

# CHRISTIAN ACRES CHRONICLE



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## 30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING

### TURN AN ACT OF BETRAYAL INTO AN OFFERING OF LOVE!

Almost 2000 years ago Judas Iscariot betrayed our Lord for a mere 30 Pieces of Silver, the price given for a common slave! With the money the Phasisees bought a field called the Field of Blood. The money that betrayed the Lord was used for others!

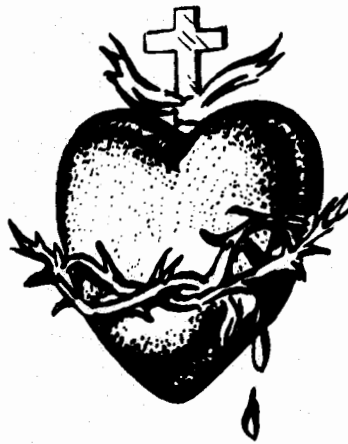
Christian Acres asks you again this year to receive this 30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING in their behalf. Already one church has placed \$1000 as their goal for this special offering. We have set \$5,000 as our goal - and we know that all churches can easily reach it. The money will go toward several projects at Christian Acres, but especially toward saving interest on the pool indebtedness.

### PINE GROVE INCREASES SUPPORT BY 100%

The great friends of Christian Acres at the Pine Grove Church of Christ have doubled their support from \$100 a month to \$200 a month! Who can help but being excited at the response of these brothers and sisters in the Lord! Thank you very much for caring about C/A! !

### PRYORS NOW CONFIRMED

Dave and Sharran Pryor are now confirmed as our CAMP MISSIONARIES for the summer. They will be in all or part of every week of camp.



On the inside of this Chronicle is stapled an envelope in which you can place a silver coin each day up to April 19th, the day in which you should give this offering at your local congregation. You may desire to send your offering directly to C/A in the event that your congregation does not take the 30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING on as their project. For those churches that do participate, simply drop this envelope in the offering plate on April 19th and the treasurer will see that it is forwarded to

us. A complete breakdown of churches and individuals who gave will come in the May issue of the Chronicle.

Some of you, our readers, will probably prefer to give a check to the 30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING. If you give through your local congregation, make the check payable to them and mark it in the "FOR" slot, either 30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING or C/A OFFERING. If you send the check to Christian Acres, make the contribution out to us and mark the "FOR" slot, 30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING.

### DUHRING CHURCH OF CHRIST DOUBLES SUPPORT!

Pat Pickett, minister from Duhring, informs me that the great folks at Duhring have also voted to increase their support from \$25.00 a month to \$50.00 a month. News like this just thrills me and I know that it thrills you! Our hats are off to you, Duhring!

RICK CANNOT BE REACHED AT 589-5180. THIS NUMBER HAS BEEN CHANGED TO 589-6296. THE CHRISTIAN ACRES NUMBER!

The theme of all the Christian Acres Programs has been - "EVERY LITTLE HELPS!" EVERY PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE CHRONICLE CONTAINS LITTLE WAYS PEOPLE HAVE HELPED! Words like COLOSSAL, GIGANTIC, AND OVERWHELMING seem so inadequate to describe the response that has been made to all of the projects presented to you through the Chronicle. Words like EXHILIRATING, SURPRIZING, AND REWARDING describe my feelings as I see the "WHOLE LOT" being done by "EVERY LITTLE HELPER"

**ATHENS CHURCH OF CHRIST GOES ALL OUT - DO THEY C.A.R.E.?**

Yes! Yes! Yes! The Athens Church of Christ cares! Every Sunday School class took C/A on as a missions project for the Christian Acres Recreational Program during the Christmas season. Below is a list of the things provided by this ONE congregation . . .

Beginner Class	10 Hot Pot Pads, 1 dishcloth
Primary Class	Lawn Dart Set
Junior Class	Basketball/Table Tennis Set
Jr. High Class	Softball
Senior Class	Aluminum Bat
Adult Class	\$40

With the forty dollars given to the CARE program, we purchased two basketballs, 1 table tennis set, 2 softball bats, 1 50 piece set of silverware, and a package of needles.

We have been asking congregations to each do a little! EVERY LITTLE HELPS! But Athens basically stocked our entire recreational department! THANK YOU!

**C.A.G.E. RESPONSES**

CAGE stand for Christian Acres General Equipment needs. Gifts this month include -

Sweeper	M/M Eugene Shrader
Refrigerator	M/M Conley Goins
Grass Weed Eater	M/M Pat Pickett

A special thanks from C/A to you generous friends!

Items still needed include:

Paper Towels	Lysol
Paper Plates	Clorox
Napkins	Dish Detergent
Toilet Tissue	Curtians for Dorm
8 oz. Styrofoam Cups	Curtain Rods

**C.A.K.E. RESPONSES!**

CAKE stand for Christian Acres Kitchen Equipment. Gifts for which C/A is deeply grateful include -

- 24 Towels for Kitchen - Central Church of Christ Ladies' Aid - already given!
- Food Processor - Pine Grove Church of Christ Ladies - promised!
- Tupperware Large storage container - Dorothy Walkup - already given!

