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SERVING THE LORD:

Tim Wessley
Pastor

Debbie Reith
Music Ministry

Deanna Henry
Administrative Assistant

Matt Jones
Board Chair

Meagan Johnson
Board 1st Vice-Chair

Christa Atchison
Board 2nd Vice-Chair

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

By Committee
Property

Stewardship

Andy Engelhart
Worship

Maryann Van Dyke
Lisa Wallace
CWF

David & Dixie McClymond
Evangelism

Annette Meyers
Church In Society

Charlotte Anderson
Jerome Anderson
Membership

Jody Anderson
Meagan Johnson
Christian Education

1 Christine Craig
Memorial



Avery Jones



Mom - Tabitha Jones

THREE BAPTISMS



Liam Johnson



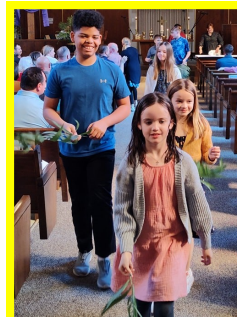
Bryce Jolley



Dad - Matt Johnson



Dad - Chad Jolley



THE KIDS
WAVING
THE PALM
BRANCHES

Concerns and Celebrations

Prayers for these individuals as they fight cancer:

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|---|-----------------|
| TJ Palmer | Keri Smith |
| Jessica Brown | Mike Simmons |
| Dennis Jones | Bruce Engelhart |
| Gary Grenzke | TeRee Davis |
| Jeff Ross | Ashlee Brown |
| Lisa Winkler Winn | Scott Gordon |
| Kenny Dove | Lucille Stewart |
| Sherri Royal's Daughter-in-Law's Brother, Jacob | |
| Andy Engelhart's cousin, Naomi | |

Prayers for **the family of Kyle Kempker** upon his death.

Continued prayers for **Marvin Rhoads**.

Prayers for **Rick Dickey**. Rick had heart surgery on March 28. Prayers for healing and comfort.

Prayers for the **Family of John Krewson**. John lost his battle with cancer. John was a friend of Steve and Penny Altis and graduated high school with Pastor Tim

Prayers for **Avis Compton**. Avis may be facing surgery on the ankle she sprained 5 months ago.

Continued prayers for **Lisa Winkler Winn**. She continues to fight cancer.

Prayers for **Kennedi Watts**.

Prayers for **Helen Haggard and her family**.

Prayers for **Tina Wessley**. She continues to experience back pain.

Prayers for **Kenny Dove**. Kenny has entered KC Hospice House due to his cancer. He also misses his dog T.

Prayers for **Heidi Crabtree**, director of the Clinton Animal Shelter. She is fighting ovarian cancer. She is Jennifer Hinton's long time friend

Prayers for **Jeff Ross**. He is fighting cancer.

Prayers for **Bernie Henehan's Brother-in-Law**. He is struggling with dementia.

Prayers for **Felecia Minton and her family** for the death of her Mom. Felecia also broke her foot.

Prayers for healing.

Prayers for **Connor McClymond**. Conner is David and Dixie McClymond's grandson.

Prayers for **Lucille Stewart** as she continues to have trouble with her eyes

Prayers for **Pattie Johnson** who is having health issues

Prayers for a **youth director** and the **finances to make that come true**.

Prayers for our **youth program** and for more **volunteers for Children's Church**.

Prayers for **the names written on our Starfish**.

Ongoing Concerns

Sharlotte Anderson, June Dehn, Lucy Nilson, Kyle Engelhart, Avis' Daughter in Law's Sister, Michelle. Jack and Alice Leisure, Helen Famuliner, Sondra Schweighauser Our Church, Our Church Leaders, Our Pastor, Our Community, Our Youth Group, Our Starfish

