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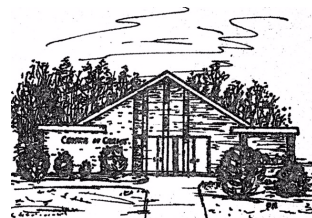
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FOR THE RECORD

Sunday AM	
Bible Study	70
Worship	100
Contribution	\$2873
Sunday PM	
Worship	40
Wednesday	
Bible Study	53



*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

Please follow us on



Serving the Congregation Oct 6, 2019

	AM	PM
Song Leaders:	Hobert Humphrey	Ben Smith
Opening Prayer:	Herb Byrd	Dale Mowery
Lord's Table:	Bradley Crider, Dale Mowery, Eric Mowery, Greg Jernigan	
Closing Prayer:	Daniel McInturff	Tim Nygard
PM Table:	Clint Patterson	
Announcements:	Stump Smith	
Usher:	Jim Ashworth	

Wednesday evening: Oct 9, 2019

Song Leader: Clint Patterson
Invitation: Herb Byrd
Announcements: Dale Mowery

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Look Into the Mirror

By Johnny Hester

James 1:23-25, "For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man observing his natural face in a mirror; for he observes himself, goes away, and immediately forgets what kind of man he was. But he who looks into the perfect law of liberty and continues in it, and is not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the work, this one will be blessed in what he does."

Grandpa and his precious, tiny granddaughter were sitting together talking when she asked, "Did God make you, Grandpa?" "Yes, God made me," the grandfather answered. After a significant pause, the little girl asked him, "Did God make me too?" "Yes, He did," the old man responded. For a few minutes the little girl seemed to be studying her grandpa, as well as her own reflection in a nearby mirror. The grandfather wondered what thoughts were running through her innocent, inquisitive mind. At last she broke the silence: "You know what, Grandpa," she said in child-like candor, "God's been doing a lot better job lately."

I love that story. But it hurts a little. A well-made mirror does not lie. We may not like mirrors, but we need them to determine whether we are presentable.

To determine whether we are acceptable to God, we need to look continually into the mirror of His Word. As we see our reflection in view of what He requires of us, we can make adjustments by bringing our lives into compliance with His will. Thus, according to James' inspired words, one will "be blessed in what he does."

Our Bible classes provide a great opportunity for us to look into God's Word and take stock of where we are in our spiritual lives. If you already attend and actively participate in the studies, you already know the blessings produced in your own lives. Keep it up. If you do not regularly attend any of our Bible class offerings, please give them a try. I think you will discover blessings in your life resulting from consistently looking into the mirror of God's Word.

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

CLINTON CALENDAR

Oct 20	Mowery Baby Shower
Oct 26	Fall Harvest Party
Oct 27	Song Service/Fingerfoods
Nov 3	Area-Wide Youth @ Clinton
Nov 9	Sister Friends
Nov 27	Thanksgiving Song Service

BAPTISTERY

Our new baptistery is now completely installed, filled with water, and ready to use! We are thrilled to have it and wish to thank Eric Mowery, once again, for all of his hard work to complete this project.

BABY SHOWER

We will host a baby shower to welcome baby Emersyn Mowery on Sunday evening, October 20. Jacob & Katie are registered at Target. Please see Susan Smith with any questions.

FALL HARVEST PARTY

The entire congregation is invited to a gathering at the "combined" Smith homes on Saturday, Oct. 26 starting at 5:00pm. We will enjoy fall games, fellowship - costumes are welcome! More details to come!

PLAYGROUND

Our new playground for our children is almost complete! There is still one more piece of equipment to install. We want to thank Mrs. Georgia Herren once again for her loving and generous gift to our kids!

SISTER FRIENDS

Our next ladies gathering will be on Nov. 9. More details to come. See Ouita Northcutt with any questions.

THE ELDERS CORNER

Commitment: Dedication is the foundation of commitment. Romans 12:1-2 Paul explains this dedication process. He emphasizes three things: *First* - It is our body that is to be dedicated as a living sacrifice to God.

Second - We are to avoid being conformed to this world, but strive to be transformed by God's word.

Third - By doing this we can discover God's perfect will for our lives.

—Herman

BRUSH CLEARING

If you enjoy yard work and would be interested in helping with clearing some brush from the church property, please see Joey Smith for more information.

AREA EVENTS

GOSPEL MEETING

Elgin Church of Christ: Oct 6-9

GOSPEL MEETING

East Main Church of Christ: Oct 13-16

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LaFollette Church of Christ: Oct 20-22

AREA-WIDE YOUTH DEVOTIONAL

Clinton Church of Christ: Nov 3

EAST TENNESSEE SINGING

The Venue at Lenoir City: Nov 9

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

PRAYER REQUESTS

Bobbie Sue Phillips is recovering from knee surgery.

Laura Bentley will have knee surgery on Oct. 22.

Lisa Mowery Curless will be having a hysterectomy in October.

Donnie Mitchell continues to recover at home from a fall.

Nancy Mitchell is recovering from a fall as well. Nancy suffered a broken ankle.

Jack Zorn, Resa Byrd's father, is some better but is still in the hospital.

Jack Price has been diagnosed with leukemia. He is the 5 month old great-nephew of Cathy Glenn.

Susan Olsen, Micheal Olsen's wife, is in need of prayers for her some of her family members.

Katie, a friend of April Holt, is in the hospital with extensive injuries: punctured lungs, fractured ribs, fractured vertebra, lacerated liver, lacerated kidney, lacerated spleen, and shattered pelvis.

Kayce Crews, a friend of the Caudles, is in need of our prayers. Jason met Kayce when he worked at Walmart. She is a young, disabled adult who has just been diagnosed with ALS. Her parents are both deceased. She resides at Manorhouse Assisted Living in Knoxville.

Wanda Crider's mother is suffering the effects of Alzheimer's disease. She lives in Maine. Wanda and her brother are in need of our prayers as they make decisions for their mother.

Continue to remember: Stephanie Baird, Don Blackwell, Elbert Boyd, Carol Burt, Lisa Carr, Taylor Castillejo, Audrey Lynn Egerton, Dakota Fuller, Eddie Godsey, Steve Griffith, Lynn Hawkins, Sheree Hoskins, Edward Hernandez, Georgia Herren, Brenda Jennings, Polly Keck, Tangelia Kesterson, Connor Livingston, Charles McGhee, Norma Jean McGhee, Craig McWilliams, Tim Melton, Cheryl Morrow, Bridget Moses, Jacob Short, Elaine Stevenson, H.R. Stooksbury, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron, Jack Zorn

Cancer Treatment: Curtis Barnes, Linda Bell, Sawyer Cole, Travis Creasey, Jerry Cross, Pam Davis, Alison Daube, Beth Farrow, Gail Foust, Rena Gayne, Bud Isbell, Scott James, Mike Koehler, Lois Layne, Sharon Lowe, Belle McCoy, Greg McGuinness, Sandra McKamey, Jonas Moore, Brittany Oberbeck, Janice Plagge, Rhonda Perkins, David Pippen, Matt Scudder, Vernie Vignolo, Doris Walker, Gail Wilkinson

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

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

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Jeremy Traub and family in the passing of his grandfather, **Richard Martin Traub** on Friday.

Please silence your cell phones during Bible study and worship