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with the Lord

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Gladys Smith

LADIES RETREAT IS AUGUST 14-15!

The big event is the Ladies' Retreat. Gladys Smith is the special speaker. "That We All May Be One!" is the theme. The goal is 300 ladies! --twice the size of the Men's Clinic!

Kick-off Sunday is the 11th of July when all ladies from the area congregations are encouraged to pre-register. An award will be given to the two top congregations having the most in attendance out of those pre-registered. All pre-registrations should be mailed to Pam Smith, Rt. 4, Box 167H, Bluefield, WV by August 1.

The great male chefs of the area will have your great meal as usual all prepared and waiting. Everything is being made ready. We are prepared--but the ladies wanted to be pre-PRAY-ed too, so a prayer meeting of all interested ladies will be held at the Mudfork Church of Christ on August 5 at 7:30.

CAMP OFF TO BIG START!

Frank Watkins has had his hands full of 53 campers for the first Junior week. This first week is in session while the Chronicle is being prepared for printing. The youngsters and the faculty alike have had a real super week thus far.

Our thanks go out to Frank and his team of workers for the sacrifice of love and talent for YOUR youngsters.

We take this space to remind you that we must RECEIVE your pre-registrations in the C/A office TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE if you desire the discount of \$5.

We also covet your prayers for the cooks, the management, the staff and especially the campers for every week. And come out and help!

If you have any questions just call the C/A phone number at 589-6296, repeatedly if necessary! We're out of the office quite a lot and miss your phone calls.

TWO AREA CONGREGATIONS UNITE!

Two area congregations will soon be non-existent. The Christian Church at Bluewell and the Southside Church of Christ have agreed to dissolve their separate fellowships. In their places will arise the Evangelistic Christian Church. (They will be meeting on Farmer St. in the building originally used by Southside.) The united fellowship will come together to worship for the first time on July 11, 1982. Services will begin at 10:00. The church invites everyone to join them on that day as they begin this new venture.

FIRST AREA MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

IS JULY 31 at C/A at 7:30

SEPTIC SYSTEM INSTALLED!

Our special thanks to all the men who came out to help us put the septic system in. Hats off especially to Rick Townley without whose help it would have been 100% tougher.

Below is a partial listing of the men who helped: David Yuhasz, Paul Tabor, Gene Leedy, Jim Hale, Rick Mathena, Jonce Leedy, Ernie Davis, Jim Haines, Kendall Collier, and Rick Townley.

A special thanks too to Jim, Jonce, Billy Goodman, Paul Burks, and Pat Carter for working in the bath house to hook up the fixtures. Wayne and Judy Black have also donated every Tuesday to work here on campus. At present they are painting the bathhouse.

The approx. cost of the septic system is \$2400 installed. We do not have a cost yet on the inside work. We did save about \$1000 by doing the septic work ourselves.

GIDEON REACHES 50 MARK!

Three more precious volunteers were added to the Gideon's 300 Program to bring our grand total of members to 50! This means that we are now just over 16% of the way home to having our 300 for Gideon's army.

The Goodwyn's Chapel Teen Girl's Class, M/M Wayne Anderson, and Eugene and Sandra Ransom were our three special new friends to the Gideon Program.

We still need 250 more souls to help pay off the pool indebtedness by giving us \$120 any which way they choose. Why not let us know today that you are interested?

C.A.G.E., C.A.R.E., AND C.A.K.E. GIFTS

A great host of gifts came in this month for these projects. Below is a complete breakdown:

Athens Print Shop--500 Envelopes
Grace Thompson--68 Soup Labels, 47 B/C coupons
Ivory Hawley--125 Soup Labels
Sharon Dickenson--odds and ends for kitchen including a popcorn popper
Elizabeth Ransom--23 Soup Labels
Roy Bumgardener--50 Adhesive Sealant tubes.
Young Adults Class--Grandview 20 C/S labels
\$200 for recreational equipment
Primary Church--Grandview--\$50 for recreational equipment
Mrs. B.E. Hill--260 B/C coupons
Hecks (Princeton store)--25 rolls of color slides
Lanny Stike, Assistant Manager
Wayne and Judy Black via Jeff Brown Mobile Home--55 ft. trailer.

NEW CROSS PROJECT WELL UNDERWAY!

When you arrive on campus now, you can't miss the new 60 ft. "on the ground" cross. The Christian Church at Bluewell men have been hard at work laying the railroad ties, digging up the grass, and making way for white marble and flowers for the inside. If any of our readers have any marigolds or other long-blooming flowers, please drop them by the C/A office as soon as possible. If your ladies' group was wishing to help in a financial way, just donate the money to C/A and mark for "Cross Project."

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

FALLS MILLS--Frank Watkins wanted to thank all the congregations who came to visit. Aver. Att. was 165 with 1 baptism and 1 rededication.

