

## Clinton church of Christ

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### Evangelist:

Richard Bentley	264-0560
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### WORSHIP TIMES

<b>Sunday:</b> 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	--
Worship	95
Contribution	1525

### Sunday PM

Worship	--
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### Wednesday

Bible Study	38
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## God's Plan of Salvation

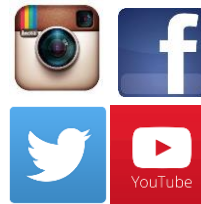
1. Hearing the word of God (*Romans 10:17; Acts 16:32*)
2. Believing what is taught (*Mark 16:16; Hebrews 11:6*)
3. Repentance (*Acts 2:38; Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30*)
4. Confession (*Romans 10:9, 10; Acts 8:37*)
5. Baptism (*Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16; 1 Peter 3:21; Romans 6:3, 4*)
6. After the above five steps,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



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## Serving the Congregation November 22, 2015

	<u>AM</u>	<u>PM</u>
<b>Song Leaders:</b>	Rick Caudle	Joey Smith
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	Jim Ashworth	Dale Mowery
<b>Lord's Table:</b>	Stump Smith, Eric Mowery, Mike Olsen, Daniel McInturff	
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Glen Morgan	Tim Nygard
<b>PM Table:</b>	Jacob Mowery	
<b>Announcements:</b>	Herman Herren	
<b>Usher:</b>		

### Wednesday evening: November 25, 2015

<b>Song Leader:</b>	Thanks-Singing Service
<b>Invitation:</b>	Richard Bentley
<b>Announcements:</b>	Mike Smith

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# Clinton Chronicle \*\*\*

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A friendly church with a saving message

## STRENGTH AND COURAGE

It takes strength to be firm.  
It takes courage to be gentle.

It takes strength to stand guard.  
It takes courage to let down your guard.

It takes strength to conquer  
It takes courage to surrender.

It takes strength to be certain.  
It takes courage to have doubt.

It takes strength to fit in.  
It takes courage to stand out.

It takes strength to feel a friend's pain.  
It takes courage to feel your own pain.

It takes strength to hide feelings.  
It takes courage to show them.

It takes strength to endure abuse.  
It takes courage to stop it.

It takes strength to stand alone.  
It takes courage to lean on another.

It takes strength to love.  
It takes courage to be loved.

It takes strength to survive.  
It takes courage to live.  
--author unknown

"....As I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you. Be strong and of good courage...." (Joshua 1:5b-6a).

Many readers are going through difficult times. Some are suffering because of family relationships, others may be suffering because of addictions, others because of financial trouble, still others because of disease and physical pain. Most of us struggle with the normal stresses that go with living in this world. But may we each find our strength and courage in the Lord!

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

## CLINTON CALENDAR

Nov 25	Thanks-Singing Service
Nov 29	Leftover Fellowship
Dec 5	Ladies Holiday Lunch
Dec 12	Youth Christmas Party
Dec 23	Song & Prayer Service
Dec 31	Game Night



### THANKS-SINGING SERVICE

This Wednesday night will be a song, prayer, and Scripture-reading service focusing on giving thanks to God. Please come and bring your out-of-town guests who will be here for the Thanksgiving holiday.

### DIRECTORY UPDATES

Please check your information at the rear of the auditorium for our next directory. We hope to print them soon!

### LADIES HOLIDAY LUNCH

Our Ladies holiday gathering will be Saturday, Dec. 5 at 11:00am at the home of Gail Sharp in Andersonville. Please sign up in the foyer if you plan to attend.



### BIBLE BOWL

Knoxville Area Kids 4 Christ Bible Bowl is April 16, 2016. The topic is Genesis and is for kids in Grades 2 – 5. If your child would be interested in participating, please see Joey Smith.

### YOUTH CHRISTMAS GATHERING

Our youth and families will gather here at the building on Saturday, Dec. 12 for the annual Christmas gathering. We will enjoy some food and games, put together our cookie baskets for our widows, and have a gift exchange. Every kid is asked to bring: 1. One batch of cookies and 2. A gift that you made yourself, re-gifted, or found around the house – you can't spend ANY money on it! Feel free to invite a friend to come with you.



### CHALLENGE YOUTH CONFERENCE

It is time to start making plans for our trip to CYC 2016 the weekend of Feb. 26-28. We will need to register by December, so please let Joey Smith know now if you plan to go. The cost to attend will be around \$55.

*\*Please share your child's accomplishments in the bulletin!  
Email them to [churchofchristclinton@gmail.com](mailto:churchofchristclinton@gmail.com).*

## PRAYER REQUESTS



**Cheryl Taylor**, Amanda Brown's mother, had an MRI last week showing the spot on her brain discovered last year has grown.  
**Leah Seiber**, a relative of Rachel Broadway, has had her cancer return.  
**Kayla Mefford** and **Jimmy Redden** continue to need our prayers.  
**Thomas Wales**, a relative of Rachel Broadway, is in need of our prayers.  
**Stanley Hash**, Bunny Nash's brother, is undergoing cancer treatment in Texas.  
**Karen Hamby** will have cataract surgery on her other eye.  
**Drew Battistelli** had a lengthy surgery last week. He will be in the hospital at Fort Sanders Regional for several days.  
**Kayla Mowery**, Ian Mowery's wife, has a hematoma on her kidney.

*Continue to remember:* Chloe Bass, Mason Battistelli, Theresa Bean, Donna Benjamin, Ella Mae Burchfield, Kim Burt, Steve Burt, Tammy Burt, Charles Butler, Lee Carden, Lisa Carr, Melissa Caylor, Lakhilata Chakma, Greg Cline, Don Cox, John Crawhorn, Mary Jo Dailey, Fred Davis, Fran Denton, Ruby Durst, Jean Dye, Joyce Evans, Nasha Foster, Gail Foust, Helen Gilbreath, Mary Gilley, Riley Hackworth, Sue Hale, Amanda Harness' mother, Howard Herren, Beulah Jackson, Garry Jones, Lee LaMay, Linda Laughter, Connor Livingston, Dawn Love, Sharon Martin, Norma Jean McGhee, Betty McInturff, Kayla Mefford, Sarah Mefford, Carolyn Mitchell, Ronda Moss, Ann Nygard, Joel Peters, Anna Phillips, Bobbie Sue Phillips, Cordia Reagan, Ron & Susan Reagan, Jimmy Redden, Kenneth Schultz, Carolyn Scruggs, Adam & Becca Seiber, Helen Shepherd, Ken Smith, Misty Smith, Flossie Spradling, Rosemary Summers, Alex Thomas, Denzil Thompson, Elmira Trentham, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron, Franklin Wharton, & Steve Yearwood in your prayers.

Updates to the Prayer List can be sent to [churchofchristclinton@gmail.com](mailto:churchofchristclinton@gmail.com) or given to Joey Smith.

### FRUIT & CHEESECAKE ORDERS

If you ordered items to support the Clinton High School Band, Karen Hamby reports that the cheesecakes will be here tomorrow (Monday) and will be available in the kitchen. The fruit will be here the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of December. If you have not already paid for your order, Karen needs to collect that as soon as possible.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations are in order for **Jacob Mowery**, who has been named a member of the Arnold Air Society. Jacob just completed a strenuous 13 week program in order to obtain this honor. We are proud of you, Jacob!

### WELCOME HOME

**Jonathan Bentley** is now home from a semester abroad in Europe. He likely has many stories of his experience to share with you! Jonathan will enter Harding University in January.

**Rebecca Nash** has come back "across the pond" and is now living and working in Boston, Massachusetts. We are glad to have her closer to home!