

“All Hands  
on Deck”  
Nov. 9th

# CHRISTIAN ACRES CHRONICLE

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## “ALL HANDS ON DECK” LEADERSHIP SEMINAR IS NOVEMBER 9TH

Christian Acres is offering a one-day event on campus on Nov. 9th that focuses on strengthening the church. This event is designed for preachers, elders, deacons, youth leaders, and anyone else dedicated to seeing their local congregation grow. The cost is only \$20.00 per person, or a max of \$100.00 for any given church. In other words, you can bring as many as you want for only that \$100.00. Register before Oct. 31st by pointing your phone at the icon below or by copying and pasting the following link: <https://chilhowiechurch.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/2529417>. We need a count to order the correct amount of food for breakfast and lunch. We would like to encourage our supporting congregations to sponsor their leadership for this meeting. This seminar will be a great benefit to your congregation, large or small.

## ALL HANDS ON DECK

### A ONE-DAY EVENT FOCUSED ON STRENGTHENING CHURCHES

*Designed for preachers, elders, deacons, youth leaders,  
and individuals dedicated to their church's future.*

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH

8:30am Coffee and Donuts  
9:00am Sessions 1-3  
12:00pm Lunch  
1:00pm Sessions 4-5

REGISTER BY  
OCTOBER 31 HERE



## JOINING US



**Gary Johnson**  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF  
E2: EFFECTIVE ELDERS



**Tim Cole**  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF  
WAYPOINT CHURCH PARTNERS

Christian Acres Service Camp  
1351 Evangelism Road, Bluefield WV 24701

## AREA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September 29-Oct. 1: Revival at Montcalm with Tommy and John Thomas Oaks at 6:00 on Sunday and 7 M-T. (Special Note: The Oaks will be presenting “The Flood Brothers” drama and musical on Sunday evening.)

Oct. 8-10: 53rd National Prayer Clinic at Grundy CCYC from Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. through Thursday at 1:00 p.m. Various speakers including your camp manager.

Oct. 13-16: Revival at Falls Mills with Mike Rife. Sunday is at 10:45 and 6:00 and then 7:00 M-W.

Oct. 20: Homecoming at Willowton with David Stauffer at 10:30 with fellowship meal and hayride following. (On the 19th, Saturday evening, they are also having a soup supper at 6:00 p.m.)

Oct. 20-22: Revival at Claypool Hill with Paul Viers. Sunday at 6:00 and M-T at 7:00.

Oct. 20-24: Revival at Ronceverte with Dan Nichols. Special music nightly by Joe Howard. Sunday a.m. only at 10:00 and M-T at 6:00.

Oct. 27: Homecoming at Duhring with Tony Reed at 11:00.

NOV. 9: “All Hands on Deck” Leadership Seminar at C/A from 8:30 until 3:00.

## P.R.E.S. AND TEEN WEEKEND REPORTS

The Preacher Recruitment and Encouragement Seminar held at C/A on Sept. 7th had 29 ministers and their wives present from 15 area supporting congregations. I’ve heard only positive reports from both the men’s and ladies’ sessions. Our special thanks to Mid+Way for the wonderful breakfast.

The Teen Weekend also had a great turn-out of 67 teens and 15 workers for a total of 82. Both the teens and adults had a great time of enjoying the fellowship, the fun, and the food.

# FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CHRISTIAN ACRES—SEPTEMBER, 2024

BEGINNING BALANCE: 8/29/24		\$22,405.05
Terry and Nancy Kornegay KEY		\$40.00
Bob and Ruth Smith KEY		\$50.00
Randy and Robin Compton KEY		\$30.00
Grandview Primary Church KEY		\$10.00
Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY		\$20.00
Jeff Nehr Korn KEY		\$50.00
Jeff Nehr Korn Sch.		\$25.00
Sylvia Stalvey KEY		\$100.00
Eddie and Winnie Newberry KEY		\$15.00
Hearth Group Campus Use Cash		\$30.00
Memorial Church of Christ		\$197.34
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$405.00
Grandview Christian Church		\$335.00
Glen Lyn Church of Christ		\$108.13
Eddie Via		\$50.00
Church of Christ at Maple View		\$350.00
Church of Christ at Maple View A.C.T.		\$150.00
Mount Hope Christian Church		\$140.36
Rocky Gap Church of Christ		\$200.00
Laurel Fork Church of Christ		\$200.00
Peterstown Christian Church		\$150.00
Arylss Jones		\$100.00
Eddie Almond Mem: Rachel A. Kirkham		\$50.00
Camp Tuition		\$315.00
Glen Lyn Church of Christ		\$1,750.00
Mid+Way Christian Church Pool		\$214.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$225.00
Mountain View Christian Church		\$100.00
Seneca Trail Church of Christ		\$25.00
Pikeview Christian Church		\$75.00
Bozoo Christian Church		\$100.00
Chilhowie Christian Church		\$600.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ		\$125.00
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ		\$70.17
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ BAM		\$22.00
Mid+Way Christian Church		\$300.00
Springville Christian Church		\$300.00
Roger and Debbie Whitt KEY		\$20.00
Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY		\$10.00
Anita Barilla KEY		\$50.00
Bozoo CWF KEY		\$50.00
Philip and Janet Weiss KEY		\$20.00
Dickie and Janet Meadows KEY		\$10.00
Joe and Pam Mooney KEY		\$20.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$125.00
Robert and Jami Harvey Reimburse		\$321.53
Greg and Lisa Pruett KEY		\$50.00
Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY		\$20.00
Gary and Patricia Bugg KEY		\$20.00
Mid+Way Christian Church Teen Weekend		\$37.50
Claypool Hill Church of Christ		\$300.00
Montcalm Church of Christ		\$250.00
Macedonia Church of Christ		\$200.00
Falls Mills Christian Church		\$400.00
Teen Weekend Checks and Cash		\$444.50
Pop Fund Refund Cash		\$546.00

Pool Fund Cash and Checks		\$635.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ Pool Use		\$100.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ Teen Weekend		\$75.00
Oak Grove Christian Church		\$226.72
Crossroads Church of Christ		\$100.00
N.T. Church of Christ, Pearisburg		\$100.00
Steve and Vicki Morris Sch.		\$50.00
Michael and Dawn Self		\$25.00
Delores Bourne		\$500.00
Eric Vance Housing		\$450.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$307.00
Anonymous		\$400.00
Daniel and Lesley Clemons KEY		\$20.00
Anonymous		\$1,000.00
Gary and Nancy Morris		\$310.00
Bobby Duncan KEY		\$50.00
Harry Yates "In Christ's Name" KEY		\$60.00
Rob and Sherrie Hale KEY		\$10.00
Jay Meadows On/Line		\$125.00
Steve and Teresa Wills KEY O/L		\$20.00
Tim and Tonya Roberts KEY O/L		\$20.00
Jeff Anderson O/L		\$100.00
Jacob and Haileah McKlarney O/L		\$40.00
Kerry and Susie Stauffer KEY O/L		\$55.00
Scooter and Dori Breisch KEY O/L		\$25.00
Rachel Meadows KEY O/L		\$100.00
Chester and Edie Bratton O/L		\$10.00
Josh and Mandee May O/L		\$100.00
Jean Owens KEY O/L		\$20.00
Mike and Janet Honaker KEY O/L		\$150.00
George and Benita Taylor KEY O/L		\$20.00
Amanda Lafferty Teen Weekend Tuition O/L		\$25.00
Adam and Katelyn Maxwell O/L		\$100.00
Justin and Cindy May O/L		\$50.00
Chris and Nicole McKlarney O/L		\$100.00
Nancy Ferris KEY O/L		\$50.00
Karen Leonard A.C.T. O/L		\$400.00
Adrean and Michelle Harris O/L		\$100.00
John Fortune Projects O/L		\$50.00
Barbara Anderson Reunion O/L		\$50.00
MONTHLY INCOME:		\$16,050.25
SUB-TOTAL:		\$38,455.30
LESS DISBURSEMENTS:		
Rick and Joanna Medicare Supplement		(\$593.80)
Bank Service Charge		(\$35.85)
Federal Payroll Taxes		(\$2,317.51)
USPS Chronicle	17946	(\$120.60)
WV State Tax Department	17947	(\$420.00)
Sam's Club M/C	17948	(\$5,895.82)
Ferrell Gas Propane	17949	(\$1,046.97)
Zack Thompson Mileage July/Aug.	17950	(\$184.00)
Robert Harvey	17951	(\$523.25)
Robert Harvey Ins.	17952	(\$1,020.00)
Zack Thompson	17953	(\$346.40)

