

**T-CLUB  
DUE IN  
NOVEMBER**

# **CHRISTIAN ACRES CHRONICLE**

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## **CHILHOWIE INCREASES SUPPORT**

We would like to thank the Chilhowie Christian Church for raising their monthly support from \$300.00 monthly to \$775.00 monthly. When Zack and I visited in the spring, we were told that we would be receiving this increase but we didn't want to jump the gun until it became a reality. We received this gigantic increase this month! Thanks to all our friends there for this new support!

## **P.R.E.S. MEETING REPORT**

We had 34 preachers and wives from 19 different churches attend this meeting held on September 9th. Everyone who attended really enjoyed our speakers both for the men and for the ladies. Our special thanks to them as well as to Mid+Way for partnering with us to provide the meals. Many said it was very practical and they can't wait until next year's program!

## **RICK BEGINS 44TH YEAR ON OCT. 1**

It was a Monday morning way back in 1980 and my first day on the job. I remember walking in the kitchen at the cafeteria to do inventory of what we had—just one teaspoon. That was a humble start. We started the C.A.K.E. (Christian Acres Kitchen Equipment) program to encourage friends of C/A to go to the flea markets or at a local store to restock the kitchen. I still have a list of those who helped. Time flies and here we are finishing up our 43rd year on Saturday, Sept. 30 and starting my 44th year on the mountain on a Sunday this year. Thanks everyone for the memories!

## **REGISTRATION REPORT ON PAGE 3**

As promised in last month's Chronicle, we have the second report on all the campers who attended this past season and what churches they attended. Look yours up! Especially note the percentages at the end of the report from each grouping of churches!

## **LIBERTY CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWEST SUPPORTING CHURCH**

C/A welcomes a new supporting church down in Bedford, VA, the Liberty Church of Christ. They have informed us that they will be sending a monthly gift of \$100.00.

## **AREA CALENDER OF EVENTS:**

Oct. 1-4 Revival at Claypool Hill Church of Christ with Rick Mathena speaking. Sunday is at 6 and Monday-Wednesday at 7:00

Oct. 7 Melton Family at Glen Lyn at 7:00. A love offering will be taken.

Oct. 8 Melton Family at Claypool Hill at 6:00.

Oct. 10-12 National Prayer Clinic at Grundy CCYC beginning at 3:00 on that Tuesday and ending Thursday at 1:00. Great speakers will be developing the theme, "Prayer in the General Epistles."

Oct. 15 Hinton First Christian will be celebrating their 100th Anniversary with services at 9:30 and 11:00. Former preachers and special music are just a part of the celebration services that day!

