



# THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi

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February 13, 2022

## I Will Never Leave You

Tim Dooley

### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday School..... 9:30  
 Morning Worship.....10:30  
 Afternoon Worship.....1:15  
 Wednesday Bible Study.....6:30

### MINISTERS

Tim Dooley.....859-486-4215  
 Shaler Grigsby.....256-263-9137  
 Office.....662-534-4649

### ELDERS

Greg Clayton.....662-252-9762  
 Tim Dye.....662-316-2527  
 Richard Jennings ..662-316-1305  
 Phil Young.....662-316-2059

### DEACONS

Kurt Clayton.....662-316-6420  
 Shane Crotts.....662-266-0195  
 Jason Jennings.....662-801-3260  
 Mark Jennings.....731-609-3309  
 Kevin Simmons.....662-512-8451  
 Randy Wall.....662-316-9255

### 2022 THEME

BETTER

### OUR RECORD

02/06/2022

Sunday School.....N/A  
 Sunday A.M.....124  
 Sunday P.M.....85  
 Wednesday. 02/09/22.....99  
 Contribution..... \$6438.00  
 Budget.....\$4,750.00

I remember years ago becoming separated from my mother at Hills Department Store in Springfield, Ohio. I couldn't have been more than 5 or 6 years old and I was terrified. Someone found me and took me to the Service Counter where my mother was paged. I also recall leaving the beach once while on a family vacation without telling my father. He was furious and panicked when I came back. Years later I understood just how my parents must have felt when my son David was lost in a Mall department store after wondering off. I was terrified and happened to spot him before he noticed me and recognized the frightened, anxious look in his face as he searched for us. I also remember hearing about the time my grandparents drove off from a gas station without my Uncle Steve. My mother and Uncle Tom sat silently in the back seat seemingly unconcerned that their little brother had been left behind.

Then it happened again. I guess it was bound to; somehow, somewhere. I don't believe we ever plan to lose or intend to abandon a child, but it happens. And it did! One evening Colleen took David and dropped him off at football practice. Practice was from 7:00-8:30 and I was helping some friends move some furniture. Colleen came to their house after dropping David off so she could go run an errand with her friend. When they returned we ended up sitting around their kitchen table visiting and I realized it was getting darker outside and we should probably be going when I looked at my watch and it was 9:00! Somewhat panicked, Colleen ran to her car and while dialing numbers on her cell she sped off to rescue poor David.

When we all arrived back home, and everything (and everyone) was fine, I was impressed with how well David took our little oversight. He told his mother at one point, "Mom, you're too nice...you've already said you were sorry like a hundred times." He wasn't the same little boy who just a few years earlier was scared and lost in a department store.

All this made me think that as children of God we are never forgotten and we are never left behind. The psalmist David wrote, "*Where can I go from Your Spirit? Or where can I flee from Your presence? If I ascend into heaven, You are there; If I make my bed in hell, behold, You are there*" (Psalm 139:7-8). What a comfort it is to the godly that He is always there with us.

Peter wrote, "*For the eyes of the LORD are on the righteous, And His ears are open to their prayers...*" (1 Peter 3:12). And the Hebrew writer encouraged us to, "Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "*I will never leave you nor forsake you.*" (Hebrews 13:5). Be faithful...and you will never be alone!



### Dooley noted....

Monday is Valentine's Day. Let's make sure that we are letting others, and especially those closest to us, know just how much we love them, care about them, and how important they are to us in our lives. Valentine's Day should be a way of everyday-life for the Christian – Tim



## PRAYER LIST

**Wanda Coleman**, a previous member, has kidney cancer.  
**Tony Erwin** is still in ICU stepdown at New Albany.  
 Please keep **Billy Joe & Benita Garner** and their families in your prayers.  
**Deborah Griffin** is in Shearer-Richardson Nursing Home in Okolona for rehab.  
**Sue Marques** is scheduled for knee replacement surgery on February 23rd.  
**Lana Todd** is scheduled for 2nd knee surgery February 21st.

