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FOR THE RECORD

Sunday AM		
Bible Study		
Worship	101	
Contribution	\$3685	
Sunday PM		
Worship	45	
Wednesday		
Bible Study	47	



A friendly church with a saving message

Wednesday Bible Class 7:00 PM

Please follow us on

11:00 AM

6:00 PM

WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday

Bible Class 10:00 AM

Worship

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GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear the Gospel (Romans 10:17; Acts 16:32-34, 1 Cor. 15:1-2)
Believe Jesus is the Son of God (John 8:24; Hebrews 11:6)
Repent of your sins (Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30)

- Confess faith in Jesus Christ (Romans 10:9-10; Matt. 10:32)
- **Be Baptized** (immersed) for forgiveness of your sins (Acts 2:38; John 3:5; Rom 6:3, 4)

Live Faithfully (2 Peter 1:10-11; Revelation 2:10)

Our Mission Works

Garry Jones – India The Mustard Seed Village, The Rainbow Village for Girls, & The Spiritual Sword Bible Institute, Antioch Program

Scott Shanahan – Italy





Prosperity and Success Make a Happy New Year!

After the death of Moses God instructed His servant Joshua take the children of Israel into the land of Canaan. Consider the word of God;

Joshua 1:5-9 "After the death of Moses the servant of the LORD, it came to pass that the LORD spoke to Joshua the son of Nun, Moses' assistant, saying: ² "Moses My servant is dead. Now therefore, grise, go over this Jordan, you and all this people, to the land which I am giving to them—the children of Israel.³ Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given you, as I said to Moses.⁴ From the wilderness and this Lebanon as far as the great river, the River Euphrates, all the land of the Hittites, and to the Great Sea toward the going down of the sun, shall be your territory. ⁵ No man shall be able to stand before you all the days of your life; as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you. ⁶ Be strong and of good courage, for to this people you shall divide as an inheritance the land which I swore to their fathers to give them.⁷ Only be strong and very courageous, that you may observe to do according to all the law which Moses My servant commanded you; do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may prosper wherever you go.⁸ This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success. ⁹ Have I not commanded you? Be strong and of good courage; do not be afraid, nor be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go."

God made many wonderful promises in the preceding passage. Notice specifically what He told them they must do in order to prosper and have good success; "...meditate (on His law) in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then **you will make your way prosperous**, and **then you will have good success**."

As we enter the new year, we often wish for one another "Prosperity and Success." I believe if throughout this new year we follow the same procedure as God instructed the Israelites then, we too, will be prosperous and have good success! Remember;

- 1. Meditate day and night on His word, and
- 2. Do all that is written therein.

I pray this will be the best year yet for the Lord's Church here at Clinton. I pray we will all do our part to make it that way for I know God will do His part! Have a Great week, Have a Great Year! —*RWB*

If you are visiting with us today - Welcome to Clinton! We are glad you're here!

CLINTON CALENDAR

Jan 9	Silver Saints
Jan 9 Jan 13 Jan 27 Feb 22-24	Youth & Family Lunch
Jan 27	Song Service/Fingerfoods
Feb 22-24	CYC trip

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Tim Melton in the loss of his uncle, **Charles Hall.**

2019 COMMUNION PREPARATION

If you would be willing to prepare the Lord's Supper for one month in 2019, please sign up on the list in the foyer. The signup sheet will be in place next week. There are still four or five months that need to be filled.

CHALLENGE YOUTH CONFERENCE

CYC 2019 is Feb. 22-24. Tickets have been ordered, the lodge is booked, and we are almost ready to go! The cost to go this year will be \$75. If you need help with the cost, let Joey know. We have assistance available and will never let money keep anyone from participating!

SILVER SAINTS

The Silver Saints will gather this Wednesday at 10:00am here at the building for a devo, fellowship, and a project. Everyone is invited to join in, regardless of your age!

YOUTH & FAMILY LUNCH

Next Sunday after our morning services, we will have a youth and family lunch in the fellowship hall for everyone interested in helping out with our youth program and activities. We will do it a bit differently this year, and the meeting portion will be very, very brief! We should have plenty of time for fellowship and being together. If you would like to help with preparing a soup or chili, or making dessert, please see Joey Smith with any questions.

