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Membership

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By Committee
Memorial

February Fellowship Dinner



The Clinton Christian Church Youth sponsored the February Fellowship Dinner



Pulled pork sandwiches, green beans and cheesy potatoes were on the menu. Plenty of food, fun and fellowship was shared



Three couples participated in the "Not So Newlywed" Game. MC'd by Andy "Wink" Engelhart each couple had the chance to show off how much they knew about one another and have a lot of fun as well. Bribing the scorekeeper worked as Pastor Tim and his wife, Tina, won the big prize.



Concerns and Celebrations

Prayers for these individuals as they fight cancer:

- | | | |
|---------------|----------------|--------------|
| TJ Palmer | Mike Simmons | Ken Davis |
| Jessica Brown | Jerry Dickey | Scott Gordon |
| Dennis Jones | Ashlee Brown | |
| TeRee Davis | Marlene Griner | Michelle |
| Glenda Weter | Kasey Marrs | Cindy |
- Sherri Royal's Daughter-in-Law's Brother, Jacob
 Andy Engelhart's cousin, Naomi

Prayers for **Sharlotte Anderson** who was admitted to the hospital for tests on her heart.

Prayers for **Rick Hehner** who broke his leg and had surgery to repair it.

Prayers for **Marcie Danforth** who had a complete hip replacement on Feb. 26th

Prayers for **family and friends of Lorie Moorman** (a friend of the church) on the death of her Father.

Prayers for **Patti Johnson**. Pattie fell in her garage and is in a lot of pain..

Prayers for the **family of Jim Martin** on his passing after a long fight with cancer.

Prayers for **Bill Hendrick, Karen Williams and Angela**.

Prayers for **Owen, Nancy Summers' brother**, who is now home from the hospital and doing better..

Prayers for **The Johnson Kid's Grandma, Cathy** to breath better. Also prayers for **Grandma GG** .

Prayers for **Pastor Tim's friend, Keegan**, who is progressing slowly from his illness but is progressing.

Continued prayers for **Kennedi Watts and the Watts Family**

Prayers for **Scott Jones** on a quick healing and recovery from a procedure he had done.

Prayers for the family of **Lucille Stewart** on her passing.

Prayers for **Betty Scott, our beloved nursery guru**. She has been sick.

Prayers for **TeRee Davis, Avis Compton's Niece**, who had successful brain surgery. Pray for healing and strength.

Prayers for **Marlene Griner, a friend of Elaine VonSpreckelsen**. She has been diagnosed with inoperable cancer.

Continued prayers for **Linda Steitz** who is having health issues.

Prayers for the **family and friends of Holly Veatch on the passing of her son, Jakob** Prayers for the unspoken needs of **God's Children**.

Prayers for **those dealing with natural disasters as well as those in harm's way of wars and hatred**.

Continued prayers for our **country**.

Prayers for our **Chi Rho Youth Group and Puppet Ministry**.

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

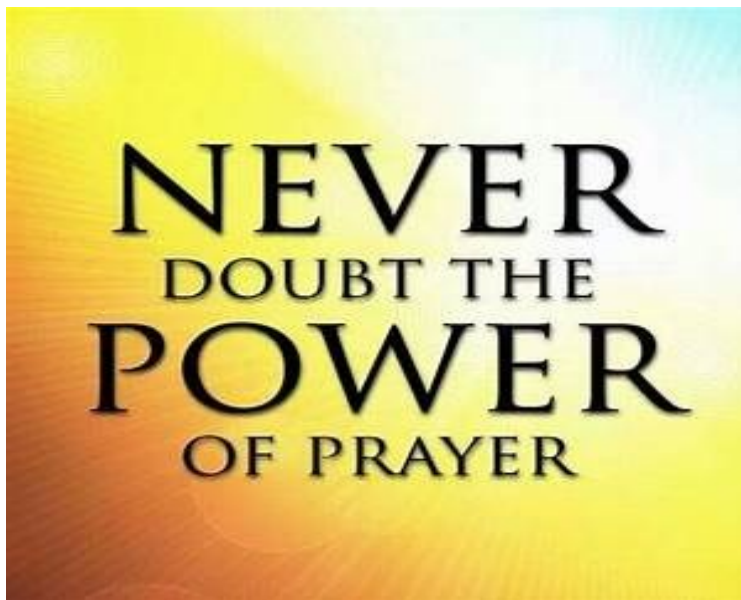
Prayers for those **struggling with mental illness**.