CHRISTIAN ACRES SERVICE CAMP								
2024 REGISTRATION REPORT								
NAME OF CHURCH:	SE	JR3	SR. I	JRH	JR1	JR11	FC	GT
Appalachian Christian Center				1				1
Athens Church of Christ					1			1
Bible Baptist	1			1	2			6
Big Cub Missionary Baptist		1						1
Bland St. United Methodist							2	2
Blue Ridge		2					1	3
Bozoo Christian Church	1	4		2	3		3	13
Bramwell Church of Christ					6			6
Brushfork Baptist				2		1		3
Calvary Baptist, Radford			1					1
Carr Memorial Methodist				1	2	1		4
Ceres Baptist		2			1		1	4
Chilhowie Christian Church	6	4	5	2	3		1	21
Church of New Beginnings		1	1	1	1			4
Church of the Living God		1						1
City on a Hill			1					1
Claypool Hill Church of Christ						1		1
Cooks Chapel Baptist		1				1		2
Cornerstone Family Church		1	3	4	3	1	2	14
Crab Orchard Baptist						1		1
Cross Point Beckley				1				1
Cross Point Church of Christ					2			2
Cumberland Heights Baptist				1				1
Deliverance Temple				1				1
Destiny Outreach Ministries			3	2		1		6
Draper Valley Baptist				1				1
Dublin Christian Church			2	1				3
Duhring Church of Christ				1				1
Ebenezer Global Methodist Church					1			1
Faith Community		1		1		3	1	6
Falls Mills Christian Church	4		3	5	3	2	1	18
Father's House International Church			1					1
First Baptist of Princeton			1	1				2
First Baptist of Rich Creek		2			1			3
First Baptist, Bluefield			1					1
First United Methodist, Princeton				5				5
First United Methodist, Rich Creek		1						1
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	1	1	2	2	4	2	3	15
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ				2				2
Grandview Christian Church		4	4	2	4		8	22
Green Springs Baptist		1						1
Highlands Fellowship		3			1	1		5
Hollybrook Church of Christ	8	3	8	4	3		3	29
Hope Church			3					3
Immanuel Baptist			1		1			2
Johnson Chapel				1			1	2
Kellysville Church of God					1			1
Landmark						1		1
Lashmeet Church of God		1		1	1			3
Laurel Fork Baptist			3					3
Lebanon Church of Christ			1					1
Legacy Church							1	1
Liberty Church of Christ		1		1	2			4
Lifeline Princeton		1		1	8	2		12
Lifepoint					1			1
Lindside Christian Church				1		1		2
Macedonia Church of Christ	2		1					3
Maple View Church of Christ	16	18	12	15	15	6	9	91
Memorial Church of Christ					1	1	4	6
Mid+Way Christian Church	1	2	2	7	3	13	4	32
Montcalm Church of Christ	4	2	2	3	2		-2	15
Mountain View Church of Christ					2	1	3	6
Mt. Jackson						2		2
New Gettysburg Baptist	1							1
New Testament Church of Christ Pearisburg				3	1	1	1	6
New Valley Fellowship, Narrows		1						1
New Zion Regular Baptist	2							2
Oak Grove Christian Church						1		1
Our Refuge, Blacksburg				1				1
Parkview Baptist				1			1	2
Peaceful Valley Church		2	1	2				5
Peterstown Christian Church				1	3		3	7

