County Fair.



In August we will be highlighting Bright Futures and gathering donations of school supplies and canned goods for the

Food Pack program, they provide to students and families to assist with the food challenges they face. Please bring your donations and leave in the collection bins: Adult-Size Scissors, Dry Erase Markers, Binders, all sizes, unisex colors, Pocket Folders, Highlighters, Headphones and Earbuds (Wired Only, No wireless), Pencils, Pens, Blue or Black, Permanent Markers/Sharpies, Post-Its, Glue Sticks, Pencil Boxes, Clear or Unisex Colors, Kleenex, Water Bottles, Reusable, Tab Dividers, Magic Markers.

Thank you, Rusty Pugh



Staff Spotlight — Meet Marsha Miller

Marsha joined our team three years ago, after a brief time of retirement from her job as Executive Assistant at ECFA. Her experience includes 15 years at Rosedale Christian Academy as a secretary, computer teacher and yearbook sponsor, 10 years at Winchester Medical Center in administration, and 15 years at Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA) as Executive Assistant.

Marsha & Greg were born and raised in the Winchester area. They met in high school and have been married for 50 years. They have four children and twelve grandchildren, who keep them very busy! They enjoy traveling and keeping up with grandchildren activities. Marsha received the Lord as her Savior at the age of 16, and has been privileged to work most of her working career in Christian organizations. One of her favorite Scripture verses is Colossians 3:17, “And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.”



Baptism

On August 17th and September 7th Round Hill Church will have a service of baptism at Cedar Creek Christian Camp. Please see Pastor Doug or Pastor Roy if you're interested in being baptized.

Jesus told his disciples to "...go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit...". Jesus gave a command, not a suggestion.

So what is baptism? The authors of the New Testament wrote in the universal language of the day, Koine Greek. The Greek word used in scripture was "baptizo", meaning immerse, submerge, dip or wash. Round Hill certainly teaches the method of "going under", "dunking", "being covered" or similar wording. A person that desires being baptized gets completely wet!

So what is baptism? Baptism is a command given to us by Jesus as a way for us as believers to acknowledge our faith and belief by undergoing this public demonstration. It is an outward and visible sign of our inward spiritual faith and commitment.

So what is baptism? It is an act of obedience that provides us a demonstration of God's washing away our sins. This gift is made possible through Jesus dying on the cross to take away our sins. When someone is baptized, they are symbolically dying to oneself (going under the water) and rising as a new creation and into a new life in the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit (coming up out of the water). Just as Jesus died and was resurrected, we also symbolically have that experience when we go through our own baptism.

Baptism shares with your family, friends, church and the world that you have been made new in Christ, you are a new creation by your faith, you publicly state your commitment to your faith.

As your Pastor, I am not eliminating the value of your baptism when you were a baby or child. It is evident that as adult believers (you) become capable of making your own decision on your faith journey, and in some cases the decision is made to want to be baptized as an adult. We're glad to have that conversation with you if you are interested.





Well after over 12 years of good service, the church multifunctional printer has decided it was tired just before Vacation Bible School. A loaner copier was secured until the Facilities Committee could go thru the process of bidding and pricing a new multifunctional printer. The Church Board approved the purchase of a new machine from Tech Team Solutions at a cost of \$11,382.00. It was delivered in time to print this month's newsletter. We hope the new one will serve as many years as the last printer.

The Facilities Committee has been working on the youth area furnace room cleaning and organizing the area so we can have an organized storage area where supplies for the building can be found.

We do ask everyone to please be careful during events in the fellowship hall and pavilion. If you see water on the floor, please mop it up as soon as possible so we don't have a slip and fall hazard. We must watch where we put rugs and electrical extension cords, as they are trip and fall hazards for the people who are attending church events. We must keep all Fire Exits clear and open in case of emergency.

The key lock has been removed from the pavilion entrance door and replaced with a keyless entry door lock. All who need access to the door have their personal codes entered into the door lock. Note if you unlock the door it does not automatically lock, you must enter your code and press check mark to lock door back when finished using pavilion.

As we use the church building for more events, please put items back better than you found them and in proper place. Keeping things organized helps everyone find and know what is available for use in the church. Please return all keys back to Key Box when using a key to unlock doors.

The revised and upgraded church safety information cards, are now in the back of church pews. We have developed a safety handout brochure that we will be distributing in the near future. Once we get the brochures handed out, we will be having some safety informational classes for our church congregation. If you have any interest in being a part of the safety team please see Rocky Keplinger.