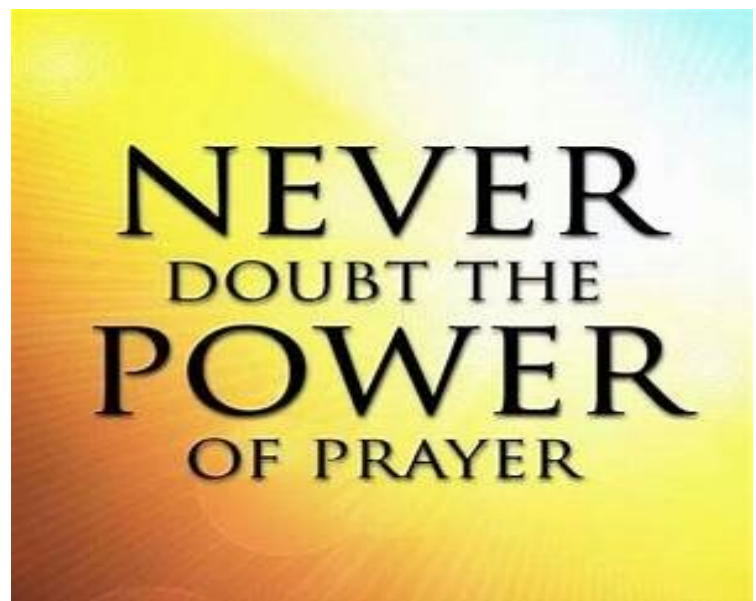
Shut in Concerns

Kristene Brock

Ridge Crest Nursing Home
706 S. Mitchell, Warrensburg, MO 64093

Evelyn Weber

Lincoln Community Care Center, 205 Timberline Drive,
Lincoln, MO 65338



PRAYERS FOR OUR TROOPS

If you have a family member, friend or loved one who is serving active duty in the military, please contact the office to have them included in our ongoing prayers. If available, please provide us with a picture and any pertinent information you wish to share, such as: name, relationship to you, family, where they are serving, what capacity they are serving in, etc...



Please keep the following troops

Cesar Gutierrez, Dylan Wilson, Brandon Robertson, Weston Miekley, Gordon Snethen, Cathleen Gutierrez, Chase Michael Crelly, Gavin Wells

Birthdays



- 4/3 Addie Jones
- 4/4 Christine Craig
- 4/5 John Lankford
- 4/5 Kent Summers
- 4/6 Steve Baker
- 4/6 Avery Jones
- 4/9 Dennis Barlow
- 4/10 Carolyn Southers
- 4/11 Mary Atchison
- 4/14 Cary Dills
- 4/23 Becky Culler
- 4/29 Kenny Royal

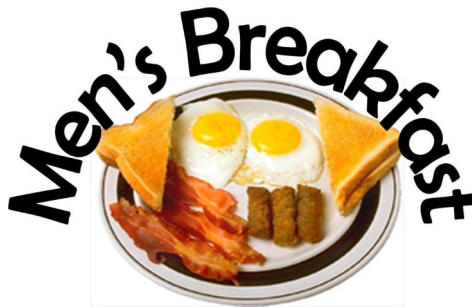


Anniversaries

- 4/25 Bruce & Nancy Engelhart
- 4/30 Charlie & Bonnie Townsend



AMEN GROUP



On the first Saturday of each month, our men gather for breakfast, fellowship and a good time. For more information contact Steve Baker
 Next Meeting
 April 6th @ 8am

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

BOARD MEETING IS THE
 SECOND MONDAY
 OF EACH MONTH

EVERYONE IS WELCOME
 TO ATTEND BOARD MEETINGS

NEXT BOARD MEETING IS
 April 8th AT 6 PM

(now meeting in the nBetweeners classroom)

CONTACT BOARD CHAIR MATT JONES
 WITH QUESTIONS

ELDERS' MEETING

Second Tuesday
 of each month.

