

FAMILY CONCERNS

IN THE HOSPITAL:

KIRBY PINES REHAB

Larry Boone

SIGNATURE HEALTHCARE

Janice Joyce

CHURCH FAMILY:

Bobby Baber (Cornerstone)
Dale & Mary Beck (Joint Heirs)
David Collins
Annabelle Chumney (Joint Heirs)
Del Elkins (Joint Heirs)
Polly Gowan (Bereans)
Shirley Graham (Seekers)
Vivian Haneline (Joint Heirs)
Oconee Hendrix (Joint Heirs)
Grady Jackson (WSYG)
Dr. Jack Lewis (Bereans)
Robert Murray
Dave Robbins (Joint Heirs)
Jerry Blair Schlosser
Michael Semore (Joint Heirs)
Laura Sneed (Charis)
Anita Thomsen (Joint Heirs)
Jennifer Cope Webber
Rhee Williams (Joint Heirs)

FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Betty Jo Barber
 Ruthie Benson
 Maretha Brandon
 Jim Cartwright
 Alicia Clark
 June Powell Emerson
 JoAnne Eubanks
 Shirley Sternberg-Geiger
 Audrey Harper
 Deane Harper
 Debbie Hepler
 Dave Huddle
 Richard Jenkins
 Donna Rike
 Ruble Yopp
 Grover Vaughn
 Willie Williams

IN THE MILITARY:

John Berger (Army National Guard)
 Austin Brock (Marines)
 Jeffrey Cigrang (Navy)
 Major Jennifer Conk (Airforce)
 Major Ryan Conk (Airforce)
 James Cooper (Army)
 Major Lauren Cotney (Air Nat. Guard)
 Lt. Colonel Whitney Gardner (Army)
 Brooks Gatlin (National Guard)
 Sgt. Tommy Glasscock (National Guard)
 John Grady (Army National Guard)
 Major Aaron Hines (Air Force-abroad)
 Major Stefan Lockton (Army)
 Gerri Ripple (Navy-abroad)
 Jacob Robinson (Army)
 Paul T. Robinson (Army)
 Shawn Royer (Army)
 Col. Clarence David Turner (Army)

ON THE MISSION FIELD:

Bruce, Janet, and Annie Bates
Cumberland, RI

Caleb, Fran, Abigail, Elizabeth, Ruth, and
 Mariam Borchers
Providence, RI

Colette Daugherty
Meudon, France

Arlin and Pamela Hendrix
Meyzieu, France

Jim and Kathryn Holway
Miami, FL

William and Helena Horace
Providence, RI

Frank and Gladys Hotorwoshie
Accra, Ghana

Ralph and Twyla Williams
Moduli, Tanzania

**LAST WEEK'S
STATISTICS**

ATTENDANCE:

Sunday, 9.10
 AM Worship Services..... 591
 AM Classes 419
 PM Worship Service 110
 Wednesday 9.6 240

CONTRIBUTION:

Sunday, 9.10
 Weekly Actual.....\$24,574
 Weekly Budget.....\$27,500

A Prayer For



VISION

Why We Pray

The key to our home, the heart of God, is prayer...If the key is prayer, the door is Jesus Christ. How good of God to provide us a way into His heart. He knows that we are stiff-necked and hard-hearted, so He has provided a means of entrance. Jesus, the Christ, lived a perfect life, died in our place, and rose victorious over all the dark powers so that we might live through Him... No longer do we have to stand outside, barred from nearness to God by our rebellion. We may now enter through the door of God's grace and mercy in Jesus Christ. -- Richard Foster, *Prayer: Finding the Heart's True Home*

A Way to Pray

Lord our God, we know that we are your children, and in this certainty we gather in your presence as a community. Grant us your Spirit, the Spirit who works in us and frees us from the many evils that still torment us. Be with us and let the power of your great grace and mercy be in our hearts so that we may gain the victory and lead joyful lives on earth in spite of our many shortcomings, blunders, and sins. For your grace is great, much greater than all our failings. You are our God and Father, and we want to keep our consciences clear today and always through your grace.

In Jesus' name.
 Amen!

--Plough.com, Daily Prayer

Celebrating the Career of Don Meredith

You are invited to come to the campus of Harding School of Theology on Thursday, September 21st and join us for Afterword: Celebrating the Career of Don Meredith. Don will retire after completing his 49th year of service to the school. More information can be found at www.hst.edu/afterword. Feel free to call Bob Turner at (901) 761-1354 or rjturner@harding.edu for more information.

A Friendly Reminder

If you have borrowed any tables, chairs, or other supplies from White Station, remember to return them to the church building. Please help us continue to be good stewards of our possessions. If you have any questions about where things go, you can contact the church office at (901-761-2007). Thank you!