The Blood Pressure checks the 1st and 3rd Sunday's of the month are going well.

Every Sunday, we continue to see new faces visiting the Round Hill Church, what a blessing to have. The Church Board and Facilities committee are continuing monitor church attendance and activities as we grow, to make necessary changes for our church family needs.

If you see something related to the facilities that needs to be address, please notify a facilities committee member. Telling our very busy Pastors, doesn't always get to the facilities committee as the Pastors are busy doing their jobs and may forget to pass it on to Facilities Committee.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact anyone on the Facilities Committee or the Church Secretary.

Committee Members: Rocky Keplinger (Chairman) Kirk Clevenger, Jeff McKay, Kate Snapp, Steve Ayers and Frank Roy.

August Birthdays

Tracy Wilson	Aug 1
Bradley Ashmore	Aug 1
Sandy Miller	Aug 6
Emily Shable	Aug 6
Helen Hodges	Aug 6
Emileigh McKay	Aug 7
Bonnie Prelop	Aug 11
Robin Lynn	Aug 13
Roy Riley	Aug 13
Mike Purtlebaugh	Aug 17
Heather Anderson	Aug 17
Shelby Frank	Aug 17
Gina Portmess	Aug 17
Greg Trenary	Aug 18
Heather McKay	Aug 19
Beverly Bennett	Aug 20
Lynn Cookson	Aug 20
Cassie Riley	Aug 21
Maria Perez	Aug 22
Roger Newlin	Aug 22
Luke Roy	Aug 23
Mark Painter	Aug 23
Jean Ayers	Aug 23
Carole Montgomery	Aug 23
Dustin Campbell	Aug 24
Logan Kohne	Aug 26
Jacob Pugh	Aug 28
Amanda Lettieri	Aug 28
Nanci Sandy	Aug 28
Bessie Solenberger	Aug 28
Hunter Legge	Aug 28
Bryce Sfarnas	Aug 29
Karynn Everett	Aug 30



Golden Shepherds

August 21, 2025
(3rd Thursday every month)
11am—3pm

People 55 and older are welcome to join our Golden Shepherds for a time of food, fun, and fellowship on the third Thursday of every month!



August Anniversaries

Joe & Barbara Salyer	Aug 6
Charlie Webber (Betty)	Aug 8
Greg & Tina Hamman	Aug 11
Pat & Suzy Hyland	Aug 16
Steve & Crystal Barton	Aug 16
Kenny & Kim Bowen	Aug 18
Steve & Kim Black	Aug 23
Mark & Staci Painter	Aug 26
Butch & Ann Tharp	Aug 30



Prayer Chain
Contact Charlie Webber
(540) 667-4624



Alan Shanholtz	Emma Luttrell	Kenny Whetzel	Renee Lockhart
Andy Stiltner	Gerald Dolly	Kim Campbell	Robbie Pugh
Angela Dorsey	Henry Rutherford	Libby Carter	Roger Holliday
Angie Padilla	Jamie Martin	Linda Pennington	Sherri Harding
Audrey Lockhart	Jeanie Painter	Mark Smith	Stephanie Brake
Betty Godlove	Jim Warren	Matthew Bassford	Stephen Lobell
Brady McKay	Joanie Blankenship	Mike Rogers	Sue Newlin
Carrie Takarsh	John Light	Nettie Lanham	Vicki Dillow
Cooper Graham	John Shelly	Nick Picerno	
Eddie & Dot Roy	Joyce Kerns	Patty Mack	
Eddie Presgraves	Katie Mack	Randy Berg	



**Dartboard Baseball
Returns for
5th Season!
Sunday,
September 21, 2025
5:00pm**

Sharpen up your darts for another season of Dartboard Baseball, returning for its 5th season at Round Hill, beginning on Sunday, September 21st @ 5:00pm in the Church Fellowship Hall. Make plans to join us for another season of Good Food, Christian Fellowship and Friendly Competition!

If you have questions, please contact Joe Salyer, 540-533-3762, JoeSalyer1954@gmail.com

**A Poem by Sheila Barton
What Now?**

*Life is full of many questions
We all need something true
Everyone running to and fro
Oh, what shall I do?*

*Now the answer is so simple
It's been preached o'er and o'er
Yet we're always searching
Looking for something more*

*Now I am here to tell you
The preacher said it all,
Just give it all to Jesus
Today just heed the call*

*He'll surely travel with you
All doubts will pass away
A peace that you've never known
Will go with you today!*

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