

# Clinton Church of Christ

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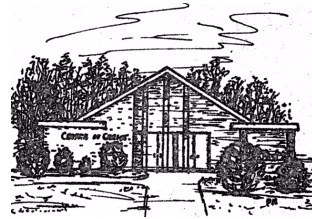
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### Preacher:

Richard Bentley	264-0560
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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**

Please follow us on



### Serving the Congregation May 29, 2022

	AM	PM
<b>Song Leaders:</b>	Ben Smith	Singing
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	WT Crider	Chuck Kilpatrick
<b>Lord's Table:</b>	Herman Herren	Daniel McInturff
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Kevin Lancaster	Dwight Nicholson
<b>Announcements:</b>	Chris Cox	
<b>Usher:</b>	Tim Nygard	

### Wednesday evening: Jun 1, 2022

**Song Leader:** Joey Smith  
**Invitation:** Richard Bentley  
**Announcements:** Stump Smith

## FOR THE RECORD

### Sunday AM

Bible Study	n/c
Worship	96
Contribution	\$4158

### Sunday PM

Worship	42
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### Wednesday

Bible Study	36
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# Clinton Chronicle

## A Life That Matters

By Joe Chesser

This is a weekend for remembering. It's a time to hold special services and a time for going to the cemeteries to decorate graves with flowers and pictures. We do this to remember and honor those who so gallantly defended our country's freedom with their lives. We also remember and honor those who hold a special place in our past – family, friends and other special people. We do this to keep alive in our memories those special people whose lives mattered to us.

What is it that we remember? What is it that makes a person's life live on after they have died? A popular inspirational reading captures some of what I am thinking:

"What will matter most is...

not what you bought, but what you built.

not what you got, but what you gave.

not your success, but your significance.

not that you learned, but that you taught.

not your competence, but your character.

not your memories, but the memories that live on in those who love you.

It's so easy to major in minors, to let the insignificant dominate the important. It's so easy to let making a living become more important than making a life. It's so easy to believe that what you have is more important than who you are. It's so much easier to buy gifts than it is to give yourself.

You don't have to be wealthy or talented or educated to live a life that matters. In fact, these are often the very things that prevent you from living a life that matters. Despite living in "extreme poverty," the Macedonians lived lives that mattered. The rich young ruler didn't (2 Cor. 8:1-5, Matt. 19:16-24). Though he had social status and education, the Pharisee did not choose to live a life that mattered. Yet, the humble tax collector did (Luke 18:9-14).

Living a life that matters is not an accident. It's about making the right choices. Choose people over possessions. Choose giving over getting. Choose others over self. Choose God over anything or anyone else.

This Memorial Day weekend is a good time to remember how others had lived. While you are at it, take time to reflect on your own life. Are you living a life that matters? When others think of you, will they think of God?

## CLINTON CALENDAR

May 29	Song Service/Fingerfoods
May 29	Graduate Recognition
June 7-9	TCC Day Camp
June 17	Sister Friends
June 30	Sister Friends
July 16	VBS

To our members and visitors:

**Welcome to Clinton! We are glad you're here!**

### SONG SERVICE + FINGERFOODS

Come back tonight for our monthly time of singing followed by a fellowship meal. The singing AND the fellowship are so much better when YOU are here!

### GRADUATE & STUDENT RECOGNITION

We will honor our students and graduates during our fellowship meal this evening. Come help us celebrate all of our young people!

### PICTURE BOARD UPDATES

We will continue to take pictures for anyone who has missed the opportunity thus far. Also, a big thanks to Resa Byrd for printing and putting up our new photos. Please see Joey Smith if you still need a picture.

### TEENAGE CHRISTIAN CAMP

Camp time is almost here! Registration is open and can be done online at [www.teenagechristiancamp.org](http://www.teenagechristiancamp.org). New this year is a 3-day Day Camp June 7-9 for those ages 5 to 8 directed by Stump and Joey Smith. There are 6 more full weeks for ages 8 to 18 following that!

