

# Clinton Church of Christ

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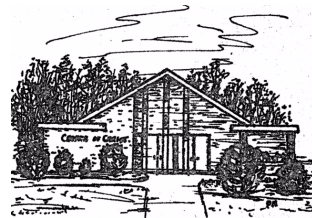
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## Preacher:

Richard Bentley	264-0560
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## Associate:

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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

## 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: Rainbow Village  
for Girls, Jacob's Village for Boys

**Scott Shanahan – Italy**

**Andrew Young - SEIBS**

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## Serving the Congregation Nov 7, 2021

	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>
<b>Song Leaders:</b>	Ben Smith	Rick Caudle
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	Chuck Kilpatrick	Chris Cox
<b>Lord's Table:</b>	Bradley Crider	Tim Nygard
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<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Daniel McInturff	Tim Melton
<b>Announcements:</b>	Herb Byrd	
<b>Usher:</b>	Hubert Sharp	

**Wednesday evening: Nov 10, 2021**

**Song Leader:** Kevin Lancaster  
**Invitation:** Richard Bentley  
**Announcements:** Herb Byrd

## FOR THE RECORD

### Sunday AM

Bible Study	—
Worship	69
Contribution	\$5510

### Sunday PM

Worship	31
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### Wednesday

Bible Study	37
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## Ten Little Christians

By Larry Pasley

Ten Little Christians standing in line  
One disliked the preacher, then there were nine  
Nine little Christians stayed up very late  
One overslept, then there were eight  
Eight little Christians on their way to Heaven  
One took the low road and then there were seven  
Seven little Christians chirping like chicks  
One disliked the music, then there were six  
Six little Christians seemed very much alive  
but one lost his interest then there was five  
Five little Christians pulling for Heaven's Shore  
but one stopped to rest, then there were four  
Four little Christians each busy as a bee  
One got his feelings hurt, then there were three  
Three little Christians knew not what to do  
One joined the sporty crowd, then there were two  
Two little Christians, our rhyme is nearly done  
They differed with each other, then there was one  
One little Christian can't do much 'tis true  
brought his friend to bible study - then there were two  
Two earnest Christians, each won one more  
That doubled the number, then there were four  
Four sincere Christians worked early and late  
Each won another then there were eight  
Eight splendid Christians if they doubled as before  
In only just ten years, we'd have 1,024  
In this little jingle, there is a lesson true,  
You belong either to the building or to the wrecking crew!

Church decline and growth is determined by many factors. Some of those are referred to in the poem above. The question for each of us is seen in the last line. Are we part of the building crew or the wrecking crew?

If everyone in this congregation was just like you, would the church be growing or declining? May we be sure we are helping to build up the church not tear it down.

## CLINTON CALENDAR

Nov 24      Thanks-Singing  
Nov 28      Song Service/Fellowship  
Dec 1        Silver Saints

### THE ELDERS CORNER

Lesley and I were in close contact with some who developed the coronavirus. Because of this we decided to isolate ourselves. We did this because all the information out there is confusing and does not seem consistent. This was not an easy decision on our part. However to keep ourselves from maybe passing on this virus to any of you, we quarantined ourselves. Our 10 days away from you was not easy. We missed you all greatly. Separation from the brethren is difficult to say the least. Christians are meant to be together. The fellowship we have as Christians is of the utmost importance. The early church did much together. Look at Acts 2:42.

One of the primary purposes of the Lord's Day assembly is for the edification of the church. Concerning this assembly Paul wrote, "Let all things be done unto edifying" (1 Cor. 14:26) Thus our worship has a two-fold purpose; to glorify God and to edify one another. Because of the importance of this edification, the Bible exhorts us not to "forsake the assembling of ourselves together," (Hebrews 10:25) Our love for each other is expressed by our being together. Lesley and I missed being with you last Sunday morning and evening, we missed the Silver Saints meeting and the Wednesday night Bible study. We may not get to talk with everyone but just seeing you at worship is encouraging and builds us up. Lord willing we will be back with you this Sunday. More scriptures to study. Heb. 13:1; 1 Thess. 5:11; Acts 20:7

-Dale

### CHURCH DIRECTORIES

If you would like an updated church directory, we have the ability to email it to you in PDF format or print off a paper copy for you. Please see Joey Smith if you need either.

