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THOUSANDAIRE CLUB DUE THIS MONTH!

Virgil Willey, Francis Stauffer, and Mary Dale joined the ranks this month of our most popular club at C/A -- the Thousandaire Club! This brings our grand total of members to 160! Below is a complete list of members. They have pledged to give \$10 twice a year in the months of May and November. This listing is our small way of saying thanks for your help!

Acie Albert
Bernice Alvis
Clara Anderson
Wayne Anderson
M/M John Arnold
Norman Asbury
Randy Bailey
M/M Harold Ball
Sherry Ball
Yvonne Ball
E.M. Belcher
M/M William Blackwell
Bill Blevins
Linda Jean Brooks
M/M Wayne Bowling
Chris Bowman
M/M C.W. Bowman
Evelyn Bowman
Fred Bowman, Jr.
William Boyd
Larry Brady
M/M Gary Brown
Jim and Judy Brown
Francis Broyles
L.W. Buckland
Robert Buckland
M/M Dic Burbage
M/M David Burks
M/M Brad Burnette
Trevor Butterworth
Cheryl Calfee
M/M Finley Carroll
M/M Kenneth Carter
M/M Pat Carter
M/M Jack Clay
Randy and Robin Compton
M/M Henry Allen Conley
Glen and Martha Corner
June Cottle
M/M Carlos Crawford
Clara Crenshaw
Mrs. Ora Curtis
Mary Dale
Henry and Thelma Davis
M/M Joseph Dewees
M/M Eddie Dickenson
William Dillow, Jr.
Harold Fairbanks
Faith and Works Class-Falls Mills
Lola Farmer
Mary Gaminde
Conley Goins
James Goins
Walter Goins

Bill and Mary Goodman
M/M Arthur Gum
C.D. Hale
M/M Ralph Hale
Claude Hankins
James Hanshaw
Kay Harrah
M/M Paul Harry
Lisa Hartwell
Danny Hazelwood
Frances Hedrick
M/M Curtis Helmondollar
Mr. Willard Hill
M/M Boyd Hogan
M/M Carlos Hogan
L.E. Hopkins
Mrs. Nancy Howell
M/M Kenneth Hylton
Myrtle Keatley
O.Ike Keaton
M/M C.H. Jones
Mrs. Graham Jones
Habel Jones
Mike Jones
Mrs. W.L. Keesee
M/M Abe Lawrence
James Lawrence
M/M Darrell Lee
M/M William Levitt
Lionel Lilly
Roger Lilly
Juanita Logan
M/M Rick Mathena
Roger Meador
M/M Danny Meadows
M/M Dickie Meadows
J.G. Meadows
Marvin Meadows
M/M Marvin Meadows
M/M Truman Meadows
Ruth Miller
Shirley Mitchem
M/M Homer Moore
Gary and Shari Morris
Bill Neely
Douglas Noel
Bill Norman
M/M Ronnie O'Quinn
Alice Pennington
John Pennington
Pettry Youth Group
M/M David Phipps
Morrison Plumley, Jr.

Mildred Puckett
John Radford
Eugene Ransom
M/M Gary Richmond
Ronald Richmond
M/M Arlie Riffe
Oscar Roberts
Ruth Robertson
Winnie Schrader
Mrs. Edward Scott
M/M Walter C. Scott, Jr.
Zane Self
M/M J.C. Shrader
Mrs. M.L. Shull
Lola Shy
Ruth Simmis
Louis Smith
M/M Michael Smith
Stephen Stanley
M/M Roger Stansfield
Frances Stauffer
M/M John Steele
Glen Street
Betty Taylor
Hattie Tabor
Susie Tabor
M/M H.F. Taylor
Shelle Thomas
Grace Thompson
Linda Thompson
M/M Jack Tolbert
M/M Don Travers
Enid Umberger
Bernice Via
M/M Charles E. Via
M/M Carl Walkup
Kim Watson
M/M John Webb
Philip Weiss
Bill White
M/M Sam White
Vida White
Bertie Whitely
M/M Donald Whitt
M/M James Wilhite
Virgil Willey
Diane Willis
James and Launa Williams
Elaine Wills
Preston Walkoff
Young Adults - Peterstown
Mildred Young
M/M Dwight Zutaut

KEN SHERROD CALLED TO MIDWAY WORK!

Ken Sherrod (and his wife Marjorie) began their new work at Midway on Oct. 15th. Ken comes to us from Blountville, Tenn. He is a graduate of CBS, having preached now for 30 years. He has three grown children in the ministry.

Ken and Marjorie, on behalf of all the area, welcome to Bluefield.

C/A GENERAL BOARD TO MEET NOV. 19TH

The regular quarterly General Board Meeting will meet this coming Nov. 19th at 7:30 in the C/A cafeteria. All board members are asked to set this day aside and make every effort to attend this important meeting to map out future plans for C/A. See you all there!

