



THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi

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June 05 2022

It's Not Forgotten

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

Andy Brown..... 662-871-9199
 Kurt Clayton..... 662-316-6420
 Dane Coggin 662-419-8308
 Jason Jennings..... 662-801-3260
 Mark Jennings.....731-609-3309
 Kevin Simmons..... 662-512-8451
 Randy Wall..... 662-316-9255



OUR RECORD

05/29/2022

Sunday School.....109
 Sunday A.M..... 148
 Sunday P.M..... 88
 Wednesday 06/01/22 98
 Contribution.....\$5,254.00
 Budget..... \$4,750.00

Last week I wrote an article entitle “Throughout All Generations.” In that article I detailed some findings about my first ancestry trip to Eastern Kentucky. I noted that my Great-Grandfather and grandmothers’ graves were located but that I wasn’t able to locate any of the burial sites of the previous generations.

The following October I again got to walk up the hollow in Lawrence County, Kentucky where my father was raised but this time with him by my side; sharing stories I had never heard. It was a day I will never forget. On top of a man-made hill that we supposed was a dam he pointed out a spot about a ¼ of a mile back through dense undergrowth where a cemetery once existed. There his Uncle Herbert (who he was named after) was buried. As we left that day my dad called his father’s only living sibling to ask about any other graves. He told us where we might find my Great-great grandparent’s gravesite and after a brief standoff with two German Shepherds we found what we were looking for.

The following spring, while holding a meeting in nearby Wayne County, West Virginia, I walked back up the property again. This time I found the dam and spillway nearly completed and the previously impenetrable bottomland beyond the dam wall cleared. So, on Memorial Day my brother and I took our boys and went to find the lost cemetery and it was right where dad said we would find it. Two markers are all that exist inside the rusted, deteriorating fence: Uncle Herbert’s and one unmarked stone with a cross engraved on it that we believe may have been another of my dad’s uncles (Arnold) who died as an infant.

I spoke with the current property owner and had a great conversation with him. He told me he had a booklet that had been written by someone in the family about the generations of Dooleys who lived back up that hollow. I expressed our concern that the water that would be dammed up would cover the gravesites but he assured me the water “would never touch it.” Then I thought, “But God will.”

In John 5:28-29 Jesus said, *“Marvel not at this: for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice, and shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation.”* John wrote, *“And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works.”* And *“Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen”* (Revelation 20:13, 1:7).

I told someone later that we had found the cemetery that had seemingly been lost for decades. What I realized, and what these verses show, is that while man may forget, God does not. And God won’t need a marker when He comes to take us home.



Dooley noted...

It’s June and summertime is upon us. Schools out, time for vacations, VBS, camps, cookouts, and don’t forget the heat and humidity, thunderstorms and “nators.” Let us not forget who we are this summer and make sure we continue to put the Lord and His church first in our lives. – Tim



PRAYER LIST

Ray Kennedy will have a pacemaker implant June 7th.
Ricky Adams is still confined to home due to back pain.
Majeau Dillard, mother of Dean Dillard, has been placed on hospice. She is in the Ecu Nursing Home.
Corey Politte who is at home recovering from a stroke had a slight setback last week.

Continue to Remember:

Melvin Adams, Shane Crotts, Kathy Dye, Arelus & Ernestine Dye, Wanda Coleman, Prebble Foster, Carol Hood, Martin Hurd, Alfred Jones, Brenda Jones, Betty McNeely, April Pounders, Olivia Pounders, Tom Pettey, Novene Robertson, Harold Russell.

Shut-Ins: J. L Eaton, Linda Griggs, Joe Reed

Nursing Home:

Joe Downs, Lucille Gibson, Sue Stroud, Sue Marques, Bobbi Jean BoBo,

Military List: Derek Bradley, Tevin Bradley, Chase Seals.

SYMPATHY

We express our deepest sympathy to the family of **Nancy Petrowski** who passed away Thursday, May 26, at her home. Funeral services were held Sat. May 28th at the New Albany Church of Christ.

