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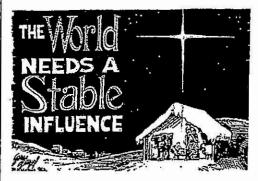


# CHRISTIAN ACRES CHRONICLE

Seek Him"

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## Jesus Birthday Offering December 23<sup>rd</sup>.



GOAL \$5,000

### Jesus Birthday Offering My Personal Gift!

GOAL Because Christ is the center of my Christmas, I am sending the following gift to C/A.

Amount\_\_\_\_\_Name\_\_\_\_

Address

Each year Christian Acres asks our supporting churches and readers of our Chronicle to give 2 special offerings for their camp - - the 30 Pieces of Silver in the spring and the Jesus Birthday Offering in December. We set aside these offerings in our general fund account to do projects for the coming year. AS A MEMBER OF A SUPPORTING CHURCH OR READER OF OUR CHRONICLE, WILL YOU CONSIDER GIVING A GENEROUS OFFERING THIS DEC. 23<sup>rd.</sup> TO HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF \$5,000? If you cannot give through your local congregation, then clip the card above and mail in your gift, marking it "Jesus Birthday Offering" in the "for" slot at the bottom of your check.

#### SPECIAL GIFTS

Anonymous Gift of ......\$7,225.00 WOW! Ken and Freda Carter - Pool Fund ......\$100.00

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND WIVES TO ENJOY CHRISTMAS DINNER

Each year Christian Acres sponsors a Christmas Dinner in appreciation for the many hours that our Executive Committee puts in to run the camp. This year's meeting will be held at Ryans of Princeton at 6:00 on Thursday evening, December 6th.

## SCHEDULE CAMP FOR 2019

Beginning December 1st, our supporting churches can schedule the campus for 2019. On January 1st, we will then receive reservations for reunions, picnics, birthday parties, etc. to members of our churches.

## GLEN LYN TO PRESENT ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PUPPET SHOW!

The important dates are Saturday and Sunday, December 8th and 9th at the Glen Lyn Church of Christ when the "Hands of God" puppet ministry will present their annual Christmas show at 6:00. For more information, call 540-726-3051.

## BAM RECEIVES \$184.00 DURING NOVEMBER

| Mid-Way                     | \$50.00  |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Grassy Spur                 |          |
| Peterstown                  |          |
| Pikeview                    | \$26.00  |
| Springville                 | S20.00   |
| Cedar Grove                 |          |
| Falls Mills Sr. Adult Class | S20.00   |
| Grand Total                 | \$184.00 |

