

# Spaghetti Dinner



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## DATES:

## DEANS:

## DETAILS:

The plans for the greatest camp season ever in C/A history are under way. Below is a complete listing of the 1982 C/A Calendar of events, including camp dates, camp rally dates, fish fries and ham suppers. Please clip these dates and hang them somewhere where you won't lose them and can refer to them quickly. We just know this is going to be a great summer and fall season for youth, ladies and men! We're shooting for 250 for the Men's Clinic and 500 for camp! Of course you ladies won't reach 250 for your retreat because we men are going to beat you for the first time in C/A history!

EVENT	DATE	LEADER OR SPEAKER
Camp Rally and Fish Fry	May 22	-----
Men's Clinic	June 4-5	Jack Cottrell
Jr. I (4th Grade)	June 20-26	Unconfirmed
Jr. II (5th Grade)	June 27-July 3	Frank Watkins
Jr. III (6th Grade)	July 4-10	Tony Reed
First Chance (3rd Grade)	July 11-13	Johnny Elmore
Jr. High (7th-8th Grades)	July 18-24	Jay Meadows
Senior I (9-10th Grades)	July 25-31	Scott Morris
Senior II (11th - College)	Aug. 1-7	David Yuhasz
Ladies Retreat	Aug. 13-14	Gladys Smith
Ham Supper	Sept. 11	-----

### SPAGHETTI DINNER -- EATIN' MEETIN'!

Feb. 6th is the big day!! 5:00 is the time! C/A is the place! A spaghetti dinner is the event! YOU are the guests! Your host is the executive board who will be footing the bill for the event. The freewill offering taken up afterwards will go toward the cost of FOOD FOR THE 1982 CAMP SEASON! We ask you therefore to give generously because every dime will go toward this project.

In the event of bad weather, the dinner will be moved to the Falls Mills Christian Church annex. In the event of extremely bad weather, we will call you to let you know if it is cancelled to a later date.

### MANNA PROGRAM TO BEGIN SOON!

We now have a list of the needed food for the 1982 camp season. We will within the month be contacting each of our supporting congregations **personally** by phone and giving them their quota of specified food. Remember the manna project is to give each congregation a chance to raise either the money for or the food for the 1982 camp season. This will save C/A enormous amounts of \$\$\$\$\$\$ when it comes to feeding those hungry mouths this summer.

### C/A GENERAL BOARD TO MEET FEB. 19

Our quarterly meeting of the General Board will take place on Friday, Feb. 19th at the C/A Cafeteria. We urge all churches to remind their representatives to be there for this important meeting.

**DUHRING SENDS ANOTHER \$100!**

Some people kick you when you're down--and others kick in and help! Duhring Church of Christ is definitely the latter. They sent an additional \$100 this month on our special appeal to get us out of the red in the general fund. Thanks to you Duhring, we can kick up our heels!

**TWO JOIN THOUSANDAIRE CLUB!**

We may be only growing in this club at a snails pace, but C/A appreciates every new member as if they were the first. This month Louise White and Winnie Shrader have been added to the list of the faithful! Thank you two ladies for all your help.

**CHAPEL/CHAIR DONATION!**

M/M Henry Hill sent us money for one chair and Donald and Zella Barie sent us \$20 for three chairs. THIS COMPLETES OUR PROJECT! Jim Hale traveled to Tennessee the last week of January and purchased the remaining 76 chairs to complete the number we needed. Any future money sent toward the Chapel/Chair project will go toward the floor and recreational equipment like basketball goals, etc.

**LITTLE DAVID SIKES GIVES CAMPBELL LABELS!**

Even though he is just a little tot, David Sikes set us 65 Campbell Soup labels. Thanks, David! Your help "SIKES" us out!

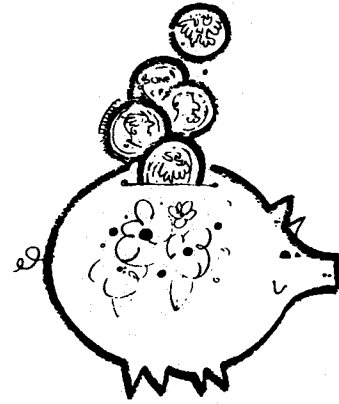
**GIDEON PROGRAM STILL STANDS AT 36!**

This past month has not been a "Sunny Month" either for the Bluefield area weather or the Gideon Program. No new members were added this month which means we still need 264 individuals, S.S. classes, church groups, and churches to pledge themselves to giving \$120 any way they choose. Why not think and pray about this project today? It will save the Lord's people \$\$\$\$ in interest.

**BISHOP MINERS LOVE OUR KIDS!**

Curtis Shrader, minister at Grassy Spur, is also a coal miner. When he pledged to give \$120 for the Gideon's Program, he knew where most of that money would come from -- his co-working miners at Bishop. Curtis has already brought us every dime of that money and more -- most from these miners who just love our kids! We want these men to know that we appreciate your help!

If you have done it unto the least of these --you've done it unto Jesus! I know HE thanks you too.



