



C/A CAMP
"Fun in the
Atmosphere of Faith"

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BUCK-A-MONTH CLUB HAS BIG START-UP!

We are extremely pleased with the first month's results for the Buck-A-Month Club. We know of many other congregations that are participating but I have not yet received their list of names. We have already received first payments from several congregations. Midway sent their first check of \$50 and Pine Grove mailed in a check for \$63. Below is a list of the churches and the individuals who are our "charter members" for the past month of May - all 148 of them!

MIDWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST - 71

Homer and Joyce Moore
Pam and Mike Smith
Horace Hill
Otis White Jr.
Carla Taylor
Glen Chandler
M/M Paul Harry, Jr.
Paul and Myrtle Harry
Juline Yost
Lydia Townley
Corine Hill
Dorcas Johnston
Ruby Blackwell
Michelle Chandler
Stacy Blackwell
Carol Hogan
Jack & Phyllis Cornet
Bill Webb Jr.
Susie Webb
Kenneth and Freda Carter
Ricky Carter
Herb and Nancy Taylor
Bonnie, Karen, Velvet Blackwell
Teresa Webb
Pam Sarver
Sarah Ferguson
Rick and Beverly Bradley
Brad and Sharon Henderson
Grace Thompson
Cindi Terry
Shirley Levitt
Jeff Harry
Jim and Renee Harry
Velma Scott
Helen Steele
Bill and Willie Hill
Ralph and Paula Hale
Bill Webb Sr.
Chris Iddings.
Dory Hawley
Penny Pearcy
Bill Levitt
Don and Peggy Witt

George Nolley
Glen Mabrey
Sharon Mabrey
Ernest and Maria Szakacs
Dellas Barlow
Ruby Carter
Hazel Landreth
Mildred Puckett
Lola Farmer
Lucille Reminer
Frances Chandler
Mary Wellman

CLAYPOOL HILL CH. OF CHRIST -31

Marty Street
Tracie Morris
Brad Lester
Loretta Powers
Amy Morris
Joyce Morris
Jim and Vicky Simpson
Carol McTague
Gary and Betty Null
Cheri McCoy
Michael McCoy
Mark Singleton
Nancy Ramey
Charlie Morris
Stella Mullins
Vaughn Lester
Robert Smith
Jesse Curry Jr.
Glen Street
Diana Singleton
Stephen Morris
Jeremiah Crouse
Melanie Simpson
Hope Lester
Scott McCoy
Matthew Null
Amanda Smith
Ruth Smith
Ryan Null

SPRINGVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH - 18

Lucille Buckland
Harry and Phyllis Yates
Eugene and Cathleen Shrader
Arlie and Mary Ann Riffe
C.K. and Marlene Buffalow
C.H. Shrader
James Shrader
Harry Wallace
Larry Shrader
Sonny Scott
Jess Puckett
Judy Heldreth
Mary Shrader
Mary Wallace

PINE GROVE CHURCH OF CHRIST - 28

Gene Bailey
Judy Bailey
Janet Powers
Phyllis Gibson
Freda Peters
Nancy Mitchell
Buddy Kitts
Sandra Kitts
Albert Mitchell
David Linkous
Evelyn Linkous
Oshe Surface
Paul Whittaker
Darrell Hodges
Norma Hodges
Pat Muncy
Ken Muncy
Hank Bell
Kathleen Bell
Howard Perkins
Peggy Whittaker
Doug Powers
Glada Iddings
Jaynette Gibson
Hattie Helke
Jack Johnson
Frank Beavers

FAMILY CAMP IS AUGUST 30-SEPT. 1

Keith Keeran is our special featured speaker for the annual Labor Day weekend C/A Family Camp. We already have an inquiry from central Florida from a family who wants to come. I wrote him asking how he found out about our family camp. If he can come a 1,000 miles, some of you can drive 10!

We'll kick off the clinic with Friday session at 7:30. Saturday we will have morning workshops, afternoon recreation including a hay ride, a weenie roast, and another main session at the regular time at 7:30. Sunday night will be the ever-popular ALL AREA GOSPEL SING. We have several groups confirmed. We'll have publicity and details in your hands by August 1st. Plan now to come, to commute, or to camp out with us for the 2nd Annual C/A Family Camp. The only charge is .75¢ per person for insurance.

