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WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday: Bible Class	10:00 AM
Worship	11:00 AM
Worship	6:00 PM

Wednesday:

Bible Class	7:00 PM
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FOR THE RECORD

Sunday AM

Bible Study	45
Worship	80
Contribution	\$2118

Sunday PM

Worship	74
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Wednesday

Bible Study	51
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God's Plan of Salvation

1. Hearing the word of God (*Romans 10:17; Acts 16:32*)
2. Believing what is taught (*Mark 16:16; Hebrews 11:6*)
3. Repentance (*Acts 2:38; Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30*)
4. Confession (*Romans 10:9, 10; Acts 8:37*)
5. Baptism (*Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16; 1 Peter 3:21; Romans 6:3, 4*)
6. After the above five steps, faithful Christian living (*1 Peter 2:11, 12; Revelation 2:10*)

The church of Christ

1. Bible is its only guide (*Romans 1:16; 1 Thess. 2:13*)
2. Wears a Biblical name (*Romans 16:16*)
3. Established at the right place (*Isaiah 2:2, 3; Acts 2*)
4. Established at the right time (*Joel 2:28-32; Acts 2*)
5. Established on the right person (*Matthew 16:18; Acts 2:36*)
6. Saved are in it (*Ephesians 5:23; Acts 2:47*)
7. Its members are enrolled in heaven (*Hebrews 12:23*)
8. Membership in it is obtained by obedience to God's commands including baptism (*Acts 2:41-47, 1 Cor. 12:13*)

Our Mission Works

Garry Jones – India
The Mustard Seed Village, The
Rainbow Village for Girls, & The
Theophilus Bible Institute

**Scott Shanahan – Pohnpei,
Micronesia**

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Serving the Congregation July 3, 2016

	AM	PM
Song Leaders:	Jacob McCrary	Ben Smith
Opening Prayer:	Jim Ashworth	Dale Mowery
Lord's Table:	Dwight Nicholson, Herman Herren, Bob Hamby, Greg Jernigan	
Closing Prayer:	Daniel McInturff	Hubert Sharp
PM Table:	Joey Smith	
Announcements:	Stump Smith	
Usher:	Jim Ashworth	

Wednesday evening: July 6, 2016

Song Leader:	Joey Smith
Invitation:	Richard Bentley
Announcements:	Stump Smith

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Prerequisites for Prophecy

The prediction must be **beyond the power of man to foresee**

The prediction must be **made before the event**

The prediction must be **applicable to the event**

The prediction must be made in **unambiguous and unmistakable language**

The prediction must have a **clear and demonstrable fulfillment**

(H. W. Everest, *The Divine Demonstration*, 1972, p. 260)

Jesus Is The Christ

If only one prophecy had been made about the coming of Jesus, and there was an equal chance it would or would not happen, the odds against it being fulfilled would be one chance in two. If there were two prophecies the odds would be one in four, and if three then one chance in eight. Look at the following chart to see how the odds multiply.

Prophecies Odds

Fulfilling:	1 - 1 in 2
	2 - 1 in 4
	3 - 1 in 8
	4 - 1 in 16
	5 - 1 in 32
	6 - 1 in 64
	7 - 1 in 128
	8 - 1 in 256
	9 - 1 in 512
	10 - 1 in 1024
	11 - 1 in 2048
	12 - 1 in 4096
	13 - 1 in 8192
	14 - 1 in 16,384
	15 - 1 in 32,768
	16 - 1 in 65,536
	17 - 1 in 131,072
	18 - 1 in 262,144
	19 - 1 in 524,288
	20 - 1 in 1,048,576
	21 - 1 in 2,097,152
	22 - 1 in 4,194,304
	23 - 1 in 8,388,608
	24 - 1 in 16,777,216
	25 - 1 in 33,554,432
	26 - 1 in 67,108,864
	27 - 1 in 134,217,728
	28 - 1 in 268,435,456
	29 - 1 in 536,870,912
	30 - 1 in 1,073,741,824
	35 - 1 in 34,359,738,368
	56 - 1 in 72,057,594,037,927,936

Wow! Imagine one man fulfilling 56 prophecies in one lifetime. The prophets foretold about the Messiah and Jesus fulfilled every prophecy. However, He did not just fulfill 56, he fulfilled 332! What are the odds of this? Go figure. My calculator just broke!

If you're visiting with us today – WELCOME! – We're glad you're here!

CLINTON CALENDAR

Today	Jones Newsletter folding
July 13	Silver Saints
July 24-28	Clinton VBS
Aug 6	Back-To-School Bash
Aug 7	Herren/McNeil Shower
Sept 4	Youth Devo @ Clinton
Sept 24	Clinton Ladies Day
Oct 9	Homecoming/Friends Day

INDIA MISSION NEWSLETTER

Garry Jones needs help folding the India Mission newsletters today beginning around 4:30pm.

