

# THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi

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Dec. 8, 2024

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

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

## MINISTER

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

**Kurt Clayton**.....662-316-6420-  
Benevolence; Pine Vale; Mission Work/  
Outreach  
**Dane Coggin** ... 662-419-8308-Worship  
Assignments (everything associated with  
worship)  
**Steve Hill**.....662-316-5193 -Care Groups;  
New Members; Visitors  
**Jason Jennings**.....662-801-3260-Security  
Qualifications; CYC Registration;  
Maintenance and Grounds  
**Mark Jennings**.....731-609-3309-  
Fellowship/Special Day; Maintenance;  
Seniors; Security Qualifications  
**Zack Mayer**—662-551-8291—Youth;  
(CYC & EYC Registration/Planning)  
**Kevin Simmons**.... 662-512-8451 -  
Education; VBS; Ladies Ministry; Mission  
Work/Outreach  
**Randy Wall**..... 662-316-9255-  
Fellowship/Special Days; Maintenance

## The Days of Man

Tim Dooley

In reading Psalms 86–90 of the things which becomes glaringly clear is “everyone dies!” That, in and of itself is not a surprise, but it is a sad statement. Out of context, and viewed through the prism of human wisdom, the thought of death is distressing. And so mankind asks, “What is the meaning of life.” The psalmist is right when he says that his life draws to the grave and he is but another man who will die and be buried (88:3–4). He says that our lives are like a story that is told and is over: and if we live to be 80 years old we soon die and leave this life (90:9–10). Over this we have no control. No one has power over the spirit to retain the spirit, and no one has power in the day of death. “There is no release from that war, and wickedness will not deliver those who are given to it” (Ecclesiastes 8:8)

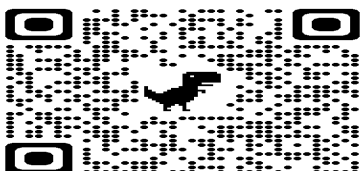
As 2024 begins to draw to a close, to cold months of winter upon us, many are already wondering where the year has gone. And our minds turn to thoughts of a new year, springtime, and second chances. If a man is blessed to be able to enter the winter months of his life, he becomes increasingly aware of life’s brevity! And when this life is over he needs to be prepared for he will surely stand before God and give an answer. We need to know that in His dwelling place is judgment and justice. So the faithful can look forward to a new life in eternity.

We are often asked, “How are you spending your days?” The more immediate and pressing question is “How are you spending your day?” Today! Make it worth while: love, serve, obey, and be faithful!

FILL THIS  
HOUSE

*“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...



Recently I made the comment that I felt “all alone.” Now, that was primarily true because of my own actions but upon reflecting on that I realized that it was only because my relationship with the Lord wasn’t where I thought it was or where it needed to be. Then I remembered the words of David, “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. If I take the wings of the morning, And dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, Even there Your hand shall lead me, And Your right hand shall hold me” (Psalm 139:7–10). – Tim



**Prayer Cards:** Betty Boren, Luke Jennings, Tim Dye, Joe Reed, Ricky Adams

**Continued Prayers:** John Bodie, Roger Clayton, Shane Crotts, Tonya Dillard, Arelus Dye, Ernestine Dye, Tim Dye, Ronnie Griggs, Jr., Gloria Jones, Peggy Miller, Corey Politte, Georgia Shocklee, Clemmer and Davis Family

**Continued Prayers for family and friends:**

**Heather Adams**, (Stephanie Simmons's sister); **Tommie Lee Dozier**, (friend of Benita Garner), **Mike Carney** ( Colleen Dooley's brother); **Jo Ellen Carruth** (Bill Frohn's sister); **Lena Conner** (Sue Marques sister); Prebble Foster, (Diana Foster's grandmother) **Amanda Dye Martin** (Tim & Kathy Dye's daughter); **Betty McNeely** (Richard Jennings' sister); **Elizabeth Phagan** (Bobby Marques' sister), **Jackie Sweat** (Alyce Jennings' aunt); **Jody Thompson** (Andy Clemmer's sister); **Donald and William Wilson** (Gloria Jones' brothers);

**Shut-Ins:** Kathy Dye, Novene Robertson

**NA Health and Rehab:** Sue Marques, Sue Stroud

Lucille Gibson - Magnolia Health;  
**Helen Stubblefield** (Terry Stubblefield's mother) Church St. Manor, Ecu  
**Sue Renfrow** (Terry Renfrow's mother) Allen, TX  
**Bobbi Jean BoBo** N.A. Health & Rehab  
**Brenda Jones** (Kathy Dye's mother).

