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**Christian Education**

1 Christine Craig  
**Memorial**



# TRANSFORMATION COMPLETE

The entryway to the Clinton Christian Church church building has a brand new look. During the week of September 19th thru the 22nd workers came in, ripped up the old carpet and laid some brand new tile.

Monies from the David and Delores Lindell Memorial Fund. Thanks to all that made this happen.

Our Outreach Project for the month of September we collected Snack Items for Clinton Tech Center. Kids come from many different High Schools to learn at the Tech School and many of them don't eat breakfast or lunch (for various reasons). So a quick snack can many times make a difference on whether students can learn or not. Thanks to all of you that were able to help out with this project.



**Concerns and Celebrations**

Prayers for these individuals as they fight cancer:

- Tim Whitmore, pastor at 1st Christian in Holden
- TJ Palmer
- Jessica Brown
- Dennis Jones
- Gary Grenzke
- Erica (Vicki Kaufman's friend)
- Sherri Royal's Daughter-in-Law's Brother, Jacob
- Andy Engelhart's cousin, Naomi
- Keri Smith
- Jim Kindall
- Bruce Engelhart
- TeRee Davis

Prayers for **Henry Whaley's friend Sandra Ball Weber**. She is healing from kidney surgery. She is also the inspiration to help Henry come back to the church. Also, pray for Henry's Daughter-in-Law who is fighting lung cancer.

Prayers for **Jim DeRemer**. Jim is having some health issues

Prayers for **Barbara Gray's son, Derek Locke**. He fell and is having brain bleeds

Prayers for **Howard and Mary Cupp**. Howard went through a bout of COVID. He is better and back at Adair Village (formerly Westwood).

Prayers for **Bruce Engelhart**. He is back from the Mayo Clinic. Continued prayers for Bruce.

Prayers for the **Granddaughters of Bob and Beverly Brown, Jessica and Ashlee**. Both are being treated for cancer.

Prayers for **our friend, Faith**.

Prayers for **Sharyn Sisk, Nina's Sister-in-Law**. She fell and broke 2 bones in her ankle.

Continued prayers for **TyRee Davis**, who finished the first round of chemo and radiation for lung cancer.

Prayers for **Kenny and his dog T**.

Prayers for **Sondra Schweighauser**. She is in the early stages of Alzheimer's.

Prayers for **Sandy Wells, Russ' Mom**, who has bronchitis.

Prayers for **a friend of Jerome Anderson** who fell and broke both of her ankles.

Prayers for **Brian Snethen and his wife**.

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**.

Continued prayers for those people named on our **Starfish**. Pray that God will intervene in their relationship with Jesus.