## Financial Report for Christian Acres • November 2018

| BEGINNING BALANCE: 10/23/18                                       | \$24,048.99          |
|---|----------------------|
| 200241210 201221000 1000110                                       | 3                    |
| Rick and Joseph Mathena   | \$115.00             |
| Athens Cracia of Christ   | \$209.95             |
| Church of Christ at Montcalm                                      | \$232.00             |
| Tamasville Church of Christ                                       | \$100.00             |
| Church of Christ at Pettry  | \$200.00             |
| Alm and Hilds Puckett A.C.T.                                      | \$15.00              |
| Bobby and Kim Fox Sch.  | \$55.00<br>\$150.00  |
| Maple View Church of Christ A.C.T.                                |                      |
| Maple View Church of Christ Rick and Joanna Mathena               | \$250,00<br>\$332.00 |
| Anonymous   | \$7,225.00           |
| Church of Christ at Bramwell C/T                                  | \$7,225.00           |
| Rick and Joanna Mathena   | \$238.00             |
| Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ                                 | \$86.00              |
| Mid-Way Christian Church  | \$300.00             |
| Eddie Almond Mem: Rachel A. Kirkham                               | \$50.00              |
| Laurel Fork Church of Christ                                      | \$200.00             |
| Hollybrook Church of Christ                                       | \$150.00             |
| Bozoo Christian Church  | \$100.00             |
| Mudfork Church of Christ  | \$100.00             |
| Williams Chapel Church of Christ                                  | \$300.00             |
| Springville Christian Church                                      | \$100.00             |
| Cedar Grove Church of Christ                                      | \$75.00              |
| Memorial Church of Christ   | \$98.36              |
| Crossroads Church of Christ                                       | \$100.00             |
| Glen Lyn Church of Christ   | \$88,72              |
| N.T. Church of Christ (Pearisburg)                                | \$75.00              |
| Macedonia Church of Christ  | \$200.00             |
| Seneca Trail Church of Christ                                     | \$25.00              |
| Dublin Christian Church   | \$100.00             |
| Roger and Beverly Dalton KEY                                      | \$40.00              |
| Scooter and Dori Breisch KEY                                      | \$25.00              |
| Richard and Melissa Raines KEY                                    | \$20.00              |
| Nancy Ferris KEY  | \$50.00              |
| Mike and Janet Honaker KEY  | \$75.00<br>\$50.00   |
| Bozoo Christian Women's Fellowship KEY Steve and Teresa Wills KEY | \$20.00              |
| Janice Hardy KEY  | \$20.00              |
| Bob and Ruth Smith KEY  | \$40.00              |
| Jeff Nehrkorn KEY   | \$25.00              |
| Roger and Deborah Whitt KEY                                       | \$10.00              |
| Gary Bugg KEY   | \$40.00              |
| Bruce and Lindsey Barilla T-Club cash                             | \$10.00              |
| Emory and Cami Maxwell T-Club cash                                | \$20.00              |
| Linda Roach T-Club cash   | \$20.00              |
| Kay Ellison T-Club  | \$15.00              |
| John and Dawn Witt T-Club   | \$25.00              |
| Ken Scott T-Club  | \$25.00              |
| Jeff and Karin Widener T-Club                                     | \$40.00              |
| Larry and Wanda Shrader T-Club                                    | \$50.00              |
| Mark and Megan Jones T-Club                                       | \$50.00              |
| Danny and Barbara Hazelwood T-Club                                | \$100.00             |
| Merle Howell T-Club   | \$100.00             |
| Dickie and Janet Meadows KEY & T-Clubs                            | \$20.00              |
| Commie and Collette Pendergrass T-Club                            | \$20.00              |
| Jim and Ginger Conley T-Club                                      | \$20.00              |
| Bill Levitt T-Club  | \$20.00              |
| Jack and Georgia Jones T-Club                                     | \$20.00              |
| Betty Harless T-Club  | \$20.00              |
| C.B. and Peopy Taylor T-Club                                      | \$20.00              |
| David and Gloria Tilley T-Club                                    | \$20.00              |
| Robert and June Walling T-Club                                    | \$20.00<br>\$20.00   |
|   |                      |
| Walter and Nancy Schwitzerlett T-Club                             |                      |
| Walter and Nancy Schwitzerlett T-Club  Janet McVey T-Club         | \$20.00              |
| Walter and Nancy Schwitzerlett T-Club                             |                      |

