

THE INFORMER

Church of Christ ~ New Albany, Mississippi

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March 16, 2025

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

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

OFFICE

Office.....662-534-4649

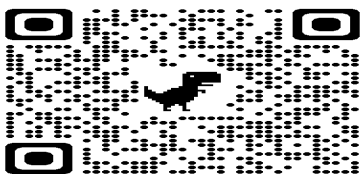
ELDERS

Greg Clayton.....662-252-9762
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)

Choosing the Infallibly Safe Way

Caution must be exercised in the Christian life as in the secular world (1 Cor. 3:10). We pay a bill and get a receipt or we buy a farm and get an abstract deed. When it comes to spiritual matters, we often show the least concern by accepting traditions (Mk. 7:7-8) or depend on our feelings (Prov. 14:12). There is a safe way—following the law of the Lord which is perfect (Ps. 19:7).

1. Accept no creed but the Bible—Again the “*Law of the Lord is perfect*” (Ps. 19:7) and inspired of God which thoroughly furnishes man with guidance (2 Tim. 3:16-17; 2 Pet. 1:3, 20-21). Unity comes by the Word (Jn. 17:20-21) where creeds, manuals, disciplines, etc., cause division (Mt. 15:9; 1 Cor. 1:11-13). Failure to abide by His Word condemns (2 Jn. 9; Rev. 22:18-19).

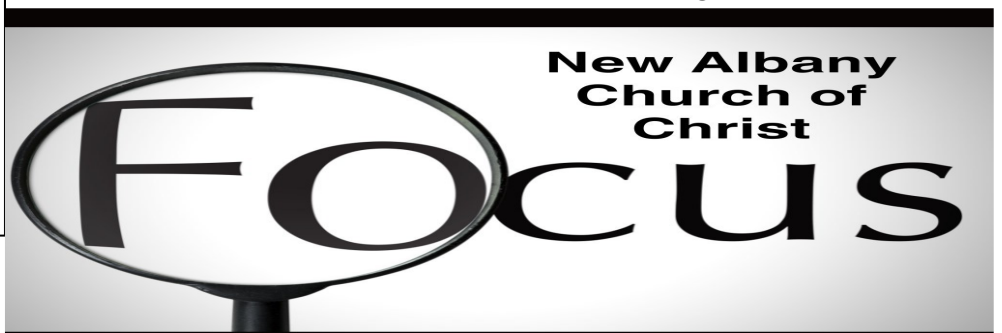
2. Wear no name but Christ’s—There is only one name to wear associated with salvation (Acts 4:12). Human names are divisive in nature (1 Cor. 3:1-4). There are multiple reasons for wearing His name: we are saved by His name (Acts 4:12); He was crucified for us into whose name we are baptized ((1 Cor. 1:13); and through which name God is glorified (1 Pet. 4:16-17).

3. Belong to no organization but His church—Christ built but one church (Mt. 16:18), the only one which He purchased (1 Cor. 12:20) with His blood (Acts 20:28). He saves only those who are in this one body—the church (Eph. 5:23). This church is the “*pillar and ground of the truth*” (1 Tim. 3:15) through which the truth is to be made known (Eph. 3:10).

4. Worship by no pattern by the New Testament—the true worshipper will worship “*in spirit and in truth*” (Jn. 4:23-24). This means with a sincere heart and according to the direction of God’s Word. Any other worship is rendered vain and not according to truth (Mk. 7:7-8). False worship separates and alienates us from God rather than expresses love for Him (2 Jn. 9). New Testament worship teaches (Eph. 3:10); gives regularly and generously (1 Cor. 16:1-2), observe the Lord’s Supper (Mt. 26:26-29). The Lord’s church is a happy, singing church (Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16-17). The first century church de-pended upon God which was seen by their constant prayerfulness (Acts 2:42).

This article is heavy with scripture by design, for the “*infallibly safe way*” must be able to be docu-mented by authoritative writ and not determined by the whimsical desires or biased thinking of the sub-jects. We need to follow the advice that Eli gave to the young Samuel. He told him that when God spoke that he should respond, “*Speak, for your servant hears*” (1 Sam. 3:9-11).

Mike King





Prayer Cards:

Continued Prayers: John Bodie, Betty Boren, Roger Clayton, Shane Crotts, Tonya Dillard, Viva Dillard, Arelus Dye, Ernestine Dye, Lea Ann Gaillard, Jennifer Greer, 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); **Fanny 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, Ecu

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

My Package -copied

I have this great big problem, Lord,

and I don't know what to do:

Could I just wrap it neatly up

and give it all to You?

Would You mind...if I don't try

to fix it on my own?

These messes that I seem to make

I just can't mend alone.

You seem to always know

the perfect thing to do.

How many times must I hesitate

before I turn to You?

When the only thing you ask of me...

(You would think that by now I would know)

is when I put my problem in Your hands

I must trust You and then let it go.



