



THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi

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January 28, 2024

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

First Worship..... 9:00
 Sunday School.....10:00
 Second Worship.....11:00
 Wednesday Bible Study.....6:30

MINISTERS

Tim Dooley.....859-486-4215
 Office.....662-534-4649

ELDERS

Greg Clayton.....662-252-9762
 Andy Clemmer.....662-816-5887
 Tim Dye.....662-316-2527
 Richard Jennings ..662-316-1305
 Phil Young.....662-316-2059

DEACONS

Andy Brown..... 662-871-9199
 Young Adults, Youth, Marketing
 Kurt Clayton..... 662-316-6420
 Benevolence, Mission Work
 Dane Coggin 662-419-8308
 Adults, Worship Assignments,
 Sound Room
 Jason Jennings..... 662-801-3260
 Maintenance, Security, CYC,
 Children's Education
 Mark Jennings.....731-609-3309
 Maintenance, Seniors, Fellowship/
 Special Days, Security
 Kevin Simmons..... 662-512-8451
 New Members, Ladies Ministry,
 High School & Adult Education,
 Care Groups, Mission Work
 Randy Wall..... 662-316-9255
 Fellowship/Special Days,
 Maintenance

“Baby, it’s cold outside.”

Tim Dooley

The recent weather that brought the deep trough of cold air descending from the north, as described in Job 37:9, upon the United States led many to exclaim, “Baby, it’s cold outside.” But this too has passed (2 Corinthians 4:17–18). But then the rain came, and we’re further reminded of what the Lord said after Noah emerged from the ark, “While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, winter and summer, and day and night shall not cease” (Genesis 8:22).

Sadly, mankind (as well as many Christians) is just as vacillating as the changing seasons. I certainly understand the frustration that resonates from the words of Elijah of he addresses the people of God by asking, “How long will you falter between two opinions? If the LORD is God, follow Him; but if Baal, follow him” (1 Kings 18:21). Indeed, a “double-minded man is unstable in all his ways” (James 1:8).

The cold can have a devastating effect on a man both physically and spiritually. In John 18:18 we read that the servants and officers “made a fire of coals; for it was cold: and they warmed themselves: and Peter stood with them, and warmed himself.” Peter allows the cold reality of the situation he finds himself in, as well as the company and weather, to affect the condition of his spiritual fortitude. He denies the Lord. Jesus tells us that because of sin the “love of many shall wax cold” (Matthew 24:12).

The Lord wants our internal, spiritual, temperature to always be on fire. And it would do all of us well to gauge our condition regularly. The prophet Jeremiah once conveyed that he no longer wished to “make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name,” but concluded that “his word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary of holding it back, and I could not” (Jeremiah 20:9).

Allow me to challenge us to consider our internal spiritual temperature and then to consider this: If one is cold and spiritually frostbit in this life he will most likely be on fire in the next. Spring is only a few short months away but eternity is much closer and lasts much longer. Be faithful



“I will shake all nations, and they will come with the wealth of all nations, and I will fill this house with glory,” says the LORD of hosts” (Haggai 2:7).



Church Calendar

Dooley Noted...



I plan to soon begin preaching through the gospel of John on Sunday mornings during our 9:00 AM first-hour worship. I believe this will be a profitable and uplifting look at the gospel of Love. Let me encourage you to begin reading John’s gospel in preparation for these lessons.- Tim



PRAYER LIST

Cancer Patients: Mike Carnery (brother of Colleen Dooley); John Bodie; Jo Ellen Carruth (sister of Bill Frohn), Lena Conner (sister of Sue Marques), Arelus Dye, Sandra Davis (daughter of Betty Boren); Georgia Shocklee ; Sherry Parker (sister of Steve Todd); Elizabeth Phagan (sister of Bobby Marques), Randy Reeder (son of Grace Lyon); William Wilson (brother of Gloria Jones);

Continued Prayers for family and friends:

Shane Crotts, Grace Crotts (Shane’s mother), Tonya Dillard, Prebble Foster Alfred Jones (brother of Perry Jones), Gloria Jones, Amanda Dye Martin (daughter of Tim & Kathy Dye); Betty McNeely (sister of Richard Jennings), Corey Politte, April Pounders, Olivia Pounders, Leslie Reed (cousin of Christy Wall), Marty Stillman (father of Ja Lyn Ormon); Jackie Sweat heart patient (aunt of Alyce Jennings), Donald Wilson, Clemmer/Davis families;