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| Carlos and Wanda Crawford T-Club  | \$20,00   |
| Donita Angles T-Club Gene and Judy Bailey T-Club  | \$20.00<br>\$20.00  |
| Danny and Deborah Burton T-Club   | \$20.00<br>\$20.00  |
| James and Joyce Pauley T-Club   | \$20.00<br>\$20.00  |
| Roy Massey, Jr. T-Club  | \$20.00   |
| Mary Bowyer T-Club  | \$20.00<br>\$20.00  |
| Richard and Judy Kinser T-Club  | \$20.00   |
| Don and Emma Cooper T-Club  | 520.00  |
| Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$20.00   |
| Joe and Wanda Holmes KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$30.00   |
| Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$40.00   |
| Jean Owens KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$30.00   |
| Sylvia Stalvey KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$50.00   |
| Leona Meadows KEY & T-CLUBS   | \$70,00   |
| Randy and Robin Compton KEY & T-CLUBS   | \$45.00   |
| Philip and Janet Weiss KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$30,00   |
| Joe and Pam Mooney KEY & T-CLUBS  | \$30.00   |
| Ken and Freda Carter T-Club   | \$25.00   |
| Ken and Freda Carter Pool Fund  | \$100.00  |
| Adrean and Michelle Harris NEW T-CLUB   | \$10.00   |
| Donald and Sharon Smith T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Roger and Beverly Dalton T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Fred and Erma Caldwell T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Larry and Donetta Dunbar T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Bonnie Bailey T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Bill and Cindy Legg T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Paul and Gail Butler T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Bobby and Jane Jones T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Nina Mann T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Robert and Beverly McManaway T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Maxine Sarver T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Oscar and Eliza Schwitzerlette T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Arlene Jones T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Jimmy and Patty Meadows T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Rick and Joanna Mathena T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| David and Evelyn Linkous T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Bobby and Kim Fox T-Club  | \$10,00   |
| Ronald and Carolyn Wertman T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Esther Porter T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Elizabeth Clyburn T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Arnold and Nancy Crewey T-Club  | \$10,00   |
| Maggie Dillow T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Virginia Gills T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| David and Linda Thompson T-Club Kenny and Glenda Wright T-Club  | \$10.00<br>\$10.00  |
| Randy and Janice Bailey T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| C.C. and Rhonda Brooks T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Margaret Bradley T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Glenda Cox T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Bill and Nancy Ferguson T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Jim and Janice Jackson T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Henry and Jan Glancy T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Bill and Joyce Fox T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Richard and Brenda Lilly T-Club   | \$10.00   |
| Vaughn and Sue Lester T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Homer and Joyce Moore T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Larry and Lea Beth Bowers T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Betty Bowman T-Club   |   |
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| Nell Brown T-Club   | \$10.00<br>\$10.00  |
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| Eva Kinser T-Club   | \$10.00<br>\$10.00  |
| Eva Kinser T-Club<br>Larry and Love Brown T-Club  | \$10.00   |
| Eva Kinser T-Club<br>Larry and Love Brown T-Club<br>Henry and Libby Conley T-Club   | \$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00   |
| Eva Kinser T-Club<br>Larry and Love Brown T-Club<br>Henry and Libby Conley T-Club<br>Helen Cole T-Club  | \$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00                                  |
| Eva Kinser T-Club Larry and Love Brown T-Club Henry and Libby Conley T-Club Helen Cole T-Club Terry and Janet Boggess T-Club  | \$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00                       |
| Eva Kinser T-Club  Larry and Love Brown T-Club  Henry and Libby Conley T-Club  Helen Cole T-Club  Terry and Janet Boggess T-Club  Norma Hodges T-Club   | \$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00            |
| Nell Brown T-Club Eva Kinser T-Club Larry and Love Brown T-Club Henry and Libby Conley T-Club Helen Cole T-Club Terry and Janet Boggess T-Club Norma Hodges T-Club Mike and Yonda Jones T-Club Grace Bauserman T-Club Beryl Kinser T-Club | \$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00<br>\$10.00 |