INDIA MISSION NEEDS

We have many needs at this time for our mission work in India:

- School books for about 30 children in India. Please see the book of pictures and the cost of books for each child on the display table in the foyer. This is a one-time gift so these children can go to school in Andre Pradesh, South India.
- Children who need to be “adopted” at The Mustard Seed Village and The Rainbow Village. Please see Garry if you could sponsor a child.
- Three good cameras with adjustable photo lenses.
- Funds to cover the cost to paint several new church buildings in India.

ELDER & DEACON SELECTION

Forms have been submitted for elder and deacon selection. Please be praying for this process, for the growth and success of the Clinton congregation, and for the men who will be taking on these new duties.

VBS IS COMING!

Clinton VBS is just around the corner! It will be nightly July 24 - 28. Our theme is “*The Voyage*” and is a pirate theme. NOW is the time to invite your friends. We will have a class for every single age from newborns to high schoolers....and classes for adults. Please see Dale Mowery if you would like to help out in any way - there are lots of jobs for everyone.

VBS NEEDS

We are in need of several items for our VBS:

- Large cardboard boxes or flat pieces
- Barrels, trunks, ropes, pallets, fishing nets, lanterns, nautical items, etc. to decorate in our “pirate” theme.

VBS FOOD

If you would like to make a monetary donation for our VBS food and snacks, please see Ruth Ashworth.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

This week’s lesson in our Kids’ Bible Story & Art Class will focus on **The Miracles of Jesus**. Come on back on Wednesday and get crafty while we learn!

CAMP TIME

Week 3 of Teenage Christian Camp begins today. There are 6 weeks of camp to choose from. There are applications in the foyer or register online at teenagechristiancamp.org.

DIRECTORY UPDATE

The Brown family - Anthony, Amanda, Riley, and Anna Kate - has a new home and new address. Please update your directories:

129 Carson Place
Clinton, TN 37716

PRAYER REQUESTS

Georgia Herren is undergoing tests.
Kim Gill, known to many here, has been diagnosed with cancer.
Greg Cline, Sherry Bushey’s son, had surgery last week.
Stanley McInturff will begin cancer treatments on July 5.
Jean Perkins needs our prayers and encouragement.
Missy Smith, Jean Perkins’ granddaughter, had successful surgery but is in a lot of pain.
Spencer Herren is dealing with kidney stones and the pain that comes with that diagnosis.
Mary Gilley, Sue Hale, Jimmy Redden, & Jo Rutherford continue to be shut in and need our prayers, encouragement, calls, cards, and visits.

Continue to remember: Theresa Bean, Donna Benjamin, Beverly Burt, Kim Burt, Steve Burt, Tammy Burt, Lee Carden, Lisa Carr, Lakhilata Chakma, Greg Cline, Don Cox, John Crawhorn, Mary Jo Dailey, Fred Davis, Nasha Foster, Amanda Harness’ mother, Howard Herren, Beulah Jackson, Wayne Jackson, Lee LaMay, Linda Laughter, Connor Livingston, Sharon Martin, Norma Jean McGhee, Carolina Grace McClemore, Betty McInturff, Carolyn Mitchell, Kelly Norton, Joel Peters, Anna Phillips, Mary Lou Ramsey, Dorothy Richey, Carolyn Scruggs, Misty Smith, Flossie Spradling, Cheryl Taylor, Alex Thomas, Denzil Thompson, Darlene Thurman, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron, Thomas Wales, Franklin Wharton, Steve Yearwood

Cancer Treatment: Bryan Brown, Ruby Durst, Gail Foust, Kim Gill, Stanley Hash, Gary & Marilyn Jones, Belle McCoy, Stanley McInturff, Kathy Schankowitz, Leah Seiber, Jack Stearsman, Joshua Stokes

Shut-In: *At home* – Mary Gilley, Sue Hale, Ken Smith, Elmira Trentham; *Morning Pointe* – Jo Rutherford; *Golden Living* – Norma Cooper, Jean Dye, Jimmy Redden, Kenneth Schultz; *Cumberland Village LaFollette* – Ella Mae Burchfield; *Summit View* – Ann Nygard

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

ENCOURAGEMENT

Brother Jimmy Redden now has a direct phone line to his room at Golden Living. It is the same phone number that is listed in our current directory. He said that he can now “keep in touch” and would love to have some calls from his church family.

AREA EVENTS.

Highland View church of Christ VBS - Saturday, July 16.

Sevierville church of Christ will host *Family Matters* on July 9-10 with Lonnie Jones.

Arlington church of Christ VBS - July 17-20. Theme: “Cave Quest!”

Central church of Christ - Johnson City Mountain Empire Men’s Fellowship - Aug 27

Please see the bulletin board in the foyer for flyers and more information on these events