

# Clinton Church of Christ

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## FOR THE RECORD

### Sunday AM

Bible Study	—
Worship	86
Contribution	\$3441

### Sunday PM

Worship	—
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### Wednesday

Bible Study	38
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*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
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## 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 – Ireland**

Please follow us on



## Serving the Congregation Nov 5, 2017

	AM	PM
<b>Song Leaders:</b>	Ben Smith	Dale Mowery
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	Dale Mowery	James McCrary
<b>Lord's Table:</b>	Herman Herren, Greg Jernigan, Eric Mowery, John Bushey	
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Daniel McInturff	Jacob Mowery
<b>PM Table:</b>	Ben Smith	
<b>Announcements:</b>	Dwight Nicholson	
<b>Usher:</b>	Jim Ashworth	

**Wednesday evening: Nov 8, 2017**

<b>Song Leader:</b>	Ben Smith
<b>Invitation:</b>	Jim Ashworth
<b>Announcements:</b>	Herman Herren

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# Clinton Chronicle

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## Every Member a Soul Winner

Wendell Winkler

The early church, the model church, was composed of members who, though driven from their homes, their cities, and their kin, "went everywhere preaching the word" (Acts 8:1-4). Yet here we sit - who can deny it - in our smugness, contentment, indifference, luke-warmness, complacency, and in our "come-and-get-it" attitude.

Though in the eyes of the world the wise man is the skilled diplomat, prudent philosopher, and the astute economist, in the eyes of the Lord, "He that winneth souls is wise" (Proverbs 11:30). "And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and forever" (Daniel 12:3).

We need to sing fervently and pray sincerely, "Lead me to some soul today. O teach me Lord just what to say. Friends of mine are lost in sin and cannot find the way. Few there are who seem to care; and few there are who pray. Melt my heart and fill my life. Lead me to some soul today."

But you may ask, "How can I win souls?"

1. Set up a Home Bible study and teach it yourself.
2. Set up a Home Bible study and, if you feel incapable, invite a qualified teacher to your home to do the instructing.
3. With an open Bible, teach another the way of the Lord more perfectly.
4. Bring your lost friends and kinsmen to the services.
5. Distribute tracts.

Our field is white (John 4:35). Our prospects are multiplied. Our opportunities are unlimited. Our potential is limitless. We must arise!

Someone has written, A church that does not extend to meet opportunities and possibilities is on its way to the cemetery. The members who do nothing are its pallbearers. All who are busy with their own affairs and have no time for the church carry the wreath. The indifferent brother is driving the hearse. Those always holding the church back are throwing flowers on the grave. The brother who is always saying "It can't be done" is preaching the funeral, and the grumblers are singing the hymns, Thus, the church dies from all cares"

Let it be written indelibly upon our hearts, "Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away" (John 15:2). We cannot afford to stand at the Judgment with our hands dripping with the blood of the lost whom we may have reached (Ezekiel 33:7-9).

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

## CLINTON CALENDAR

Nov 18	Youth Service Project Day
Nov 22	Thanks-Singing
Nov 26	Singing/No Fingerfoods
Dec 8	Youth Progressive Dinner
Dec 31	Game Night

### ITEMS FOR INDIA

Garry Jones needs to collect the following items for the mission work in India: packets of garden seeds (many stores may have them on clearance now), first aid items (surgical tape, large bandaids, bandages, 2x2 and 4x4 gauze, suturing kits, suture removal kits, medical gloves, etc. Garry will be home in November and will take items back in late December.

### SECURING BUILDING

We need everyone's help in ensuring the security of our building. If you are the last person to leave (or think you might be!), please make sure that both sets of front doors in the lobby are locked and both back doors are locked. Thanks for your help!

### CARD CENTER

Don't forget about our Card Center available in the Resource Room. There are encouragement cards of all kinds, envelopes, and stamps for your use in reaching out to others.

### DISASTER RELIEF EFFORT

The Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort is working diligently to send aid to those affected by the recent hurricanes, floods, and fires. Donations can be made online at [www.disasterrelieffort.org](http://www.disasterrelieffort.org) or by mailing a donation to: Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort, Inc., PO Box 111180, Nashville, TN 37222-1180

### NEW CARPET INSTALLATION

Our new carpet is almost complete! Two more classrooms will have their carpet replaced this week. At this time, the pews have not been bolted back down, so PLEASE be mindful of that. The pews should not easily tip over but they may feel a bit unsteady if you sit down with too much enthusiasm!

