



THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi

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March 2, 2025

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

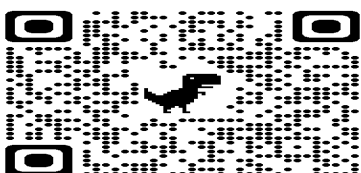
ELDERS

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Tim Dye.....662-316-2527
Richard Jennings662-316-1305
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)

Love Keeps No Record of Wrongs

What kind of records do we keep? Well, we may keep records of the bills that need to be paid each month, or when the oil in the car needs changed, or maybe the birthdays of family members. However, why do we keep records? Well, it is simple, because we want to remember things. There are a lot of things we like to remember so we write them down or find other ways to remember them. Yet, there is one thing the Bible tells us that we are not to keep record of and that is other's wrongs. Even though the Bible teaches against keeping records of other's wrongs, how many times have we brought up the past in a disagreement? It is like the one fellow who was talking to the preacher about their troubles in his marriage. The husband said, "Every time my wife and I get in an argument she gets historical." The preacher said, "Don't you mean hysterical." "No," replied the husband, "I mean historical; she brings up all my past mistakes." It is tough to live your life with someone who never forgets.

In I Corinthians 13:5, Paul's instruction on love states that "[Love] is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs." If we truly love one another Paul reminds us that we are not to remember the wrongs that others have committed toward us, especially when we have dealt with others' sins, then love makes allowances for the fallibilities of others, and is ready to renew the relationship in a loving way. In other words, instead of revenge, devising evil against those who wronged us, or constantly reminding others of their wrongs, we forgive them and strive to move forward in the love of God. This is often hard to do, yet it is a command of God's Word. Maybe the following illustrations can help us to better "keep no record of wrongs."

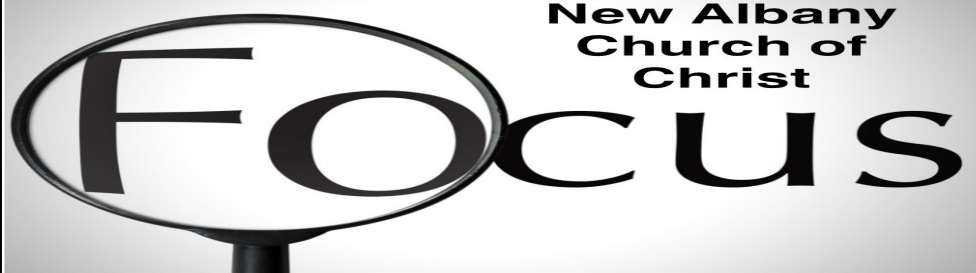
Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross, was reminded one day of a vicious deed that someone had done to her years before. However, she acted as if she had never even heard of the incident. "Don't you remember it?" her friend asked. "No." came Barton's reply, "I distinctly remember forgetting it"

A couple married for 15 years began having more than usual disagreements. They wanted to make their marriage work and agreed on an idea the wife had. For one month they planned to drop a slip in "Fault Boxes." The boxes would provide a place to let the other know about daily irritations. She was diligent in her efforts and approach: "leaving the jelly top off the jar," "wet towels on the shower floor," "dirty socks not in the hamper," on and on until the end of the month. After dinner, at the end of the month, they exchanged boxes. The husband reflected on what he had done wrong. Then, the wife opened her box and began reading. They were all the same, the message on each slip was, "I love you!" True love, biblical love, keeps no record of wrongs. It releases the revenge, bitterness and wrongs of the past and moves forward in a way that we do not return evil for evil.

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~ by: Mark T. Tonkery

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Prayer Cards:

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

Continued Prayers for family and friends:

Heather Adams, (Stephanie Simmons's sister); **Alfred Bradley**, (Benita Garner's Cousin); **Jo Ellen Carruth** (Bill Frohn's sister); **Prebble Foster**, (Diana Foster's grandmother); **Fanney 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



MARCH BIRTHDAYS



- 4 Jonathan Garrison
- 6 Janice Brown
- 10 Richard Jennings
- 14 Hadley Garrison
- 15 Masey Kate Adams
- 15 Andy Clemmer
- 19 Dan Cobb
- 19 Clay Jennings
- 20 Kyland Morgan
- 21 Bill Botts
- 21 Maggie Garrett
- 22 Eve Garrison
- 23 Isabella McMillen
- 25 Amber Harden
- 27 Mary Martin Crotts
- 28 Roger Clayton
- 29 Julie Elliott

MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

- 6 Reggie and Shavon McWilliams
- 17 Mark and Alyce Jennings

TODAYS' HAPPENINGS

- First Sunday Fellowship Meal. All are invited!
- Elders, Deacons, Minister meeting
- Area Wide Youth Meeting at Gloster Street in Tupelo at 5:00 PM

REJOICE

We rejoice that Lyric Malone was baptized at CYC last weekend. We are happy to have a new sister in Christ!