**Ongoing Concerns**

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

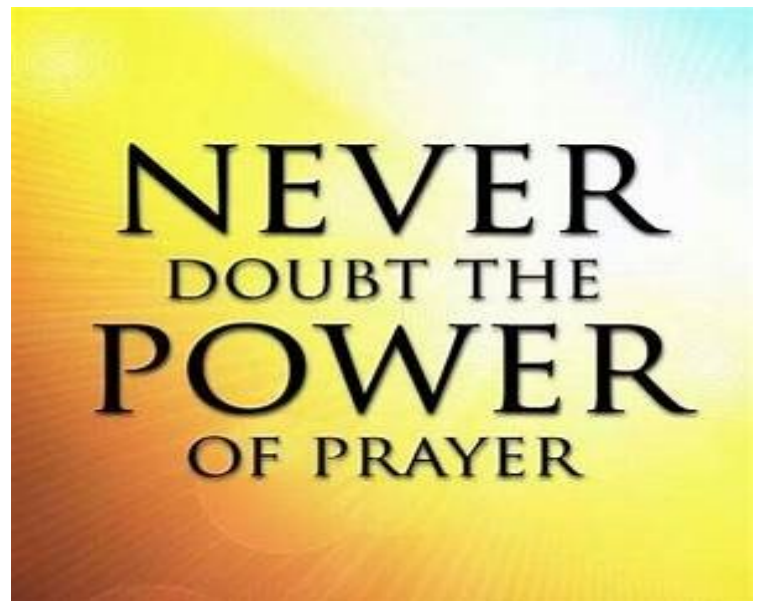
**Shut in Concerns**

**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

**Birthdays**



- 10/2 Gloria Burke
- 10/2 Tucker Johnson
- 10/2 Matt Jones
- 10/3 Peyton Anderson
- 10/3 Angie Wishard
- 10/4 Mark Oliver
- 10/8 Christa Atchison
- 10/21 Ruth Arnold
- 10/21 Beverly Brown
- 10/21 Brian Hetherington
- 10/22 Dan Wallace
- 10/23 Jordan Oliver
- 10/24 Tammy Cowsert
- 10/25 Nancy Summers
- 10/26 Pastor Tim
- 10/27 Jim DeRemer
- 10/27 Shelly Wells
- 10/30 Linda Haynes
- 10/31 Vonna Young

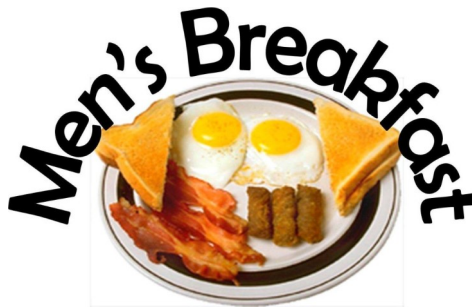


**Anniversaries**

- 10/16 David & Deb Mills
- 10/20 Paul & Ruth Few
- 10/24 Howard & Mary Cupp
- 10/28 Scott & Paula Jones



**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  
 October 1st @ 8am

**MONTHLY BOARD MEETING**

**BOARD MEETING IS THE SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH**

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND BOARD MEETINGS**

**NEXT BOARD MEETING IS October 9th AT 6 PM**

*(now meeting in the InBetweeners classroom)*

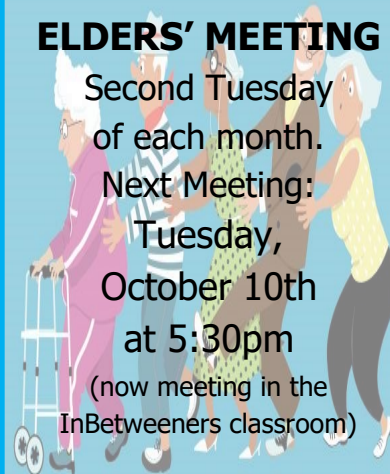
**CONTACT BOARD CHAIR BLAYNE PAXTON WITH QUESTIONS**

**ELDERS' MEETING**

Second Tuesday of each month.

Next Meeting:  
 Tuesday,  
 October 10th  
 at 5:30pm

*(now meeting in the InBetweeners classroom)*



**Adult Sunday School Class**

The adult Sunday School class continues its study of the classic C.S. Lewis book, *The Screwtape Letters*, which consists of letters of advice from senior demon Screwtape to his nephew Wormwood on the best ways to tempt a particular human and secure his damnation. We start at 8:45 AM on Sunday mornings. Andy reads the Bible, currently on 1 Corinthians will follow at 9:30 AM. You don't have to be a Bible Scholar to join the class. Everyone is welcome.

**OCTOBER GAME NIGHT WILL BE**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27th**

**Bring a snack or dessert if you wish.**

**Come have fun with us!**

**The fun starts at 6pm**

**EVERYONE IS**

**WELCOME TO GAME NIGHT**

To My Church Family,

I can't say enough to THANK EVERYONE for all the PRAYERS and get well wishes for me. It is greatly appreciated.

So many cards, notes, calls...also for the Happy Birthday cards and phone calls.

I have missed everyone in my church family.

