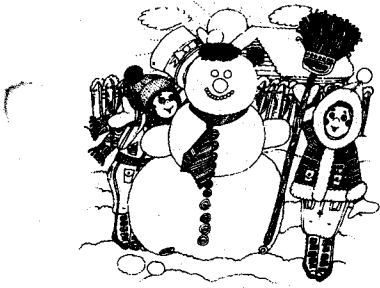


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THOUSANDAIRE CLUB DUE THIS MONTH!

Three more have been added to the ranks of our most popular giving method here at C/A, the Thousandaire Club in Oct. We now have 180 members, the three newest members being Ada Berbert, Mary Harris, and the Lerona Church of Christ Ladies Circle. All of these 180 members have pledged with the Lord's help to give \$10 twice a year in the designated months of May and November. Below is a list of all our members. This listing is but a 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 Harold Ball
Anne Ball
E.M. Belcher
Ada Berbert
M/M William Blackwell
Paul Blevins
Bozoo Chr. Missionary Society
Ima 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
Ben and Martha Corner
Gene Cottle
Iva Coulter
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.
Donald and Marian Dunbar
Harold Fairbanks
Faith & Works Class, Falls Mills
Lola Farmer
Mary Gaminde
Clara George
M/M Conley Goins
M/M James Goins
Walter Goins
Bill and Mary Goodman
Grandview Teen Youth Group
M/M Arthur Gum
C.D. Hale
Jim and Emily Ruth Hale
M/M Ralph Hale
M/M Claude Hankins
James Hanshaw
Kay Harrah
Mary Harris
M/M Paul Harry
Lisa Hartwell
Danny Hazelwood
Frances Hedrick
M/M Stuart Helm
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

Gene and Jenay Leedy
Duhring Church of Christ Ladies
Circle
M/M William Levitt
Lionel Lilly
Roger Lilly
Juanita Logan
Beverly McManaway
M/M D.L. McMorris
M/M Rick Mathena
Roger Meador
M/M Danny Meadows
M/M Dickie Meadows
M/M J.E. Meadows
J.G. Meadows
Marvin Meadows
Mrs. 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 Chris Phillips
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
M/M Bob Stanley
Stephen Stanley
M/M Roger Stansfield
Frances Stauffer
M/M John Steele
Barbara Stevenson
Glen Street
Betty Taylor
Don and Libby Tabor
Hattie Tabor
Susie Tabor
M/M H.F. Taylor
M/M Donald Thomas
Shelle Thomas
Thelma Thomas
Grace Thompson
Linda Thompson
M/M Jack Tolbert
M/M Don Travers
Enid Umbarger
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 Willis
Preston Wolkoff
Young Adults - Peterstown
Mildred Young
M/M Dwight Zutaut

NEW MINISTER IN AREA

The Athens Church of Christ has called Doug Hardman to be their new preacher. He with his wife, the former Minta Maple, will be moving to begin their work around the middle of November.

Welcome to the area, Doug and Minta.

C/A PRESENTATIONS:

Nov. 6th	Bozoo (A.M.)
Nov. 6th	Peterstown (P.M.)
Nov. 13th	Church of Christ at Bramwell (A.M.)
Nov. 13th	Midway (P.M.)
Nov. 27th	Duhring
Dec. 4th	Willowton (Tent.)
Dec. 11th	Hillcrest

The slide program is receiving rave reviews. "Best yet," said one man at Leron. We are now booked solid for the remainder of this year - we for obvious reason do not book the two weeks around Christmas time. Get your date soon! The slide program is in great demand and with so many churches desiring it now, it is almost impossible to get to everyone. Call Rick at 589-6296 for your appointment today!

CAMP PICTURES NEEDED!

We now have a pictorial history book on the display table at each slide program. We have several shots from the past and many present ones including work done on the cafeteria bathrooms. If you have some color pictures you would like to donate to C/A to help fill our picture book, please send them to C/A, Box 3005, Bluewell, WV 24701.

POOL DEBT JUST OVER \$17,000!

Our dream of being DEBT FREE IN '83 is slowly shocking us to reality that we will still owe some on the pool when Dec. 31st comes. BUT we still want to KILL THE BILL and MASSACRE THE MORTGAGE! Won't you consider helping by sending in a donation large or small. Mark your gift "Pool Fund." If you would like to join the Gideon's 300 and pledge to give a one-time gift of \$120 clip the card below - but we will accept any gift whatsoever toward erasing the debt!