Ongoing Concerns

Kennedi Watts, Sharlotte Anderson, June Dehn, Lucy Nilson, Kyle Engelhart, Avis' Daughter in Law's Sister, Michelle. Jack and Alice Leisure, Helen Famuliner, Nancy Stanford, 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



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

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

Birthdays



- 3/1 Ruth Few
- 3/2 Jim Arnold
- 3/2 Leslie Watts
- 3/3 David Young
- 3/7 Sherri DeHart
- 3/9 Isabella Wessley
- 3/10 Rita Winburn
- 3/13 Gage Westendorff
- 3/15 Tina Wessley
- 3/21 Brandon Jolley
- 3/24 Matt Johnson
- 3/25 Deb Mills
- 3/31 Bruce Engelhart



Anniversaries

- 3/29 Kenny & Sherri Royal



**GAME NIGHT
MARCH 2025
WILL TAKE PLACE
MARCH 28th
IN THE
FELLOWSHIP HALL.
THE MENU WILL BE
TACO NIGHT
COME ENJOY THE
FUN AND FELLOWSHIP
THAT IS GAME NIGHT.**

fellowship dinner
The March Fellowship Dinner
will be held on March 16th.
On the menu will be
POT LUCK
Please bring your favorite entre,
side, salad or dessert.
Come join in the fellowship and
enjoy a great meal.
Everyone is invited

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 - March 1st @ 8am at Dietz Family Buffet.
Cost is \$10 and includes breakfast buffet and drink.
All men are welcome to join us for
Food, Fun and Fellowship

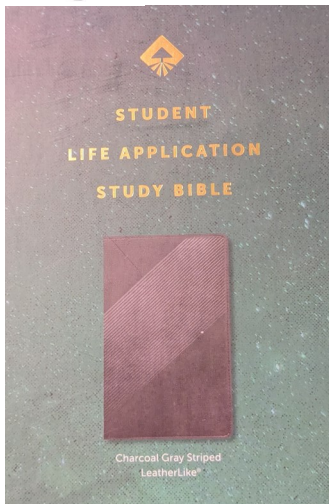
Tuesday Morning
Women's
Bible Study
is back in action.
Tuesday morning @
10:30 a.m.
All women are
encouraged to attend

A New
Wednesday Morning
Women's
Bible Study
has been started
@
11:00 a.m.
Same as the Tuesday morning
study...different day and time

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING
BOARD MEETING IS THE
SECOND MONDAY
OF EACH MONTH
EVERYONE IS WELCOME
TO ATTEND BOARD MEETINGS
NEXT BOARD MEETING IS
March 10th AT 6 PM
(now meeting in the Fellowship Hall
CONTACT BOARD CHAIR
MEAGAN JOHNSON WITH QUESTIONS

ELDERS' MEETING
Second Tuesday
of each month.
@ 5:30pm
in the
InBetweeners
Sunday School
Classroom
Next meeting will be
March 11th

CCC Chi Rho members receive new Bibles



On February 23rd, 5 members of our Chi Rho Youth Group, received Bibles as a gift from the Church Family. The Bibles are Student Bibles and come with an App they can access through their phone or computer devices. Each Bible was also imprinted with the name of the member receiving it. We have 7 remaining members to receive their Bibles.



The Clinton Christian Church Family wore their red to help support their team, The Kansas Chiefs, in SuperBowl LIX. We didn't get the outcome we were hoping for but it is always fun to support our team. Great season, Kansas City Chiefs, and lets get them next year. Hey, who's wearing that Justin Jefferson shirt?



membership committee

Fellowship Dinner: March 16 – March Fellowship Dinner will be a Potluck Dinner. Please bring your favorite entre, side, salad and/or dessert. Make plans to stay immediately following the Worship Service to enjoy some food, fun and fellowship.

