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## JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING DECEMBER 20<sup>TH.</sup>



GOAL \$5,000

<b>J</b> ESUS	BIRTHDAY	<b>OFFERING</b>
My	PERSONAL	GIFT!

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

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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. 20th. 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.

#### AREA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**December 2** ~ Comedian Tony Wolf at Maple View at 7:00 p.m.

**December 5-6** ~ Glen Lyn puppet show, "Star of Wonder" at 6:00 p.m. each night. Refreshments following.

**December 13** ~ Falls Mills Christmas program "Carols of Christmas" at 6:00 p.m.

**December 13**~Glen Lyn Jr. Choir "Cookin Up Christmas" at 6:00 p.m. Refreshments following.

**December 20** ~ Glen Lyn Choir Cantata "I heard the Prophet Callin" at 6:00 p.m.

#### T-CLUB LOSES GREAT SUPPORTER! ADDS ONE!

We want to express our sympathies to the David Angles family from the Mid-Way congregaton. He passed away on November 11th.

We would also like to welcome Richard and Brenda Lilly from the Bramwell congregation as our newest T-Club members.

## FITTING CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR YOUR CAMP!

During this giving season, if you would like to remember C/A in your Christmas shopping, here are some items listed below we can really use! 3/4" Scotch tape, copy paper - regular and legal, Avery 8160, kitchen towels and dish rags, spoons, cups, plates, #10 and #6 envelopes, stamps, napkins, Wal-Mart or Lowe's gift cards.

#### CHANGES IN AREA MINISTRIES:

**LERONA:** Bruce Barilla has resigned to promote "For God, Family and Country" lessons, see on line at (www.revivalseminar.org)

DID YOU SEND IN YOUR T-CLUB GIFT!

### Financial Report for Christian Acres • December 2015

BEGINNING BALANCE: 10/26/15		\$29,817.15
Falls Mills Faith and Works Class T-Club cash		\$20.00
Joyce Ferguson T-Club cash		\$10.00
Bruce and Lindsey Barilla T-Club cash		\$10.00
Arnie Thompson T-Club cash		\$10.00
M/M Ronnie Wriston T-Club cash		\$10.00
Dawn Wriston T-Club		\$10.00
Adam and Leslie Reeves T-Club Beryl Kinser T-Club	$\vdash$	\$10.00 \$10.00
Bill and Nancy Ferguson T-Club		\$10.00
James and Irma Wall T-Club		\$10.00
Sonja White T-Club		\$10.00
Ronnie and Karen Woolridge T-Club		\$10.00
Glen and Barbara Warden T-Club Kenny and Glenda Wright T-Club		\$10.00
Wayne and Mary Sluss T-Club	-	\$10.00 \$10.00
Gary and Fern Richmond T-Club		\$10.00
Dorothy Pauley T-Club		\$10.00
Nancy Noel T-Club		\$10.00
Brian and Melinda Hamilton T-Club		\$10.00
Ed and Sandy Pell T-Club		\$10.00
Hope Proffitt T-Club Shirley Welch T-Club	$\vdash$	\$10.00 \$10.00
David and Linda Thompson T-Club	$\vdash$	\$10.00
Helen Stout T-Club		\$10.00
Emory and Maxine Sarver T-Club		\$10.00
Justin and Kimberly Rhodes T-Club		\$10.00
Esther Porter T-Club		\$10.00
Janet McVey T-Club Jimmy and Patty Meadows T-Club		\$10.00 \$10.00
Vaughn and Sue Lester T-Club		\$10.00
Ken and Billie Hylton T-Club		\$10.00
Bill and Joyce Fox T-Club		\$10.00
Lucille Buckland T-Club		\$10.00
Margaret Bradley T-Club		\$10.00 \$10.00
Ronald and Carolyn Wertman T-Club Wayne and Marilyn Anderson T-Club	-	\$10.00
Mike and Yonda Jones T-Club		\$10.00
Larry Buckland T-Club		\$10.00
Tim and Cindy White T-Club		\$10.00
Clyde and Brenda Faulkner T-Club		\$10.00
Janet Howell T-Club		\$10.00
Ray and Dana Richmond T-Club Pamela Wilson T-Club		\$10.00 \$10.00
Dale and Sharon Conn T-Club		\$10.00
Walter and Joyce Thomason T-Club		\$10.00
Mary Shrader T-Club		\$10.00
Roger and Renee Shrewsbury T-Club		\$10.00
Angela Stauffer T-Club		\$10.00
Jean McManaway T-Club Wayne and Isabell McClure T-Club		\$10.00 \$10.00
Rita McCoy-Rodriguez T-Club		\$10.00
Beverly McManaway T-Club		\$10.00
Thomas and Peggy Martin T-Club		\$10.00
David and Evelyn Linkous T-Club		\$10.00
Rebecca Ludwig T-Club Bob and Jane Jones T-Club		\$10.00
Delores Jones T-Club		\$10.00 \$10.00
Arlene Jones T-Club		\$10.00
Norma Hodges T-Club		\$10.00
Maggie Dillow T-Club		\$10.00
Elizabeth Clyburn T-Club		\$10.00
Helen Cole T-Club		\$10.00
Terry and Janet Boggess T-Club Betty Bowman T-Club		\$10.00 \$10.00
Nellie Brown T-Club		\$10.00
Pat Boyd T-Club		\$10.00
Rebecca Via T-Club		\$10.00
Bob and Janice Parks T-Club		\$10.00
Christian Birdsall T-Club		\$10.00