Love to you all,  
 Beverly Bowers

# CELEBRATING BAPTISMS AT CCC



**Claire Jolley**



**Claire's Mom, Lindsey**



**Greyson Reid**



**Greyson's Sister, Madilyn**



**Riley Cowser**



**Riley's Sister, Morgan**



**Maxon Pipes**



**Maxon's Dad, Scott**

Each Baptismal Candidate chose a family member or friend to light their Baptismal Candle from the light of the center Christ Candle. After Baptism each Candidate received a Baptismal Certificate and their Baptismal Candle



**Alex Watts**



**Alex's Grandpa, Rick**



**Xavier Watts**



**Xavier's Mom, Leslie**



**Kennedi Watts**



**Kennedi's Grandpa, Rick**



**Isabella Wessley**



**Isabella's Dad, Matthew**

# CWF News



On Sunday, September 17th during our worship service we said a prayer of dedication over the items we collected and donated to Festival of Sharing.

On Saturday, September 23rd, Pastor Tim loaded the items into his car and delivered them to Red Bridge Methodist Church In Kansas City, MO.

Thank you to all of you that were able to donate to this very worthy cause.

## Church In Society

Busy days for CIS ...

We are so thankful for opportunities to reach out beyond our church walls to help the needy. This is made possible by our church family's generous giving. Thank You!!!

The numbers are increasing for serving Community Café – Monday's do keep this committee busy. The Samaritan Center often helps us with food supplies, and this helps to keep our costs down.

Thanks to Avis Compton for shopping for food items for the Holy Grounds Room pantry.

Also, we have added deodorant to the list of items needed for the Clinton Tech School.

Currently for this month, we have given out nine gas vouchers and helped one client with a utility bill.

The success of CIS is due to you, our church family.

THANK YOU!!!

## Minutes from 9 -7-23 Worship Committee meeting

1. Met at 3pm to start cleaning our Bells that were remaining
2. 4pm opened in prayer for our Worship meeting with all committee members present except Jody Anderson who was excused. Kathy Hetherington joined us for bell cleaning and stayed as a guest during the meeting.
3. Christmas!! We have confirmed that we will have 2 services on Sunday December 24th. Our normal 10:15am service and then again at 5 30 pm for our Christmas Evening service.
4. Budget set for 2024. See below for a recap and numbers submitted to Nina Sisk in Stewardship
5. Candlelighters--going to stop after Sunday 9/10/23 placing the Candlelighters names in the bulletin. Candlelighters chair to make sure we have 2 candlelighters or the assigned Children's moment leader will make sure 2 candlelighters ready at the start of Worship service.

6. Baptisms-- 8 children to be Baptized. Thanks to our Lord Jesus for these children. Andy to talk to Deaconate leader about finding Deacons to help assist Pastor Tim before and during the Baptisms.

7. Stewardship spotlight moment to be presented by Andy Engelhart in Worship Service soon.

8. Pastor Tim closed in prayer around 5pm.

Next meeting is Oct 5th.

Sincerely,  
Andy Engelhart  
Worship Chair

# FOOD — FUN — FELLOWSHIP

October Fellowship Dinner is going to be something special. We have all been invited to the homestead of Scott and Paula Jones to enjoy some outside food, outside fun and outside fellowship.

October Fellowship Dinner is scheduled for Oct 15 with a rain date of Oct 22. The fun and fellowship starts at 4pm. (Chiefs play the Thursday before) Membership will handle all food, eating accoutrements, and provide water. Fellowship Dinner attendees should bring something to sit on and drinks (unless they want water).

Thank you to the Jones family for extending this invitation to the entire church family and as always...

## EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Here are directions from the church building to the Jones Homestead:

Take Highway 7 past Walmart to W Highway. Go right on Highway W and go 2.5 miles to SE 250 Rd. Take a left on 250 Rd to the first road to the right which is SE 611 Rd. Take a right on 611 Rd. Go through the open gate at the first curve which is their property. Follow the path to the shelter house and the lake. Paula's phone number is 660-525-0542 if you get lost and need help.