**THOUSANDAIRE
CLUB**

CHRISTIAN ACRES

Box 3005, Bluewell, WV 24701

589-6296

() Yes, I want to share in the ministry of Christian Acres by joining the THOUSANDAIRE CLUB. I pledge with God's help, to give \$10 twice a year in the months of May and November.

NAME _____ PHONE _____
ADDRESS _____ ZIP _____

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

MORE GIFTS

We appreciate all the kind folks who send in their gifts each month to help us out. Don Via made us another hat and coat rack for the cafeteria. Nell Stridge sent in 18 soup labels and some Acme receipts. Grandview Christian Church also sent 12 soup labels and a host of Acme receipts.

As a celebration of our 3rd year here at C/A (we began as camp manager and promotional director Oct. 1, 1980), Joanna and I have given the money to purchase 2 industrial carpets for the doorways of the cafeteria. One is already in place. We still need several more for the chapel and pool. They cost between \$28 and \$45 each.

Our thanks to Lockie Wiley who also donated some dishes for the cafeteria.

500 CLUB ADDS TWO!

Because monthly support is the BACKBONE of the C/A ministry, we always like to highlight the names of those who join our monthly giving team. This month Dr. and Janice Brackenrich and Estel Young both signed up for the 500 Club. This brings us to a total of 70 participants in the 500 Club since Jan. of 1981. We are still hoping for an eventual number of 500 individuals, groups, and churches to support C/A on the monthly basis. Join today!

NEW CHURCH STARTS IN BRAMWELL!

With the blessings and support of the Duhring Church of Christ, a new work has begun in Bramwell. Several families who had been attending Duhring and yet lived in the immediate Bramwell area have desired for a long time to begin a work there.

Please pray for the congregation as they search for a building to meet in. We thank both the Duhring folks and the new congregation at Bramwell for the WAY and METHOD and ATTITUDE with which this church has been formed. Divisions are not the N.T. way! This way of love is!

Anyone desiring to know more about the work can address mail to - Church of Christ at Bramwell, C/O Stuart Osborne, Box 174, Bramwell, W. Va. 24715.

COOLER FUND GETS MORE HELP!

Another \$60 has come in this month to help pay for the broken down cooler.

We would like to thank Margaret Scott for her gift of \$50 and Mary Harris for her gift of \$10 to help us recover the \$803 expenses on the cooler. This means that \$378.38 to date has been given, leaving us \$425 to go to completely repay the general fund for the bill. Why not consider a gift today?

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CHRISTIAN ACRES OCTOBER 1983

Balance	694.94
Income Receipts:	
Church of Christ, Athens, Freezer	25.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ, Pool	120.00
W/M Harry Shrewsberry, Gideon	40.00
W/M Stanley Berry, 500 Club	5.00
W/M Donald Belton, 500 Club	10.00
W/M Floyd Ferguson, 500 Club	10.00
W/M Danny Meadows, 500 Club	5.00
Walter E. Hudson, 500 Club	10.00
W/M G.R. Martin, 500 Club	25.00
Mrs. W.L. Keesee, 500 Club	10.00
W/M Harley Dunford, 500 Club	10.00
Edith White, 500 Club	5.00
W/M George Zutaut, 500 Club	50.00
W/M James E. Meadows, Jr., 500 Club	10.00
W/M Fred P. Caldwell, Jr., 500 Club	10.00
Dr. & Mrs. Wayne Brackenrich, 500 Club	25.00
Inside Christian Church	50.00
Fayetteville Church of Christ	10.00
Midway Church of Christ	277.00
Church of Christ at Pettrey	60.00
Church of Christ at Rt. 20	10.00
Wudfork Church of Christ Youth Group	10.00
Central Church of Christ	75.00
Bozoo Christian Church	45.00
Community Christian Church	16.00
Church of Christ, CAP	111.30
Church of Christ	20.00
W/M Clarence Bowman	20.00
Mrs. Esther Elmore	10.00
Church of Christ Goodwin Chapel	60.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	20.00
W/M Roy J. Hale	43.22
W/M Russell Mathena	40.00
W/M Russell Mathena	56.00
W/M Russell Mathena	40.00
W/M Russell Mathena	42.00
W/M Russell Mathena	40.00
Consolidated Gas Supply Corp.	40.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ	50.00
Halls Mills Christian Church	400.00
Grandview Christian Church	100.00
Willowton Christian Church	20.00
Midway Church of Christ	400.00
Lak Grove Christian Church	144.00
Memorial Church of Christ	10.00
First Christian Church, Hinton	25.00
Huhring Church of Christ	50.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ	20.00
Church of Christ, Mapleview, Campers	120.00
Church of Christ, Mapleview	125.00
Springville Christian Church	25.00
George Burnett	25.00
Income from Canteen	461.00
Pool Income	29.00
Monthly Income	3,469.52
Net Income	4,164.46