Shut-Ins: Kathy Dye, Ernestine Dye, J.L. Eaton, Joe Reed, Rex & Jennie Bell

Nursing Home: Lucille Gibson, Sue Marques, Sue Stroud, Bobbi Jean BoBo, Helen Stubblefield (mother of Terry Stubblefield)

Military List: Derek Bradley, Zakaria Bradley, Anderson Parks, Alex Kraus (grandson of Jerry & Eleta Grimmatt),

AREA EVENTS

- **Fulton Bible Institute** will finish studying Bible Land Passages presented by World Video Bible School. The class will meet Tuesday evening at 7 PM from January 23rd until March 25th.
- **Freed-Hardeman** 88th Annual Bible Lectureship “Triumph of the Lamb” will begin February 4th-8th, 2024..

LAD’S-TO-LEADERS SCRAPBOOK

If you have pictures of events the church participated in this past year, email to Jessica Garrett at Jess.garrett.87@gmail.com . Please include a short description of what event they were from. These will be used in a scrapbook for the upcoming Lads-to-Leaders conference to be held in March. Thank you .

Sanctity of Human Life Month

Our congregation will participate beginning January 21st in the “Bottle Boomerang” fundraiser for the First Choice Women’s Center here in New Albany.

Bottles will be available to put a donation or extra change for the First Choice Women’s Center here in New Albany. Please return your bottle by February 18th. Any questions see Bonnie Owen.

MARK YOUR 2024 CALENDAR

- “Men’s Coffee” each Thursday @ 7:00 a.m. at Two Sisters
- **Ladies Bible Class** each Tuesday @ 10:00 a.m. in annex
- **February 4th**— Guest Speaker 11:00 AM Service, Kevin Patterson
- **February 4th** - 1st Sunday Fellowship Meal
- **February 4th** - Elders, Deacons and Minister meet following lunch.
- **February 15th** — Men’s Ministry Meet at 7:00 PM in the annex
- **March 29th-31st** - L2L
- **April 5th-7th** - 3rd Annual NE MS Lectureship at New Albany



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



January 31st.....Brenna Politte
February 2ndStephanie Simmons
February 4th.....Swayer Jones
February 5th.....Laney Kate Smith
February 5th.....Paige Young
February 5th.....Owen Clayton

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

February 14th.....Andy & Sharon Clemmer
February 15th.....Corey & Brenna Politte
February 16th.....Kelvin & Lakisha Harris

TODAY’S HAPPENINGS

- **Girls Lads-2-Leaders** will meet with Madison Griggs this afternoon a 1:15 to practice for Lads-2-Leaders.
- **Area Wide Youth Meeting** today at East Main Church of Christ in Tupelo @ 5:00 PM.



FEBRUARY 2024

- **February 18th, Area Wide** at Antioch 5:00 PM
- **February 23rd-25th Challenge Youth Conference (CYC)** at Pigeon Forge, TN. info@cyconline.com. (any questions Jason Jennings or Greg Clayton)

Please join us for a

baby shower

HONORING

Audrey Anna Potts

Sunday, February 18, 2024

2:00-3:30 PM

Home of Christy Wall

1670 County Road 86

New Albany, MS

Audrey Anna is registered at Amazon

Christy 662-316-9256 Maria 662-316-5551

**Please Remember
Encouragement Cards
in the Pew in Front of You**

CHURCH RECIPE BOOK

The deadline to submit your recipes is January 31st. Please contact Lee Anne Gaillard at (662) 668-0282.

FIRST SERMON OUTLINE
So You Want To Be Happy?

Hebrews 5:8-9

Tim Dooley

- I. God's Promised Blessings to the _____
(1 Peter 1:14-16; Deuteronomy 11:26-28; Psalm 119:2;
Proverbs 8:32; James 1:25; Luke 11:28; Psalm 106:3)
- II. What Obedience Is Not
 - A. _____ (Luke 12:47; John 13:17; James 4:17; 2:19)
 - B. Doing _____ of What God Said (Luke 11:42)
 - C. Doing _____ Than God Said (2 John 9)
 - D. _____ (Isaiah 5:20)
 - E. Wrong _____ (Matthew 23:3)
- III. Why We Find Obedience _____ ?
 - A. We Lack _____ (Romans 10:17)
 - B. We Don't Find It _____ (Acts 24:25)
 - C. We Have Other _____ (Matthew 22:27)
 - D. We Don't Understand the _____ (2 Corinthians 5:11)

NOTES:

