

**FAMILY CONCERNS**

**IN THE HOSPITAL:**

BAPTIST - MEMPHIS

**Angela McAfee**

METHODIST - SOUTH

**Jerrod Taylor**

METHODIST HOSPICE RESIDENCE

**Anita Thomsen**

ST. FRANCIS - PARK

**Calvin Hines**

**CHURCH FAMILY:**

**Dale & Mary Beck** (Joint Heirs)

**Annabelle Chumney** (Joint Heirs)

**Ocone Hendrix** (Joint Heirs)

**Ileene Huffard** (Joint Heirs)

**Sue Hughes** (Joint Heirs)

**Scotty Little**

**Broque Lingerfelt** (Seekers)

**Carol Nellums**

**Evelyn Poag**

**Jerry Blair Schlosser**

**Michael Semore** (Joint Heirs)

**Mary Smith** (Joint Heirs)

**Doris Watson** (Singles Blended)

**Rhee Williams** (Joint Heirs)

**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)

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*

William and Helena Horace  
*Providence, RI*

Frank and Gladys Hotorwoshie  
*Accra, Ghana*

Ananias Moses  
*Gaborone, Botswana*

Ralph and Twyla Williams  
*Moduli, Tanzania*

**LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS**

**ATTENDANCE:**

Sunday, 8.12

AM Worship Services..... 492

AM Classes ..... 348

PM Worship Service ..... 48

Wednesday 8.8 ..... 281

**CONTRIBUTION:**

Sunday, 8.12

Weekly Actual.....\$18,809

Weekly Budget.....\$27,500

**OUR SIX LENSES OF VISION**

*The vision of the White Station Church emerged from a time of listening to God, each other, and the community. Our vision is to be the church God desires as described in Ephesians 4:15-16. Our vision will be realized by focusing on the following areas that were revealed as we listened to what God is currently doing in our church and our hopes for the future.*

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH**

In all areas, we will grow to maturity in Christ, the Head of the Church, through meaningful worship, Bible study, and discipleship.

**PERSONAL CONNECTION**

We will be a body that builds itself up in love and grows closer to each other by the power of the Spirit through service, fellowship, and living out the story of Jesus.

**UNITY IN DIVERSITY**

As a body, we have all been reconciled to God through the cross, regardless of racial, economic, or ideological differences. Through the unity of the Spirit, we will respect the uniqueness of each member's gifts and experiences as we work together in the Kingdom.

**GENERATIONAL EXCHANGE**

We will value every member of the body in all seasons of life and learn from each other's experiences as we become mature, attaining the fullness of Christ.

**VALUING FAMILIES**

As we submit to each other, out of reverence for Christ, we will honor and strengthen families, following the example of Christ who loved the church and gave himself up for it.

**MISSIONAL APPROACH**

Growing into Christ, we will speak and serve to give glory to God and to love others in our local community and throughout the world.

*"Speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ. From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work."  
Ephesians 4: 15-16*



THE CHURCH OF CHRIST AT  
**WHITE STATION**

*Real faith. Real friends. Real life.*

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AUGUST 19, 2018

**Fellowship Meal**

*After Worship in the CLC Gym*

**\$5 per person - Families of 4+ only \$20**

**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** on November 11th.

For more information: donmkinder@gmail.com.

**This Week at White Station**

**MONDAY (8.20)**

- Devotional @ 9:30 a.m. in the Coffee House
- Community Exercise @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym

**TUESDAY (8.21)**

- CLC Walking Track open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY (8.22)**

- Game Day from 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
- Pickleball from 9 a.m. to Noon in the CLC Gym
- Devotional @ 3 p.m. in the Chapel

**THURSDAY (8.23)**

- 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 (8.24)**

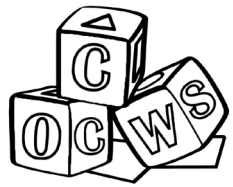
- Men's Prayer Group at 6:30 a.m. in the Education Building Conference Room
- Pickleball from 9 a.m. to Noon in the CLC Gym

**EVERY DAY: MONDAY - FRIDAY**

- Fellowship @ 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
- Walking track open: Monday/Thursday from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to noon

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A staffed nursery is provided for children 0 - 36 months. The nursery is located on the green hallway, room E112 in the Education Building. We also provide an age-appropriate Children's Worship for children ages 3 through Kindergarten located directly across from the Fellowship Hall in room E120.