PINE GROVE--THIS NOTE FROM KENDALL COLLIER --"I would like to send out to the 20 churches that supported our revival at Pine Grove, a Great Big THANK YOU. It is wonderful to be in an area where LOVE, FORGIVENESS, and FELLOWSHIP abounds among the church. Thank you again for your support."

MANNA GIFTS WILL BE GREAT HELP!

If anyone deserved the "Second Miler" award it would have to be all the area congregations that participated in the Manna Program. Indeed all of you have gone the second mile, above and beyond the call of duty. Gifts of money came from Bozoo, Peterstown, Montcalm, Hollybrook, Central, Lindside, Willowton, Duhring, Athens, and a double dose from Fayetteville.

PAVILLION FUND PICKING UP INTEREST.

"Cornerstone", a young adult class at Pine Grove and the Fayetteville congregation called in to say that they wanted to donate \$100 toward the pavillion as Hollybrook had done last month. This means as soon as we let them know they will send us \$100 if we can get about 23 more churches, individuals, or classes to promise to send their \$100 in too! This amount will put the pavillion under roof. An additional \$1000 or a total cost of \$3300 is needed for the pavillion and a concrete slab to go under it. If you haven't approached your class or your church yet, please do so and let us know of your willingness to help.

FINANCIAL STATE FOR CHRISTIAN ACRES JUNE, 1982

Balance		1.41
Income Receipts:		
Clara Anderson	Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Kenneth Carter	Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Gary Richmond	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Walter Scott	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Eugene Belcher	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Harold Pennington	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Carlos Crawford	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M David Phipps	Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Dic Burbage	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Johnny Steel	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M David Belcher	Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Herbert Taylor	Thousandaire	10.00
Jon Michael Jones	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Bill Blackwell	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Fred Bowman, Jr.	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Roger Meador	Thousandaire	10.00
Mrs. Grace Thompson	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Roger Stansfield	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Doug Noel	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Edward T. Scott	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Darrel Burton	Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Darrel Burton	Gideons	20.00
M/M Edward Scott	Gideons	10.00
M/M Gary Brown	Gideons	10.00
M/M Herb Taylor	Gideons	20.00
Mrs. W. L. Keesee	Gideons	10.00
M/M Hollis Christian	Gideons	30.00
Edith White	Gideons	5.00
M/M Frank Beavers	Gideons	10.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson	Gideons	10.00
M/M Stanley Berry	Gideons	5.00
Walter Hudson	Gideons	10.00
M/M Frank Watkins	Gideons	25.00
M/M J. Thomas Brown	Gideons	25.00
Teen Girls Class, Goodwins Church of Christ	Gideons	20.00
Ruby E. Carter	Gideons	15.00
M/M G. R. Martin	Gideons	25.00
Chad Mathena	Gideons	.50
Roderfield Christian Church	Gideons	20.00
Williams Chapel Ch. of Christ	CAP	100.00
Elizabeth Thurman	CAP	12.00
Miner Scott	CAP	5.00
Oak Grove Christian Church	CAP	81.26
M/M Russell Mathena		35.00
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Midway Church of Christ		227.00
O. Ike Keaton		20.00
M/M James L. Brown		15.00
M/M Clifton Elmore		10.00
Church of Christ at Pettry		60.00
Christian Church at Bluewell		36.40
Edward C. Duncan		1.00
Hillcrest Church of Christ		10.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ		400.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ		40.00
Mudfork Church of Christ		60.00
Mudfork Church of Christ		342.00
Bozoo Christian Church		45.00
Lerona Church of Christ		20.00
Central Church of Christ		75.00
Community Christian Church		22.00
Bernard Ray Harrell		300.00
Memory of Laura White & George Ruble		25.00
U.S. Treasury (Refund)		523.02
Willowton Christian Church		20.00
Grandview Christian Church (Recreational Equipment)		250.00
Primary Church 50.00, Young Adult Class 200.00		
Springville Christian Church		25.00
Church of Christ at Mapleview		125.00
Oak Grove Christian Church		126.00
Laurel Fork Church of Christ		10.00
Mr. George F. Burnett		25.00

Duhring Church of Christ	50.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	400.00
First Christian Church, Hinton	25.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ	20.00
Memorial Church of Christ	50.00
Midway Church of Christ	400.00
First Christian Church, Montcalm	102.30
Camp Registration	1,232.50
Fish Fry (General Board Members)	250.00
Receipts from Fish Fry	541.32
Receipts from Men's Clinic	649.00
Lindsay Christian Church, Manna Program	52.00
Bozoo Christian Church, Manna Program	22.00
Central Church of Christ, Manna Program	100.00
Glen Lyn Christian Church, Manna Program	100.00
Total Monthly Income	7,670.40