**SURPRISE AT ROY AND ELIZABETH'S HOUSE**

I had been promising Roy and Elizabeth Pruett that I would stop by their house and pick up a FEW items that they had promised to give to C/A, but I had no idea! Below is a list of things tha this ONE FAMILY gave us this February:

- Two new 50 piece silverware sets
- 3 Tupperware large storage containers
- Table Tennis Set
- Electric Can Opener
- 20 rolls of Toilet Tissue
- 3 rolls of paper towels
- 2 large Ivory dish detergents

**500 CLUB GROWS AND GROWS!**

Only a little over four months ago only two individuals were giving directly to Christian Acres. Now the number is 24! ! These individuals give a certain amount on a MONTHLY BASIS, instead of twice a year like the THOUSANDAIRE CLUB.

This month seven new supporting members have been added. They include M/M C. K. Buffalo, Mary Dale, M/M/ Pat Pickett, Mary Gaminde, M/M/ Glen Corner, Mrs. Bobby Brummett, and M/M Billy Goodman.

With the addition of these seven, all 24 give in excess of \$165.00 a month to support the ever growing ministry of Christian Acres

**24 JOIN THOUSANDAIRE CLUB IN FEBRUARY**

Since last month's report twenty-four new members have been added to the THOUSANDAIRE CLUB. This brings the total now to 77! New members include M/M Jack Tolbert, M/M Arlie Riffe, M/M John Steele, M/M John Webb, Mildred Puckett, M/M Conley Goins, M/M James Wilhite, M/M Walter Goins, M/M James Goins, M/M John Pennington, M/M Harold Fairbanks, M/M Glen Corner, M/M Robert Buckland, Bertie Whitley, M/M James Lawrence, M/M Walter Scott, Jr., M/M Mike Jones, Shirley Mitchem, M/M C. D. Hale, Hattie Tabor, M/M David Phipps, M/M Billy Goodman, M/M Roger Stansfield, M/M Earl Tabor.

These 77 brethren have pledged to give \$10 twice a year in the months of May and November. Won't you, the readers of the Chronicle, let us know today that you wish to join this club? Don't delay, write in today!

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR CHRISTIAN ACRES — FEBRUARY 1981

Balance		1,890.21
<b>Coming Receipts:</b>		
Roderfield Christian Church	CAP	50.63
Duhring Church of Christ	CAP	200.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ	CAP	19.63
Falls Mills Christian Church	CAP	100.00
Ruby E. Carter	500 Club	15.00
Glada M. Iddings	500 Club	3.00
M/M David Yuhasz	500 Club	5.00
M/M James E. Meadows, Jr.	500 Club	10.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson	500 Club	10.00
M/M Stanley Berry	500 Club	5.00
M/M David Yuhasz	500 Club	5.00
Mary Lou Gaminde	500 Club	5.00
M/M Kenneth Buffalow	500 Club	10.00
Trevor Butterworth	500 Club	5.00
Ruby E. Carter	500 Club	15.00
Mildred E. Puckett	Thous. Club	10.00
M/M John F. Webb	Thous. Club	10.00
Roger Meador	Thous. Club	10.00
Adult Class Church of Christ, Athens	CARE	40.00
Bozoo Christian Church	Concrete Pro.	50.00
Ambassadors for Christ, Peterstown	Concrete Pro.	50.00
Duhring Church of Christ		25.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ		10.00
Springville Christian Church		25.00
First Christian Church of Montcalm		70.63
George F. Burnett		20.00
Willowton Christian Church		10.00
Midway Church of Christ		400.00
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Duhring Church of Christ		25.00
Christ of Christ, Mapleview		125.00
Bluefield College of Evangelism		433.40
First Christian Church, Hinton		20.00
Oak Grove Christian Church		103.00
M/M Clifton Elmore		10.00
M/M Russell Mathena		28.00
M/M Russell Mathena - Telephone		12.00
M/M Russell Mathena		54.00
M/M Russell Mathena		28.00
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Bozoo Christian Church		45.00
Church of Christ, Athens		60.00
Community Christian Church, Hinton		15.00
Roderfield Christian Church		20.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ		30.00
Central Church of Christ		75.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ		200.00
Church of Christ, Pettry		50.00
Lerona Church of Christ		30.00
Hillcrest Church of Christ		10.00
Black Diamond Girl Scout Troop 2336		5.00
Wudfork Church of Christ		60.00
Wudfork Church of Christ, Youth Group		5.00
Monthly Income		<u>2,798.29</u>
Net Income		4,688.50