**IN SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY:** 1st Lt. Anderson Parks (son of Alvin & Kaye Parks), Derek Bradley, Zakaria Bradley



**DECEMBER**

**BIRTHDAYS**



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|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Dec. 2 Dillon Clayton    | Dec. 14 Eleta Grimmett     |
| Dec. 3 Lakisha Harris    | Dec. 14 Phillip Smith      |
| Dec. 5 Catherina Coleman | Dec. 17 Dana Holtzlander   |
| Dec. 7 Kathy Clayton     | Dec. 19 Mason Simmons      |
| Dec. 8 Larry Ashmore     | Dec. 21 Mike Brown         |
| Dec. 8 Deloris Crowe     | Dec. 22 Sue Marques        |
| Dec. 8 Nora Beth Stroupe | Dec. 23 Benita Garner      |
| Dec. 10 Maria Ormon      | Dec. 28 Jenna Clayton      |
| Dec. 13 Diana Foster     | Dec. 29 Dean Dillard       |
| Dec. 13 Clayton Hill     | Dec. 30 Terry Stubblefield |
| Dec. 13 Anna Jennings    |                            |

**DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES**

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|-------------------------------------|
| Dec. 1 Zack and Bailey Mayer        |
| Dec. 4 Terry and Pam Renfrow        |
| Dec. 12 Michael and Tonya Dillard   |
| Dec. 12 David and Emily Wilhite     |
| Dec. 13 Kerry and Lea Anne Gaillard |
| Dec. 26 Troy and Novene Robertson   |

**Guest Speaker**

Blake Haas - will be trying out for the position of our youth minister and he will be preaching for us next Sunday.

**TODAY'S HAPPENINGS**

Monthly Fellowship meal at the fellowship building. All are invited to attend!

**TEEN CHRISTMAS PARTY**

On Sunday, December 15th, there will be a Christmas party for the teens at the fellowship building. Lunch will be provided.

**NEW ALBANY HEALTH AND REHAB**

All the Angels from New Albany Health and Rehab have been selected. Please have your gifts at the building by Sunday, Dec. 15. Place the wrapped gifts with the # on each gift in room # 12.

**RESPONSE**

Tim Dooley responded to the invitation Wednesday night. Tim came forward asking for forgiveness of God and the brethren, he asked for encouragement and prayers to be a better Christian and minister to the Lord's church. We all love and appreciate Tim and his desire to do God's will. Let us continue to pray for Tim and each other as we strive to serve our God together.

**ITS ALWAYS GOOD TO BE TOGETHER**

Many of us enjoyed our Saturday morning yesterday by spending time with each other. Sharing a meal together and having a wonderful time visiting with other Christians. It makes our day brighter!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

- Tuesday Morning - Ladies Bible Class will meet at Janice Brown's house at 11:30 for lunch.
- Thursday Mornings - Men's Coffee at 2 Sisters Diner at 7:00 AM.
- December 8—Fellowship Meal. All are encourage to attend.
- December 15— Christmas party for the teens at the fellowship building. Lunch will be provided.
- December 15— Blake Haas will be trying out for the youth minister's job and will be preaching for us.
- December 15— Monthly singing at New Albany Health and Rehab. Team #1 (Tim and Colleen's team). All are encourage to attend
- December 15—Angel Tree presents are due.
- December 19— Men's Ministry at 7:00 PM
- December 22—Monthly youth devo at David and Jenna Clayton's home.
- December 25— Merry Christmas!!!

**YOU TUBE ~ LIVE STREAMING ~ Sun. @ 9:00, 11:00 & Wed. @ 6:30**

**Room For All**

**John 14:1-3**

I. ROOM IN \_\_\_\_\_  
(Revelation 22:17; John 3:16; Ephesians 3:14-21)

II. ROOM IN \_\_\_\_\_ (Hebrews  
7:25; 1 Peter 4:18; Ephesians 1:15-19)

III. ROOM IN \_\_\_\_\_ (Luke 14:22;  
Acts 2:47)

IV. ROOM IN \_\_\_\_\_ (John 14:1-3)

**NOTES:**

**From Panic to Peace**

**John 20:19-23**

I. The Blessing of the Disciples (John 20:19-31)  
A. The \_\_\_\_\_ Rejoice (vs. 19-23)

B. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Thomas  
(vs. 23-28)