**\$22,000 DIFFERENCE!**

How would you like your income to go up over \$22,000 in one year? Well that's exactly what YOU did at C/A. The stats stack up this way:

1980 Total Giving--\$30,168.88  
1980 Monthly Ave.--\$2,514.07

1981 Total Giving--\$52,444.51  
1981 Montly Ave.---\$4,370.38

These figures reflect only actual donations and do not include money received for camp, reimbursement, etc. THEY ARE DONATIONS PERIOD! And it is YOU whom we thank! Your response has just been tremendous -- but we will call upon you to make this same sacrifice of love in 1982! Again we know YOU will come through the year with flying colors!

**FEBRUARY CALENDAR --**

- Feb. 6.....Spaghetti Dinner
- Feb. 8.....M.A.R.C.H. Meeting at 11:00  
at Bluefield College.
- Feb. 19.....C/A General Board Meeting
- Feb. 27.....Youth Rally at Athens

**GIDEON'S 300**

With God's help I will help pay off the indebtedness of the Christian Acres pool by giving -(check one of the following)

- \_\_\_\_\_ a one-time gift of \$120
- \_\_\_\_\_ two gifts of \$60 for the next 2 months
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4 gifts of \$30 for the next 4 months
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$10 monthly for the next 12 months
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Ph. \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Yes, I want to be placed on your mailing list.

# FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CHRISTIAN ACRES - FEBRUARY 1982

Balance	209.09			
<b>Incoming Receipts:</b>				
M/M James L. Brown	Thousandaire	10.00	Consolidated Gas Supply	40.00
M/M James P. Whilite	Thousandaire	10.00	Mudfork Church of Christ	60.00
M/M Harold Ball	Thousandaire	10.00	Hollybrook Church of Christ	10.00
M/M Gary Brown	Thousandaire	10.00	Mr. George F. Burnett	25.00
Louise White	Thousandaire	20.00	Central Church of Christ	75.00
Faith & Works Class	Thousandaire	10.00	General Telephone Refund	50.92
Falls Mills Christian Church			Roderfield Christian Church	120.00
Michael Jones	Thousandaire	10.00	Memory of Mr. Earl Tabor	2.00
Pettry Youth Group	Thousandaire	10.00	By: M/M Abe Leedy	
Memory of Mr. Frank Schrader	Thousandaire	20.00	In Memory of Mr. Earl Tabor	183.00
By Mrs. Winnie Schrader			By: Friends and neighbors of M/M Don Tabor in Rural Hall and Tobaccoville, NC	
M/M Frank Watkins	Gideons	20.00	Memory of Earl Tabor	20.00
Mildred Puckett	Gideons	25.00	By: Roger W. Spear	
Grassy Spur Church of Christ	Gideons	70.00	Memory of Earl Tabor	50.00
N.J. Jessie, Jr.	Gideons	30.00	By: M/M Donald W. Tabor	
Memory of Bob Hedrick & M/M H.T. Goforth	Chairs	25.00	Pine Grove Church of Christ	200.00
By: Mrs. Francis Hedrick			Income from Christ Birthday Offering	<u>1,187.06</u>
M/M Henry Hill	Chairs	7.00	Months Income	6,787.46
M/M Donald Barie	Chairs	20.00	Net Income	6,997.36
Falls Mills Christian Church	Chairs (for church)	715.60		
Russell Mathena	Chairs	539.56	<b>Less Expenses:</b>	
Edith White	500 Club	5.00	Needed to meet last Month's Expenses	834.88
M/M Stanley Berry	500 Club	5.00	3268 Russell Mathena, Chairs	25.00
M/M David Yuhasz	500 Club	5.00	3269 Russell Mathena, Petty Cash	44.14
Ruby Carter	500 Club	15.00	3270 Russell Mathena, Mileage	39.15
M/M/Darrell Burton	500 Club	20.00	3271 Russell Mathena, Gift	100.00
M/M C. K. Buffalow	500 Club	20.00	3272 W.Va. Income Tax	27.95
M/M Glen Corner	500 Club	10.00	3273 Commerical Bank, Inc. Tax Dep. for Dec.	520.29
M/M James E. Meadows, Jr.	500 Club	10.00	3274 General Telephone	26.29
Mrs. W. L. Keese	500 Club	20.00	3275 Paper Supply, Office Supplies	12.60
M/M Wayne Black	500 Club	10.00	3276 A.E.P. Co.	3.17
M/M Wayne Black	500 Club	10.00	3277 Bailey Lumber Co., Lock	12.33
Walter Burnopp, Jr.	500 Club	10.00	3278 Commerical Printing Co., Office Supplies	10.26
M/M Floyd Ferguson	500 Club	10.00	3279 Gene Pennington, Chairs	1,255.20
Ruby E. Carter	500 Club	15.00	3280 Roy J. Hale, Telephone	19.80
Edith White	500 Club	5.00	3281 Roy J. Hale, Truck	20.00
M/M David A. Wills	500 Club	10.00	3282 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
M/M G. R. Martin	500 Club	25.00	3283 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
Walter Burnopp, Jr.	500 Club	10.00	3284 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
Walter E. Hudson	500 Club	10.00	3285 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
M/M Robert Shrader	500 Club	5.00	3286 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
M/M Curtis Shrader	500 Club	5.00	3287 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
M/M Curtis Shrader	500 Club	5.00	3288 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
Church of Christ Pettry	CAP	60.00	3289 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
M/M Russell Mathena		30.00	3290 The Print Shop	135.00
Bluefield College of Evangelism		541.75	3291 U.S. Postmaster	100.00
Memory of Mr. John Webb		15.00	3292 Commerical Bank, Tax Deposit	520.31
By M/M Ed Hilton & Alecia			3293 Commerical Bank, Note Payment	522.39
Christian Church of Bluewell		32.00	3294 Commerical Bank, Gideons & Thousandaire	255.00
M/M Clifton Elmore		10.00	3295 Bluefield Supply, Bldg. Paint	<u>3.77</u>
Church of Christ at Mapleview		125.00	Total Expenses	6,297.87
Midway Church of Christ		115.00	Balance after Expenses	699.49
Duhring Church of Christ		50.00		
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Bill White		20.00		
Communtiy Christian Church, Hinton		23.00		
Church of Christ at Pettry		60.00		
Memory of Buster Osborn, Florida -		15.00		
By: Grace Thompson & Pear Collins				
M/M Russell Mathena		30.00		
Willowton Christian Church		20.00		
First Christian Church, Montcalm		62.96		
Oak Grove Christian Chruch		114.00		
Midway Chruch of Christ		25.00		
Ierona Chruch of Christ		10.00		
M/M Dic. Burbage		10.00		
Hillcrest Church of Christ		10.00		
M/M Russell Mathena		30.00		
U.S. Treasury, Tax Refund		503.61		
Cedar Grove Church of Christ		20.00		
Falls Mills Christian Church		400.00		
Midway Church of Christ		400.00		
Church of Christ, Goodwin Chapel		60.00		
Springville Christian Church		25.00		
Bozoo Christian Church		45.00		

