

Clinton church of Christ

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Evangelist:

Richard Bentley	264-0560
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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	60
Worship	105
Contribution	\$2217

Sunday PM

Worship	70
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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*)

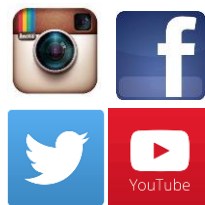
THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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 MISSIONS

Garry Jones: **India**
Scott Shanahan: **Micronesia**
Jim Waldron: **India**
Our members: **Clinton & Anderson County, TN**

Please follow us on



Serving the Congregation March 29, 2015

Song Leaders:	AM Joey Smith	PM Song Service
Opening Prayer:	Herman Herren	Dwight N.
Lord's Table:	Hubert Sharp, Jacob McCrary, Eric Mowery, Earl Broadway	
Closing Prayer:	Glen Morgan	Tim Nygard
PM Table:	Jim Ashworth	
Announcements:	Mike Smith	
Usher:	Mike Smith	

Wednesday evening: April 1, 2015

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

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A friendly church with a saving message

Of Cats and People

Lord, this cat you gave me... she just doesn't listen.

- I told her the rains were coming...she goes out anyway and comes back soaked.
- I told her not to lay in weeds...yet everyday she comes in and expects me to pull all the stickers out of her fur...from laying in the weeds.
- I told her that as much as it's up to her to be at peace with all cats...yet she expects me to tend to her wounds from the fights she is always in.
- She embarrasses me in front of the neighbors by instigating disputes with their cats...she thinks she owns the whole block.
- She is constantly doing what she ought not to do and suffering the consequences.
- Worse, she seems to blame all her misfortunes on me...at least she expects me to deal with all the results of her disobedience. I always do, but she never seems to learn.
- Furthermore, Lord...she has never missed a meal, but when she's hungry she yowls as if she hasn't had a meal in weeks. She makes it sound as if I'm a negligent and cruel father. The truth is that I always feed her and even give her treats. Just wanted you to know...
- To top it all off, she is often distant and ignores me until she wants attention or me to provide something.
- This cat makes me feel used.
- Sometimes I wonder if she loves me, or just loves what I can give her.
- It's a pretty one sided relationship.
- Despite all of this, I love the cat and I've chosen to keep her.
- Lord, that makes no sense, but I know you'll understand...

--Michael Newnham

My friend Alan Smith says "this piece reminds us of the things which our cats (or people around us) do that make us feel unappreciated. They are the same sorts of things we do to God on a regular basis. God is so gracious and giving, even when we are unappreciative. May we praise our God for his continual grace in our lives!" "O Lord my God, I will give thanks to You forever." (Psalm 30:12)

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

CLINTON CALENDAR

Tonight	Song Service/Fingerfoods
Apr 4	Egg Hunt
Apr 19	Friends & Family Day
Apr 19	Fellowship Lunch
Apr 19	2:00 Evening Worship
Apr 25	Virginia Creeper Bike Ride
May 2	Church Work Day
May 31	Graduate Recognition

SONG SERVICE/FINGERFOODS

Join us tonight for our monthly singing and fellowship meal. The singing will be stronger with your voice here!

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Ken Smith and family in the passing of Frances Smith. Ken & Frances have been long-time members but have been shut-in for many years. A graveside service was held on Thursday.



FRIENDS & FAMILY DAY

Sunday, April 19 will be our Friends & Family Day! We will have lunch following morning worship and then an early afternoon service at 2:00pm (there will be no 6:00 service).

WORK DAY

Please come out on Saturday, May 2, for a workday here at the building. We have LOTS to get done...and we could use your help!



EGG HUNT

Our annual Egg Hunt will be at the home of Stump and Annette Smith – the Fish Hatchery – starting at 11:00am on Saturday, April 4. Please invite some friends and family to come with you.



VIRGINIA CREEPER

Our next bike ride on the Creeper is April 25! See Jacob Mowery with any questions.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

We will honor our 2015 grads on May 31: Ian McCrary, Jacob McCrary, Jacob Mowery, and Katie Tidwell.

CRAFT NEED

Lesley Mowery is collecting the tops from milk jugs for a Bible craft project. If you can save those and home and bring them to Lesley, she would appreciate it!

MISSION NEWS

The latest Micronesia mission newsletter from Scott and Rebecca Shanahan is in the foyer. The Shanahans request your prayers as they make big decisions.

PRAYER REQUESTS



Cindy Jones has been diagnosed with breast cancer. No surgery date is set yet. The prognosis is excellent.

Gail Foust, friend of Bob & Karen Hamby, has found out that her cancer is Stage 4. Please remember Gail in your prayers.

Fred Davis suffered a heart attack and had two stents put in. Fred was able to be with us last Sunday.

Sue Hale has been moved to NHC Oak Ridge for physical therapy.

Elaine Stevenson is recovering well from surgery on her wrist but is still in a good deal of pain. She requests your prayers.

Sharon Shoopman remains at Oak Ridge hospital and hopes to be moved to Briarcliff soon for a two week stay. Sharon expresses her appreciation for all the prayers & flowers.

Mary Gilley is doing better and is still at home.

Chloe Bass, Julia Mowery's niece, needs prayers as she continues to deal with Crohn's.

Norma Jean McGhee, sister-in-law of Ouita Northcutt, has severe health problems and is also battling depression.

Joyce Evans will be relocating to Gordonsville, TN in the very near future. We will greatly miss you, Joyce!

Continue to remember: Chloe Bass, Mason Battistelli, Donna Benjamin, Willard Beshears, Ella Mae Burchfield, Steve Burt, Charles Butler, Lisa Carr, Melissa Caylor, Greg Cline, John Crawhorn, Mary Cressy, Mary Jo Dailey, Joseph Dillman, Joyce Evans, Nasha Foster, Gail Foust, Helen Gilbreath, Mary Gilley, Sue Hale, Carlos Herren, Jean Humphrey, Tim Hutson, Beulah Jackson, Luke Jarrett, Greg Kell, Chris Kelsey, Lee LaMay, Linda Laughter, Chris Leavitt, Phyllis Leslie, Connor Livingston, Sharon Martin, Jim & Barbara McCrary, Carolyn Mitchell, Ronda Moss, Lauren Nickelson, Ann Nygard, Joel Peters, Bobbie Sue Phillips, Ron & Susan Reagan, Kenny Reagan, Kenneth Schultz, Nathan Shaw, Sarah Shaw, Helen Shepherd, Sharon Shoopman, Flossie Spradling, Elaine Stevenson, Rosemary Summers, Jack Taylor, Denzil Thompson, Elmira Trentham, Andrew Verble, John Verble, Steve Yearwood in your prayers.

Please see our extended **Prayer List** on the **Prayer Board** in the foyer. Updates to the Prayer List can be emailed to churchofchristclinton@gmail.com or given to Joey Smith.

AREA EVENTS

Lake City church of Christ **Gospel Meeting** with W. Tom Hall: March 29-April 1

Rockwood church of Christ **Gospel Meeting** with Joe Wells: March 29-April 2

Claxton church of Christ **Ladies Day** with Angie Mabe: April 18

South Knoxville church of Christ **Ladies Day** with Tassie Smith: April 25

Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies **Lectureship** "Faith: Responding to Jesus": April 26-29

Scarboro church of Christ **Ladies Day** with Lauren Woodall: May 2