Also, we express our deepest sympathy to the family of **Bob Clement** who passed away Sat. May 28th, at the age of 82. Funeral services were held Tues. May 31st at Bethlehem Methodist.

RESPONSE

Gloria Jones responded last Wednesday night asking for prayers and encouragement to be the Christian she needs to be. We applaud her courage and example..

ELDERS REQUEST

The Elders are looking for someone to maintain, update, and expand our church website. If you are interested in doing this, please see Tim Dye

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

- 1st Sunday Fellowship Meal following service.
- Those who signed up to help with Kids Activities for VBS meet up front after morning service.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



June 6th ~ Perry Jones
 June 10th ~ David Clayton
 June 11th ~ Christy Wall
 June 12th ~ Collett Cross
 June 12th ~ Kenesha Sweezer

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

June 12Rex & Jennie Bell
 June 12Martin & Erica Crotts
 June 13 Shaler & Madison Grigsby

THANK YOU

Thanks for all your kind words, cards, text, phone calls, food. The help with the service and everything you did during the illness and death of our, wife, mother and daughter, Nancy Petrowski. You are a great group of people. May God bless you. Thanks again.

Austin, Kelsey, & Terry Petrowski
 Deloris Crowe

THANK YOU

Words cannot express our thanks to all of you for the wonderful welcome we have received since moving here. So blessed to have you as our church family. We have appreciated the cards and food. God bless all of you.

Arelus & Ernestine Dye

THANK YOU

Thank you for the wedding shower that you hosted for us. It was great to come to New Albany this past weekend and be showered with love, laughter, and cake! Daniel has always told me that the New Albany congregation is a great church with great people, and this wedding shower proved that true. Thank you again for the wedding shower!

In Christian Love,
 Daniel & Erin

NOTICE

- Anyone interested in adopting a teenager, please see Shaler Griggsby
- There is Mentor/Mentee list in the foyer.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS/ MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- **June 9th** Kids "Thoughtful Thursday" 9:00 a.m. at fellowship building
- **June 12th** Area Wide Youth at Aberdeen.
- **June 12th** Baby Shower for Dan & Jordan Owen at fellowship building following PM service. She is registered at The Carousel in Pontotoc, Walmart, and Bead Shack.
- **June 14th** Ladies sewing/quilting class meet @ Eleta Grimmert's 10:00-12:00. AM
- **June 16th** Men's Bible Study @ 7:00 PM in Room 12. (class will meet the 3rd Thursday of each month).
- **June 18th** Daniel Drummond & Erin Welford Wedding @ 5:00 pm, at West Main Tupelo.
- **June 26th** Youth devo @ the home of Amy & Jason Jennings.

AM SERMON OUTLINE

Better To Trust In The Lord

Psalm 118:8-9

Tim Dooley

- I. ABRAHAM _____ (Genesis 22:1-12)
- A. He _____ to God
 - B. He Did Not _____
 - C. He _____ in God Completely
 - D. He Was Willing to Sacrifice His _____
- II. JESUS _____
- A. He _____ to God (John 15:15)
 - B. He Did Not _____ (John 9:4)
 - C. He _____ in God Completely (Luke 22:42)
 - D. He Was Willing to Sacrifice _____ (John 10:15)
 - E. He Was Highly Exalted (Philippians 2:9)
- III. WHAT ABOUT ____?
- A. We Must _____ Him.
 - 1. God has revealed Himself to us
 - 2. God has revealed the message (1 Corinthians 2:12; Romans 8:29)
 - 3. God's message has power
 - 4. The Process (Ezra 7:10; James 1:21; Psalm 40:8; 2 Timothy 2:15).
 - B. We Must _____ Him (Psalm 118:8-9; 1 John 5:4; Ephesians 6:16)
 - C. We Must _____
 - 1. When God calls us, we are to react positively and immediately (Matthew 4:20; Acts 16:33; Matthew 8:21-22; Acts 24:25)
 - 2. The earmarks of submission:
 - A. _____ (Matthew 4:4; Luke 1:6)
 - B. _____ (1 Timothy 6:14)
 - C. _____ (Deuteronomy 4:2; Proverbs 30:6; Revelation 22:18-19).
 - D. We Must Be Willing to Sacrifice (1 Peter 4:1; John 12:25; Luke 14:26; Matthew 18:8-9; John 14:1-4; 1 Corinthians 2:9)

NOTES:



WHAT

Vacation Bible School

WHEN

June 5-8, 6:30 p.m.