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SEPTEMBER 17, 2017



Put Yourself First

To our guests...

Welcome to White Station. Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. We pray you will be uplifted by the worship assembly, challenged by today's lesson, and find connection in one of our Bible classes.

If you want to learn more about White Station and how you can join us as we serve God & our city, join us at our next Discovery Worship scheduled for November 12.

For more information: donmkinder@gmail.com.

This Week at White Station

- TODAY (9.17)
 - ♦ Senior Adult Ministry Fellowship Meal @ 11:15 a.m. in the Fireplace Room
- MONDAY (9.18)
 - ♦ Devotional @ 9:30 a.m. in the Coffee House
 - ♦ Community Exercise @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym
- TUESDAY (9.19)
 - ♦ Playgroup (parents with young children) @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym
- WEDNESDAY (9.20)
 - ♦ Game Day from 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
 - ♦ Family Meal @ 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
Spaghetti, Salad, Rolls, Dessert
- THURSDAY (9.21)
 - ♦ Devotional @ 9:30 a.m. in the Coffee House
 - ♦ Community Exercise @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym
 - ♦ Volleyball Free Play from 7 to 9 p.m. for ages 18+
- FRIDAY (9.22)
 - ♦ Men's Prayer Group at 6:30 a.m. in the Education Building Conference Room
 - ♦ Pickleball from 9 a.m. to Noon in the CLC Gym
- EVERY DAY: MONDAY - FRIDAY
 - ♦ Enjoy coffee, snacks & fellowship from 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
 - ♦ Walking track open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Mon, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Thurs, and 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Tues/Wed/Fri

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Sunday Morning Worship

AUDITORIUM Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson
Welcome/Scripture Reading (2 Cor. 8:1-7)/Prayer..... Dan Elkins
Song: 669 - Take My Life, and Let It Be
 605 - I Will Serve You
Put Yourself First (2 Corinthians 8) Bob Turner
Response Song: 692 - Change My Heart, O God
Songs: 781 - Thank You, Lord!
 1016 - This Little Light of Mine
 832 - Jesus, We Just Want to Thank You
 362 - Come, Share the Lord
Lord's Supper/Offering.....Matt Simmons
 354 - I Gave My Life for Thee
 830 - Open My Eyes, That I May See
PrayerLarry Green
Special AnnouncementJerry Collins
Song of Blessing: 474 - Thank You, Lord



FELLOWSHIP HALL..... Worship Leader: Calvin Ellis
Welcome/Announcements/Opening Prayer Terrie Elkins
Songs: You're the One
 We Are the Body of Christ
 Our God, He is Alive
 Mighty to Save
 Great Are You Lord
Lord's Supper & Offering..... Neil Hillis
Bread & Cup: Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed
Offering: How Can I Keep From Singing
Put Yourself First (2 Corinthians 8) Bob Turner
Response Song: Lord, I Give You My Heart
Special Announcement David Jordan
Closing Prayer/Blessing..... Allie Chester

Sunday Evening

CHAPEL Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson
Song: 202 - Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee
Welcome/Scripture Reading (1 Pet. 2:4-7)/Prayer Reggie Jamerson
Song: 307 - Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee
 266 - Majesty
 275 - O Lord, You're Beautiful
 273 - More Precious Than Silver
 288 - Fairest Lord Jesus
Bitter & Sweet (Ezekiel 3:1-3; Revelation 10:8-10).....Rodney Plunket
Song: 915 - Trust and Obey
Lord's Supper & Offering.....Don Meredith
Song: 162 - All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
Closing Prayer

WHAT ABOUT WEDNESDAY?

- @ 3:00 p.m. — **Jimmy Moffett** in the Chapel
- @ 5:30 p.m. — **Fellowship Meal** in the Fellowship Hall
- @ 6:30 p.m. —
 - **Gospel of John** in G215
 - **Iglesia de Cristo Bible Class** in the Chapel
 - **One Another (Men's Class)** in G206
 - **Peak of the Week** in the Fireplace Room
 - **Study of I, II, III John (Women's Class)** in G201
 - **Voice of God (Women's Class)** in G209
 - **Youth Group** in the Station
 - **Children (age 3 - 6th grade)** in the Educational Building



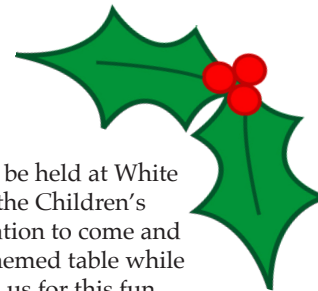
Our CLC is a ministry *OF* White Station, but it is also a ministry *BY* White Station... which means we need YOU. Help is always needed to carry out all the CLC's offerings and new ideas for engaging with our community are also appreciated.

