## Sabbath

**JAN 27, 2018**

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### Combined Calendar: Jan 27 - Feb 24, 2018

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<th>Sunday</th>
<th>Monday</th>
<th>Tuesday</th>
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<th>Sabbath services start at 12:30pm unless noted</th>
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<td>please send updates to Debbie Bulgher at <a href="mailto:dbulgher@gmail.com">dbulgher@gmail.com</a></td>
<td>8pm FI Online</td>
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<td>7-Feb FI Online</td>
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<td>Clarksdale Bible Study/Potluck / 3rd Annual Variety Show</td>
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<td>14-Feb FI Online</td>
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<td>ITALY FT registration opens at 10am CST</td>
<td>17-Feb</td>
<td>18-Feb</td>
<td>19-Feb Presidents' Day Family Weekend</td>
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<td>Presidents' Day Family Weekend Ladies' Tea &amp; Men's Potluck</td>
<td>22-Feb</td>
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<td>23-Feb N. Carolina Super Sabbath Weekend</td>
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COGWA TV Webcast: [http://cogwa.tv](http://cogwa.tv)  
COGWA local website: [http://clarksville.cogwa.org](http://clarksville.cogwa.org)
Announcements

The January/February issue of Discern is now available online and for download. As we begin a new calendar year what choices will shape who you will be in 2018 and beyond? The cover article looks at “Turning Points: Crises and Choices That Can Change Your Life”. Other articles include: “Hidden in Plain Sight: The Festivals Jesus Celebrated”, “Why ‘Good Without God’ Isn’t Good Enough”, “How to Spot a Counterfeit Church”, “What NOT to Say When Someone Is Suffering”, “Christianity Made Simple”, “Wonders of God’s Creation: Acorn Woodpecker”, and more!

FT Cortona, Italy: While general registration for all other COGWA Feast sites will commence on Sun Apr 1, registration for the Feast of Tabernacles in Cortona, Italy, will take place much earlier. Cortona registration will be on Sun Feb 11, beginning at 10am CST. If you are planning to register for Cortona, take time in advance to make sure you have an account set up in the COGWA portal system. (https://portal.cogwa.org) Also, please make sure the email address in the portal system is your current email and that all information for family members and dependents is up to date. Registrations will be accepted online only. On Sun Feb 11, plan to sign into your portal account at or after 10am CST. At that time the Feast registration button will become available under the “Upcoming Events” section. You may need to refresh the page for it to appear. Click the button to begin the registration process. Make sure that you complete the registration fully by clicking the “Submit Registration” button. All successful registrants will receive a confirmation email right away. If you do not receive that email, you may not have properly completed the registration process. (You might also check your spam folder if you don’t see the email right away) Please note: This confirmation email does not mean you are accepted. Within five days you will be notified by email whether you have been accepted or whether you are on the waiting list for Cortona, Italy. If you are planning to register for Cortona, Italy - be sure to get a copy of the REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS from your Festival adviser or pastor. These instructions will assist you in properly completing your registration. Because of limited seating, only members who are accepted will be able to attend services in Cortona. We are accepting members for Cortona based on the time order of their online registration. This seems to be the fairest way for everyone. But it means that Cortona may not be the best site for you if you want to attend the Feast together with a large number of extended family members or friends. We are not able to accept group registrations. Valid registrations will be single households - adult(s) and any dependents. If you have any questions about registration, please see your Festival adviser or pastor. Cortona site info, housing costs and other key information are online at https://feast.cogwa.org/sites/italy/.

The 24th edition of the Branson President’s Day Weekend runs from Feb 16 -19. The theme for the weekend comes from 2 Pet 1:8: “If these things be in you, and abound.” All nine seminars will be along this theme. Special guest speaker for Sabbath services will be Clyde Kilough. David Johnson from the office in Allen will also be present along with area pastors. Activities on Sunday will include seminars, visits to area attractions, a pizza party and game night. On Monday more visits to area attractions will be available along with tours of the Titanic Museum. Additional details will be coming in a couple of weeks. For hotel information and to make reservations go to http://members.cogwa.org/calendars/church-calendar/24th-branson-presidents-day-family-weekend/
Clarksville

“Box of Sunshine” care package for Olivia Greider: Olivia is 6 yrs old. The Greider’s have requested no toys or gifts be sent at this time. One way to help them is by providing a meal for their family. If making a meal isn’t something you are able to do, gift cards would be wonderful. Initially, they will be at least a month stay in the hospital for Olivia’s treatment. The gift cards preferred are for Target, Whole Foods and Amazon. You can send an e-card for Whole Foods or Amazon to Mike Greider’s email address at mgreider@gmail.com. These gift cards will help with the food and items they may need. Chad Demarest will be collecting any items the night of the Variety Show, Feb 3. If you can provide a meal for their family you can do this by signing up on the meal schedule at www.TakeThemAMeal.com/LADZ3148. The meal delivery can be coordinated through Debbie Bulgher. If you would like to send a card, the Greider’s address is: Mike and Sarah Greider, 14639 Soucy Place, Centreville, VA 20120.

Mark your calendars now for Sunday Feb 18. The Ladies Tea and Men’s Potluck will be held at the home of the McGheee’s. Please let them know of your intention to attend.

Today, we need to be out of the hall by 4pm.

Church News

New COGWA headquarters building groundbreaking ceremony - Jan 22 - McKinney, TX

Upcoming Events

3rd Annual Clarksville Variety Show - Feb 3 - Claret Hall, Clarksville, MD

50th Anniversary of Barbados congregation - Feb 10

12th Annual Boot Scoot - Feb 10 - Grapevine Convention Center, Grapevine, TX
http://members.cogwa.org/calendars/church-calendar/boot-scoot/

Branson President’s Day Weekend - Feb 16-19 - Branson, MO
http://members.cogwa.org/calendars/church-calendar/24th-branson-presidents-day-family-weekend/

Clarksville Ladies Tea & Men’s Potluck - Feb 18
hosted by the McGhees in their home

North Carolina Super Sabbath Weekend - Feb 23-25 - Greensboro, NC
http://members.cogwa.org/calendars/church-calendar/north-carolina-super-sabbath-weekend/