THE ELDERS CORNER

Some young people asked an old man, "When should we repent?" The old gentleman said, "Repent before you die." The young folks replied, "We don't know when we will die." The man said, "Then repent now!"

-Herman

BULLETIN BOARDS

We could always use a bit of help keeping our lobby bulletin boards fresh and updated. If you would like to take a turn putting up a bulletin board, please sign up on the list in the foyer. We have nearly all the supplies you would need available in the Resource Room.

AREA EVENTS

AREA-WIDE YOUTH DEVOTIONAL

West End Church of Christ: Jan 13

GREAT SMOKY MTN MARRIAGE RETREAT Pigeon Forge/Sevierville: Feb 6-10

CHALLENGE YOUTH CONFERENCE Pigeon Forge: Feb 22-24

SEIBS LECTURESHIP

Karns Church of Christ: April 28 - May 1

A Lesson from a Snowman

by Mark Ray

Two days ago, my yard was covered with three inches of snow. Now the only part remaining is the snowman in the front yard. Why the snow man? Because it was packed tightly--that's the lesson. Unless we get packed tightly into a congregation, we will melt away to this world's temptations. Make it your goal this year to not only go to church but to be involved in church. It will keep you from melting away.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Bunny Nash is now recovering at home and making some improvements. **Katie Mowery's grandmother** suffered a stroke and is in the hospital. **Glen Morgan** is recovering at home after gall bladder surgery.

Baby Ryker, a newborn under the care of Laura Mowery, is in need of our prayers. He was a preemie that went through a lot and ended up being able to go home with a trach and feeding tube. He's improved with lots of therapies and has come a long way. His parents have just learned that he has liver cancer.

Elbert Boyd, Natasha Hamm's father, is going through a hard time & needs our prayers. **Laura** and **Jonathan Bentley** have both fallen ill this last week.

Polly Keck is in need of our prayers.

Wallace Stewart, Susan Smith's uncle, has been in the hospital with heart/breathing issues. Braden Stewart, Susan Smith's cousin, is undergoing treatment for cancer.

Denise Henderson has requested prayers for her cousin.

Eddie Godsey, Kayla Harwell's father, is in stable condition at Diversicare Room 203. **Audrey Egerton**, great-niece of Gail Sharp, is now back home after a stay at the hospital. **Edward Hernandez**, a friend of the Bushey's, is recovering from heart surgery.

Craig McWilliams, a friend of John Bushey, is having problems with his heart.

Dakota Fuller, a friend of Sherry Bushey, was in a car accident.

Lisa Carr, daughter of Sherry Bushey, is having health issues again.

Rebecca Nash is traveling back to Poland. Please pray for safe travels.

Garry Jones will be returning to India on January 11. Please pray for him as he experiences a lot of difficulty and hostility from the government.

Dale and Lesley Mowery are traveling back to Tasmania with Lesley's mother. They will be staying with her for a few weeks.

Please continue to remember **Bob Hamby**, **Georgia Herren**, **Jo Rutherford**, and **Brenda Jennings** in your prayers.

Continue to remember: Stephanie Baird, Barbara Boshears, Audrey Lynn Egerton, Kim Fulton, Betty Holt, Sheree Hoskins, Georgia Herren, Dicey Humphrey, Brenda Jennings, Polly Keck, Connor Livingston, Charles McGhee, Norma Jean McGhee, Cheryl Morrow, Elaine Stevenson, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron, Jack Zorn

Cancer Treatment: Curtis Barnes, Christie Cinnamon, Sawyer Cole, Travis Creasey, Pam Davis, Gail Foust, Bob Hamby, Scott James, Mike Koehler, Lois Layne, Belle McCoy, Greg McGuiness, Sandra McKamey, Janice Plagge, Rhonda Perkins, David Pippen, Matt Scudder, Braden, Stewart, Joshua Stokes, Vernie Vignolo, Doris Walker, Wayne Wells, Gail Wilkinson

Shut-In: At home – Ken Smith, Elmira Trentham; Morning Pointe – Jo Rutherford; Summit View – Ann Nygard

Updates to the Prayer List may be sent to **churchofchristclinton@gmail.com** or given to Joey Smith.

You can't direct the wind, but you can adjust your sails.