Peterstown Church of God						2			2		
Peterstown United Methodist							1		1		
Petry Church of Christ					1		1	2	1	5	
Phillippi Church of Christ, NC						2	2			4	
Pine Grove Church of Christ								1		1	
Princeton Church of God					1	1	2			4	
Princeton Church of the Nazarene								1		1	
Princeton First Assembly of God									1	1	
River Bend Holiness								1		1	
Riverview Baptist					1		1	2		4	
Rt. 20 Church of Christ								1		1	
Sacred Heart									1	1	
Scott Street Baptist								1		1	
Simple Rhythms							2			2	
Springville Christian Church					1					1	
St. Mary's Orthodox							1			1	
Summerdean Church of the Brethren						3		1	2	6	
Tannersville Church of Christ								1		1	2
Tazewell Worship Center								1		1	
Truth Tabernacle					1			1		2	
United We Stand Ministries							1			1	
Virginia Ave. United Methodist							1			2	
Westminster Presbyterian							1	3	2	1	7
Weyanoke Church of God									1	1	
Wikel Community Church								1		1	
Williams Chapel Church of Christ								1	2	3	
Willowton Christian Church							1	1		2	
Other (No Church Listed)		1	10	8	19	20	26	4	88		
<b>GRAND TOTALS:</b>		50	79	77	121	111	81	63	582		
<b>SUMMARY:</b>		<b>SUMMARY:</b>									
33 NEW TESTAMENT CHURCHES		308 N.T. CAMPERS 56%									
66 DENOMINATIONAL GROUPS		167 DENOM. CAMPERS 29%									
STATES REPRESENTED: WV, VA, NC		88 NON CHURCH CAMPERS 15%									
TN, MS, MI, OH											

## EVERY C/A GIVER IS SPECIAL!

(FINANCIAL REPORT CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2)

Russell Mathena	17954	(\$793.97)
Robert Harvey	17955	(\$523.25)
Zack Thompson	17956	(\$346.40)
Russell Mathena	17957	(\$793.97)
Lusk Disposal	17958	(\$226.15)
DLL Financial Services Copier	17959	(\$165.10)
A.E.P.	17960	(\$1,815.26)
Janice Lusk Teen Weekend Cook	17961	(\$46.16)
Jennifer Thompson Teen Weekend F/Aid	17962	(\$46.16)
Robert Harvey	17963	(\$523.25)
Zack Thompson	17964	(\$346.40)
Russell Mathena	17965	(\$793.97)
Rick Mathena 2nd Quarter Medicare	17966	(\$1,048.20)
Mason Christian Grass Whipping	17967	(\$500.00)
Lowe's Pro Supplies	17968	(\$1,025.56)
Brotherhood Mutual Ins.	17969	(\$1,423.93)
<b>MONTHLY EXPENSES:</b>		<b>(\$22,921.93)</b>
<b>CHECKBOOK BALANCE: 9/25/24</b>		<b>\$15,533.37</b>
<b>BAM SAVINGS: 9/25/24</b>		<b>\$9,130.49</b>
<b>GYM FUND: \$200.00</b>		
<b>JESUS BIRTHDAY: \$5,785.00</b>		
<b>SCHOLARSHIP TRUST:</b>		<b>\$51,000.00</b>
<b>GYM FUND: 7/31/24</b>		<b>\$568,652.39</b>
<b>HISTORICAL RECORD SINCE 1968</b>		
<b>TOTAL INCOME: \$7,943,035.96</b>		
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE: \$7,927,502.59</b>		

### **RICK BEGINS 45TH YEAR OCT. 1**

Thanks for the memories! What a joy it has been to be your camp manager since October 1, 1980. I want to thank all the area churches for allowing me to stay so long!

### **BAM RECEIVES \$158.00**

Grassy Spur	\$15.00	Peterstown	\$25.00
Pikeview	\$72.00	Goodwyn's Chapel	\$22.00
		Cedar Grove	—\$24.00

### **JAY MEADOWS NEW ONLINE SUPPORTER**

Former camper, Jay Meadows, is our newest online giver—pledging \$125.00 per month! He resides in Texas but has such fond memories of C/A! Thanks, Jay!

### **A.C.T. INCOME SINCE JULY**

We simply haven't had the space to report all the generous donations for the A.C.T. program that really helps to keep the cost of tuition down. We would like to thank those listed below who have given since that time: Danny and Barbara Hazelwood—\$100; Alan and Hilda Puckett—\$50; Karen Leonard—\$1200; Maple View—\$300. To date this year, \$17,468 has been given sponsoring 699 campers at \$25.00 per camper. Thanks, everyone!

### **SUMMER POOL REPORT**

During the camp season, we had 1032 weekday swimmers. During that 50 day period, that means we averaged 21 swimmers per day for both sessions. While we took in \$21.00 per day, we also had to pay the lifeguards \$60.00 per day, not counting electric and chemicals. We would love to see our churches use this wonderful facility more often. Many comment on how nice it is to have such a place available to them and their family!

### **CHRISTIAN ACRES**

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