WHERE

511 Hwy 15 S, New Albany, MS

MR. AND MRS. JEFFREY WELFORD
REQUEST THE HONOR OF YOUR COMPANY
AT THE MARRIAGE OF THEIR DAUGHTER

Erin

&

Daniel

SON OF MR. AND MRS. LARRY DRUMMOND

SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2022 at 5:00 P.M.

WEST MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

2460 WEST MAIN STREET

TUPELO, MS 38801

RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

Kindly RSVP on our website by MAY 21, 2022

www.theknot.com/dashingtodrummond

ORDER OF WORSHIP

SINGING.....Mike Brown
SONG**949** I Will Enter His Gates
ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Greg Clayton
LORD’S SUPPER/OFFERING.....Andy Clemmer/
 Tim Dye, Richard Jennings, Troy Robertson
SONG..... **440** My Jesus, I Love Thee
SONG..... **859** He Paid A Debt
SCRIPTURE READING..... Owen Clayton
OPENING PRAYER.....Roger Clayton
SONG **436** Nearer, Still Nearer
SONG**829** Mansion over the Hilltop
LESSON.....Tim Dooley
INVITATION SONG.....**762** Where He Leads Me
CLOSING PRAYER.....Martin Crotts
SONG**250** How Sweet, How Heavenly
USHER..... Brian Carpenter/Jason Jennings
LOCK.....Jason Jennings
SECURITY.....Dane Coggin
GREETERS.....Randy & Amy English

WORSHIP—SUNDAY EVENING —1:15 PM

P.M. SINGING.....Andy Brown
P.M. OPENING PRAYER.....Paul Ormon
LESSON.....Tim Dooley
P.M. CLOSING PRAYER.....Clay Jennings

BIBLE STUDY—WEDNESDAY, June 08 —6:30 P.M.

SINGING.....Dillon Clayton
OPENING PRAYERClint Stroupe
DEVOTIONAL.....Shaler Grigsby
CLOSING PRAYER..... Steve Todd

Sunday, June 12, 2022

Greeters.....Richard & Kathy Jennings
 Announcements..... Greg Clayton
 Singing.....Shaler Grigsby
 Lord’s Supper... Andy Clemmer/Tim Dye
 Richard Jennings, Troy Robertson
 Scripture Reading.....Jackson Coggin
 Opening Prayer.....Jason Jennings
 Closing Prayer.....Shane Crotts
 Usher.....Brian Carpenter/Dane Coggin
 Lock.....Dane Coggin
 Security.....Jason Jennings

Sunday P.M.

Singing.....Mike Brown
 Opening Prayer.....Joe Owen
 Closing Prayer.....Matt Jennings

Wednesday June 15, 2022

Singing.....Hunter Jennings
 Opening Prayer.....Randy Wall
 DevotionalDavid Clayton
 Closing Prayer..... Thomas Wall

Sunday, June 19, 2022

Greeters.....Greg & Kim Clayton
 Announcements..... Greg Clayton
 Singing.....Olen Clark
 Lord’s Supper... Andy Clemmer/Tim Dye
 Richard Jennings, Troy Robertson
 Scripture Reading.....Clayton Hill
 Opening Prayer.....Kaleb Keller
 Closing Prayer..... Caleb Jennings
 Usher.....Brian Carpenter/Andy Brown
 Lock.....Andy Brown
 Security.....Matt Jennings

Sunday P.M.

Singing.....Shaler Grigsby
 Opening Prayer.....Tim Dooley
 Closing Prayer.....Perry Jones

Wednesday June 22, 2022

Singing.....Owen Clayton
 Opening Prayer.....Phillip Young
 DevotionalTerry Stubblefield
 Closing Prayer.....Richard Adams

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