GIFTS BOUNCING RIGHT ALONG ...

Heading the list of gifts to C/A this month are two gross of ping-pong balls. We had two kind families from Grandview give us 144 ping pong balls each - M/M Gary Richmond and M/M Lionel Lilly. Below is a listing of other contributions to C/A this past month.

People's Bank of Bluewell - pencils
Shannon, Scott & Jean Meadows - 34 soup labels
Billy & Melanie Hazelwood - 36 soup labels
Shirley Garten - 17 soup labels
Roger & Betty Stroupe - soup labels
Alberta Mabe - 160 soup labels
Anonymous - 100 soup labels
Mildred Smith & Duretha Williams - soup labels
Lucille Shrader - pot holders
M/M Henry Glancy - 44 soup labels
M/M Tracy Christian - 85 soup labels
M/M Buddy Kitts - First Aid Stretcher
Amanda Perdue - 13 soup labels
Patricia Willey - 20 soup labels

KEY CLUB ADDS THREE!

M/M John Scott, Dela Miles, and David and Melinda Wills joined the KEY CLUB in May. These three families are giving monthly support, the backbone of any organization, to C/A for a set amount of months.

YOUTH RALLY PAYS TRACTOR BILL

Our hats off to the Bluefield Area Youth Rally for picking up the tab on our tractor repairs. We had a new clutch installed at a cost of \$483.95.

RICK TOWNLEY DOES PAVILLION WIRING!

Our special thanks to Rick Townley who has spent many hours wiring our lights into the pavillion. By the time you get this Chronicle, the lights should be on - thanks to you Rick!

BRAMWELL, PETERSTOWN & LERONA USE C/A AS VBS MISSIONARY!

Three area congregations have already used the C/A VBS slide programs for their summer Vacation Bible Schools. Bramwell held their very first and received \$30.16 for C/A. Peterst... sent in \$167.60. Lerona received \$83.47 in behalf of C/A. Our special thanks to these three for choosing C/A. If your congregation wants to use the slide program varying in length from 2 minutes to 7 minutes, please contact us for an appointment for use of the program.

CENTRAL GETS NEW MINISTER!

We welcome John and Laura Gasser and "?" to the area. (Laura is expecting.) They began their ministry with Central just over a month ago. They have already contributed their talents to C/A, having worked Jr. I week of camp.

24 CHURCHES REPRESENTED AT CLINIC!

185 AREA men registered for the 1985 C/A Men's Clinic. They came from 24 different congregations. (See registration and attendance breakdown below.) We averaged 133 in attendance on Friday night and 70 on Saturday morning. Our special appreciation to Tom Long, 1985 Chairman - who was also selected to head up the clinic for 1986. (Tom, I believe we're going to beat those women this year!)

CHURCH	REGISTERED	ATTENDED
Ada	2	2
Athens	5	5
Bozoo	5	3
Cedar Grove	4	3
Central	6	4
Duhring	7	7
Falls Mills	43	23
1st Chr. Glen Burnie	6	6
Glen Lyn	6	6
Grandview	16	16
Hollybrook	2	2
Lerona	7	7
Lindside	1	1
Mapleview	23	9
Memorial	2	2
Midway	20	9
Montcalm	6	6
Mudfork	2	2
Peterstown	11	10
Pettry	1	1
Pikeview	3	3
Rt. 20	3	3
Willowton	2	2
Williams Chapel	2	2

5 JOIN THE THOUSANDAIRE CLUB!

Last month was a good month for Thousandaire Club. We have five new members. They are Elwood and Jane Matney, M/M John S... William and Hilda Kessinger, M/M Ed Pell, and Fred and Dorothy Workman. Thanks to you all for giving your \$10 twice a year.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR C/A MAY 1985

