

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

July 19-23 from 5:30—8:00 p.m.  
For children ages 3 through fifth grade

**HELP WANTED**

The VBS theme this year is GALACTIC BLAST, *A Cosmic Adventure Praising God*. There are many ways that you can help. For more information, contact Kim Black, 2010 VBS Coordinator, at 540-662-7196 or come to the Education Committee meeting on Monday, May 10, at 6:30 p.m. in classroom 204.



Hope to see you there!

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# Trinity Lane

May 2010

The Newsletter of Round Hill United Methodist Church

**C** At Round Hill, Christ is taught, preached, and lived.

**R** We accept the Responsibility to witness to others

**O** with Open hearts, minds and doors.

**S** We Support the Church through our prayers, presence, gifts and service

**S** as we Share Christ through loving fellowship.

**Jay Kelchner**  
Lead Pastor

**Jed Markwood**  
Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry

**Barbara Gray**  
Music Director

**Jordan Markwood**  
Worship Arts Coordinator

**Libby Oliver**  
Nursery and Child Care Coordinator

**Julia Pugh**  
Faith Community Nurse

**Debbie Haymaker**  
Secretary

**Nancy Whitacre**  
Building Superintendent



Wow! Over 350 people gathered on Easter Sunday services to celebrate the resurrection. He is risen! Hallelujah! A warm spring morning and clear skies gave way to the majesty of God's creation as the sun rose over the horizon. The breakfast table prepared for us by our youth made it possible to joyfully gather to nourish both body and soul. I so enjoyed watching the butterflies being released into the congregation to punctuate the joy of the morning. It was such a great day.



Subsequently, the Easter people of Round Hill rejoiced to welcome new members and to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism and the Reaffirmation of Faith. And then a healing service led by Larry Clark helped us to understand the power of the resurrection even more. We were reminded of God's abundant love and God's desire to offer a healing touch. So many smiles and so many expressions of God's grace made this a very memorable Easter season. Again I say, Hallelujah! Yet that's not the end of it.

Soon the Great 50 Days will give way to Pentecost and once again we will celebrate God's mighty acts as the church continues to be built up. Some of our youth have been diligent in their preparation for Confirmation as they have been learning

what it means to "Claim the Name" of Jesus. They are embarking on a new journey, one that will take them to where God needs them to be – one that we don't understand yet, but trust will lead to the kingdom. The Christian experience is like that sometimes. Opportunities to work together in mission and service are already upon us. In fact, I've caught many people doing the Lord's work behind the scenes. Why is it that God's people keep silent about those things that God is calling them to do? I'm tempted to share with you their names and acts of service, but I will not risk diminishing the sacred act that was intended only for God.

The potato patch people have been busy and soon there will be a garden waiting for you to tend. But hasn't there always been a garden for you to tend at Round Hill? That's what we do. We plant, we tend, we harvest and we plant again. God does the rest.

*I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth. So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God who gives the growth . . . For we are God's servants, working together; you are God's field. -1 Corinthians 3:6-7, 9a*



The good news is that God is faithful to the process. Wherever God takes us we will be blessed.

See you in church, Jay

# New Members

Welcome to Our Church

April 11, 2010

**Professing Members:**

Kim Pate and Tom Pate  
Patti Mack and Steve Mack

**Baptized Members:**

Alex Pate, Tori Pate, and Chris Pate  
Zachory Corbin, son of  
Shannon and Justin Corbin



The Pate Family



Steve and Patti Mack

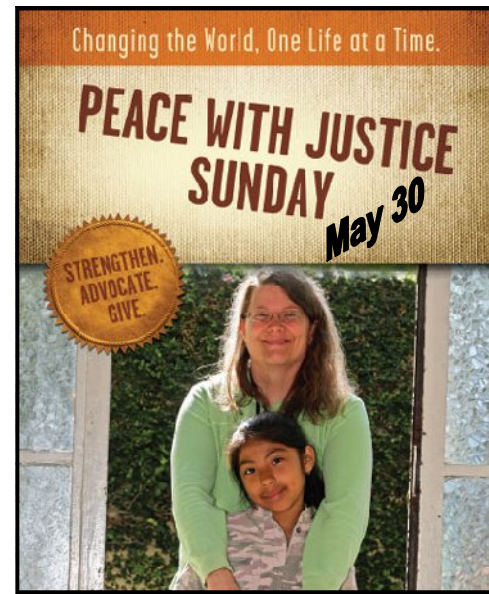


An Easter Egg Hunt surprise visitor

*Congratulations!*  
**Steve Crites  
and Bonnie Taylor**  
were married on April 3, 2010  
in Moorefield, WV

## CONFIRMATION RETREAT

Friday, May 14—Sunday, May 16  
Leave at 3:00 p.m. on Friday and  
return at noon on Sunday. For more  
information, contact Jed Markwood,  
Director of Youth Ministry,  
at [ohym@comcast.net](mailto:ohym@comcast.net) or  
540-535-5676.