@ 5:30pm

in the

InBetweeners
 Sunday School

Classroom

Next meeting will be
 April 9th

**WE HAVE BEEN BLESSED WITH TWO
 OPPORTUNITIES TO STUDY THE MOVIE
 THE CHOSEN :**

Wednesday Night at
 Russ and Shelly Wells'
 Home
 6:30 pm start time
 All are Welcome

Tuesday Morning
 Women's
 Bible Study
 Every Tuesday Morning
 @ 10:30 am
 All women welcome

**GAME NIGHT
 APRIL 2024**

GAME NIGHT WILL BE
 APRIL 26TH @ 6pm
 IN THE
 FELLOWSHIP HALL.
 A LIGHT MEAL WILL BE
 SERVED AND
 FUN WILL BE HAD.
 EVERYONE WELCOME

**CLINTON CHRISTIAN
 CHURCH**

HAS A
 FELLOWSHIP DINNER
 ON THE THIRD SUNDAY
 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING
 THE WORSHIP SERVICE.
 THIS MONTH'S DINNER
 IS APRIL 15th.
 PLAN ON JOINING US
 FOR THE FELLOWSHIP

YOUTH CORNER

"We can't love them...
if we don't know them."



During Children's Church on Palm Sunday the Youth transformed their window in their classroom into a stained glass work of art. Rumor is...they are going to do the same thing to the window on the other side of the room on Easter. How long will they be this way, you ask?
Pastor Tim votes - Forever!

A few weeks back our friend, Carolyn Southers, reminded us that if we really care for our youth and claim that we love them, we have to get to know them. From that wonderful reminder our Christian Education Committee came up with the wonderful idea of the new:

YOUTH SPOTLIGHT

Each week during the worship service we are showing a video which features a different member of our youth group. The featured kiddo will answer several questions about themselves so we, the church family, can get to know them better. Then, after the service, the featured youth will stand in the back with Pastor Tim and greet the church family on the way out.

Sign up Soon!!

Jesus Camp

FREE! 2024 **FREE!**

1st Presbyterian Church
220 E Franklin St
Clinton, Mo

For students who have completed Kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, or 6th grades.

Space is limited... ENROLL TODAY!
660-885-5181
Sign-up link: <https://heartland.campintouch.com/>

July 15-19
9:00am-4:30pm



BUY A CHANCE TO WIN A
HOMEMADE BIRDHOUSE
AND HELP A KID GET A
NEW BIBLE



Sharlotte Anderson made and donated these birdhouses to raffle them off to help raise money to buy CCC youth a new Bible. She is selling raffle tickets and the drawing will be Easter morning at the 10:15am service.- Thanks Sharlotte

God has blessed Clinton Christian Church with a great group of kids in the past couple of years. On any given Sunday we can have anywhere from 12 to 20 kids attend our Worship Service. In order to be good stewards with this gift and to make sure we are raising our children in line with the word of God, we have added to our Order of Worship a special time of prayer to ask God for guidance with our youth called

INTENTIONAL PRAYER FOR OUR YOUTH PROGRAM

Would you like to say the prayer during worship some Sunday?
Just let Pastor Tim know.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE HIGHLIGHTS

Greetings from Membership!

By the time this newsletter comes out, our Lord will have been crucified and risen again! Risen Indeed! Just like He has big plans for us, so does Membership.

I cannot repeat this enough: Game Nights are fun. If you have not come to a game night, you are missing out. We have Betty at Game Nights—so bring the littles! It is a family fun time, but Membership knows that sometimes, parents want or need a break. Well, Game Night offers a light meal (NO COOKING! NO CLEAN UP!), and a chance to play games with others. Usually there is a set or two of dominos going on, Pitch card game, Sequence, Yatzee, and others. Last couple of months there has been Contract Rummy and Skipbo. Personally, I think I'd like to try Monopoly with the original rules—the ones from the inventor. April's Game Night will be April 26, the last Friday of April.

Our next Fellowship Dinner will be April 21. May's Fellowship Dinner will be May 19 and Game Night will be May 31. Also, put the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend on your calendar. That is the day of our annual Red Roof parking lot sale. Rent a parking space out front and sell rummage sale items. There is talk that the Youth Group will be selling items this year, too. It's is always well attended.