## **MEMORIAL GIFTS RECEIVED:**

### **FOR MAGGIE DILLOW:**

Families of Maggie Dillow and Robert and Roger Allen: \$150.00

### **FOR ERVIN AND MARY ZIEBART**

Bob and Ruth Smith: \$300.00

### **FOR RACHEL A. KIRKHAM:**

Eddie and Donna Almond  
(monthly gift) \$50.00

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CHRISTIAN ACRES SUPPORTERS!  
YOU ARE FANTASTIC!**

# FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CHRISTIAN ACRES—SEPTEMBER, 2023

BEGINNING BALANCE: 9/30/23		\$19,095.09
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$126.00
Grandview Primary Church KEY		\$10.00
Randy and Robin Compton KEY		\$30.00
Bob and Ruth Smith KEY		\$50.00
Bobby Duncan KEY		\$25.00
Dickie and Janet Meadows KEY		\$10.00
Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY		\$10.00
Mid+Way Christian Church Pool		\$99.00
Grandview Christian Church		\$335.00
Memorial Church of Christ		\$92.76
Laurel Fork Church of Christ		\$200.00
Maple View Church of Christ		\$350.00
Maple View Church of Christ A.C.T.		\$150.00
Tommy, Pat, and J.T. Oaks		\$50.00
Alan and Hilda Puckett A.C.T.		\$20.00
Eddie Almond Mem: Rachel A. Kirkham		\$50.00
Maggie Dillow Family and Robert and		
Roger Allen Families: Mem: Maggie Dillow		\$150.00
Anonymous Cash		\$500.00
Bob and Ruth Smith		\$300.00
Chester and Edie Bratton		\$50.00
Anonymous		\$650.00
Crossroads Church of Christ		\$100.00
Montcalm Church of Christ		\$250.00
Montcalm Church of Christ A.T.C.		\$25.00
Bozoo Christian Church		\$100.00
Church of Christ at Pettry		\$100.00
Macedonia Church of Christ		\$200.00
Mid+Way Christian Church		\$300.00
Rocky Gap Church of Christ		\$200.00
Glen Lyn Church of Christ		\$88.49
Seneca Trail Church of Christ		\$25.00
Dublin Christian Church 3 Months		\$225.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ		\$100.00
Peterstown Christian Church		\$100.00
Pikeview Christian Church		\$75.00
Springville Christian Church		\$200.00
Chilhowie Christian Church Inc. Support		\$775.00
Glen Lyn Church of Christ C/T		\$250.00
Anita Barilla KEY		\$50.00
Bozoo CWF KEY		\$50.00
Terry and Nancy Kornegay KEY		\$40.00
Joe and Pam Mooney KEY		\$20.00
Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY		\$20.00
Janice Hardy KEY		\$20.00
Philip and Janet Weiss KEY		\$20.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$265.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$236.00
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ		\$87.67
Oak Grove Christian Church		\$319.14
Roger and Debbie Whitt KEY		\$20.00
Harry Yates "In Christ's Name" KEY		\$60.00
Claypool Hill Church of Christ		\$150.00
Church of Christ at Pettry C/T		\$400.00
Lindside Christian Church C/T		\$50.00
Claypool Hill Church of Christ		\$305.00

Anonymous		\$400.00
Anonymous		\$250.00
Michael and Dawn Self		\$25.00
Anonymous Cash		\$600.00
Church of Christ at Pettry		\$100.00
N.T. Church of Christ, Pearisburg		\$100.00
Mt. View Christian Church		\$100.00
Falls Mills Christian Church		\$400.00
Tannersville Church of Christ		\$150.00
Dublin Christian Church C/T		\$800.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$285.00
Karen Leonard A.C.T.		\$300.00
Steve and Vicki Morris Sch.		\$50.00
Rob and Sherrie Hale KEY		\$10.00
Laura Short KEY OnLine		\$10.00
Steve and Teresa Wills KEY O/L		\$20.00
Kerry and Susie Stauffer KEY O/L		\$50.00
Scooter and Dori Breisch KEY O/L		\$25.00
Chester and Edie Bratton O/L		\$10.00
Jeff Anderson O/L		\$100.00
Jacob and Haileah McKlarney O/L		\$40.00
Josh and Mandee May O/L		\$100.00
Caleb Brown O/L		\$120.00
Leigha Stiltner KEY O/L		\$15.00
Monica Williams Campus Usage O/L		\$80.00
Mike and Janet Honaker KEY O/L		\$175.00
George and Benita Taylor O/L		\$20.00
Scott and Misty Carpenter O/L		\$1,902.40
Jimmy and Brandy Caldwell O/L		\$100.00
Adam and Katelyn Maxwell O/L		\$100.00
Justin and Cindy May O/L		\$50.00
Chris and Nicole McKlarney O/L		\$100.00
Adrean and Michelle Harris O/L		\$100.00
John Fortune Projects O/L		\$50.00
George Jennings O/L		\$25.00
<b>MONTHLY INCOME:</b>		<b>\$15,246.46</b>
<b>SUB-TOTAL:</b>		<b>\$34,341.55</b>
<b>LESS DISBURSEMENTS:</b>		
Rick and Joanna Mathena Med. Supplement		(\$500.74)
Bank Service Charge		(\$29.55)
Fed. Payroll Taxes		(\$2,112.42)
Robert Harvey	17464	(\$576.47)
Robert Harvey	17465	(\$600.00)
Ethan Harvey	17466	(\$180.02)
Zack Thompson	17467	(\$298.23)
Russell Mathena	17468	(\$793.97)
USPS Chronicle	17469	(\$125.05)
WV State Tax Department	17470	(\$386.00)
Robert Harvey	17471	(\$576.47)
Ethan Harvey	17472	(\$180.02)
Zack Thompson	17473	(\$298.23)
Russell Mathena	17474	(\$793.97)
Lusk Disposal	17475	(\$258.44)
Lowe's Pro Supplies	17476	(\$229.18)
A.E.P.	17477	(\$1,875.66)