### CYC 2018

Believe it or not, it's time to start planning for Challenge Youth Conference, Feb. 23-25, 2018 in Pigeon Forge. We open this trip up to youth of any age and their families. We will need to register by Dec. 31, so please see Joey Smith now with any questions.

### PRAYER LIST UPDATES

Please help us keep our Prayer List up-to-date. If you have news on anyone's current condition, or if they've recovered and perhaps need to be removed from the list, please let one of the elders or Joey Smith know.

## AREA EVENTS

### LADIES DAY

Rockwood Church of Christ: Nov 11 with speaker Amelia Guenther

### LADIES DAY

Sevierville Church of Christ: Nov 11 with speaker Donna Faughn

### GOSPEL MEETING

Sevierville Church of Christ: Nov 12-15 with speaker Jim Faughn

*\*Please see the bulletin board and table in the foyer for more info on these area happenings.\**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Bob Hamby** is undergoing long-term treatment for cancer.

**Terance Willis**, cousin of Denise Henderson, is discouraged and needs our prayers for strength and courage to press on.

**Bill Coker**, a friend of Dale Mowery, has a rare form of cancer in the nerves of his face. He is undergoing both chemo and radiation.

**Lillie Mefford** is recovering from a broken elbow.

**Tabitha Weaver**, Betty Weaver's granddaughter, is having multiple medical issues.

**Tracy Hart**, Betty Weaver's daughter, is having internal bleeding but does not yet know the cause.

**Elbert Hash**, Bunny Nash's brother, is now under hospice care. He has been doing better and is in good spirits.

**Gail Sharp** had her 4th chemo treatment last week. She will have two more treatments.

**Georgia Herren** has been gaining strength, getting better, and has been able to walk good distances.

**Brenda Jennings** continues to need our prayers as she is struggling with health problems.

**Lynn Hawkins**, a friend of the Busheys, is on dialysis and only has 10% use of his kidneys.

**Thelma Merrill** continues to need our prayers.

**Audrey Egerton**, newborn great-niece of Gail Sharp, continues to need our prayers. She had a stroke when only a few weeks old and is having developmental delays.

**Bejin** from the Mustard Seed Village, has been diagnosed with tuberculosis.

**Jean Dye** has been moved from The Waters of Clinton to Beverly Park Place, 5321 Beverly Park Circle, Knoxville, TN 37918.

**Continue to remember:** Jack Almroth, Rimikay Bachelor, Ben Barbee, Donna Benjamin, Bejin, Beverly Burt, Kim Burt, Steve Burt, Lee Carden, Lisa Carr, Lakhilata Chakma, Audrey Lynn Egerton, Melissa Everetts, Nasha Foster, Bernice Hammock, Dicey Humphrey, Beulah Jackson, Polly Keck, Lee LaMay, Connor Livingston, Mary Majors, Sharon Martin, Norma Jean McGhee, Carolina Grace McClemore, Betty McInturff, Carolyn Mitchell, Becky Monday, Jean Perkins, Joel Peters, Anna Phillips, Carolyn Scruggs, Misty Smith, Flossie Spradling, Joyce Stearsman, Elaine Stevenson, Denzil Thompson, Darlene Thurman, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron, Thomas Wales, Steve Yearwood, Agge Yobin

**Cancer Treatment:** Rachel Austin, Bill Coker, Josh Deaton, Joe DeLucia, Gail Foust, Bob Hamby, Elbert Hash, Betty Holt, Gabe Martin, Belle McCoy, Rhonda Perkins, Gail Sharp, Joshua Stokes, Tiffany Vann, Jean Weaver, Gail Wilkinson

**Shut-In:** *At home* – Mary Gilley, Ken Smith, Elmira Trentham; *Morning Pointe* – Jo Rutherford; *The Waters of Clinton* – Jimmy Redden; *Cumberland Village LaFollette* – Ella Mae Burchfield; *Summit View* – Ann Nygard; *Beverly Park Place Knoxville* - Jean Dye

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

### THANKS-SINGING

The month of November is here, and the Thanksgiving holiday will be here before you know it. Don't forget that we will have a special service of prayer and singing on Nov. 22.