WHERE THE CHRONICLE GOES!

We thought you might like to know where some of the places the Chronicle touches. Almost 975 copies are mailed to the state of VA. while almost 1500 goes to the state of W.Va. Other breakdown - Narrows, Va. gets 91; Bluefield, VA gets 223; Falls Mills gets 61; North Tazewell gets 94. In W.Va. the breakdown of families who get the Chronicle looks like this - Bluefield, WV 625; Montcalm, WV 50 approx.; Princeton, WV 203; Peterstown, WV 98; Beckley, WV 113; Hinton, WV 50 approx.

In addition the Chronicle is mailed to most of the churches in Va. and W.Va. within driving distances of the Men's and Ladies' Clinic. It is also mailed to about 10 states in the Union.

SNOWBALL RETREAT SET FOR JANUARY 29TH!

Since the first Saturday is January 1, we have moved this year's C/A SNOWBALL RETREAT to January 29th to correspond with the normal youth rally time. A great program is being lined up for all area youth from the 7th grade up. As in times past, registration will begin at 9:00 with the close-out program being the youth rally beginning at 7:30 and ending about 9:00. Our special guest speaker is not yet confirmed.

We will have more details concerning the Retreat in Dec. and Jan. Chronicles. Set this entire Saturday aside sponsors and youth! It'll be a day to remember.

COUPONS STILL ARRIVING!

Nellie Brown sent C/A 13 Betty Crocker coupons and 6 Campbell soup labels. Phyllis Howell sent 20 soup labels and 59 B/C coupons. Thanks to you both.

AREA MEN'S FELLOWSHIP IS NOV. 26!

The next Bluefield Area Men's Fellowship is set for Nov. 26th at 7:30 at the Falls Mills Christian Church. A special program is being planned and all area men are invited to attend. Let's all get behind this great fellowship by bringing a friend to the meeting with us!

CROSS PROJECT NEARS COMPLETION!

400 tulip bulbs have been received and another 400 are on order. Nesta Wickline from the Peterstown congregation is sending in the last amount of money needed to purchase the tulips. In addition to her help, the DORCAS CIRCLE from Springville is sending in \$25 to purchase peat moss. As soon as the weather permits we will be tilling the ground and planting the bulbs. We may call on some of our readers, especially ladies, to help out.

Last month we said the NEW CONVERTS class was helping. This was in error. It was the GOSPELS CLASS taught by Randy Compton. They have collected quite a sum of money for us. We give them thanks again this month.

NOTE: Everyone save those marigold seeds that we can plant this spring. If you have them now, go ahead and send them on in or save them until around March or so.

PARKING LOT HALF PAID FOR!

Remember last month that we informed you of the construction of the new parking area at C/A. The bill was \$490 for the first phase. Well, it is exactly half paid for now. The Midway Church of Christ, who always jumps in the thick of support for C/A, has sent \$100. M/M Tracy Christian, my parents, have also sent in \$100 toward the cost. Trevor Butterworth, an executive board member gave \$25, and Joanna and I have been able to give \$20. This totals out to \$245 now given. Won't you as an individual or as a supporting church send in a small or large donation to help pay off the balance of the debt? Just mark your gift, "Parking Lot."

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR OCTOBER 1982

Balance	278.48
Incoming Receipts:	
Trevor Butterworth, Parking Lot	25.00
Midway Church of Christ, Parking Lot	100.00
M/M Hollis Christian, Tulips	37.50
M/M Zane Self, Thousandaire	20.00
Petty Youth Group, Thousandaire	20.00
M/M Roy Dickerson, Thousandaire	10.00
M/M Gary Christian, Gideons 300	10.00
M/M Herb Taylor, Gideons 300	20.00
M/M Edward Scott, Gideons 300	10.00
M/M Eugene Ranson, Gideons 300	30.00
Ruby E. Carter, 500 Club	20.00
M/M C.K. Buffalo, 500 Club	20.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson, 500 Club	10.00
M/M Stanley Berry, 500 Club	5.00
Walter E. Hudson, 500 Club	10.00
M/M Danny L. Meadows, 500 Club	5.00
M/M Frank Watkins, 500 Club	25.00
M/M Robert Brown	5.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ	400.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	20.00
Roderfield Christian Church	20.00
Roderfield Christian Church	20.00
Memory of Robert (Bob) Hart - by Howard Ward	25.00
Midway Church of Christ	232.00
Midway Church of Christ	400.00
Willowton Christian Church	20.00
M/M Clarence Bowman	20.00
Mudfork Church of Christ	60.00
Lerona Church of Christ	20.00
Lerona Church of Christ, CAP	70.11
M/M Russell Mathena	35.00
M/M Russell Mathena	57.00
M/M Russell Mathena	35.00
M/M Russell Mathena	35.00
Central Church of Christ	75.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ	20.00
Community Christian Church, Hinton	19.00
Hazel Y. Kelley	10.00
Hillcrest Church of Christ	10.00
Jami Mathena	.50
First Christian Church, Montcalm	79.40
Bluefield College of Evangelism	541.75
Laurel Fork Church of Christ	10.00
Evangelistic Christian Church	30.00
Esther P. Elmore	10.00
Oak Grove Christian Church	89.00
Bozoo Christian Church	45.00
Church of Christ at Petty	60.00
M/M Howard Peters	50.00
First Christian Church, Hinton	25.00
Duhring Church of Christ	50.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	400.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	400.00
Church of Christ, Goodwin Chapel	60.00
Consolidated Gas Supply	40.00
Springville Christian Church	25.00
Fayetteville Church of Christ, CAP	40.00
George F. Burnett	25.00
Monthly Income	3,966.26
Net Income	4,244.74