CHRISTIAN ACRES SERVICE CAMP								
2023 REGISTRATION REPORT								
NAME OF CHURCH:	SE	JR2	SR. I	JRH	JR3	JR1	FC	GT
Athens Church of Christ						2	1	3
Bethel United Ministries					1			1
Berwind House of Praise							1	1
Big Cub Missionary Baptist		1			1			2
Bluewell Baptist				1				1
Bluewell United Methodist			1					1
Bozoo Christian Church			5	2	2	2	7	18
Bramwell Church of Christ	1	4				4	2	11
Bridge Christian Church		1						1
Brushfork Baptist				1				1
Calvary Baptist, Radford				1				1
Calvary Chapel		1		1				2
Carr Memorial Methodist					1	1		2
Ceres Baptist							1	1
Chilhowie Christian Church	6	1	3	6	3	2	2	23
Christian Mennonite Fellowship					1			1
Church of New Beginnings				1	1	1	1	4
Claypool Hill Church of Christ			1	2	1	1	3	8
College Ave. Baptist		1						1
Cooks Chapel Baptist				1				1
Cornerstone				2	2	2	1	7
Crane Creek Pentecostal Holiness		1						1
Cross Point Beckley	1			1				2
Crossroads Church Bluefield				1				1
Cumberland Heights Baptist		1						1
Destiny Outreach Ministries		2	1	4	2			9
Draper Valley Baptist					1			1
Duhring Church of Christ				2				2
Dublin Christian Church	1	1	2	3		1		8
East River Baptist						1		1
Faith Community						2		2
Fairview Baptist		1			1			2
Fairview Christian					1			1
Falls Mills Christian Church	7		5	1	4	2		19
Falls Mills United Methodist					3			3
First Baptist, Beckley				1				1
First Baptist, Bluefield				1				1
First Baptist of Princeton					1			1
First Baptist of Rich Creek							2	2
First Presbyterian							2	2
Glen Lyn Church of Christ				4	1	4	1	10
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ			1			1		2
Grandview Christian Church		1	4	3	2	3	8	21
Green Springs Baptist					1			1
Highlands Fellowship					2	3		5
Hollybrook Church of Christ	7	1	5	5	2	1	2	23
Hope Church				2	1			3
Immanuel Baptist	1		1	2	2		1	7
Immanuel Episcopal							2	2
Impact Church			1					1
Johnson Chapel							2	2
Landmark Church of God						1		1
Lashmeet Church of God						1		1
Lebanon Church of Christ				1				1
Legacy Church		1					2	3
Liberty Church of Christ		1				1	1	3
Lifeline Princeton	1	7		4	3	6	4	25
Lifeline Pulaski						2		2
Lilly Grove Baptist						1		1
Lindside Christian Church				1				1
Macedonia Church of Christ	1			1	2			4
Maple View Church of Christ	13	7	12	15	16	13	10	86
Marantha Baptist		1						1
Memorial Church of Christ							1	1
Mid+Way Christian Church	1	8		6	7	3	6	31
Montcalm Church of Christ	4		3	3	1	2	1	14
Mountain Mission School Grundy		2						2
Mt. Hope Christian Church	1							1
Mt. View Christian, Springville						1		1
Mudfork Church of Christ						1		1
Narrows First Baptist					1			1
New Life Baptist				1	2			3