If you would like to join us, or meetings are the first Thursday of the month at 5:30. Our next meeting is April 4 at 5:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

Enjoy! And God Bless

CHURCH IN SOCIETY REPORT

CIS met on Monday, March 11th.

We voted to donate \$500 to Week of Compassion and \$100 to Hike Against Hunger.

We also donated the following:

Blessing Box (at Community of Christ Church):

Toothpaste
Hand Soap
Kleenex
Toilet Paper

Zoe's House:

Decorations for Valentine Party
Wipes / Diapers
Paper Towels

Survival House:

Toilet Paper
Incontinence Products
Hygiene Products
Charger Cords

Animal Shelter:

Bleach
Detergent



OUR OUTREACH PROJECT FOR APRIL IS...
KLEENEX (FACIAL TISSUE)
300 BOXES

Thank You to all that donated to Week of Compassion through the month of March.

**REMEMBER - 10% OF ALL MONIES GOING TO THE GENERAL FUND
ARE USED FOR THESE OUTREACH PROJCTS.
IT IS BECAUSE OF YOU THAT WE ARE ABLE TO HELP
SO MANY IN SO MANY WAYS.**

THANK YOU—ANNETTE MEYERS, CHAIR PERSON

WORSHIP COMMITTEE IN ACTION

Worship Committee met on March 7, 2024, with all in attendance with exception of Jody Anderson. Guest Pastor Tim Wessley.

Elaine opened with prayer at 4:05 pm

Lenten Season going well! Thanks, Pastor Tim for our trigger objects!

Palm Sunday—Becky to decorate and she plans to order 20 palms for the kids. Youth leader will hand to the children during the Children's moment so they can walk out waiving them and possibly saying "Hosanna" or "Hosanna in the Highest".

Baptisms occurring on Palm Sunday—5 person (3 of which are children). Wonderful news and thanks to our Lord Jesus Christ for this blessing and his servant Pastor Tim to help with this special occasion. Deacons and possibly Elders to assist (need men and women helpers). Those scheduled to be baptized: Bryce Jolley, Liam Johnson, Avery Jones, Jeff Ross Sr., and Jeff Ross Jr.

Good Friday—Prayer Vigil (indoors with use of our prayer room)—6 am to 6pm which is March 29th. Sign ups will be up soon next to the Church office. Good Friday service will start at 7pm.

Easter Egg Hunt!! Yes, we are hosting this once again! Day before Easter (Saturday)---**we will need volunteers to fill Easter Eggs after Palm Sunday service.**

Easter---7 am Sunrise Service (please enjoy)!! 10:15 Easter Service

Youth Spotlights! Our spotlights are going well and thanks so much the kids that were strong and courageous so far and the parents that helped make this happen! Shout out to our AV team as well for helping with the videos!! Thanks so much! We do need permission slips to be able to play the video during the Worship Service. If you need help, please reach out to the Church!

We continue to monitor our Worship Leaders sign ups and Greeters serving lists! Thanks for all those who have helped and plan to. We are assigning one member of our Worship Committee team to send out reminders to those scheduled to serve.

***special Children's meeting to be held on March 10th after Church Service (discussion on continued plans to help educate our children about God and his Son Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit).

Special Music to come from Matt, Meagan, and Andy Engelhart (including the kids!).

We do plan on having a guest pianist/organist on April 14th, as our wonderful Debbie Reith will be taking a much-deserved vacation day.

Andy Engelhart --Closed in prayer at 5pm.

Sincerely,

Andrew Engelhart - Worship Chairperson

Adult Sunday School

The adult Sunday School class has finished *The Screwtape Letters*. Going forward, we will be trying something new.

If you have wanted to know about a biblical figure or a subject in the Bible, this will be the place to have that discussion. For instance, who is Enoch? What was unique about him? What does scripture say about him? What can we learn from the life he lived? Or it might be a subject like, what does it mean that the Holy Spirit is in you? Why pray if God already knows what we need? How can we be sure about the resurrection of Christ?