**Less Expenses:**

2868	Russell Mathena, Mileage	42.00
2869	Russell Mathena, Petty Cash	27.00
2870	Russell Mathena, Care	39.90
2871	Thousandaire Club	30.00
2872	Concrete Program	125.00
2873	Roy J. Hale, Truck Exp.	20.00
2874	Roy J. Hale, Telephone	19.80
2875	Roy J. Hale, Salary	231.89
2876	Roy J. Hale, Salary	231.89
2877	Roy J. Hale, Salary	231.89
2878	Roy J. Hale, Salary	231.89
2879	Roy J. Hale, Soc. Sec. Ref.	7.68
2880	Russell Mathena, Salary	147.41
2881	Russell Mathena, Salary	147.41
2882	Russell Mathena, Salary	147.41
2883	Russell Mathena, Salary	147.41
2884	A.E.P. Co.	3.03
2885	Commercial Bank, Tax Dep.	487.43
2886	Multigraphics, Office Exp.	50.87
2887	General Telephone	65.20
2888	Bailey Lumber Co.	394.98
2889	The Print Shop	125.00
2890	U.S. Postmaster	100.00
2891	Commercial Bank, Pool Pay.	<u>522.29</u>
Total Expenses		3,577.38

Balance	1,111.12
Net Income	\$745,376.87
Expenses	\$744,265.75

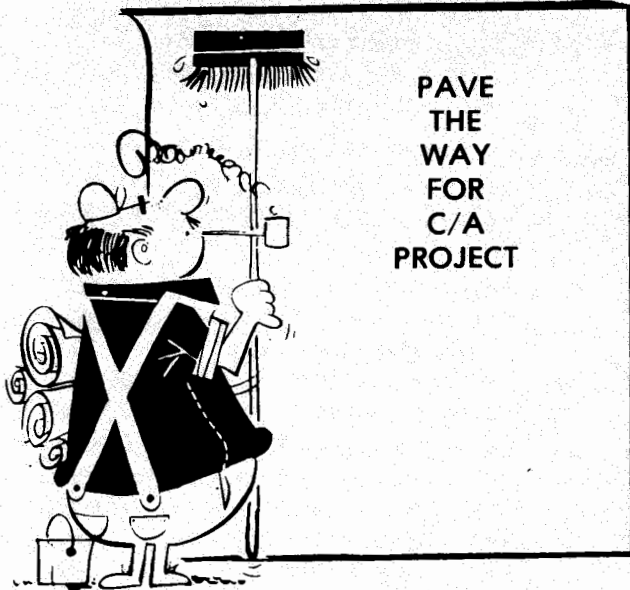
Balance owed on Pool \$33,516.87

**MISTAKE MADE!**

It was reported in the last issue of the Chronicle that Cedar Grove Church of Christ had increased their support. This was in error. Everyone was sure that they had, but Kellis McClautherty re-checked the minutes and found that they had not done so at that time.

**COUNSELORS NEEDED FOR CAMP**

If you are interested in working in any week of camp, please write or call me and let me know that you are interested in working, teaching, etc. I will present this list of workers to the deans so they may contact you.



PAVE  
THE  
WAY  
FOR  
C/A  
PROJECT

PAVE THE WAY FOR C/A NETS FIVE YARDS!

In less than 15 days 5 yards of concrete have been pledged to C/A for the area around the pool (from the present concrete to the fence). Those who have given toward this project or pledged are:

- Mudfork Youth Group - Mudfork Christian Church - Pledged \$50
- Faith and Works Class - Falls Mills Christian Church - Pledged \$50
- Ambassadors for Christ Class - Peterstown Christian Church - Given \$50
- Bozoo Sunday School - Bozoo Christian Church - Given - \$50
- J.O.Y. Class - Falls Mills Christian Church - Pledged - \$50

Twenty-Eight churches are now members of the General Board. We call upon each one of you to give at least ONE YARD OF CONCRETE! Call Rick today and let him know that you have decided on the CONCRETE IDEA! We still need 15 yards at a cost of \$50 a yard! We're 25% there! Help us reach the other 75%! ! !

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ATHENS CHURCH OF CHRIST** - Second Coming Seminar with Rick Mathena - March 26-28  
**B.C.E. NEWS** - New Quarter Classes Begin March 5 - Skating Party at Green Valley Skating Center April 17th from 3:30 to 6:30. All area churches are invited, adults and youth -B.C.E. HIGH SCHOOL DAYS - May 1-2

**CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST** - Revival with Brooke Goodard from April 13-19

**FALLS MILLS CHRISTIAN CHURCH** - Craft Workshop for VBS - March 10 at 7:30 pm.

**LERONA CHURCH OF CHRIST** - Family Seminar with Dean Mills from May 1-3.

**MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST** - John Graham with Operation Evangelize - am and pm "Daystar" from Milligan College on March 29th - am and pm - Revival with the Watchmen and Dave Lucas from O.E.

**PETTERY CHURCH OF CHRIST** - David Yuhasz is serving as interim minister.

**PINE GROVE CHURCH OF CHRIST** - Movie, "Music Box" will be shown March 22 - pm.

**WILLOWTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH** - Easter Revival with Rick Mathena, April 17-19.

**LADIES' RETREAT** - Planning Meeting March 26 at Pine Grove.

## CHRISTIAN ACRES CALENDAR

April 19	30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING
May 16	Camp Rally and Fish Fry
June 5-6	Men's Clinic with Don Nash
June 21-27	Senior Week
June 28-30	First Chance Camp
July 5-11	Jr. High Week
July 12-18	Junior I
July 19-25	Junior II
July 26-Aug. 1	Spiritual Emphasis
Aug. 14-15	Ladies' Retreat with Sharran Pryor

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