## Sunday Morning Worship

**AUDITORIUM** ..... Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson  
 Welcome/Announcements..... Earl Manning  
 Budget Presentation..... Jerry Collins  
 Scripture Reading [Acts 17:30]/Prayer..... Earl Manning  
 Songs: 729 - Come, Ye Thankful People, Come  
 643 - Are You Sowing the Seed  
 926 - What Will You Do With Jesus?  
 OS - Had It Not Been the Lord  
 689 - Be Still My Soul  
 261 - Lord of Our Highest Love  
 Lord's Supper & Offering..... Larry Green  
 Song: OS - Who At the Door Is Standing?  
 "Chiming Bells & Orange Roughy" ..... Rodney Plunket  
 Response Song: OS - When Jesus Comes  
 Prayer ..... Scott Herren

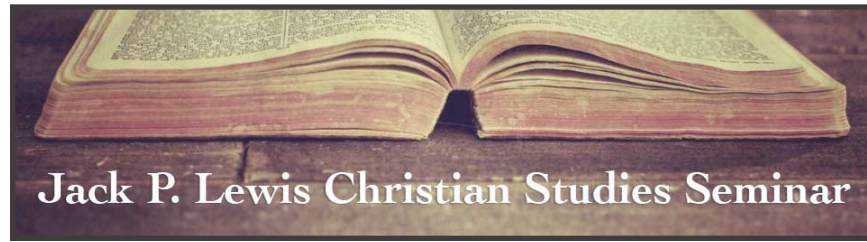
**FELLOWSHIP HALL**..... Worship Leader: Anne Wynn  
 Welcome/Announcements/Scripture Reading [Rev. 21:1-4]Prayer ..... Kelsie Elkins  
 Songs: Build Your Kingdom Here  
 Cornerstone  
 Budget Presentation..... Jerry Collins  
 "Chiming Bells & Orange Roughy" ..... Rodney Plunket  
 Songs: I Need Thee Every Hour  
 Your Great Name  
 Lord's Supper & Offering..... Justin Banker  
 Songs: Hallelujah We Sing  
 You Never Let Go  
 Prayer/Blessing..... Fran Craddock

## Sunday Evening Worship

**CHAPEL** ..... Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson  
 Welcome/Prayer..... Keith Therrell  
 Songs: 76 - How Great Thou Art      Scripture Reading: Ps. 117:1-2; 118:1  
 123 - The Steadfast Love of the Lord      Scripture Reading: Ps. 135:1-3  
 97 - I Sing Praises      Scripture Reading: Ps. 135:5-7  
 75 - I Sing the Mighty Power of God  
 76 - How Great Thou Art  
 "Living in God's Presence" ..... Ananias Moses  
 Response Song: 58 - A Charge To Keep I Have  
 Lord's Supper & Offering..... Earl Manning  
 Song: 66 - Doxology  
 Prayer

### WHAT ABOUT WEDNESDAY?

- @ 3:00 p.m. — Alan Underwood in the Chapel
- @ 6:30 p.m. —
  - Iglesia de Cristo in the Chapel
  - Ladies Summer Series in G209
  - One Another (Men's Class) in G206
  - Peak of the Week in the Fireplace Room
  - Sanctuary (Youth Group) in the Station
  - Children (age 3 - 6th grade) in the Educational Building



The Jack P. Lewis Seminar will be **Saturday, August 25th** from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We ask for \$5 (to be paid at the door) to cover the cost of food. This year's speaker will be Dr. Dale Manor who is a professor of Old Testament and Archaeology at Harding University. He also serves as the field director with the Tel Beth-Shemesh Excavation in Israel. He will provide an introduction and overview of 1 Samuel to kick off the adult Sunday morning classes for the fall. Please register by calling the church office (901-761-2007) by **Wednesday**.

## Senior Event at Theater Memphis

We are planning to attend a program at Theater Memphis on **Wednesday, August 22nd** at 1:30 p.m. The Creative Aging Senior Arts Series features John Angotti, a talented musician and composer. His performance will be secular music from old style jazz to Elton John and Billy Joel. Tickets are \$6.25. You may pay in advance by giving cash or a check to Leon or Marilyn Sanderson or dropping your payment off at the church office by Monday, August 20th. We will carpool from the church building leaving at 12:45 p.m.