SECOND SERMON OUTLINE

The Call of Christ

Mark 2:13-17

Tim Dooley

- I. Jesus Calls _____ (v 14)
 - A. The _____ To Follow
 - 1. He Had _____ (Joshua 24:15; John 8:31)
 - 2. He Was _____ (Ezra 7:10)
 - B. The Following to _____ (Matthew 21:32;
Luke 19:2; Matthew 9:9)
 - 1. His _____ and _____ for God.
 - 2. His _____ and _____ Following.
 - 3. His Faithfulness Unto _____.
 - C. In Order to Answer the Call of Christ We Must...
 - 1. _____ Ourselves
 - 2. We Must Be _____ with Ourselves
 - 3. We Must Hate _____
 - 4. We Must Hunger for _____
- II. Jesus Calls the _____
 - A. The _____ of Christ (Matthew 9:36; 20:34)
 - B. The _____ of Christ (Luke 7:21;
Matthew 15:30; John 11; Matthew 8:1-4)
- III. Jesus Calls the _____ (v 17)
 - A. The _____ of Sin (2 Kings 5)
 - B. Matthew's _____ (Matthew 9:9-13; Luke 5:29-32)
 - C. The Call To _____ (Romans 3:23; 1 John 1:8-10;
Romans 3:12; Luke 19:10; Acts 17:30-31)

NOTES:

WORSHIP-FIRST SERVICE - 9:00 A.M.

LEAD SINGING.....Richard Jennings
 SONG111 Come, We That Love the Lord
 SONG.....557 Rock of Ages
 SCRIPTURE READING.....Owen Clayton
 OPENING PRAYERKevin Simmons
 SONG708 Walking in Sunlight
 SERMONTim Dooley
 INVITATION SONG.....714 Trust and Obey
 SONG.....511 Oft We Come Together
 LORD’S SUPPERPaul Ormon, Matt Jennings, Olen Clark;
 Bill Botts, Steve Hill, Hunter Jennings
 OFFERING.....Paul Ormon/Bill Botts
 SONG463 O Happy Day
 CLOSING PRAYERPerry Jones

DISMISS TO BIBLE CLASS 10:00 A.M.

WORSHIP-SECOND SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Tim Dye
 LEAD SINGING.....Mark Jennings
 OPENING PRAYERRandy Wall
 SERMONTim Dooley
 CLOSING PRAYERTroy Robertson
 USHER.....Dean Dillard/Dane Coggin
 LOCK.....Dane Coggin
 SECURITY.....Brian Carpenter
 GREETERS.....Randy & Christy Wall

BIBLE STUDY— 5TH WEDESDAY, JANUARY 31th - 6:30 P.M.

SINGING.....5TH WEDNESDAY NIGHTDillon Clayton
 OPENING PRAYERTim Dooley
 DEVOTIONAL.....Dillon Clayton
 CLOSING PRAYR.....Ricky Adams

Sunday, February 4th, 2024

Greeters.....
 Announcements.....
 Singing.....
 Lord’s Supper...
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 Scripture Reading.....
 Opening Prayer
 Closing Prayer.....
 Usher
 Lock
 Security.....

Sunday 4th Second Service 11:00 a.m.

Singing.....
 Opening Prayer.....
 Guest Speaker: Kevin Patterson
 Closing Prayer.....

Wednesday, February 7th, 2024

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

Sunday, February 11th, 2024

Greeters.....
 Announcements.....
 Singing.....
 Lord’s Supper...
 .Scripture Reading.....
 Opening Prayer
 Closing Prayer.....
 Usher
 Lock
 Security.....

Sunday 4th Second Service 11:00 a.m.

Singing.....
 Opening Prayer.....
 Closing Prayer.....

Wednesday, February 14th, 2024

Singing.....
 Opening Prayer.....
 Devotional.....Phillip Young
 Closing Prayer

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

1. Hear the Gospel (Romans 10:13-17)
2. Believe the Gospel (Acts 15:7)
3. Repent of Sins (Acts 3:19)
4. Confess Faith in Christ (Acts 8:37)
5. Be Baptized for the Remission of Sins (Acts 2:38)
6. Live Faithful Life (Revelation 2:10)

OUR RECORD

WEEK OF 01/21/2024

Sunday School.....120 (15)
 Sunday 1st Service.....98 (24)
 Sunday 2nd Service.....110 (19)
 Wednesday.....97 (0)
 *(Online)
 Contribution...01/14/24.....\$7,354.00
 Contribution.. 01/21/24.....\$3,384.00
 Budget.....\$5,124.00

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