Homer and Joyce Moore T-Club	\$10.0
Nina Mann T-Club	\$10.0
Don and Debbe Heneger T-Club	\$10.0
Shirley Helmondollar T-Club	\$10.0
Margaret Ganoe T-Club	\$10.0
Virginia Gills T-Club	\$10.0 \$10.0
Paul and Gail Butler T-Club Randy and Janice Bailey T-Club	\$10.0
Roger and Diana Albert T-Club	\$10.0
Mary Ball T-Club	\$10.0
Larry and Love Brown -T-Club	\$10.0
Eddie and Jean Via T-Club	\$10.0
Oscar and Eliza Schwitzerlette T-Club	\$10.0
Mike and Landra Lynn T-Club	\$10.0
Eva Kinser T-Club	\$10.0
Arnold and Nancy Crewey T-Club	\$10.0
Fred and Erma Caldwell T-Club	\$10.0
Juanita Ball T-Club	\$10.0
Bonnie Bailey T-Club	\$10.0
Teresa Wells T-Club	\$10.0
David and Emelene Akers T-Club	\$20.0
Mary Bowyer T-Club	\$20.0
Bill Levitt T-Club David and Donna Stafford T-Club	\$20.0
Terry and Nancy Kornegay T-Club	\$20.0 \$20.0
Linda Landreth T-Club	\$20.0
James and Mary Pence T-Club	\$20.0
David and Gloria Tilley T-Club	\$20.0
Dwight and Karen Zutaut T-Club	\$20.0
Reggie and Nancy Jane Webb T-Club	\$20.0
David and Bonnie Phipps T-Club	\$20.0
Jim and Ginger Conley T-Club	\$20.0
Richard and Judy Kinser T-Club	\$20.0
Gene and Judy Bailey T-Club	\$20.0
Jack and Georgia Jones T-Club	\$20.0
Betty Harless T-Club	\$20.0
Walter and Nancy Schwitzerlett T-Club	\$20.0
Ronnie and Joni Weeks T-Club	\$20.0
Roger and Brenda Lilly NEW T-CLUB	\$20.0
Peggy and Betty Jackson T-Clubs Mike and Andrea Bailey T-Club	\$20.0 \$20.0
Don and Emma Cooper T-Club	\$20.0
June Cottle T-Club	\$20.0
Terry and Sharon Gordon T-Club	\$20.0
Shirley Hogan T-Club	\$20.0
Kay Ellison T-Club	\$15.0
Michael Jones T-Club	\$40.0
Jim and Mary Brown T-Club	\$25.0
Larry and Wanda Shrader T-Club	\$25.0
Merle and Nancye Howell T-Club	\$50.0
Paul Smith T-Club	\$50.0
Robert and Allie Falls T-Club	\$50.0
Helen Billips T-Club	\$50.0
Roy Massie, Jr. T-Club	\$50.0
Grandview Christian Church	\$335.0
Grandview Primary Church KEY Lindside Christian Church	\$10.0
Anonymous	\$85.0 \$640.0
Church of Christ at Montcalm	\$216.0
Tannersville Church of Christ	\$100.0
Maple View Church of Christ	\$250.0
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$105.0
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$383.0
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$399.0
Dublin Christian Church	\$80.0
Laurel Fork Church of Christ	\$100.0
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	\$97.5
Roy and Elizabeth Pruett	\$100.0
Springville Christian Church	\$100.0
Duhring Church of Christ	\$25.0
Hollybrook Church of Christ	\$150.0

Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ	
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	
Memorial Church of Christ	
Mudfork Church of Christ	
Mid-Way Christian Church	
Oak Grove Christian Church	
Mountain View Church of Christ	
Crossroads Church of Christ	
Macedonia Church of Christ	
Willowton Christian Church	
Athens Church of Christ	
Athens Church of Christ	
Seneca Trail Church of Christ	
Peterstown Christian Church	
Pikeview Christian Church	
Bozoo Christian Church	
Patsy Praer KEY	
Scooter and Dori Breisch NEW KEY	
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Pauline Vandyke KEY	
Anonymous KEY	
Roger and Beverly Dalton KEY	
Mike and Janet Honaker KEY	
Roger and Debra Whitt KEY	
Harry and Phyllis Yates KEY	
Penny Fern KEY	
Joe and Pam Mooney KEY	
Greg and Lisa Pruett KEY	
Steve and Teresa Wills KEY	
Ed and Kathleen Honaker KEY	
Deborah Maxfield KEY	
Marlene Buffalow KEY	
Henry and Libby Conley KEY	
Mike and Janet Honaker KEY	
Kerry and Susie Stauffer KEY	
Richard and Melissa Raines KEY	
Leona Meadows KEY & T-CLUB	
Philip and Janet Weiss KEY & T-CLUB	
Bob and Ruth Smith KEY & T-CLUB	
Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY & T-CLUB	
Randy and Robin Compton KEY & T-CLUB	
Dickie and Janet Meadows KEY & T-CLUB	
Joe and Wanda Holmes KEY & T-CLUB	
Jim and Janice Jackson T-CLUB and BAM	
Jean Owens KEY & T-CLUB	
Sylvia Stalvey KEY & T-CLUB	
Charles Almond Memorial: Rachel	
Alan and Hilda Puckett A.C.T.	
Ryan and Shanda Feber A.C.T.	
Ryan and Shanda Feber KEY	
Gene and Judy Bailey Jesus Birthday	
Louis Fletcher KEY	
Julia Keene KEY	
Cindy Hedrick KEY	
Cindy Hedrick T-Club	
Tim Hedrick T-Club	
Mary Lamie T-Club cash	
Ed and Christine Wellman T-Club	
Rick and Joanna Mathena T-Club	
Gail Stiltner T-Club	
Gene and Sandy Ransom T-Club	
John and Merry Gail Pennington T-Club	
Grace Bauserman T-Club	
Lewis Harman T-Club	
Bernice Meadows T-Club	
Danny and Debbie Burton T-Club	
Comp Tuition cash	
Camp Tuition cash Chad and Lori George, T-Club, cash	
Chad and Lori George T-Club cash	
Chad and Lori George T-Club cash Jeff and Karin Widener T-Club	
Chad and Lori George T-Club cash	