### Continue to Remember:

Melvin Adams, Jennie Bell, Bob Clement, Shane Crotts, Kathy Dye, Wayne Dye, Arelus & Ernestine & Dye, Prebble Foster, Nancy Frohn, Eleta Grimmitt, Deborah Griffin, Barbara Holt, Carol Hood, Michelle Kimsey, Greg Lawson, Auzie & Betty McNeely, April Pounders, Olivia Pounders, Tom Pettey, Joe Reed, Susie Roberson, Novene Robertson, Harold Russell, Roy Sharp, Ricky Taylor, William Wilson

### Shut-Ins:

J. L. Eaton, Linda Griggs, Billy Joe & Benita Garner, Sue Marques, Nancy Petrowski.

### Nursing Home/Assisted Living:

Joe Downs, Lucille Gibson, Bill Lyon, Sue Stroud, Deborah Griffin

### Military List:

Derek Bradley, Tevin Bradley, Chase Seals.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY



February 06 ~ Owen Clayton  
 February 15 ~ Andy Brown  
 February 15 ~ Greg Clayton  
 February 19 ~ Barbara Crotts

## HAPPY ANIVERSARY

February 14 ~ Andy & Sharon Clemmer  
 February 16 ~ Kelvin & Lakisha Harris

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

- Food items for children at Myrtle School (Kurt)
- Supplies for Pine Vale; next delivery April (Kurt)
- Coloring Books/Crayons for Le Bonheur (Andy/Vic Brown, Kurt/Shelly)
- Snack bags and activity books for dialysis center (Brian, Matt, Shane)
- Food items for children at West Union School (Brian, Matt, Shane)
- Provide bags for foster children (Brian, Matt, Shane).
- Provide hygiene products for students. January-Ingomar (Kevin/Stephanie)
- Caring for our church family (Kevin/Stephanie)
- Assist our elderly and the sick with yard work (Kevin/Stephanie)
- Run errands for our shut-ins (Kevin/Stephanie)
- Prepare care boxes for our shut-ins (Kevin/Stephanie)

## Thank You

Thank you for the fresh meat, fruit and snacks you brought to us January 28, 2022. These items help us so much here on our campus. We are proud you support our children in this special way. May God bless you in all your kind deeds.

Sincerely yours, Pine Vale Children's Home  
 Jon O'Keefe, Executive Director

## CHURCH NOTICE

If anyone needs to reserve the fellowship building for any reason, please contact Mark Jennings (662-316-1606) or Janice Griffin (662-507-5362). Thank you.

## CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

- **February 13th** - 1st Sunday Fellowship Meal. Please join us for good food and fellowship.
- **February 13th** - Area Wide @ Mayfield Church of Christ in Saltillo. Van leaving at 4:20.
- **February 20th** - Elders & Ministers Meet.
- February 20th - "Lunch with Sisters" at the fellowship building. All women are invited.
- **February 20th** - Youth Devo hosted by Phil and Paige Young.
- **February 25 - 27, 2022** - CYC, Pigeon Forge, TN
- Remember to pick up **Care Group List** on the table in the foyer.
- Old VBS T-shirts are in a box in the foyer, get as many as you want.

**AM SERMON OUTLINE**

**The Christian and Social Media**

**Colossians 3:12-17**

Tim Dooley

**I. Principles involved in Christianity and Social Media.**

- A. Being \_\_\_\_\_ (Revelation 21:8)
- B. \_\_\_\_\_ (1 Timothy 2:9)
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ (Matthew 5:16)
- D. \_\_\_\_\_ (Matthew 23:28)
- E. \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 1:29; 1 Timothy 5:13)
- F. \_\_\_\_\_ and taking God's name in vain (Colossians 3:8; Matthew 12:36; Ephesians 4:29)

**II. Problems with Social Media and the Christian.**

- A.. \_\_\_\_\_ Limitations
- B. \_\_\_\_\_
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- D. \_\_\_\_\_
- E. \_\_\_\_\_ (1 Corinthians 6:12)
- F. It encourages \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- G. Destroy our \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and bring \_\_\_\_\_ upon the church (Proverbs 15:3)

**III. What can/should we do about it?**

- A. Self-Discipline (Genesis 4:7).
- B. Determine to only have \_\_\_\_\_ (Matthew 6:24)
- C. If your right hand causes you to sin \_\_\_\_\_ (Matthew 5:30)
- D. The Golden Rule (Matthew 7:12)
- E. Create posts that \_\_\_\_\_ God or \_\_\_\_\_ others to praise Him (1 Corinthians 10:31).
- F. Be a \_\_\_\_\_!