| Market Game T-Clin   | \$10.00  |
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| Sonja White T-Chib   | \$10.00  |
| Rome and Keen Workings T-Clair   | \$10.00  |
| Stiller Weigh T-Clab   | \$10.00  |
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| Renewa Viz T-Chi   | \$10.00  |
| Dena Wiston T-Clab   | \$10.00  |
| Glan and Barborn Warrian T-Clab  | \$10.00  |
| Roser and Inity Allem T-Claib  | \$10.00  |
| Andrew and Fere Brown T-Clab   | \$10.00  |
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| Mary Ball T-CL-5   | \$10.00  |
| Pat Boyd T-Clab  | \$10.00  |
| Eddie and Jean Viz. T-Chib   | \$10.00  |
| Justin and Kimbay Rhodes T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Tim and Tonya Robaras T-Club   | \$10.00  |
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| Gary and Fam Rickmond T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Wayne and Many Short T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Martine Scott T-Clinb  | \$10.00  |
| Tony and Pagery Passons T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Harold and Alice Pennington T-Club   | \$10.00  |
|  | \$10.00  |
| Bernice Meedows T-Club   |  |
| Mary Shrader T-Cheb  | \$10.00  |
| Nancy Noel T-Chib  | \$10.00  |
| Rita McCor-Rodriguez   | \$10.00  |
| Robert Falls T-Club  | \$10.00  |
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| Rickey and Beverly Bradley T-Club  | and the same of th |
| Ray and Dena Richmond T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Robert and Jenice Parks T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| James ==d Audrey Schwab T-Club   | \$10,00  |
| Ken and Billie Hylton T-Club   | \$10.00  |
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| David and Debbe Heneger T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Brian and Melinda Hamilton T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| M/M Ronnie Wriston T-Club cash   | \$10.00  |
| Reggie and Nancy Jane Webb T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Hope Proffitt T-Club   | \$10.00  |
|  |  |
| Ed and Christine Wellman T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Helen Stout T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Frank and Rita Watkins T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Herb and Nancy Taylor T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Bob and Ruth Smith T-Club  | \$10.00  |
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| Joyce Ferguson T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| James and Linda Tolbert T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| Becky Gunn T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Shirley Helmondollar T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Wayne and Isabell McClure T-Club   | \$10.00  |
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| Tom and Peggy Martin T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Ritz Jones T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Teresa Wells T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Wayne and Marilyn Anderson T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Sheena Gum T-Club  | \$10.00  |
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| Dale and Sharon Conn T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Wayne and Tessa Nelson T-Club  | \$10.00  |
| Tim and Cindy White T-Club   | \$10.00  |
| June Coxile T-Chib   | \$10.00  |
| Carl and Jo Anna Havens T-Club   | \$20.00  |
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| John and Shirley Pennington T-Club   | \$20.00  |
| Lany Buckland T-Club   | \$20.00  |
| Mike and Andrea Bailey T-Club  | \$20.00  |
| James and Jamice Wellman T-Club  | \$20.00  |
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| Cindy and Tim Hedrick T-Club   | \$20.00  |
| David and Donna Stafford T-Club  | \$20.00  |
| Bob and Nesta Lossa T-Club   | \$30.00  |
| Kevin and Leslie Alvis T-Club  | \$40.00  |
|  | \$25.00  |
| Bobby Denom KEY  |  |
| Kerry and Sussia Staniffar KEY   | \$25.00  |
| Anita Berilla KEY  | \$50.00  |
| Mike and Jana Harrikar KEY   | \$75.00  |
| Joe and Wanda Holmes KEY   | \$20.00  |
|  | \$10.00  |
| Gary and Mary Lowe KEY   |  |