New Testament Church of Christ Pearlsburg						1		1	2
New Zion Regular Baptist	2						2		4
North Star						1			1
Northside Christian	1								1
North Tazewell Church of Christ						1			1
Oak Grove Christian Church							1	1	2
Our Refuge							1		1
Peaceful Valley Church		1					3		4
Peterstown Christian Church						2		3	5
Peterstown Church of God						1			1
Petry Church of Christ							2	1	4
Pikeview Christian Church								2	2
Pine Grove Church of Christ		1					1		2
Princeton Church of God						1	1		2
Reliant Church								1	1
Rich Creek Baptist		1					2		3
Rich Creek United Methodist		1				1			2
River Bend Holiness								1	1
Riverview Baptist						1	2	1	4
Rocky Gap Church of Christ		1	1					1	3
Sacred Heart								1	1
Springville Christian Church						1			1
Summerdean Church of the Brethren						3			3
Tannersville Church of Christ								1	2
The Bridge								2	2
Thomas Road Baptist							1		1
Truth Tabernacle							1		1
Virginia Ave. Methodist								1	1
Wellsville First Christian		1							1
Westminster Presbyterian							2	1	4
Williams Chapel Church of Christ								1	2
Willowton Christian Church		1	1			1			3
Other (No Church Listed)	3	11	9	14	30	23	9	99	
<b>GRAND TOTALS:</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>580</b>	
<b>SUMMARY:</b>	<b>SUMMARY:</b>								
<b>38 NEW TESTAMENT CHURCHES</b>	<b>325 N.T. CAMPERS 56%</b>								
<b>66 DENOMINATIONAL GROUPS</b>	<b>156 DENOM. CAMPERS 27%</b>								
<b>STATES REPRESENTED: WV, VA, SC</b>	<b>99 NON CHURCH CAMPERS 17%</b>								

(Financial Report Continued from page 2)

Robert Harvey	17478	(\$576.47)
Ethan Harvey	17479	(\$180.02)
Zack Thompson	17480	(\$298.23)
Russell Mathena	17481	(\$793.97)
Robert Harvey	17482	(\$576.47)
Ethan Harvey	17483	(\$180.02)
Zack Thompson	17484	(\$298.23)
Robert Harvey	17485	(\$793.97)
DLL Financial Services Copier	17486	(\$70.00)
Timothy Sparks Paving Projects	17487	(\$3,000.00)
<b>MONTHLY EXPENSES:</b>		<b>(\$16,581.80)</b>
<b>CHECKBOOK BALANCE: 9/27/23</b>		<b>\$17,759.75</b>
<b>BAM SAVINGS: 9/27/23</b>		<b>\$14,733.45</b>
<b>GYM FUND IN BAM: \$5,915.00</b>		
<b>BASKETBALL GOAL FUND: \$2246.00</b>		
<b>CD'S BUILDING FUND:</b>		<b>\$28,000.00</b>
<b>INTEREST FOR CD'S AT TRUIST:</b>		<b>\$6,204.96</b>
<b>SCHOLARSHIP TRUST:</b>		<b>\$51,000.00</b>
<b>GYM FUND: 8/31/23</b>		<b>\$528,078.23</b>
<b>HISTORICAL RECORD SINCE 1968</b>		
<b>TOTAL INCOME: \$7,535,699.91</b>		
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE: \$7,517,940.16</b>		

**THOUSANDAIRE CLUB DUE IN  
NOVEMBER**

We will be mailing out our T-Club reminder cards to 261 members of our Thousandaire Club toward the end of October to remind them to send in their \$10.00 gift to C/A. We used to have upwards of 340 members but many have died, moved away from the area, or simply became inactive and were removed from the active membership list. Honestly, we need YOU to replace some of our former members—sign up by filling out and mailing in the card below.

**CHRISTIAN ACRES**

1351 Evangelism Road • Bluefield, WV 24701  
(304) 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 \$10.00 twice a year in the months of May and November.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, I want to be placed on your mailing list

**THOUSANDAIRE  
CLUB**

**BAM RECEIVES \$195.00**

Grassy Spur	\$15.00	Peterstown	\$23.00
Pikeview	\$71.00	Bruce & Lindsey Barilla	\$24.00
Cedar Grove	\$20.00	Goodwyn's Chapel	\$42.00

**YOU CAN GIVE ONLINE!**

If you would like to support your camp, you can also give online. You can simply go to our website, christianacres.camp and click on the "giving flow" icon and sign up to give each month or for a one-time gift. In 2023, we have had t-shirt payments, facility usage for parties and reunions, plus regular givers to the camp for their KEY CLUB, T-CLUB, general fund, etc. We would love to announce YOU as our newest helper!

**UPCOMING C/A EVENTS**

**NOVEMBER 17: GENERAL BOARD MEETING**  
**DECEMBER 24: JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING**

**CHRISTIAN ACRES**

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Bluefield, WV 24701

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**BLUEFIELD, WV 24701**

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**TWO THINGS ARE HARD ON THE HEART—RUNNING UP  
STAIRS AND RUNNING DOWN PEOPLE!**