**IV. Positives of Social Media and the Christian.**

- A. \_\_\_\_\_
- B. \_\_\_\_\_
- C. \_\_\_\_\_
- D. \_\_\_\_\_

**PM SERMON OUTLINE**

**Better Confidence In God**

**Exodus 32 & II Timothy 2**

Shaler Grigsby

**Exodus 32**

• **CAUSE**

- A. \_\_\_\_\_
- B. \_\_\_\_\_
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

• **EFFECT**

- A. God's \_\_\_\_\_
- B. \_\_\_\_\_

**II Timothy 2**

1. Be Strong in \_\_\_\_\_
2. Understand \_\_\_\_\_ will come
3. \_\_\_\_\_ from the world
4. Know you are \_\_\_\_\_ God
5. You cannot make the \_\_\_\_\_
6. Be \_\_\_\_\_
7. Feed yourself \_\_\_\_\_ spiritually

NOTES:

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**SINGING**.....Richard Jennings  
**SONG** .....**891** This Is the Day That the Lord  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**.....Phil Young  
**SONG**.....**615** That Dreadful Night  
**LORD’S SUPPER/OFFERING**....Ricky Adams, Bill Botts,  
 Mike Brown, Tim Dye  
**SONG**.....**394** Leaning on the Everlasting Arms  
**SONG**.....**320** If I Have Wounded Anu Soul  
**SCRIPTURE READING**.....Jackson Coggin  
**OPENING PRAYER**.....Kurt Clayton  
**SONG**.....**826** I’ll Be List’ning  
**SONG**..... **207** Hark! The Gentle Voice  
**LESSON**.....Tim Dooley  
**INVITATION SONG**.....**923** Give Thanks  
**CLOSING PRAYER**..... David Clayton  
**USHER**.....Dean Dillard/Randy Wall  
**LOCK**.....Mark Jennings  
**SECURITY**.....Phillip Young  
**GREETERS**.....Kevin & Stephanie Simmons

**WORSHIP—SUNDAY EVENING —1:15 PM**

**P.M. SINGING**.....Mark Jennings  
**P.M. OPENING PRAYER**.....Roger Clayton  
**LESSON**.....Shaler Grigsby  
**P.M. CLOSING PRAYER**.....Tim Dooley

**BIBLE STUDY—WEDNESDAY February 16 —6:30 P.M.**

**SINGING**.....Thomas Wall  
**OPENING PRAYER** ..... Paul Orman  
**DEVOTIONAL**.....Mark Jennings  
**CLOSING PRAYER**..... Clay Jennings

**Sunday, February 20**

Greeters.....Shaler & Madison Grigsby  
 Announcements.....Phil Young  
 Singing.....Phillip Young  
 Lord’s Supper..... Ricky Adams,  
 Bill Botts, Mike Brown, Tim Dye  
 Scripture Reading.....Clayton Hill  
 Opening Prayer.....Dane Coggin  
 Closing Prayer.....Andy Clemmer  
 Usher.....Dean Dillard/Kurt Clayton  
 Lock.....Kurt Clayton  
 Security..... Joe Owen

**Sunday P.M.**

Singing.....Richard Jennings  
 Opening Prayer.....Shaler Grigsby  
 Closing Prayer..... Caleb Jennings

**Wednesday February 23**

Singing.....Dillon Clayton  
 Opening Prayer.....Joe Owen  
 Devotional .....Jason Jennings  
 Closing Prayer.....Hunter Jennings

**Sunday, February 27**

Greeters.....Randy & Christy Wall  
 Announcements.....Phil Young  
 Singing.....Andy Brown  
 Lord’s Supper..... Ricky Adams,  
 Bill Botts, Mike Brown, Tim Dye  
 Scripture Reading.....Ruston Adams  
 Opening Prayer.....Mark Jennings  
 Closing Prayer.....Martin Crotts  
 Usher.....Dean Dillard/Shane Crotts  
 Lock.....Richard Jennings  
 Security..... Richard Adams

**Sunday P.M.**

Singing.....Phillip Young  
 Opening Prayer.....Richard Jennings  
 Closing Prayer.....Perry Jones

**Wednesday March 02, 2022**

Singing.....  
 Opening Prayer.....  
 Devotional .....Tim Dooley  
 Closing Prayer.....

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