Expenses for Christian Acres June 1982	
3414 Jim Hale (trip to Roanoke)	20.00
3415 Russell Mathena Mileage	36.75
3416 Russell Mathena, Petty Cash	94.69
3417 Morgan McGlothlin, Pool Work	487.50
3418 Morgan McGlothlin, Pool Work	135.00
3419 Wally Scott, Lifeguard	100.00
3420 Russell Mathena, Canteen	100.00
3421 Christian Acres, Manna Program	274.00
3422 Thousandaire Club to Commercial Bank	250.00
3423 Russell Mathena, Petty Cash for Kitchen	100.00
3424 The Print Shop	135.00
3425 Bluefield Business Machines (May Pay)	60.00
3426 Commercial Bank of Bluefield, Note Payment (May)	522.39
3427 Commercial Bank of Bluefield, Tax Pay (May)	582.83
3428 Paper Supply, Kitchen Supplies	259.41
3429 City Provisions, Food, Fish Fry, Mens Clinic	703.48
3430 Bailey Lumber Co. Pool	102.86
3431 J. E. Leedy, Food-Fish Fry	26.61
3432 Powell's Lawn & Tractor Co., Tractor Parts	13.10
3433 AEP Co.	41.37
3434 General Telephone	60.56
3435 Roy J. Hale, Truck	20.00
3436 Roy J. Hale, Telephone	23.50
3437 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
3438 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
3439 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
3440 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
3441 Roy J. Hale, Salary	252.79
3442 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3443 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3444 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3445 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3446 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3447 Russell Mathena, (Add. salary for summer months)	400.00
3448 Thompson Brothers, Food	183.16
3449 City Provisions, Food	445.26
3450 Flav-O-Rich, Food	70.39
3451 Bluefield Business Machines, June Pay.	60.00
Total Expenses	7,308.21

Balance after Expenses 363.60

Need to meet Expenses:	
Commercial Bank, Taxes	\$582.82
Commercial Bank Note Pay.	\$522.39
National Pools	\$746.97
The Print Shop	\$135.00
U.S. Postmaster	\$150.00
	<u>\$2,137.18</u>
Balance owed on pool	\$26,292.76

TWO JOIN THOUSANDAIRE!

Membership in the Thousandaire Club continues to grow. This month M/M Paul Blevins and M/M Morrison Plumley Jr. joined. Our grand total now is 155.

26 CHURCHES REPRESENTED AT MEN'S CLINIC.!

When all the dust settled on Saturday afternoon, June 5, 146 different men from 26 churches had attended a great spirited 1982 Men's Clinic. The speaking, the singing, the food, the fellowship was the greatest--the cold shower (or as Oscar Schwitzerlette said, "The quick shower") was the only "negative" comment I heard! Ha!

Many came from far off--some so close chose not to. For that reason we did not reach our 250 goal. But then again there's always next year!

John Belcher won the 1st registration award. Tracy Christian drove 1000 miles and stole the longest distance award. The Christian Church at Bluewell won the highest percentage with 100% pre-registration. Grandview Christian Church is still shining their trophy for the highest % of the church over 90 in S.S. attendance.

Our special thanks to Scott Morris, Jack Cottrell and the Goins' Bro's 2nd Edition for the great job that they all did.

Below is a complete registration breakdown.

Athens	5	Lerona	12
Central	5	Lindside	5
Bozoo	6	Mapleview	24
Chr.Ch. at Bluewell	8	Meadowview	1
Cedar Grove	12	Midway	13
Duhring	2	Mudfork	7
Falls Mills	5	Pettry	1
Florida	1	Pine Grove	5
Grandview	17	Oak Grove	1
Hollybrook	1	Roderfield	4
Horsepen	1	Springville	1
Hillcrest	1	Peterstown	8
Ingleside	1	Williams Chapel	9

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Address Correction Requested

CAMP HELPERS

Camp could not exist and run smoothly without helpers at meal time. Below is a complete breakdown of past and up-coming week helpers.

Jr. I
Breakfast
Lunch
Supper

Dean - Frank Watkin
Falls Mills
Mudfork
Falls Mills

Jr. II
Breakfast
Lunch
Supper

Dean - Tony Reed
Mapleview
Mapleview
Mapleview

Jr. III
Breakfast every day is open
Lunch & Supper Monday
Lunch & Supper Tues.
Lunch & Supper Wed.
Lunch & Supper Thur.
Open all day Friday

Dean - Bob Stanley
Athens
Grandview
Glen Lyn
Grandview

Jun. High
Breakfast open all week
Lunch all week
Supper all week

Dean - Jay Meadows
Chr. Church at Bluewell
Williams Chapel and
Dottie Griffith

First Chance
Breakfast open
Lunch
Supper

Dean - Johnny Elmore
Williams Chapel
Midway

Senior I
Breakfast open all week
Lunch & Supper Mon.-Tues.
Lunch Wed.
Supper Wed.
Lunch & Supper Thur.
Lunch & Supper Friday

Dean - Scott Morris
Lerona
Hillcrest
Springville
Cedar Grove
Bozoo

Senior II
Breakfast open all week
Lunch all week
Supper all week

Dean - David Yuhasz
Pine Grove
Hillcrest

"Open" means we need help. Call camp office if you can help fill in.

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DON'T FORGET TO PRE-REGISTER 2 WEEKS IN ADVANCE!