## Wedding Shower

There will be a wedding shower honoring Hailey Hunt, bride-elect of J.D. Peery **next Sunday, August 26th** from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the Fireplace Room. They are registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond, Pottery Barn, Williams Sonoma, and Amazon.

## Sympathy

There will be a visitation service on Saturday, August 25th from 2-3 p.m. and a Hymn-Sing Celebration following at 3 p.m. in memory of **Jeanne Benson**, mother of **Susan Rubio**. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts be sent to Harding Academy or HopeWorks.

Our sympathy is extended to **Steve and Jeanne Sentell** and their family on the death of Jeanne's mother, **Sara Brewer** on August 12th. Sara was a charter member of White Station. Services were held yesterday in the White Station auditorium.

We extend our sympathies to **James and Sarah Mason** (Lifesavers) and **Kellen and Jennifer Christian** (Journey) on the passing of **Margaret Bass**, the mother of Sarah and grandmother of Jennifer, on August 15th in Jackson, TN. Services will be held Monday, August 20th, at the Rawls Funeral Home in Brownsville, TN (36 S. Jackson Avenue). Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. with a funeral service to follow at 11 a.m..

## Frequent Flier Miles Needed

Arlin and Pamela Hendrix, our missionaries in Lyon, France, are coming to the States at the end of September on furlough. The Global Missions Team is asking anyone who has Delta frequent flyer miles to consider donating them to use to secure their airline tickets. If you can help, please contact Jack Bond at [jackbond01@gmail.com](mailto:jackbond01@gmail.com).

FROM ALLIE CHESTER

## Transformed

This summer in the White Station Youth Group, our theme was "Transformed."

On Wednesday nights, we went through the book of Romans chapter by chapter. Romans was written by Paul to the diverse church in Rome. This church was struggling with Jew vs. Gentile issues, and Paul wrote to them as somewhat of a mediator. The letter has been called "The Gospel according to Paul" because the apostle takes the time to retell the good news. He keeps coming back to the idea that all have been saved by the blood of Christ. He uses the first 11 chapters to lay out this idea that everyone (Jew and Gentile) benefits from Christ. In chapter 12, he drops a bomb. "Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will" (12:1-2). Because of the gift of salvation, the freedom of God's grace, and our victory in Christ, we are called to be transformed. Paul tells the Romans (and us) to change the way we live as a response to the good news.

So what does this look like? At Junior High Camp, we talked about how the Lord always has something new for us. We are not called to a stagnant faith, we are called to enter into an exciting, Spirit-led, extraordinary life. We encouraged students to think about what the next step of their faith should be. Sometimes we get stuck in a comfortable space when it comes to faith. We keep doing the same things, getting the same results, and we forget that the life of a believer is to be transformed. We are called to be continually different—different than the world and different than ourselves before Jesus.

As we enter into a new school year, I encourage you to do a few things. First, think about what the next step of your faith is. No matter your age, your circumstance, or your season of life, we are all being called to transformation. We are all being called to a next step, to a living and active faith. It's time we put some thought into how that will look.

I also encourage you to talk to our teens. Take them to coffee, have them over for dinner, stop them in the hallway. Ask them about how the Lord is working in their lives. Ask them what their next step of faith is. The Lord is working in the lives of our students, and it's important for us to encourage spiritual growth. And, frankly, our teens are cool and worth knowing.

Lastly, please be in prayer for our youth group. The beginning of a new school year can be a tough transition. Many of our students are returning to old spaces as changed people, and that can be hard. Pray that the Lord would bless them and keep them during the school year as they continue to seek transformation.

## Food Pantry Needs

The food pantry is in need of **peanut butter, macaroni and cheese, dry rice, dry beans, and instant cereal**. Empty copier boxes are always needed. Bring items to the church office or leave them outside the Food Pantry (in the hall behind the church kitchen).

## Part-Time Fellowship Hall Worship Minister Job Opening

White Station is announcing a part-time job opening for a **Fellowship Hall Worship Minister**. The job description can be found on the COCWS website under "About Us." Resumes should be emailed to Charlie Michael at [cmichael@cocws.org](mailto:cmichael@cocws.org).