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Time Marches On!

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There is one thing for sure. Time truly does march on. It is difficult to believe that we are ready for spring. It seems that winter just got into full throttle a couple of weeks ago. Now I am not saying that I want winter to last longer. What I am saying is that time goes by faster and faster as I get older and older. Someone once asked me how I was doing. I told them that I was getting older all the time. I even went on to say that so far this was the oldest I had ever been!

We can realize that the Bible gives us a reason for this too. In Ecclesiastes 3 we are told that "there is a time for everything, a time for every season." Time goes on quickly that is for sure. Do you realize that this year is already almost $\frac{1}{4}$ over?

Soon it will be time to file our taxes, do our spring cleaning, and generally get ready for summer. Then when summer gets here, it will go by too fast also. It could be said that we do not live in the moment. There was a wise pastor once stated that we could, "live our lives so much better if we would just relax and live in the here and now."

So then, I want to remind you that this spring, which starts this month, will come on us soon enough. It will barely seem like a small amount of time until we are in the throes of summer. So we can either look forward to what is coming, or we can live like today matters. Right now is the only time we have been given, or at least it could be our last. We are not promised tomorrow.

God does promise for those who love Him and those who are called according to His purpose, He will give the crown of life eternal. We can know that even if our time here is fleeting, we can rest assured that our futures are glorious! We can relax right now, and live like today is a great gift. Actually we can know that it is a great gift.

God wants to use you today, right now, right where you are. He wants to make something wonderful out of your today. He can work with you if you will just work with Him. That is the message for today, and for this month. Live for today. It is the most important time you will ever have!

In His service,

David Manley

10:30 a.m. Devotions

- March 4- Paul Reed
- March 11- Dave Manley
- March 18- Paul Reed
- March 25- Dave Manley

Communion and offering servers 10:30 a.m. service

- March 4- B. Smith, A. Steinhauer, G. Davis, W. Hill
- March 11- B. Smith, G. Davis, A. Steinhauer, W. Hill
- March 18 - B. Smith, G. Davis, A. Steinhauer, W. Hill
- March 25- B. Smith, G. Davis, A. Steinhauer, W. Hill

(If you are able to help and you notice only a few men up front please volunteer.)

2018 Elders: Paul Reed,
Deacons: Eldo Krebs,

+++++ Achievement in Figures: Gen. Fund Yearly budget is: \$102,422.00 (\$1969.65 wkly)

Date	Gen. Fund	Des. Total	Attendance			
Feb. 4	1399.47	130.00	17/41			
Feb. 11	1150.00	213.00	6/36			
Feb. 18	783.00	130.00	9/41			
Feb. 25	See next	month				
	bldg. fund		pk lot			
	\$4167.46		\$7010.85			

The Family Giving Room

Since we made the front page of the Clinton Herald last month we are getting more donations and a lot more referrals. We need any type of toiletries (toothpaste, shampoo, bath soap, lotion, deodorant) laundry soap, socks, underwear for all ages adults and kids, Or if you would like to donate money to purchase these items that's wonderful also.

CCC Book Club

There will be a meeting of CCC Book Club this month. It will be Thursday March 15th @ the home of @ 1:30 p.m.

Women's Fellowship

We will be meeting again in April.

CCC Book Club

Men and women, who love to read, are welcome to us. Our group does not choose just one book for everyone to read. Instead, everyone chooses for themselves, which author and how many books they wish to read. On the 3rd Thursday of the month, we meet to give reviews of what we've read. We also share each other's books and give some of our books to a nursing home. Come out and join us!

MARCH BIRTHDAYS:

1-Sandy Martin
6-Douglas Heppner
8- Michael Sterk
13- Monica Clarke
15- Jim Proud
20- Dawn Clark
22- Jenny Green
24- Ellen Shepler
25- Kearsten Smith
25-Ken Clarke
27- Phil Holt

March Anniversaries:
27- Ed & Linda Shockey

Special Congregational Meeting will be,
Sunday Feb. 25th . 2018 at 9:30 am
Please make sure to sign the
membership book before this day.

Rock River Christian
Camp is needing 50,000
napkins. Or you can
donate money to help
reach their goal.

**Greeters for March are: Bruce &
Billie Selser....**

The Giving Room is still doing awesome with
helping people in our community. I'm taking any
kind of Winter clothing, blankets, towels, shoes,
boots, coats. We also need any kind of toiletries
for men and women. Please continue to donate or
help any way you can. Thanks.

Deb Teachout has many activities
planned this month. Keep a look out

Don't forget Daylight Savings Time
Begins the 11th. Spring Ahead!!!!

**Men's Prayer breakfast
Saturday March 3rd , Women's
Prayer breakfast Saturday
March 17th. Both are at 9:00
a.m.**

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Monthly Planner

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday																																																																																							
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