

THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi www.nacoc.us Feb. 23, 2025

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

First Worship	9:00
Sunday School10	0:00
Second Worship1	1:00
Wednesday Bible Study6	5:30

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

CHURCH CALENDAR



(OUR WEEKLY FOCUS)

"Are You Jesus?"

A few years ago a group of salesmen went to a regional sales convention in Chicago. They had assured their wives that they would be home in plenty of time for Friday night's dinner. In their rush, with tickets and brief-cases, one of these salesmen inadvertently kicked over a table which held a display of apples. Apples flew everywhere. Without stopping or looking back, they all managed to reach the plane in time for their nearly missed boarding. All but one. He paused, took a deep breath, got in touch with his feelings, and experienced a twinge of compassion for the girl whose apple stand had been overturned.

He told his buddies to go on without him, waved goodbye, told one of them to call his wife when they arrived at their home destination and explain his taking a later flight. Then he returned to the terminal where the apples were all over the terminal floor. He was glad he did.

The 16 year old girl was totally blind! She was softly crying, tears running down her checks in frustration, and at the same time helplessly groping for her spilled produce as the crowd swirled about her, no one stopping, and no one to care for her plight.

The salesman knelt on the floor with her, gathered up the apples, put them into the baskets, and helped set the display up once more. As he did this he noticed that many of them had become battered and bruised; these he set aside in another basket. When he had finished, he pulled out his wallet and said to the girl, —Here, please take this \$20 for the damage we did. Are you okay? She nodded through her tears. He continued on with, —I hope we didn't spoil your day too badly. As the salesman started to walk away, the bewildered blind girl called out to him, —Mister… He paused and turned to look back into those blind eyes. She continued, —Are you Jesus?

Do people mistake you for Jesus? That's our destiny, is it not? To be so much like Jesus that people cannot tell the difference as we live and interact with a world that is blind to His love, life and grace. If we claim to know Him, we should live, walk and act as He would. Knowing Him is more than simply quoting Scripture and going to church, It's actually living the Word as life unfolds day to day.

You are the apple of His eye even though we, too, have been bruised by a fall. He stopped what He was doing and picked you and me up on a hill called Calvary and paid in full for our damaged fruit. Let's start living like we are worth the price He paid. Start today!

People will forget what you said,

People will forget what you did, but

People will NEVER forget how you made them feel.





Prayer Cards: Luke Jennings, Matt Jennings, Roger Clayton, Lea Anne Gaillard, Arles Dye

Continued Prayers: John Bodie, Betty Boren, Shane Crotts, Tonya Dillard, Arelus Dye, Ernestine Dye, Luke Jennings, Gloria Jones, Peggy Miller, Corey Politte, Clemmer and Davis Family

Continued Prayers for family and friends:

Heather Adams, (Stephanie Simmons's sister); Larry Ashmore, (Linda Ashmore's husband); Alfred Bradley, (Benita Garner's Cousin); Jo Ellen Carruth (Bill Frohn's sister); Prebble Foster, (Diana Foster's grandmother); Fanncy Garner, (Benita Garner's niece); Christine Grisham (Dixie White's sister); Brenda Jones (Kathy Dye's mother); Amanda Dye Martin (Tim & Kathy Dye's daughter); William Wilson (Gloria Jones' brothers);

Shut-Ins: Kathy Dye, Novene Robertson

NA Health and Rehab: Sue Marques, Sue Stroud, Bobbi Jean BoBo Helen Stubblefield (Terry Stubblefield's mother) Church St. Manor, Ecru Sue Renfrow (Terry Renfrow's mother) Allen, TX Ruby Evans (Pam Renfrow's mother) Beaver Dam, Ky