Less Expenses:

3603 Joyner Wrecking Co.	125.00
3604 Commercial Bank, Tax Payment	515.79
3605 W.Va. State Tax	46.02
3606 Don Cooper, Parking Lot	145.00
3607 Tulips	37.50

3608 Commercial Bank, Sept. payment on Note	522.39
3609 Commercial Bank, Thousandaire Note Pay.	50.00
3610 Russell Mathena, Petty Cash	31.51
3611 Russell Mathena, Mileage	49.80
3612 A.E.P. Co.	38.64
3613 Bailey Lumber Co.	12.00
3614 Flav-O-Rich, Camp Food	118.74
3615 General Telephone	92.68
3616 Bluefield Supply	2.18
3617 Roy J. Hale, Truck Expense	20.00
3618 Roy J. Hale, Telephone	23.30
3619 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3620 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3621 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3622 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3623 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3624 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3625 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3626 Russell Mathena, Salary	147.32
3627 Russell Mathena, Add. Salary	60.00
3628 Commercial Bank Tax Deposit	644.74
Total Expenses	4,208.77
Balance	35.97

Balance owed on Pool	24,935.96
Need to meet current expenses:	
Pool Payment	522.39
U.S. Postmaster	150.00
Print Shop	135.00

500 CLUB ADDS ONE!

Johnnie Lamb is our sole new member to our 500 Club this month. We appreciate his willingness to share with us during the coming year.

The 500 Club is a monthly giving program for individuals, churches, or church groups. If you would like to support the C/A ministry on a monthly basis, why not clip the card below and mail it in today?

CHRISTIAN ACRES

Box 3005, Bluewell, WV 24701 589-6296

() Yes, I want to share in the ministry of Christian Acres by joining the 500 CLUB. I pledge, with God's help to give the amount circled below for the next _____ months.

\$1 \$5 \$10 \$15 \$20 \$25 or _____

NAME _____ PHONE _____
ADDRESS _____ ZIP _____

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

EVANGELISTIC CHRISTIAN CHURCH - A canvas survey will be taken on Sunday afternoon beginning at 2:00 on Nov. 21, Nov. 28, and Dec. 5. Anyone willing to help is invited to come. For more information, call Dic Burbage at this new telephone number 327-7382.

GIDEON'S PICKS UP SUPPORTS!

54 are now members of our Gideons's 300 Program. This month Bill and Patricia Comer sent us a \$120 donation to become our 53rd members. Sam and Arlene White also joined our rank of volunteers and have promised to give us \$120 in the spring of the year. We deeply appreciate their help and now call on 246 of our over 2500 readers to join their example of giving. Clip the card below and mail it today.

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.

CHRISTIAN ACRES
Box 3005
Bluewell, WV 24701

Address Correction Requested

JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING DESIGNATED!

The annual "Jesus Birthday" offering taken by supporting churches for C/A has been designated by the Executive Board to go toward cafeteria restrooms. "Jesus Birthday" Sunday for C/A is Dec. 19 when we ask all area congregations to receive this "special" offering for C/A. Even though this offering has been "volunteer" for many years, the response is just tremendous. Last year, the offering was \$1187.06. This year we are setting as our goal -- \$2,000.00. This should build some nice facilities for the cafeteria. They are desperately needed.

C/A SLIDE PROGRAMS BOOKED!

- OCT. 31.....Ingleside
- NOV. 7.....Cedar Grove
- NOV. 14.....Goodwyn's Chapel
- NOV. 21.....Evangelistic Church of Christ
- NOV. 28.....Athens Church of Christ
- DEC. 5.....Bozoo Christian Church

TRAILER ARRIVES!

The trailer donated to C/A this past summer has arrived on campus. Though in bad shape, we hope to convert it into the new canteen and recreational storage area. At present, the plans call for it to be placed across the road from the cafeteria approximately 100 yards below the garbage bins for the kitchen. Hopefully in the spring, we will completely remodel the interior to meet our needs. If you have good but used paneling we could redo the inside or good carpet or better yet tile, please let us know.

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