Game Night: March 28 – This Game night is Taco Night. All the taco fixings will be available. Please bring a favorite snack to share if you wish. After a quick meal let the games begin. Everyone, of course, is welcome.

Seeking additional Members for the Membership Committee - We have a lot of Fun!! See Kenny Royal or Kelli Hetherington for more details.

We continue to seek volunteers for Holy Grounds for 2025 - We need volunteers from March on.... Sign up on the list in the Church Lobby.

CHURCH IN SOCIETY REPORT

Thank you to all that were able to donate to the snacks for the Clinton Tech School. Those kids really appreciate it.

We continue to serve clients a hot meal through the Community Café every Monday night. We have different groups taking turns covering a Monday. Thanks to all that have been able to help with this outreach ministry.

The church office has a steady flow of people coming in needing help with utilities and car gas.

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Serving Others Together,
Jennifer Hinton, Interim Chair

None of this would be possible without all of you allowing CIS to operate with 10% of the General Fund. Thank You for your generosity and trust in us to spend it wisely.



January Game Night had a bit of a twist to it— we added Karaoke to the mix.

We discovered we had some pretty good singers in the Church Family.

We heard some country, 70's pop, Rap and Meagan Johnson even belted out some Guns n Roses.

Thanks to all that participated -

These guys to the left were persuaded (by Nancy Summers) to get up on stage and do their best Shania Twain impersonation. I was told that if you closed your eyes and listened to them sing it didn't sound anything like Shania Twain but "Man! They felt like a woman!"

worship committee report

Opening prayer Pat Bouse opened at 12:06 pm

Upcoming events: Ash Wednesday etc. (A) Ash Wednesday is March 5th. Pastor Tim will let everyone know the Lenten Theme at that service. I forgot to verify the time for the service. Is it 7 pm? The youth will be serving a pancake supper after the service. A candelabra will be used during Lent, with Pastor Tim extinguishing one candle each Sunday during Lent. (B) Palm Sunday is April 13th. Leslie Watts will contact Scott at Clinton Flower Shop to order palms (60). We'll use "frog tape" to anchor a palm on each pew on the inside aisle, as well as pass out palms to the children during Young Disciples Moment. (C) Good Friday is April 18th. The front of the church will need to be bare, except for the statue of Jesus on the cross - no paraments or items on the communion table. (D) Easter is April 20th. Sunrise Service will be at 7 am, with traditional service at 10:15 am. Leslie will bring up to the Membership Committee the possibility of having an Easter Breakfast between services (8 - 9:30 am?) rather than a Fellowship Dinner after our traditional service. (E) Mother's Day is May 11th. We will discuss items to order and hand out at our March meeting.

Sign-up sheets working well and good thru March 2025 as for the minutes from the last meeting below Lisa Wallace is handling February, and Leslie Watts is handling March. Leslie will put out the sign-up sheet for April - June the middle of March.

Anyone interested in joining the Bell Choir and bells still clean? No one has signed up yet. Participants will need to be committed to coming every week for practice and be able to read music.

Matt Jones has an idea!! A new Praise Band as well as our Puppet Band!! Thoughts? Megan Johnson - vocals; Matt Jones - guitar; Addie Jones - piano; Avery Jones - drums; Andy Engelhart - bass guitar; and Alex Watts (possibly) - saxophone. A brief discussion was held regarding having a contemporary service at an earlier time, but the committee decided we'd rather have the Praise Band play at our traditional service - once a month, once every six weeks, or once a quarter at their choosing.

Other topics Pastor Tim will be attending General Assembly in Memphis, TN, as well as taking vacation days July 7th - 21st. We need to start now to find supply pastors for July 13th and 20th. Names mentioned were Peggy Eschelman and David Maggi. Ron Routledge retired from our Regional Office and has taken an interim position as a Regional Minister in the Kansas City office.

Closing prayer Pastor Tim closed the meeting at 12:58 pm.

Meals on Wheels Ministry

It is time to deliver meals in March for the Clinton Senior Center. Our church has committed to serve "Home Delivered Meals" from the Clinton Senior Center one week each quarter. Our dates to deliver are:

Monday, March 17	Wednesday, March 19
Tuesday, March 18	Thursday, March 20
Friday, no deliveries	

Meals are delivered each day between 10:45am and 12:30pm.