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

Phillip Hines will be our speaker today

Jr Bible Bowl at Gloster Street in Tupelo at 2:00 PM

Team # 2 Travis and Amber Harden's team's 3rd Sunday singing at New Albany Health and Rehab at 2:00 PM. All are encouraged to attend.

FRIENDS AND FAMILY DAY

Mark your calendars for Sunday, April 6! This will be our annual **Friends and Family Day**. Be inviting your relatives and friends to join us that day for worship services and a wonderful meal. More information to follow!

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 16** Jr. Bible Bowl at 2:00 PM at Gloster Street In Tupelo
- **March 16** Team # 2 Travis and Amber Harden's team is in charge of the 3rd week Monthly Singing at New Albany Health and Rehab at 2:00 PM. All are encouraged to attend.
- **March 20** Men's Monthly Ministry at 7:00 PM in the Annex
- **March 30** Monthly Youth Devo at Zack and Bailey Mayer's Home at 5:00 PM
- **April 6** Friends and Family Day!!

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

CHILDREN MATTER

Mark 10:13-16

Psalm 127:3-5

CHILDREN MATTERED TO JESUS

I. Because of His _____ Verse 13a

Luke 18:15; John 4:2; Proverbs 22:6

II. Because of His _____ Verse 13b-14

III. Because of His _____ Verse 15

IV. Because of His _____ Verse 16

NOTES:

LEAVING A LEGACY

Psalm 127

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

From Deuteronomy 6 we learn you leave a Legacy By:

I. Giving them _____ Verse 7

A. When they are children Isaiah 28:9-10

Tips: _____

B. When they are older

II. Giving them a _____ Verses 8-9

NOTES:

Please Remember “Encouragement Cards” in the Pew in Front of You

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

LEAD SINGING.....Richard Jennings
 SONG
 SONG.....
 OPENING PRAYERJustin Elliott
 SONG
 SCRIPTURE READING.....Dane Coggin
 SERMONPhillip Hines
 INVITATION SONG.....
 SONG.....
 LORD'S SUPPER **N.-Dillon Clayton;** Clayton Hill, Perry Jones,
 S.-Randy Wall; Randy English, Terry Renfrow
 OFFERING.....**Dillon Clayton/Randy Wall**
 SONG
 CLOSING PRAYERThomas Wall

DISMISS TO BIBLE CLASS 10:00 A.M.**WORSHIP SUNDAY-SECOND SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.**

LEAD SINGING.....Mark Jennings
 OPENING PRAYERBill Frohn
 SERMONPhillip Hines
 ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Greg Clayton
 CLOSING PRAYERGreg Clayton
 USHER.....**Jackson Coggin/**Steve Hill
 LOCK.....Steve Hill
 SECURITY.....Joe Owen
 GREETERS.....Mark and Alyce Jennings

BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAY—March 19, 2025 —6:30 PM

SINGING.....Clay Jennings
 OPENING PRAYERHunter Jennings
 DEVOTIONAL.....Mike Brown
 CLOSING PRAYER.....Matt 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 03/09/2025**

Sunday School.....113
 Sunday 1st Service.....119
 Sunday 2nd Service.....113
 Wednesday.....112
 Contribution.....\$6,600.00
 Budget.....\$6,450.00

Sunday, March 23, 2025

Greeters.....Randy and Amy English
 Singing.....Phillip Young
 Opening PrayerTravis Harden
 Scripture Reading.....Dean Dillard
 Sermon.....Phillip Hines
Lord's Supper: N.-Dillon Clayton;
 Clayton Hill, Perry Jones, **S.-Randy Wall;**
 Randy English, Terry Renfrow
 Closing Prayer.....Kurt Clayton
 Usher.....**Jackson Coggin/**Jason Jennings
 LockJason Jennings
 Security.....Richard Adams

Sunday Second Service 11:00 a.m.

Singing.....Richard Jennings
 Opening Prayer.....Ronnie Griggs, Jr.
 Sermon.....Phillip Hines
 Announcements.....Phil Young
 Closing Prayer.....Phil Young

Wednesday Night Mar. 26, 2025 6:30 PM

Singing.....David Clayton
 Opening Prayer.....Tyler Mayer
 Devotional.....Bill Botts
 Closing PrayerCasey Mayer

Sunday, March 30, 2025

Greeters.....Dane and Amanda Coggin
 Singing.....Dillon Clayton
 Opening PrayerZack Mayer
 Scripture Reading.....Steve Hill
 Sermon.....Phillip Hines
Lord's Supper N.-Dillon Clayton;
 Clayton Hill, Perry Jones, **S.-Randy Wall;**
 Randy English, Terry Renfrow

Closing Prayer.....Shane Crotts
 Usher.....**Jackson Coggin/**Mark Jennings
 LockMark Jennings
 Security.....Brian Carpenter

Sunday Second Service 11:00 a.m.

Singing.....Phillip Young
 Opening Prayer.....Jason Jennings
 Sermon.....Phillip Hines
 Announcements.....Tim Dye
 Closing Prayer.....Tim Dye

Wednesday Night April 2—6:30PM

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

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