**ALL GIFTS TO CHRISTIAN ACRES  
ARE TAX DECUCTIBLES!!!!!!!**

## SNOWBALL RETREAT HUGE SUCCESS!

Tommy Oakes lived up to all our expectations. He was just superb as always! (Tommy, I know you're reading this so you can send me that \$5 you promised if I said that!)

Twelve different churches were represented from among the 67 who attended. Forty-five youth, 12 adult sponsors, and 10 staff were on hand to hear Tommy's memorable quote, "If you break the stick, you break the stick!" Approximately 125 attended the Youth Rally.

Below is a complete breakdown of churches who were present. This excludes the musicians and cooks who were present among the 10 staff.

CHURCH	YOUTH	SPONSORS
Athens	4	1
Bozoo	6	2
Duhring	1	0
Falls Mills	5	2
Grandview	6	0
Lerona	7	2
Mapleview	2	4
Memorial	1	0
Midway	4	0
Mudfork	2	0
Pine Grove	4	1
Southside	3	0

A total of \$359 was received. \$95 was spent for food, \$39 for electricity and \$225 for the speaker. Our special thanks to Midway, Mapleview, Pine Grove, Mudfork, Falls Mills and Duhring for providing us with baked beans and cakes. And we give our special thanks to Jackie Herndon who headed the kitchen detail, and to Nehi and McDonald's for providing us with drinks.

**CHRISTIAN ACRES**  
Box 3005  
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Address Correction Requested

## JESUS' BIRTHDAY OFFERING DOUBLES!

Thanks to you, the Jesus' Birthday Offering took in twice what it took in last year. We would like to thank all the individuals and the church who contributed to C/A through this yearly fund. Below is a list of contributors.

Beginners Class Willowton Christian Church	5.00
Edith White	50.00
M/M Stanley Berry	10.00
M/M James L. Brown	15.00
M/M James R. Wilhite	15.00
Eva Coutler	15.00
Ada Berbert	10.00
M/M Neil Gilliland	7.50
Lerona Church of Christ	73.36
M/M Willard B. Hill	50.00
M/M William B. Hogan	10.00
M/M Roger Meador	10.00
M/M Erman Ratcliff	20.00
Mrs. R.N. Brown	5.00
Anomyous	10.00
M/M Herbert Taylor	10.00
Goodwin's Chapel Church of Christ	41.00
M/M Robert McCoy	10.00
Betty Billips	10.00
Memorial Church of Christ	50.48
Church of Christ at Pettrey	67.00
Sandra's Beauty Shop	10.00
M/M Russell Mathena	10.00
M/M Michael Smith	50.00
M/M Kenneth Hylton	50.00
Mary Weaver	5.00
Elsie Lyle	1.00
First Christian Church, Chapmanville	10.00
M/M Hollis T. Christian	20.00
M/M Frank Watkins	25.00
M/M Bobby Broyles	5.00
M/M John R. Presley	10.00
Mrs. Augusta Ratliff	5.00
O. Ike Keaton	20.00
First Christian Church, Hinton	76.72
Falls Mill Christian Church	400.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,187.06</b>

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**"Children are the interest on the bonds of matrimony."**