Join us in welcoming our community to our campus and engaging in everyday life with them. Contact Clay Fowler (cfowler@cocws.org / 761-2007) to learn more!

Change of Information?

If you move, get married, change your email address, get a new phone number, get a new job, or anything else that effects your personal information...PLEASE notify **Terri Jones** (tjones@cocws.org) so that she can update our church directory. We love to have correct, current information on all our family members!

Ladies Holiday Brunch



Mark your calendar! The annual Ladies Holiday Brunch will be held at White Station on Saturday, November 11th from 9:30 to 11:00am in the Children's Worship Room. This is a time for all the women of White Station to come and enjoy a home-cooked brunch and sit at a beautiful holiday-themed table while getting to know one another better. Please make plans to join us for this fun event! Stay tuned for more information!

Soma Cuisine and Comedy

Soma's annual fall fundraiser is just around the corner! Please make plans to join us on Thursday, September 28th, at Highland CoC for a fun night of "Comedy and Cuisine." Dinner will be provided along with live music by Candice Goff and stand-up comedy by rising star John Felts. B. Chris Simpson will be our emcee for the night. Tickets are only \$20 and more information can be found on our website, www.somamemphis.org.

Community Yoga Class

We will begin our Fall Community Yoga classes on Sept. 19. See you in the Children's Worship Room @ 6:30 pm on Sept. 19!

Financial Peace University

Almost 5 million people have taken control of their money with the easy-to-follow lessons they learned in Financial Peace University. They learned practical ways to create a budget, pay off debt, make wise spending choices, save for the future and much more. White Station will host an FPU class that begins Sunday, September 24th. Contact Charlie Michael at cmichael@cocws.org for more information or to reserve your seat.

Dates: Sundays, 9/24 – 11/19 (9 sessions)
Time: 4:30 pm – 6:00 pm
Location: CLC Conference Room
Coordinators: Charlie Michael & Brian Bridges
Cost: \$30 per person

FROM JUAN MEZA

Dreamers

"Dreamers" is the term used for many young men and women that were brought to this country when they were under five years old. Many people in this country, the Hispanic population included, do not understand this group of young people. Daniel Rodriguez in his book *The Future for the Latino Church* calls them "the 1.5 generation," meaning that they are neither the first generation, the one that immigrated to this country, nor the second generation, the one that was born in this country. Instead, they were brought when they were little kids. The first generation still keeps the culture of its original country, and all the undocumented people from this generation understand that it will be almost impossible to change their legal status. The second generation does not worry about that because they were born here. They are American citizens. The "dreamers," however, did not understand the change their families were making when they came to the USA, nevertheless, they have grown up as undocumented aliens. They went to school here, they are part of this country, they are undocumented (although they did not make the decision to come to this country), and this is the only country they remember. Something similar to the Hebrews in Babylon.

Several years ago, for the first time in history, they were given the opportunity to go to college under the term "dreamers" and through the DACA status. However, a few days ago, this chance was taken from them. They have to go back to "undocumented" and do things "under the shades."

The Hispanic group at White Station wants to be a church for them and not only for the first generation. We want to dream with them and we want to help them fulfill God's dreams in them.

This is not a reflection about a certain political side. This is a reflection of a reality in our country, in our city, in our community. We want to help them. Moreover, we want them to find the real and eternal status that is in Jesus Christ.

Let us pray for them. Let us dream with them.

Wedding Shower

There will be a wedding shower honoring Jade Cummings, bride-elect of Andrew Jordan on Sunday, October 1 in Fireplace Room from 3-4:30pm. Andrew and Jade are registered at Target, Bed Bath & Beyond, Macy's & Anthropologie.

Save the Date for Our Fellowship Meal

We will have a fellowship meal on October 1 immediately following worship. Join us for a time of food and community in the CLC Gym. In addition, Coffee on the Grounds will start back on September 24. See you there!

Bilingual Women's Conference

White Station Sisters, YOU are warmly invited to our bilingual (English & Spanish) Ladies' Day!

What: FREE bilingual women's conference with 2 meals, worship, & fun activities sponsored by Iglesia de Cristo & The City Missions Team. Mid-South area churches are invited to join us.

Speaker: Janice Ingram, a licensed therapist & women's minister at Farmer's Branch Church of Christ in Fort Worth, TX, will speak to us about the tendency to put up walls with others & how we can break down those barriers through Christ.

Prayer: That this conference will help create lasting relationships to encourage each other & our walks with the Lord.



When: Saturday, October 7th, 8:30 a.m.-3:00p.m. Breakfast & registration will take place from 8:30-9:30am.

Where: The Church of Christ at White Station's Fellowship Hall