HOPE TO SEE EVERYONE THERE

## Red Roof Fall Flea Market

The fall Red Roof flea market will take place Saturday, October 28, at the Clinton Christian Church front parking lot. Let your friends, family, co-workers, neighbors, and even strangers know.

This is a super time to clean out a garage, basement, storage shed, or closet and make some extra money. How about a church committee that is looking for a fundraising event? It is also a great opportunity for our church family to show our hospitality and friendliness to everyone who comes to shop and eat while at the flea market.

If you're interested in being a participant or a helper, you'll be needed. Parking spots cost \$20. Tables are available. Pick up a packet and a flier in the church office.

Got a question? Stop me on a Sunday morning. I'll be itchin' to answer any of your questions.

Kathy Hetherington

What: Church Clean-up Day

Date: October 7, 2023

Time 9 a.m.



The Property Committee is sponsoring the 2023 Church Clean-Up Day on Saturday, October 7, at 9 a.m.

There will be a list of projects that need our attention. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall to get instructions and the list of projects.

There will be work to be done on the inside of the building, outside of the building, and the church grounds.

Work can be completed as a team or on your own.

Come prepared and come to do the Lord's work on his wonderful building we call Clinton Christian Church.

We would really, really, really like to see you October 7th at this work opportunity.

Thank you,  
Brian Hetherington

Clinton Christian Church is gearing up to produce a new  
**CHURCH WIDE PICTURE DIRECTORY**



All members and attenders  
are encouraged to participate

Pictures will be taken Friday, October 20 and Saturday, October 21

To schedule your photography appointment online,  
simply go to [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com),

click on [photography appointment scheduling login](#) on the right side,

Enter **M0282** in the **Church Code Field** and

Enter **photos** in the **Church Password Field**.

**Follow the prompts** to schedule your family's appointment time.

If you have 5 or more in your family please use 2 consecutive time slots.

For assistance in setting your appointment please call [816-501-8652](tel:816-501-8652).

**OR**

The Membership Committee will have a table in the lobby for the next few Sundays to  
assist you in setting up you photography appointment.

Each family will receive a **FREE 8x10** picture and  
will have the opportunity to purchase additional pictures.

**A Pictural Directory is a great way  
to get to know your church family better**



## September Fellowship Dinner Was a Big Hit



Nearly 100 members of the Clinton Christian Church family enjoyed a wonderful meal of fried fish and chicken and noodles immediately following the worship service on September 17th. We coincided it with Baptism Sunday so visiting family could enjoy a great meal as well.

We had plenty of food, fun and fellowship.

Even had the Chiefs' game on the Big Screen!

We have one of these Fellowship Dinners immediately following the worship service on the 3rd Sunday of each month.

**EVERYONE, OF COURSE, IS WELCOME**

P.S The October Fellowship Dinner will be held at the home of Scott and Paula Jones.

Lots of food and outside activities to be had. (page 6)

## Weekly Schedule

### Sundays

8:45 a.m. Sunday School  
9:30 a.m. Bible Reading  
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

11:00 a.m.  
Women's Bible Study

### Wednesdays

1:00 p.m. Prayer Group

## Church Office Hours

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

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15**

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**



# YOU ARE INVITED



**The Chosen**

Invited to:  
A study of the movie series: *The Chosen*

When:

Start Date - Wednesday, October 11

What Time:

6:30p.m. - 8:30p.m.

Where:

Russ and Shelly Wells' home  
6019 W. Highway 18, Clinton MO  
(7.3 miles west of the church building)

Agenda will include viewing *The Chosen* and then a time of reflection and discussion.

Questions? Call 918-344-4664 (Russ & Shelly)

Dated Material



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www.facebook.com/  
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www.clintonchristianchurch.com  
We livestream our 10:15 Sunday service  
-there is a link on our website

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