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

This Sunday is our monthly fellowship meal. We look forward to another time for fellowship and great food. All are invited!

GOD'S VOICE	SATAN'S VOICE
Stills you	Rushes you
Leads you	Pushes you
Reassures you	Frightens you
Enlightens you	Confused you
Encourages you	Discourages you
Comforts you	Worries you
Calms you	Obsesses you
Convicts you	Condemns you

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
- March 2 1st Sunday Fellowship meal.
- March 2 Area Wide Youth Meeting at 5:00 PM at Gloster Street in Tupelo.
- March 16 Jr. Bible Bowl at 2:00 PM at Gloster Street In Tupelo
- Men's Monthly Ministry at 7:00 PM in the Annex
- March 23 Monthly Youth Devo at Zack and Bailey Mayer's Home at 5:00 PM

THE POWER OF OUR ACTIONS

Jonah 1-4

Discussion:

I. The _____ of _____ (Jonah _____)

II. The _____ of _____ (Jonah _____)

III. The _____ of _____ (Jonah _____)

IV. The _____ of _____ (Jonah _____)

NOTES:

I AM

(John 6:35; John 8:12; John 10:9-10)

Discussion:

I. I AM THE _____ OF _____.

II. I AM THE _____ OF _____.

III. I AM _____ .

NOTES:

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

LEAD SINGING.....Mike Brown
SONG "I Will Serve Thee"
SONG.....853 "God Is So Good"
OPENING PRAYERSteve Todd
SONG825 "I Love My Savior Too"
SCRIPTURE READING.....Brian Carpenter
SERMON Blake Haas
INVITATION SONG.....31 "Almost Persuaded"
SONG.....950 "Oh Lamb of God"
LORD'S SUPPER N.-Dillon Clayton; Clayton Hill, Perry Jones, S.-Randy Wall; Randy English, Terry Renfrow
OFFERING.....Dillon Clayton/Randy Wall
SONG924 "I Am Mine No More"
CLOSING PRAYERRichard Adams

DISMISS TO BIBLE CLASS 10:00 A.M.

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

LEAD SINGING.....David Clayton
OPENING PRAYERBill Botts
SERMONBlake Haas
ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Richard Jennings
CLOSING PRAYERRichard Jennings
USHER.....Jackson Coggin/Kurt Clayton
LOCK.....Kurt Clayton
SECURITY.....Greg Clayton
GREETERS.....Kurt and Shelly Clayton

BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAY—March 5,2025 —6:30 PM

SINGING.....Hunter Jennings
OPENING PRAYERMike Brown
DEVOTIONAL.....Justin Elliott
CLOSING PRAYER.....Phillip Young

Sunday, March 9, 2025

Greeters.....Jason and Amy Jennings
Singing.....Mark Jennings
Opening PrayerZach Wallace
Scripture Reading.....David Clayton
Sermon.....Andy Ulmer
Lord's Supper: N.-Dillon Clayton; Clayton Hill, Perry Jones, S.-Randy Wall; Randy English, Terry Renfrow
Closing Prayer.....Olen Clark
Usher.....Jackson Coggin/Dane Coggin
LockDane Coggin
Security.....Phillip Young

Sunday Second Service 11:00 a.m.

Singing.....Mike Brown
Opening Prayer.....Michael Dillard
Sermon.....Andy Ulmer
Announcements.....Phil Young
Closing Prayer.....Phil Young

Wednesday Night Mar. 12, 2025 6:30 PM

Singing.....Thomas Wall
Opening Prayer.....Dan Cobb
Devotional.....Phil Young
Closing PrayerRonnie Griggs, Sr.

Sunday, March 16, 2025

Greeters.....Mark and Alyce Jennings
Singing.....Richard Jennings
Opening PrayerJustin Elliott
Scripture Reading.....Dane Coggin
Sermon.....Phillip Hines
Lord's Supper N.-Dillon Clayton; Clayton Hill, Perry Jones, S.-Randy Wall; Randy English, Terry Renfrow
Closing Prayer.....Thomas Wall
Usher.....Jackson Coggin/Steve Hill
LockSteve Hill
Security.....Joe Owen

Sunday Second Service 11:00 a.m.

Singing.....Mark Jennings
Opening Prayer.....Bill Frohn
Sermon.....Phillip Hines
Announcements.....Greg Clayton
Closing Prayer.....Greg Clayton

Wednesday Night March 19, 2025—6:30PM

Singing.....Clay Jennings
Opening Prayer.....Hunter Jennings
Devotional.....Mike Brown
Closing PrayerMatt Jennings

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 02/16//2025

Sunday School.....110
Sunday 1st Service.....122
Sunday 2nd Service.....99
Wednesday.....98
Contribution.....\$6,024.00
Budget.....\$6,450.00

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