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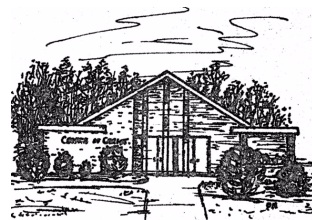
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FOR THE RECORD

Sunday AM	
Bible Study	60
Worship	93
Contribution	\$2758
Sunday PM	
Worship	46
Wednesday	
Bible Study	58



*A friendly church with
a saving message*

WORSHIP TIMES

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

Wednesday
Bible Class 7:00 PM

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



Serving the Congregation May 19, 2019

	AM	PM
Song Leaders:	Joey Smith	Tim Melton
Opening Prayer:	W.T. Crider	Darryl Glenn
Lord's Table:	Bradley Crider, Daniel McInturff, Steven Wagner, Eric Mowery	
Closing Prayer:	Earl Broadway	Glen Morgan
PM Table:	Daniel McInturff	
Announcements:	Dale Mowery	
Usher:	Hubert Sharp	

Wednesday evening: May 22, 2019

Song Leader: Bruce Holt
Invitation: Richard Bentley
Announcements: Herman Herren

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“We Don't Study the Bible”

By Bill Brandstatter

In a Bible study a few years ago, a lady made a startling revelation to me. She mentioned the name of the group she was associated with; then she said, “We don't study the Bible.” She then admitted they needed to study it more. When another lady in the class asked her if she had a Bible, again it was affirmed that she didn't study the Bible. The first lady did stay for our class and did study with us. She was right in saying her group needed to study the Bible more.

The Bible is God speaking to us. Paul indicated, “All scripture is given by the inspiration of God.” (2 Tim. 3:16) Peter acknowledged that “Holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.” (2 Pet. 1:21) God speaks from His Word. God speaks to us by His Son. (Heb. 1:2) Are you listening?

The Bible is a lamp and a light. (Ps. 119:105) The Bible can help us to better understand life and its difficulties. It can also provide us with all that we need to face temptation and all that this world throws at us. Paul advises that we “put on the whole armor of God.” (Eph. 6:11) Without the Bible in our lives, Satan cannot be resisted effectively.

The Bible is man's source for the future. I don't know what the future holds, but I know I have a future and I know it is in God's hands. After death, every person has a future. The Bible says, “It is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment.” (Heb. 9:27 NKJV) That future involves eternity. Jesus said the future is either everlasting punishment or eternal life. (Matt. 25:46) Where I spend eternity depends on what I do now. The words of Jesus and our obedience to them will be the determining factor in judgment. (Jno.12:48; Heb. 5:8, 9)

The Bible is our source for the right equipment in life. Paul wrote that through the Scriptures, “the man of God may be “complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.” (2 Tim. 3:17 NKJV) Man cannot provide the equipment that the Bible does. How equipped are we to handle tragedy in our lives? Remember, Paul stated, “Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.” (Rom. 10:17). Without the Bible I would not have the faith I need to get through this life or get to eternity.

Do you need to study the Bible more? Think about what the lady said at a recent Bible study. God will bless us and heaven can be our home if we “receive with meekness the implanted word which is able to save your souls.” (James 1:21)

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

CLINTON CALENDAR

May 26 Song Service/Fingerfoods
May 26 Graduate Recognition
June 16 TCC begins
July 12 Ladies Get-Together
July 21-25 VBS

SYMPATHY

We are saddened at the passing of our dear brother, **Bob Hamby**, & extend our heartfelt sympathy to Karen and the family. Bob's funeral services were Thursday evening and burial was Friday morning.

Our sympathy goes out to Doug and Marlene Broadway in the loss of Marlene's mother, **Barbara Boshears**.

We extend our sympathy to Britannie Scarbrough, former Clinton member, in the passing of her mother, **Jane Barton**.

Our sympathy goes out to the McCain family, former Clinton members, in the passing of **John McCain**.