### SISTER FRIENDS

All ladies are invited to our next Sister Friends gathering on Friday, June 17 at 7pm at the church building; hosted by Brenda Patterson. More details to follow.

Our next Monthly Restaurant Meet Up will be Thursday, June 30 at 9am at IHOP in Oak Ridge. Please see Susan Smith with any questions.

### CHURCH DIRECTORY APP

We now have our church directory available at your fingertips on the Instant Church Directory App, available from your smartphone's app store. If you do not have a smartphone, you can go to [www.instantchurchdirectory.com](http://www.instantchurchdirectory.com) to access the church directory online.

After downloading the app or going online, you can access the directory by creating a login with the email address that is of record in our directory. You MUST have an email address to use the app, and if your email address isn't currently in our directory, it will need to be added before you can login. Please see Joey Smith with any questions or if you need help.

### CLINTON VBS

Everyone please mark your calendars for our VBS on Saturday, July 16. We will have a one-day style VBS again this summer and will plan to be back to our week-long VBS next summer. More details to follow!

## AREA EVENTS

### SOUTHEAST LEADERSHIP CAMP

Karns Church of Christ: June 5-12

### VBS

West End Church of Christ: June 11

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Pat Humphrey** has been diagnosed with aggressive breast cancer. She will get a chemo port on June 15 and will start chemotherapy soon afterwards. She will have 18 treatments and then undergo surgery. Chemo treatments will continue for one year after surgery.
- **Bunny Nash** continues to be at home under hospice care. She is able to have visitors; please call first.
- **Sherry Bushey** had tests last week and is in need of our prayers.
- **Micheal Olsen** will be traveling to Vanderbilt for surgery soon.
- **David Battistelli** has been diagnosed with COVID.
- **Marlene Broadway** is recovering from hip replacement surgery.
- **Wade Colwell** continues to need our prayers.
- **Joe Patton** will have an ultrasound on June 8 and an upper/lower GI on June 13.
- **James Cooper**, Janella Melton's brother, has taken a turn for the worse.
- **Georgia Herren** is now at home under a nurse's care and is doing well.
- **Sarah Mefford** is recovering slowly from her heart ablation. She is still very weak and tired with low blood pressure and pulse rate.
- **Annette Smith** will have knee replacement surgery on June 13 at UT Medical Center.
- **Dale Mowery** will have knee replacement surgery on June 13 at Parkwest.
- **Don Lynch**, a Clinton resident who has relatives at the Karns congregation, is under hospice care.
- **Dale & Lesley Mowery** will be in Australia and Tasmania for a few more weeks.
- **Garry Jones** has safely arrived in India once again.

**Continue to remember:** Dudley Brewer, Haley Bozeman, Harriette Brown, Zach Bullock, Carol Burt, Elijah Burt, David Byrd, Resa Marie Byrd, Lisa Carr, Ron Churchwell, Susan Clifton, Wade Colwell, WT Crider, Mackenzie Earle, Linda Foy, Madison Gadd, John Gayne, Bonnie Henderson, Gary Henderson, Terry Hicks, Jackson Igou, Holly Jackson, Brenda Jennings, Eddie Jennings, Chuck Kilpatrick, Nicole Lancaster, Tivis Lute, Charles McGhee, Norma Jean McGhee, Nancy Mitchell, Garrett Moore, Katie Moore, Lesley Mowery, Ouita Northcutt, Tim Northcutt, Michael Olsen, Britni Pflieger and family, Linda Roberson, Debbie Simon, E.T. Stamey, Jerry Truitt, Andrew Verble, Harrison Waldron

**Cancer Treatment:** Bonnie Adkins, Taylor Adkins, Judy Bentley, Dudley Brewer, Sawyer Cole, Jerry Cross, Dick Deising, Adam Dunning, Michael Ford, Steve Higginbotham, Jean Huges, Pat Humphrey, Glen Morgan, Larry Phillips, David Phippen, Kevin Shanahan, Wayne Simon, Steve Simpson, Robert Sudderth, Gail Wilkinson, Anne Williams, Buddy Wilson

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

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

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

**Thanks!**