

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	66
Worship	112
Contribution	\$2890

Sunday PM

Worship	49
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Wednesday

Bible Study	45
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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*)

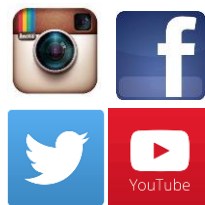
THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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 April 12, 2015

	<u>AM</u>	<u>PM</u>
Song Leaders:	Drew Battistelli	Joey Smith
Opening Prayer:	Mike Smith	Herman Herren
Lord's Table:	Hobert Humphrey, Rick Caudle, John Bushey, Mike Olsen	
Closing Prayer:	Eric Mowery	Hubert Sharp
PM Table:	James McCrary	
Announcements:	Dale Mowery	
Usher:	Joey Smith	

Wednesday evening: April 15, 2015

Song Leader: Ben Smith
Invitation: Richard Bentley
Announcements: Dale Mowery

April 12, 2015

Clinton Chronicle ***

Clinton church of Christ

A friendly church with a saving message

Our Friends & Family Day is Next Week!

Invite Folks to Church!

by Phil Sanders

85 percent of all Americans call themselves "Christians," yet only 69 percent regard themselves as "church members." Only 43 percent will attend church on a given Sunday. Another 22 percent will attend occasionally. Only 22 percent of Americans attend Bible classes on Sunday morning.

There are now 79 million "unchurched" people in America.

Many of these people are "nominal" Christians. They claim to be Christians but do not practice their Christianity by church attendance. These are people who need a church home.

Why do they need a church home? Why do they need to come? For the same reasons you do.

* They need the spiritual help and climate going to church provides.

* They need to hear the Scripture preached and to remember the Lord's death in His Supper.

* They need to praise the Lord in song and to pray about their needs.

* They need the Lord's help and teaching from week to week.

They also need a church home, because we all need our brothers and sisters in Christ. Life has a way of handing us surprises. It means so much to have the support of loving brothers and sisters who will pray with us and for us when we need them.

Solomon was right when he said that "two are better than one," Ecclesiastes. 4:9. There is strength in numbers, and brothers and sisters assure our hearts when they walk beside us in serving the Lord. "Iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another," Proverbs 27:17.

Surely you know someone who needs a church home. Won't you help bring them to the Lord?!

Invite Folks to Church! Our Friends & Family Day is Next Week!

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

CLINTON CALENDAR

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 22	Youth Fun Night
May 31	Graduate Recognition



FRIENDS & FAMILY DAY IS NEXT SUNDAY!

Next Sunday is the big day! This is a great opportunity to help spread the Gospel to those you love. Remember we will have a covered dish lunch and that **there will be no 6:00 service.** We will have a 2:00pm service instead.

SECURITY CHANGES

To help increase safety and security for all our members during meeting times here at the building, both back doors into the building will be locked 5 minutes after services start. After that time, please enter through the front door.

SILVER SAINTS

Thanks to the Silver Saints for the new flowers on our front porch. They also prepared Garry's latest newsletter.

WORK DAY

Please come out on Saturday, May 2, for a workday here at the building.



CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate **Helen Wagner** on making the cheerleading squad at Norris Middle School!

Congratulations to **Jonathan Bentley** on directing Theta Nu's Makin' Music show at Freed-Hardeman this weekend. Directing is a year-long commitment and takes countless hours of hard work!

Congratulations to **Erin Moore** and Paul Hague on their wedding yesterday! Pray for this couple as they begin their marriage.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

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

VIRGINIA CREEPER

Our next bike ride on the Creeper is April 25! Please sign the list in the foyer if you are going. See Jacob Mowery with any questions.

YOUTH FUN NIGHT

We will celebrate the end of the school year with a Fun Night on Friday, May 22. We will watch movies, play games, and (of course) EAT here at the building. For those brave enough to stay, we will also have a lock-in.

DIRECTORY UPDATE

Jean Perkins new phone number is 269-4128.

PRAYER REQUESTS



Cindy Jones is doing well after surgery.
Gail Foust is undergoing cancer treatments.
Sue Hale has been moved to NHC Oak Ridge for physical therapy.
Fred Davis had heart bypass surgery last week. He plans to be home this weekend.
Peggy Hackworth, Riley and Anna Kate's grandmother, was in an auto accident and broke her neck. She is at Patricia Neal Rehabilitation.
Megan, Hubert Sharp's brother's step-daughter, is recovering from open heart surgery.
Cordia Reagan, Ron Reagan's mother, is doing well and is thankful for the prayers.
Brian Leavitt will be leaving April 30 for a four-week mission trip to Montenegro.

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, Cindy Jones, 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, Jimmy Redden, Kenneth Schultz, Nathan Shaw, Sarah Shaw, Helen Shepherd, Sharon Shoopman, Ken Smith, 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.

****PRAYER LIST NEED:** If you could, please provide the mailing addresses of those already on our Prayer List and for any future Prayer List requests. Please give this info to Gail Sharp.

CRAFT NEED

Lesley Mowery is collecting the tops from milk jugs for a Bible craft project.

LADIES DAY

Our theme for our Ladies Day this fall will be "Wild About Living." A list of needed decorations will be available soon. Keep an eye out for these items. Our speaker for the day will be Susan Fox.

AREA EVENTS

- Area-Wide Leadership Prayer Breakfast** at Hardin Valley church of Christ: April 18
- 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
- Annual East Tennessee Men's Retreat** in Sevierville: May 2