Balance	775.02
Incoming Receipts:	
Ronceverte Christian Church Circle 3, Gideons	10.00
Evelyn Bowman, Pool	10.00
M/M Roger Meador, Thousandaire	10.00
Lillian Whittaker, Thousandaire	10.00
O. Ike Keaton, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Jessie Burkes, Thousandaire	20.00
Mrs. Elsie T. Jones, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Randall Bailey, Thousandaire	10.00
Lerona Ladies Circle, Thousandaire	10.00
Vida M. White, Thousandaire	20.00
Bernice Via, Thousandaire	10.00
Trevor Butterworth, Thousandaire	10.00
Mrs. W. L. Keesee, Thousandaire	10.00
Arlene Stansfield, Thousandaire	10.00
Patty Brinkley, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M R. C. Buckland, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Roy Dickenson, Thousandaire	20.00
Mrs. J. G. Meadows, Thousandaire	10.00
Mrs. Bertie Whitley, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M William Blackwell, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Jon Michael Jones, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Chester E. Tabor, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M L. K. Beavers, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M L. E. Hopkins, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M E. M. Belcher, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Darrell Powers, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M William Levitt, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Aubrey Johnson, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Joseph Deweese, Thousandaire	10.00
Bozoo, C.M.S., Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Ernest Harton, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Wayne McClure, Thousandaire	10.00
Ima Jean Brooks, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M James E. Meadows, Jr., Thousandaire	10.00
Women's Fellowship, 1st Christ. Church, Hinton, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M David Zutaut, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M John Cottle, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M John Arnold, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Donald Dunbar, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M L. W. Buckland, Jr., Thousandaire	10.00
Ada Berbert, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M James R. Wilhite, Thousandaire	20.00
Bernice L. Alvis, Thousandaire	10.00
Mary Harris, Thousandaire	15.00
M/M Frank Goodrich, Thousandaire	10.00
Mrs. T. E. George, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Acie W. Albert, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Hubert F. Taylor, Thousandaire	10.00
Clara E. Anderson, Thousandaire	20.00
Grace J. Thompson, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Russell Mathena, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Walter C. Scott, Jr., Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Harold Ball, Thousandaire	10.00
Arlene Stansfield, Pool	10.00
M/M Donnie Bailey, Pool	10.00
M/M Donald Thomas, Pool	10.00
M/M Daniel Owens, Pool	20.00
Anonymous, Pool	100.00
M/M Paul E. Tabor, Pool	60.00
Fannie Dickenson, Pool	5.00
Jane Taylor, Pool	10.00
Cassie Taylor, Pool	5.00
Anonymous, Pool	725.00
M/M Russell Mathena, Pool	28.00
Laurel Fork Church of Christ	100.00
M/M Clarence Bowman, Key Club	20.00
M/M James E. Meadows, Jr., Key Club	10.00
Mrs. W. L. Keesee, Key Club	10.00
Trevor A. Butterworth, Key Club	5.00
Bernice Via, Key Club	5.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson, Key Club	10.00
M/M Steve Willis, Key Club	10.00
Edith White, Key Club	5.00
Walter E. Hudson, Key Club	10.00
M/M Danny Meadows, Key Club	5.00
M/M George Zutaut, Key Club	50.00
M/M Lawrence Phipps, Key Club	20.00
M/M Harley Dunford, Key Club	10.00
Ruby E. Carter, Key Club	15.00
M/M Harry Yates, Key Club	20.00
Evelyn Bowman	10.00
Grassy Spur Church of Christ CAP	26.00
Midway Church of Christ	225.00
Fayetteville Church of Christ	10.00
Bozoo Christian Church	50.00
Mudfork Church of Christ	60.00
Church of Christ at Pettrey	60.00

Mudfork Church of Christ, CAP	25.00
Church of Christ Rt. 20	10.00
Central Church of Christ	75.00
Community Christian Church, Hinton	20.00
Roderfield Christian Church	40.00
Lindside Christian Church	50.00
Pikeview Christian Church	10.00
M/M William Ball	50.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	40.00
Church of Christ Rt. 20	10.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ	400.00
Esther P. Elmore	10.00
M/M Floyd F. Ferguson	10.00
M/M Eddie Meadows	5.00
Lindside Christian Women's Fellowship	25.00
Lerona Church of Christ	40.00
M/M Russell Mathena	45.00
M/M Russell Mathena	45.00
M/M Russell Mathena	45.00
M/M Russell Mathena	45.00
M/M Russell Mathena	54.00
Church of Christ, Mapleview	100.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ	20.00
Midway Church of Christ	400.00
Grandview Christian Church	100.00
Willowton Christian Church	20.00
Springville Christian Church	25.00
Oak Grove Christian Church	156.00
First Christian Church, Hinton	25.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	400.00
George F. Burnett	25.00
Monthly Income	4,699.00
Total Income	5,474.02