Expenses:	
3937 Roy J. Hale, Truck Expenses	20.00
3988 Roy J. Hale, Telephone	23.30
3989 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3990 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3991 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3992 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3993 Roy J. Hale, Salary	271.05
3994 Russell Mathena, Salary	164.51
3995 Russell Mathena, Salary	164.51
3996 Russell Mathena, Salary	164.51
3997 Russell Mathena, Salary	164.51
3998 Russell Mathena, Salary	164.51
3999 Commercial Bank, Tax Deposit	664.50
4000 Commercial Bank, Gideons & Pool Pay	160.00
4001 General Telephone	74.87
4002 Mercer Insurance Co., Camp Ins.	273.50
4003 A.E.P. Co.	58.07
4004 Electrical Supply Co.	5.01
4005 City Provision, Camp Food	22.40
4006 Bailey Lumber Co.	9.20
4007 Paper Supply, Kitchen Supplies	123.74
4008 Russell Mathena, Petty Cash	46.19
4009 The Print Shop	135.00
4010 U.S. Postmaster	150.00
4011 U.S. Postmaster	150.00
4011 Roy J. Hale, Truck Exp.	20.00
4012 Roy J. Hale, Telephone	23.30
Total Months Expenses	3,986.88
Balance After Expenses	177.58
Total Income	930,937.21
Total Expenses	930,759.63

Pool Balance 17,413.62

Let Us Give Thanks



GIDEON'S

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 12 months

_____ 4 gifts of \$30 for the next 4 months

_____ \$10 monthly for the next 12 months

_____ Other - please specify _____

NAME _____ Ph. _____

Address _____

Zip _____

CHURCH COMPARISON - 1982 VS. 1983!

Below is an interesting comparison of what area supporting churches did in getting campers from their congregations to come to C/A in 1982 and in 1983.

Twenty-two churches sent more campers in 1983 than 1982; 16 less, and 2 even. How did your congregation do?

CHURCHES	1982	1983
Ada	6	2
Athens	17	16
Bozoo	4	9
Cedar Grove	7	5
Central	1	5
Claypool Hill	4	8
Community, Hinton	0	3
Duhring	21	23
Evangelistic	4	5
Falls Mills	26	24
Fayetteville	16	13
First Christian, Hinton	4	1
Glen Lyn	6	13
Goodwyns Chapel	12	7
Grandview	29	22
Grassy Spur	2	5
Hillcrest	1	21
Hollybrook	1	2
Horsepen	1	0
Ingleside	0	2
Laurel Fork	0	5
Lerona	5	3
Lindsay	4	2
Mapleview	22	11
Memorial	11	17
Midway	26	31
Montcalm F.C.	5	7
Mountainview	3	3
Mudfork	39	41
Oak Grove	8	7
Peterstown	2	4
Pettrey	5	3
Pikeview		2
Pine Grove	11	11
Roderfield	0	1
Ronceverte	0	6
Rt. 20		5
Springville	1	2
Williams Chapel	9	6
Willowton	17	10

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Bluewell, WV 24701

Address Correction Requested

C/A GENERAL BOARD MEETING IS NOV. 19TH!

The quarterly meeting of the C/A General Board is at the C/A cafeteria on November 19th at 7:30. We urge all area representatives to be present.

JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING IS IN DECEMBER!

Our front page lead article in next month's Chronicle will be about the Jesus Birthday Offering. We urge all area congregations and individuals to generously give to this annual offering to C/A. We have designated Dec. 18th as the special birthday offering Sunday for congregations to receive this gift in behalf of C/A. Some congregations may want to take the offering either on Dec. 11th or Dec. 25th. Individuals are encouraged to give any time during the month of December.

The Executive Board did not meet this past month and the General Board will meet Nov. 19th. At one or both of these meetings we will discuss in more detail what project the money will be used for. It is my prayer that a pavillion will be high on the list of considerations. Do you have some recommendations? Give them to your C/A representative!

SNOWBALL RETREAT IS JANUARY 28TH!

Just a short note to remind all area teenagers that Tommy Oakes will again thrill us this year at the C/A Annual Snowball Retreat on Jan. 28th! Make plans now to come.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Athens: Revival Nov. 10-13th with Ray Bennett

Falls Mills: Goins Brothers on Nov. 13th

Ladies Retreat: Planning meeting at Williams Chapel on Nov. 7th at 7:00

William's Chapel: Youth Rally Nov. 19th at 7:00

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