Bill and Cindy Legg T-Club		\$10.00
C.C. and Rhonda Brooks T-Club		\$10.00
Rebecca Gunn T-Club		\$10.00
Steve and Jackie Lockhart T-Club	$\rightarrow$	\$10.00 \$10.00
Rickey and Beverly Bradley T-Club		\$10.00
Anne Shrewsbury T-Club Tony and Peggy Parsons T-Club		\$10.00
Doug and Mona Rose T-Club	$\rightarrow$	\$20.00
James and Janice Wellman T-Club		\$20.00
James and Penny Pennington T-Club		\$20.00
Paul and Sandra Adams T-Club		\$25.00
Mark and Megan Jones T-Club		\$100.00
Church of Christ at Pettry	$\rightarrow$	\$55.00
Church of Christ at Claypool Hill Grandview Christian Church	-	\$244.71 \$335.00
Grandview Primary Church KEY		\$10.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena Reimburse	$\overline{}$	\$1,815.82
Rick and Joanna Mathena		\$117.00
Rob and Sherrie Hale KEY		\$10.00
Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY		\$20.00
Kerry and Susie Stauffer KEY		\$25.00
Scooter and Dori Breisch NEW KEY		\$25.00
Gary and Mary Lowe KEY	-	\$10.00 \$25.00
Sammy and Linda Pugh Sch.  Mt. Hope Women's Christian Fellowship Sch.		\$25.00
Gloria Glass Jesus Birthday	$\rightarrow$	\$50.00
MONTHLY INCOME:	$\overline{}$	\$12,444.57
SUB-TOTAL:		\$42,261.72
LESS DISBURSEMENTS:		
Medicare Drug Plan		(\$15.70
Rick's Medicare Bank Service Charge		(\$143.81
Federal Payroll Taxes	_	(\$1,534.50
Robert Harvey Retirement Gift	14601	(\$2,000.00
Robert Harvey	14602	(\$477.22
Russell Mathena	14603	(\$755.32
USPS T-Club Mail-out	14606	(\$47.72
Highmark WV Joanna's Ins.	14607	(\$639.08
Sanitary Board of Bluefield	14608	(\$34.76
Frontier  Conner Instant Printing Chronicle	14609 14610	(\$96.65 (\$168.22
Conner Instant Printing Chronicle USPS Chronicle	14611	(\$191.47
Robert Harvey	14612	(\$477.22
Russell Mathena	14613	(\$755.32
WV State Tax Department	14614	(\$285.00
Sam's Club M/C	14615	(\$3,374.92
Underwood Trans. Truck Sticker	14616	(\$13.00
Robert Harvey	14617	(\$477.22
Robert Harvey Ins.	14618	(\$416.00
Russell Mathena Robert Harvey	14619 14620	(\$755.32 (\$477.22
Russell Mathena	14621	(\$755.32
A.E.P.	14622	(\$559.53
Lowe's Pro Services Supplies	14623	(\$2,152.29
Mercer Ct. Health Depart. Pool Permit	14624	(\$100.00
Robert Harvey	14625	(\$477.22
Russell Mathena	14626	(\$755.32
MONTHLY EXPENSES:		(\$17,939.35
CHECKBOOK BALANCE: 11/23/15	$\rightarrow$	\$24,322.37
DAM SAVINGS: 11/2/15	-	\$9,607.4
BAM SAVINGS: 11/23/15 SCHOLARSHIP & A.C.T.	-	\$7,184.0
CD'S BUILDING FUND:		\$68,798.0
SCHOLARSHIP TRUST:		\$55,217.1
HISTORICAL RECORD SINCE 1968		
TOTAL INCOME: \$5,447,950.39		
TOTAL EXPENSE: \$5,423,628.02		

## 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 at 6:00 at Ryans in Princeton on Thursday night, December 3rd.

#### PROJECTS FOR 2016:

- WOOD DIVIDERS FOR DORM BATHROOMS
- NEW ROOF FOR OLD CHILDREN'S HOME
- COPY MACHINE FOR OFFICE
- PURCHASE OR DONATION OF 2 GOLF CARTS
- NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT TO REPLACE MERRY-GO-ROUND

#### SCHEDULE CAMP FOR 2016

Beginning December 1st we will be taking reservations from our churches for dates for 2016. Beginning January 1st we will then open the calendar for reunions, picnics, birthday parties, etc. to members of our churches.

#### BAM RECEIVES \$272.00 DURING NOVEMBER

Glen Lyn	\$58.00
Jim and Janice Jackson	
Grassy Spur	\$30.00
Lindside	\$40.00
Cedar Grove	\$17.00
Mid-Way	\$60.00
Springville	\$21.00
Pikeview	
Peterstown	\$20.00
Grand Total	\$272.00

## SCHOLARSHIP AND A.C.T. GIFTS RECEIVED

Ryan and Shanda Feber	\$150.00 A.C.T.
Alan and Hilda Puckett	\$15.00 A.C.T.
Sam and Linda Pugh	\$25.00 Scholarship
Mt. Hope Women's Christia	in Fellowship
	\$50.00 Scholarship

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