C. The \_\_\_\_\_ Blessing (v. 29)

D. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Faith  
(vs. 30-31)

II. The Blessing of the Believers

A. From \_\_\_\_\_ to Peace (Luke 12:5, 7,  
32; Romans 8:15; 2 Timothy 1:7; 2  
Thessalonians 3:16; Philippians 4:7)

B. From \_\_\_\_\_ to Certainty (Romans  
8:38-39; 2 Timothy 1:12; 4:6-8)

C. From \_\_\_\_\_ to Life  
(John 3:16-17; Matthew 7:13-14;  
John 5:24; 1John 3:14)

**NOTES:**

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

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

LEAD SINGING.....Mike Brown  
 SONG ..... **847** “Bind Us Together”  
 SONG..... **542** “Purer in Heart”  
 OPENING PRAYER ..... Terry Stubblefield  
 SONG ..... **205** “Hand in Hand”  
 SCRIPTURE READING.....Brian Carpenter  
 SERMON ..... Tim Dooley  
 INVITATION SONG..... **767** “Who At the Door”  
 SONG..... **440** “My Jesus, I Love Thee”  
 LORD’S SUPPER ..... **Joe Owen**, Zach Wallace, Olen Clark  
 ..... **Kevin Simmons**, Dane Coggin, Justin Elliott  
 OFFERING.....**Joe Owen and Kevin Simmons**  
 SONG ..... **48** “Anywhere With Jesus”  
 CLOSING PRAYER ..... Conner Miller

**DISMISS TO BIBLE CLASS 10:00 A.M.**

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Richard Adams  
 LEAD SINGING.....David Clayton  
 OPENING PRAYER ..... Mason Simmons  
 SERMON ..... Tim Dooley  
 CLOSING PRAYER ..... Randy Wall  
 USHER..... **Terry Renfrow**/Mark Jennings  
 LOCK.....Mark Jennings  
 SECURITY.....Matt Jennings  
 GREETERS.....Randy and Christy Wall

**BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAY—6:30 PM**

SINGING.....Hunter Jennings  
 OPENING PRAYER .....Richard Adams  
 DEVOTIONAL.....Casey Mayer  
 CLOSING PRAYR.....Dillon Clayton

**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 12/01//2024**

Sunday School.....147  
 Sunday 1st Service.....155  
 Sunday 2nd Service.....139  
 Wednesday .....124  
 Contribution.....\$8,205.00  
 Budget.....\$5,608.00

**Sunday, Dec.15, 2024**

Greeters.....Kurt and Shelly Clayton  
 Announcements.....Richard Adams  
 Singing.....Mike Brown  
**Lord’s Supper: Joe Owen**, Zack Wallace,  
 Olen Clark: **Kevin Simmons**,  
 Dane Coggin, Justin Elliott  
 Scripture Reading.....Jackson Coggin  
 Opening Prayer .....Phil Young  
 Closing Prayer..... Bill Botts  
 Usher.....**Terry Renfrow**/Kevin Simmons  
 Lock .....Kevin Simmons  
 Security..... Randy Wall  
**Sunday Second Service 11:00 a.m.**  
 Singing.....Mike Brown  
 Opening Prayer.....Mike Brown  
 Closing Prayer.....David Clayton

**Wednesday Night Dec. 18, 2024**

Singing.....Dane Coggin  
 Opening Prayer.....Bill Frohn  
 Devotional.....Clay Ormon  
 Closing Prayer .....Tim Dooley

**Sunday, December 22, 2024**

Greeters.....Jason and Amy Jennings  
 Announcements.....Richard Adams  
 Singing.....Richard Jennings  
**Lord’s Supper: Joe Owen**, Zack Wallace,  
 Olen Clark: **Kevin Simmons**,  
 Dane Coggin, Justin Elliott  
 Scripture Reading.....Dean Dillard  
 Opening Prayer .....Travis Hardin  
 Closing Prayer.....Kurt Clayton  
 Usher..... **Terry Renfrow**/Randy Wall  
 Lock .....Randy Wall  
 Security.....Phillip Young

**Sunday Second Service 11:00 a.m.**

Singing.....Mark Jennings  
 Opening Prayer.....Greg Clayton  
 Closing Prayer.....Shane Crotts

**Wednesday Night December 25, 2024**

Singing.....Phillip Young  
 Opening Prayer.....Ronnie Griggs, Jr  
 Devotional.....Tim Dooley  
 Closing Prayer .....Ronnie Griggs, Sr

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