Ideally two volunteers will partner each day to pick up the food at the Senior Center at 10:45am and make the deliveries around Clinton. It takes less than 2 hours.

Please consider signing up on the clip board in the church foyer. Questions? See Lisa Wallace or call her at 660-492-2575



LENT 2025

Hope in a Broken World



No matter what your situation life has you in right now, most of us can agree that this is a crazy and broken world. So many are rejecting the saving love and grace of Jesus and seem to want to work through this broken world without him.

During this Lenten Season we are going to take a look at people from the Bible that also experienced a broken world (this world has been broken many times before) and how their faith in God pulled them through. We will also look at how we too can use our faith and get through these tough times as well. We will have a trigger object just as we have in years past. Remember...I give you a trigger object to remind you that "You are a sinner (we all are) and that you need a Savior (we all do)". This year's trigger object is probably one that you will not want to carry around with you but it will have a magnet on it so you can put it in a prominent place where you will see it often.

The Lenten Season is a time to reflect on our lives and our relationship with Jesus. A time to understand that we are a broken people, that we are sinners, that we do not deserve the grace of God. That is why we need a savior. Lent is a time to pray a little more, to read your Bible a little more, to act out on your faith a little bit more (whatever that means to you).

Our Lenten Schedule for 2025 is as follows...

Ash Wednesday - March 5th. The service is at 5:30pm (you will receive you Trigger Object)
There will be a pancake supper afterward sponsored by our Youth.

First Sunday of Lent - March 9th
Second Sunday of Lent - March 16th
Third Sunday of Lent - March 23rd
Fourth Sunday of Lent - March 30th

Fifth Sunday of Lent - April 6th
Palm Sunday - April 13th
Good Friday - April 18th @ 6pm
Bring your Trigger Object to Good Friday Service

Easter Sunday - April 20th
Sonrise Easter Service @ 7am in the Courtyard
Traditional Easter Service @ 10:15am

Plan on joining us for some or all of these Lenten Services

EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, April 19th @ 10am
in the back yard of the church.

Baskets, grass and eggs
will be provided.

Kids of all ages welcome
We are collecting individually wrapped
pieces of candy that will fit in
a plastic Easter egg.

A donation container is in the lobby.

Once again we have been blessed
with a Lenten Devotional
written by Deb Mills.
There will be copies of the devotional
in the lobby beginning March 2nd.
Please take a copy and follow it
throughout the Lenten Season.
Each daily devotional will be
posted on our Facebook page as well.

Thank you Deb

Weekly Schedule

Sundays

8:45 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Puppets
9:30 a.m. Choir
10:15 a.m. Worship Service
5:00 p.m. Chi-Rho Youth

Mondays

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

Tuesdays

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

Wednesdays

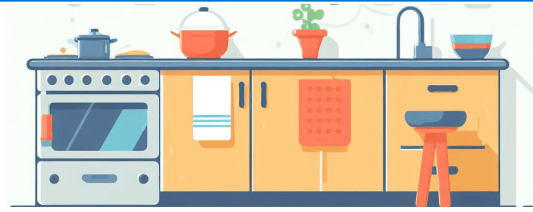
11:00 a.m.
Women's Bible Study
1:00 p.m. Prayer Group
6:30 p.m.
Wednesday at the Wells'

Church Office Hours

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

[THURSDAY, MARCH 20](#)

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE



Kitchen Remodel Update

A deposit has been made to Parks Cabinet to get started on the kitchen remodel.

The project will begin in May with a 3 month schedule of completion. During this time, the kitchen will be unavailable. We will need to use alternative accommodations for the Community Café to avoid disruptions in the program. A tenet of our faith is helping those in need and our kitchen is so vital and important to accomplish that goal.

If you would like to assist in financing this project, please make your check out to the Clinton Christian Church and mark "Kitchen Fund" on the memo or envelope.

Thank you to all who are making this possible and all who work so hard providing meals to our community and shut-ins.

March 2025

Dated Material



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-there is a link on our website