### CLINTON CHURCH LIVE STREAM

We continue to stream our Sunday morning services online via Facebook Live for those unable to join us here at the building. You do NOT have to have a Facebook account to view.

### THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Make your plans now to be here on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving for a special song, prayer, and Scripture service of thanks. We would love to have all your visiting family join us too!

### LEFTOVER FELLOWSHIP

Our regular monthly fellowship meal on the last Sunday night of the month will be our "leftover fellowship" following the Thanksgiving holiday. We'll see who can be the most creative with their leftovers!

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## AREA EVENTS

### LADIES DAY

Rockwood Church of Christ: Nov 13

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*Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away.*

**Matthew 24:35**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Karen Yarber** has been diagnosed with kidney cancer. She will need surgery.
- **Susan Reagan** has surgery scheduled.
- **Doris Nicholson** has been diagnosed with degenerative disc disease. She will be traveling back to Florida for treatment.
- **Dwight Nicholson** had shots in his eye last week. He is doing well.
- **Jeff Harwell** is recovering from surgery to remove a large kidney stone.
- **Bill, Bryan, and Tangelia Kesterson** have all been diagnosed with COVID. Bill and Tangelia are still very weak.
- **Julia, Jacob, and Mac Mowery** have all been diagnosed with COVID.
- **Mary Egerton**, Gail Sharp's mother, has had a difficult week.
- **Robin Sharp**, wife of Hubert Sharp's cousin, is in the hospital in Florida with COVID. She is on a ventilator.
- **Carla Herren** has been diagnosed with COVID.
- **Thelma Shepherd** is recovering from multiple surgeries.
- **Cliff McWhorter**, a neighbor of Stump and Annette Smith, broke his hip.
- **Linda Foy**, Anthony Foy's grandmother, is in Methodist Medical Center with Stage 4 lung cancer.
- **Wade Colwell**, Karen Yarber's father, is in stage 3 kidney failure and heart failure.
- **Watson Yarber**, Jody Yarber's father, is in heart & kidney failure. He is under hospice care.
- **Sherry Bushey** continues chemo treatments.
- **David Byrd**, Herb Byrd's brother, continues to need our prayers. He is leaking spinal fluid.
- **Cornell Coats**, a student at SEIBS, is in ICU battling COVID. He has been improving.
- **Jack Price**, Cathy Glenn's great nephew, had a bone marrow transplant.

**Continue to remember:** Dudley Brewer, Harriette Brown, Zach Bullock, Carol Burt, Elijah Burt, Resa Marie Byrd, Lisa Carr, Mike Chester, Ron Churchwell, Wade Colwell, Madison Gadd, John Gayne, Bonnie Henderson, Gary Henderson, Charles McGhee, Norma Jean McGhee, Nancy Mitchell, Garrett Moore, Katie Moore, Ouita Northcutt, Michael Olsen, Britni Pflieger and family, Linda Roberson, Debbie Simon, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron

**Cancer Treatment:** Bonnie Adkins, Taylor Adkins, Judy Bentley, Dudley Brewer, Sherry Bushey, Bill Campbell, Sawyer Cole, Jerry Cross, Michael Ford, Gail Foust, Steve Higginbotham, Gladys Moore, Glen Morgan, David Pippen, Jack Price, Kevin Shanahan, Wayne Simon, Melea Smith, Vernie Vignolo, Gail Wilkinson, Buddy Wilson

**Shut-In:** Norris Health & Rehab - Polly Keck; The Waters of Clinton - Dicey Humphrey

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

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**Please silence your cell phones during worship and Bible study.**

**Thanks!**