The Round Hill 2010 Potato Patch Planters



## ADULT VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL STUDY Galactic Blast

5 Wednesday Evenings, May 19—  
June 16 from 6:30—7:30 p.m.  
in the Fellowship Hall

## GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY

May 30

If you are graduating or have  
graduated this year from High  
School or from a higher education,  
*we want to celebrate you.* Please  
contact Jed or Pastor Jay.

## YARD PARTY

Saturday, June 5

If you are interested in helping with  
this annual fundraiser, please contact  
Bruce Wilson or Pastor Jay.

## FELLOWSHIP DINNER

Wednesday, May 12  
5:30—6:30 p.m.  
In The Fellowship Hall  
*Hosted by the Witness Committee*

Menu will be:  
Ham, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans,  
Salad, Rolls, Beverage and Dessert.  
A free will offering will be accepted.  
A sign up sheet is on the table at the  
back of the Sanctuary. For more  
information, contact Becky McGraw.



## CONFIRMATION SUNDAY Celebration Brunch

May 23  
9:30—10:45 a.m.

On this Sunday, we will be celebrat-  
ing our confirmands. Please join the  
celebration and bring a dish to share.  
(Note: There will be no Sunday  
school classes on this day.)



If you have a joy,  
sorrow or special  
concern, we  
would like to  
pray for you.

Prayer Chain Coordinators:  
**Betty Webber, at 667-4624**  
**Nancy Kern, at 662-5313**

**Ascension Sunday  
May 16**

**Pentecost Sunday  
May 23**

**Trinity Sunday  
May 30**

April Mission Effort will benefit  
**The Laurel Center**  
Collection containers are  
located in the Fellowship Hall  
and in the Vestibule.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
MAY 2010						1
2 Confirmation Class 4-5 PM Youth 5-7 PM	3	4	5 Women's Bible Study 6-8 PM Men's Bible Study 6-8 PM Youth Bible Study 7 PM	6 YAM's 7-9 PM	7 HS Breakfast Club 6:15 AM	8
9 Mission Moment	10 Education 6:30 PM	11 Choir 7 PM	12 Dinner 5:30 PM Women's Bible Study 6:30 PM Men's Bible Study 6:30 PM Youth Bible Study 7 PM	13 Golden Shepherds 11 AM-3 PM YAM's 7-9 PM	14 HS Breakfast Club 6:15 AM	15 UMM 6 AM Armed Forces Day
16 <b>ASCENSION SUNDAY</b> Education Spotlight SKFC, FROGS Bike Ride 3-5 PM Youth 5-7 PM	17 Witness 6:30 PM Worship 7:30 PM	18 Yard Party Planning 6:30 PM Choir 7 PM	19 Vacation Bible School Study 6:30—7:30 PM Youth Bible Study 7 PM	20 YAM's 7-9 PM	21 HS Breakfast Club 6:15 AM	22 Confirmation Retreat 14-16
23 <b>PENTECOST SUNDAY</b> Confirmation Sunday Brunch 9:30—10:45 AM Youth 5-7 PM Youth Praise Time 7-7:30 PM	24 Youth Ministries Committee 6:30 PM	25 Choir 7 PM	26 Vacation Bible School Study 6:30—7:30 PM Youth Bible Study 7 PM	27 YAM's 7-9 PM	28 HS Breakfast Club 6:15 AM	29
30 <b>TRINITY SUNDAY</b> Graduation Recognition Peace With Justice Sunday Blood Pressure Checks	31 Memorial Day Church Office Closed	Contact the church office to get your meeting or event on the calendar and <b>IN THE NEWS!</b>				

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**Sunday Worship Service**  
Non-traditional 8:30 a.m.  
Traditional 11:00 a.m.

**Sunday School**  
9:45 a.m.

Office Hours: M-W-F  
9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

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