Experience tells us that we learn so much from our fellow classmates, and we hope this will be a good way to inspire and facilitate our walk with the Lord. Extensive Bible knowledge is not required, and we take the approach that there are no dumb questions.

All are welcome. We look forward to lively discussions and a positive experience for all who attend. We meet each Sunday morning at 8:45 a.m. Please join us in the In-Betweeners Sunday School classroom.

Brian Hetherington

CFW Happenings

March 2024

CFW Trip: Twenty are signed up to go on the May 8 trip to the New Theater in Overland Park. WILS, an organization headquartered in Warrensburg, has an accessible bus that transports 22 people. With Jennifer Hinton's help, the bus is scheduled to transport us on our trip. Though there is no charge for the use of the bus, donations are encouraged.

Pies: Pat Bouse reports there are now two sizes of pies! We have our "traditional" 10" pies and the new size is a 6" pie. The new smaller pies are \$5/each. On March 15, they made 24 10" pies and four 6" pies. The next pie making is 9am on April 19.

Group Reports: JOY group meets Monday, April 15 at 5:30.
Phoebes will meet on Thursday, April 11 at 11:30.

The next meeting is Monday, April 1 at 10 am.

Meals on Wheels Ministry

March Meals Delivered:

Our home-delivered meal ministry was carried out in March.

Thanks to the following for delivering meals: Bernie Henehan, Bill and Donna Martin, Steve and Penny Altis, Robin and Bill Jolley, and Lisa Wallace.

This is one of the many ministries our church does to support people in our community.

Thanks for helping.

I want to thank all of you for the nice cards and well wishes. I appreciate all of them.

Thank you all! God Bless,
Lucille Stewart

Though we will miss her, our friend Ruth Kindall has a new address.

It is...

Ruth Kindall

7536 Colonial Drive

Prairie Village, KS 66208

Holler if you need anything, Ruth !

AED / CPR REFRESHER COURSE

Five years ago, the Wetzel Family Foundation made a generous donation of an AED for our church. It is mounted outside the Holy Grounds with directional signs through the building. We've been blessed to have never had to have used it. Several members were trained at that time, but that was 5 years ago.

Gary French with Henry County Health Center will be leading an AED/CPR refresher course for members of our church on Saturday, May 11th from 9:30am to 11:30am at the new Health Center on 3rd Street.

There is a sign-up list on the table in the foyer. The class is limited to 14. If you are already trained for your workplace, it would be great to list you on our list of trained members, also.

Questions? Dan Wallace at 660-492-2841

IN ALL THINGS, GIVE THANKS AND PRAY

PRAYER WORKS

Weekly Schedule

Sundays

8:45 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Bell Choir
9:30 a.m. Choir
10:15 a.m. Worship Service

Mondays

7:00 a.m. Sunrise Prayer
4:30 p.m. Community Café

Tuesdays

10:30 a.m.
Women's Bible Study

Wednesdays

1:00 p.m. Prayer Group
6:30 p.m. The Chosen @
the Wells' house

Church Office Hours

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Monday through Friday

[SUNDAY, APRIL 15](#)

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

NEW PRAYER GROUP

BECAUSE OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS IS STRONGLY BASED ON PRAYER, CLINTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH IS ANNOUNCING THE FORMATION OF A NEW PRAYER GROUP.

THIS PRAYER GROUP WILL MEET **IN THE SANCTUARY** ON THURSDAY EVENINGS AT **5:30 PM**

THE GROUP WILL BE LED BY DAVID AND DIXIE McCLYMOND AND IS OPEN TO ANYONE INTERESTED IN JOINING. **THEY WILL BE MEETING IN THE SANCTUARY**

ARE YOU IN NEED OF INDIVIDUAL PRAYER? Since February, we have had our "Prayer Warriors" available at the front of the sanctuary to offer prayer to anyone that needs it. Don't be shy. We are all in need of prayer at some point in time and we are family.

If you are interested in being one of our "Prayer Warriors"? just let David McClymond know. He is heading up this group offering prayer.

April 2024

Dated Material



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