| Rob and Sherrie Hale KEY  | 1              | 510.00                     |
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| Deborah Maxfield KEY  | i              |                            |
| Sammy and Linda Pugh Sch.                                       | 1              | \$25.00                    |
| Mt. Hope Women's Christian Fellowship KEY                       | I              | 250.00                     |
| Steve and Vicki Morris Sch.                                     |                | \$50.00                    |
| Gloria Glass Jesus Birthday                                     |                | \$100.00                   |
| Pikeview Christian Church                                       |                | \$50.00                    |
| Mt. View Christian Church                                       | 1              | \$100.00                   |
| Oak Grove Christian Church                                      |                | \$160.53                   |
| Church of Christ at Claypool Hill Tannersville Church of Christ |                | \$267.75<br>\$100.00       |
| Peterstown Christian Church                                     |                | \$50.00                    |
| Doug and Elizabeth Cannaday                                     |                | \$300.00                   |
| New Testament Church of Christ Pearisburg                       |                | \$75,00                    |
| Rick and Joanna Mathena   | 1              | \$219.00                   |
| Falls Mills Christian Church                                    |                | \$400.00                   |
| Lindside Christian Church                                       |                | \$128.00                   |
| Church of Christ at Pettry                                      |                | \$200.00                   |
| Church of Christ at Maple View                                  |                | \$250.00                   |
| Church of Christ at Maple View A.C.T.                           |                | \$150.00                   |
| Rick and Joanna Mathena   |                | \$320.00                   |
| MONTHLY INCOME:   |                | \$17,630.31                |
| SUB-TOTAL:  |                | S41,679.30                 |
| LESS DISBURSEMENTS:   |                |                            |
| DEGG DIGBORGENER 13.  |                |                            |
| Medicare Drug Plan  |                | (\$40.80)                  |
| Medicare Supplement Rick and Joanna                             |                | (\$319.90)                 |
| Bank Service Charge   |                | (\$4.00)                   |
| Federal Payroll Taxes   |                | (\$1,414.78)               |
| USPS T-Club Mail-Out  | 15669          | (\$40.33)                  |
| Sanitary Board of Bluefield                                     | 15670          | (\$34.76)                  |
| Brian Taylor  | 15671          | (\$250.00)                 |
| Komax Copies  | 15672<br>15673 | (\$34.44)<br>(\$541.19)    |
| Robert Harvey Russell Mathena                                   | 15674          | (\$793.97)                 |
| Conner Instant Printing Chronicle                               | 15675          | (\$205.00)                 |
| USPS Chronicle  | 15676          | (\$133.20)                 |
| WV State Tax Department   | 15677          | (\$272.00)                 |
| Frontier  | 15678          | (\$121.17)                 |
| Sam's Club M/C Supplies   | 15679          | (\$646.35)                 |
| Robert Harvey   | 15680          | (\$541.19)                 |
| Russell Mathena   | 15681          | (\$793.97)                 |
| Robert Harvey Ins.  | 15682          | (\$560.00)                 |
| Brian Taylor  | 15683          | (\$160.00)                 |
| Robert Harvey   | 15684<br>15685 | (\$541.19)                 |
| Russell Mathena   | 15686          | (\$793.97)<br>(\$595.46)   |
| A.E.P. Lusk Disposal  | 15687          | (\$31.71)                  |
| Lowe's Pro Services   | 15688          | (\$273.05)                 |
| Robert Harvey   | 15689          | (\$541.19)                 |
| Russell Mathena   | 15690          | (\$793.97)                 |
| Brian Taylor  | 15691          | (\$70.00)                  |
| DLL Financial Services Copier                                   | 15692          | (\$70.00)                  |
| Brian Taylor  | 15693          | (\$170.00)                 |
| Ethan Harvey  | 15694          | (\$60.00)                  |
| Robert Harvey   | 15695          | (\$541.19)                 |
| Russell Mathena   | 15696          | (\$793.97)                 |
| MONTHLY EXPENSES:<br>CHECKBOOK BALANCE: 11/27/18                |                | (S12,182.75)<br>S29,496.55 |
| CHECKBOOK BALANCE: 11121116                                     |                |                            |
| BAM SAVINGS: 11/27/18   |                | S8,634.99                  |
| SCH. & A.C.T. (In Gen. Fund)                                    | 9,713          | \$5,355.00                 |
| CD'S BUILDING FUND:   |                | \$69,945.63                |
| SCHOLARSHIP TRUST:  |                | \$60,625.26                |
| 1000 1000 I   | grey \$200 to  |                            |
| HISTORICAL RECORD SINCE 1968                                    |                |                            |
| TOTAL INCOME: \$6,152,073.84                                    |                |                            |
| TOTAL EXPENSE: \$5,122,577.29                                   |                |                            |



## GUESS THE CHRISTMAS CAROL

- 1. The apartment of 2 psychiatrists
- 2. The lad is a diminutive percussionist
- 3. Decorate the entryways
- 4. Sir Lancelot with laryngitis
- 5. ABCDEFGHIJKMNOPORSTUVWXYZ
- 6. Wanted in December: top forward incisors
- 7. The smog-less bewitching hour arrived.
- 8. Exuberation to this orb.
- 9. 288 Yuletide hours.
- 10. Do you perceive the same longitudinal pressure which stimulates my auditory sense organs.
- 11. Stepping on the pad cover.
- 12. Far back in a hay bin.
- 13. Leave and do an elevated broadcast
- 14. Listen, the winged heavenly messengers are proclaiming tunefully.
- 15. Frozen precipitation commence

- 16. We are Kong, Lear and Not Cole
- 17. Oh, member of the round table with missing areas.
- 18. Boulder of the tinkling metal spheres.
- 19. Vehicular homicide was committed on Dad's mom by a precipitous darling
- 20. Cup-shaped instruments fashioned of a whitish metallic element.
- 21. Our fervent hope is that you thoroughly enjoy your yuletide season.
- 22. May the Deity bestow an absence of fatigue to mild male humans.
- 23. Assemble everyone who believes
- 24. Obese personification fabricated of compressed mounds of minute crystals.
- 25. I spied my maternal parent osculating a red-coated, unshaven teamster.

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