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

NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY

We are still working on the new version of our church directory, and we are needing several individual and family pictures. Below is a list of individuals who we need to take your picture and if you have 2 or more people in your family, we also need your family picture. Today is the **last day** that we will be taking pictures. These can be taken before 9 AM services, in between services and following the 11 AM service. At that time, we will start processing the directory. We will be taking pictures in the Annex in the large classroom. If you are not able to have you and or your family pictures on those dates, please contact Tim Dye for a time that will work for you and your family. **Please make every effort to have your picture taken as we want to have as complete directory of our church family.**

Adams, Max Bell, Rex Bodie, John Brown, Rose

Clayton, Kathy & Roger Crotts, Barbara & Shane Dillard, Tonya & Michael English, Amy & Randy

Gaillard, Kerry

Garrison, Jonathan & Eve &

Hadley

Golden, Arianna Golden, Patience

Harris, Kevin Jones, Preston

Jones, Gloria

Jones, Carter

Kelly, Ashleigh & Dale

McWilliams, Shavon & Reggie

Miller, Cayde Oliver Morgan, Kyland

Ormon, Vincent

Owen, Dan & Jordan, Baker and

Millie Cagle

Pannell, Jennifer Phillips, Christy Politte, Corey

Rogers, Cayden & Jadi (Dillard)

Walton, Burrell Watkins, Alexsis Watkins, Armonte Watkins, Ruth

Shocklee, Georgia

Wilhite, David & Emily, Colt Wilson & Haley, Grant & Col-

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FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



- 2- Stephanie Simmons
- 4- Sawyer Jones
- 4- Ruby Watkins
- 5-Paige Young
- 6-Owen Clayton
- 8- Alexis Watkins
- 15- Greg Clayton
- 19– Barbara Crotts
- 1)- Daibara Cru
- 22- Jadi Rogers
- 22- Nancy Frohn
- 28- Brian Carpenter
- 28- Gabbi Jones

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

- 14- Andy and Sharon Clemmer
- 15- Corey and Breanna Politte
- 16- Kevin and Lakisha Harris

TODAYS' HAPPENINGS

- <u>Please</u> check your name, address, etc on the tables in the foyer. These are to make sure we have your information correct for the directory. <u>Do this today if possible!</u> Thank you!
- Please if your name is on the list to the left make every effort to have your picture made to complete our directory. The pictures are taken in the annex building. Today is the last day pictures will be taken.

SYMPATHY

Brenna Politte's mother passed away last Sunday evening. Funeral was held this past Wednesday. Please keep Brenna and her family in your prayers. Also keep the Jo

RESPONSE

Tammy Byars responded to the invitation last Sunday morning asking forgiveness from God and prayers from the Church. Please keep Tammy in your prayers!

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Next Sunday is our monthly fellowship meal. We look forward to another time for fellowship and great food. Please everyone make plans to attend!

MEN'S MONTHLY MINISTRY

Men's Ministry will meet this Thursday night at 7:00 PM in the annex building. All men are welcome and encouraged to attend.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- Ladies' Bible Class Every Tuesday Morning in the Annex at 10 AM
- Men's Coffee every Thursday Morning at 7AM at Two Sister's Diner
- February 23 No monthly youth night tonight due to CYC
- March 2 1st Sunday Fellowship meal.

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



I	the Local Church
	Acts 20:28-29; Ephesians 5:25-29
	Revelation 2:1-5
	I Peter 4:10
II	The Local Church
	Romans 2:16; 16:25; 2 Timothy 2:8

NOTES:

UNDERSTANDING BAPTISM

Mathew 3:13-17	Acts16:14-15
Mathew 28:19-20	Acts 18:8
Mark 1:9	Acts 19:3-5
Mark 16:15-16	Acts 22:16
Luke 3:7	Romans 6:3-5
Luke 3:21	I Corinthians 1:13
John 3:22-23	I Corinthians 12:13
Acts 2: 38, 41	Galatians 3:27
Acts 8:12	Ephesians 4:5
Acts 8:34-39	Colossians 2:12
Acts 9:18	I Peter 3:21
Acts 10:47-48	John 3:1-6

NOTES:

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

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