NEW MEMBERS

We are thrilled that Clint, Brenda, and Cole Patterson have decided to place their membership with us here at Clinton! Please add their information to your directories. Welcome home, Patterson family!!!

PATTERSON	Anniversary: Apr 23
Clint	Birthday: Oct 25
Brenda	Birthday: Jan 18
Cole	Birthday: Oct 26

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THE ELDERS CORNER

From time to time, we have the opportunity to attend Gospel meetings, lectureships, rallies, etc. in nearby places. I encourage all of us to take advantage of these opportunities to be "fed spiritually."

-Dwight

YOUTH & GRADUATE INFO

We would like to highlight the accomplishments of ALL of our youth and graduates in the coming month. Please give a write-up of your student or graduate to Joey Smith by mid-May. This is for all ages!

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

We will celebrate our graduates on Sunday evening, May 26th, during our fellowship meal with cake and ice cream.

PRAYER LIST INFO

We would like to be able to send cards of encouragement to those on our prayer list, but need help in collecting those addresses. If you have mailing addresses for anyone on our prayer list, please give them to Gail Sharp or send an email to the church email address at churchofchristclinton@gmail.com.

AREA EVENTS

SOUTHEAST LEADERSHIP CAMP

Karns Church of Christ: June 2-9

VBS

Arlington Church of Christ: June 16-19

VBS

Highland View Church of Christ: June 22

For more details on these and other events, please see the bulletin board in the foyer.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Tim Nygard is in need of our prayers for good health as he undergoes cancer treatment.
Annette Smith will have a procedure on Tuesday.
Susan Reagan is recovering from surgery and is experiencing difficulties.
Bruce Holt's mother is nearing the end of her time on earth as she has battled Alzheimers. Please remember Bruce and his family in your prayers.
Thelma Merrill is now home after a stay in the hospital.
Sharon Lowe, Ashley McInturff's grandmother, had thyroid surgery. She is recovering and waiting for further treatment for lung cancer.
Tim Melton has severed his Achilles tendon and is awaiting surgery.
Matt Scudder, who has been on our prayer list, is being treated again for leukemia.
Don and Sheri Blackwell were recently injured in a 4 wheeler accident. Don is the CEO of Gospel Broadcasting Network. He suffered a spinal cord injury and will likely be unable to walk.
Franklin Wharton, father of a coworker of Ben Smith, has just been diagnosed with cancer. He is 86 years old and they are unsure of the best treatment options at this time.
Jacob Short is currently serving in Iraq. His family has asked us to keep him in prayer.

Please continue to remember **Georgia Herren, Bunny Nash, and Brenda Jennings** in your prayers.

Continue to remember: Stephanie Baird, Elbert Boyd, Lisa Carr, Audrey Lynn Egerton, Dakota Fuller, Kim Fulton, Eddie Godsey, Lynn Hawkins, Betty Holt, Sheree Hoskins, Edward Hernandez, Georgia Herren, Brenda Jennings, Polly Keck, Connor Livingston, Charles McGhee, Norma Jean McGhee, Craig McWilliams, Cheryl Morrow, Bridget Moses, Elaine Stevenson, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron, Jack Zorn

Cancer Treatment: Curtis Barnes, Linda Bell, Christie Cinnamon, Sawyer Cole, Travis Creasey, Jerry Cross, Paul Curless, Pam Davis, Beth Farrow, Gail Foust, Scott James, Mike Koehler, Lois Layne, Sharon Lowe, Belle McCoy, Greg McGuinness, Sandra McKamey, Tim Nygard, Brittany Oberbeck, Janice Plagge, Rhonda Perkins, David Pippen, Matt Scudder, Braden Stewart, Joshua Stokes, Vernie Vignolo, Doris Walker, Gail Wilkinson, Hannah Woosley

Shut-In: *At home* – Ken Smith, Elmira Trentham; *The Waters of Clinton* - Rachel Anderson, Dicey Humphrey

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

"I MUST DO SOMETHING"

***** **will always accomplish more than** *****

"SOMETHING MUST BE DONE."