Less Expenses:	
4574 Russell Mathena, Mileage	41.55
4575 Roy J. Hale, Mileage	53.95
4576 Russell Mathena, Petty Cash	72.50
4577 Commercial Bank, Thousandaire, Gid. & Pool	1,755.50
4578 Radio Shack, Tele. Recorder	99.95
4579 Powell's Lawn & Garden, Tractor Repairs	72.40
4580 Goodman Plumbing, Pavillion Work	487.91
4581 Bailey Lumber, Pavillion Work	6.49
4582 Electrical Supply Co., Pavillion Work	26.04
4583 S & W Equipment, Tractor Repairs	483.95
4584 National Pools, Pool Supplies	510.18
4585 A.E.P.	38.79
4586 Commercial Printing, Office Supplies	14.76
4587 U.S. Postmaster	150.00
4588 The Print Shop	135.00
4589 Roy J. Hale, Telephone	23.30
4590 W. Va. Dept of Human Services (food)	152.93
4591 State Tax Dept.	15.00
4592 Roy J. Hale, Salary	293.84
4593 Roy J. Hale, Salary	293.84
4595 Russell Mathena, Salary	186.89
4596 Russell Mathena, Salary	186.89
Total Expenses	5,385.50
Balance	88.52

Total Income	1,042,806.87
Total Expenses	1,042,718.35

30 Pc. Offering:	
Balance	1,641.62
Grassy Spur Church of Christ	66.00
Midway Church of Christ	360.40
Total Income	425.40
Net Total	2,067.02

23 CHRONICLES RETURNED THIS MONTH!

23 people either moved this month or the Post Office changed their address. The sad thing is not a one notified C/A and we put out just over \$6.00 to get those corrected addresses. PLEASE GIVE US A CALL OR DROP US A POSTCARD AND LET US KNOW IF YOU HAVE MOVED OR YOUR ADDRESS HAS BEEN CHANGED!

CAMP OFF TO BIG START!

Our first two weeks at C/A have been full weeks. We had 86 campers the first week and white I type this Chronicle, we have 105 campers in Junior II week of camp. Our prayers have been answered thus far - because we have had no injuries that require a run to the hospital as yet.

We are now looking forward to our next five weeks of camp. Our Junior High I! We look like we're going to be down a few in this week over last last year due to the 4th of July vacations. The rest of the weeks are filling up fast so please get those pre-registration forms in.

SPECIAL NOTE: Tom Long, Senior I Dean, wants everyone to know about the special area Gospel Sing with the WATCHMEN, the Goins' Brothers, Keith and Bethany Groves, and Tom and Fran Long. **The big day is July 25th at 7:00.** All area Christians are invited to come.

C/A LOSES TWO DEAR FRIENDS!

The next financial report will contain "Memorial Gifts" for dear departed friends of C/A. Ed Thompson, who made all the C/A Cafeteria tables when C/A first started, and Margaret "Maw" Cundiff, who filled the tables with food during many of the special meals held at C/A, both died this past month. Our prayers are with the families.

POOL OPENS TO CHURCH PUBLIC ONLY

Just a little reminder for everyone that the C/A pool is open weekdays from 11-1 and from 5-7 (except Wed. evening) to those possessing a C/A Fellowship Card and their guests. Bookings are still open on the weekends for member churches.

LADIES RETREAT IS AUG. 9-11!

Ladies, mark those calendars now for August 9-10th. Your retreat with Betty Gray is just waiting for you. Publicity is forthcoming from the ladies retreat committee.

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ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

GRANDVIEW JR. HI S.S. CLASS SENDS \$50!

We drew a little money out of the general fund to finish off the "debt on the pool." The Grandview Jr. High S.S. Class sent us \$50 to help pay off that note. Thanks, teens!

COLLEGE HIRES NEW PRESIDENT

Bluefield College of Evangelism has hired a new president to replace David Yuhasz who has resigned. His name is Dean Price, former P/R man for Don Dewelt. Dean will be moving on the campus around July 15th.

The college is also pleased to announce that Harold Goins, formerly ministering with the Duhring Church of Christ, as the new BCE Evangelist. His major work will be in student recruitment as he travels to area and "outside the area" congregations.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

TANNERVILLE - Revival with Keith Lewis, July 7-12 at 7:30.

WILLIAMS CHAPEL - Revival with Ed Bousman July 12-14 at 7 p.m.

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