



Somerville Church of Christ

Welcomes You!

September 18, 2022

Communication from Our Great God

God spoke with mankind. If you think about that for a minute, you would realize the magnificence of such communication. God interacted with us in spite of the tremendous difference between us. Isaiah says, "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts" (Isaiah 55:8-9). Consider the thought gap between man and God. We humans probably have an intelligence closer to the ants than we do to God. Yet we do not try to communicate with the ants.

God chose to talk to us though. The Psalmist asked the question, "What is man that thou art mindful of him?" (Psalm 8:4). Sure we cannot approach the sheer glory of the Lord, but He created us, and takes an interest in us. Psalm 90 discusses the difference between God and man. God has existed from everlasting to everlasting (Psalm 90:2), and humans live around seventy years (Psalm 90:10). But ultimately, the psalmist prayed to God to "Let thy work appear unto thy servants, and thy glory unto their children (90:16). Even with the disparity between God's eternal glory and man's limited nature, God cares for us because He made us (Acts 17:27-28). As His offspring, we should recognize His greatness, and give thanks for all the love that He has given to us.

-Ryan

Elders

Darrell Beard
Al Helm

Deacons

Welby Choate, Jr.
Matt Gentry
Butch Glover
Nathan Green
Frank House
Hal Montague
Bill Spears
Will Tippit

Song Leader

Nathan Green

Ministers

Daniel Manning
Youth
Ryan Manning
Pulpit
Joe Mallory
Intern

Secretary

Kara Gentry

Bookkeeper

Donna Glover

Prison Ministry Clerk

Sheryl Hyland

Service Times

Sunday

First Service.....9:00 a.m.
Bible Study.....10:00 a.m.
Second Service....11:00 a.m.

Wednesday

Afternoon Bible Study...2:30 p.m.
Bible Classes..... 7:00 p.m.

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Blessed to Serve

Sunday, September 18, 2022

Greeters: Chuck & Glenda Nance
1st Aid Attendants: Butch Glover & Terresa Montague
Foyer Help: Frank House & Raymond Snell

Safety

Auditorium: Matt Gentry (9 A.M.)
 Butch Glover (10 A.M.)
 Butch Glover (11 A.M.)
Annex: Bryan Robison (10 A.M.)

9:00 A.M. Worship

Opening Hymn
Welcome: Elliot Lambert
Hymn
Opening Prayer: Hal Montague
Hymn
Offering: Daniel Manning & Butch Glover
Hymn
Sermon: Ryan Manning- "The Magnificence of God's Communication"
Invitation Hymn
Communion Hymn
Lord's Supper: Daniel Manning & Butch Glover
Closing Hymn
Closing Prayer: Will Tippit

11:00 A.M. Worship

Opening Hymn
Opening Prayer: Ryan Manning
Hymn
Sermon: Daniel Manning- "The Intent of God's Communication"
Invitation Hymn
Communion Hymn
Lord's Supper & Offering: Neal Rowlett & Welby Choate, III
Closing Hymn
Closing Prayer: Kenneth Rowlett

Wednesday, September 21, 2022

2:30 P.M. Speaker- Ryan Manning
Safety: Butch Glover

7:00 P.M. Speaker- Ryan Manning
Opening Prayer- Ryan Manning
Closing Prayer- Neal Rowlett
Safety: Welby Choate (Auditorium) & Matt Gentry (Annex)

BIBLE CLASSES

10:00 A.M.

2 YRS -6TH Grade: Engraving Heavenly Truths- "The Devil, Sin & Hell"
7TH-12TH Grade: Daniel Manning- "Increasing favor with God"

ADULT CLASSES

ANNEX: Philip Hatcher - "God is the Audience"
AUDITORIUM: Ryan Manning- 2 Timothy

Join us every Tuesday for Men's & Women's Bible Classes at 10 A.M.

(Meets in the Annex)

Men's Class: Daniel Manning & Ryan Manning

Studying "Life Changing Questions"

Women's Class: Rebecca Manning

Studying "Daughters of Eve" by Lottie Beth Hobbs

NHC

Next Service: Oct. 9th at 2:00 p.m.

For those of you serving, please meet in the Fellowship Hall at 1:45 P.M.

27 that they should seek God, and perhaps feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each one of us, 28 for "In him we live and move and have our being"; as even some of your own poets have said, "For we are indeed his offspring."

Acts 17:27-28

For The Record

Sunday, Sept. 11th & Wednesday, Sept. 14th

Sunday Morning Worship (9 a.m.).....	88
Sunday Morning Bible Study (10 a.m.).....	113
Sunday Morning Worship (11 a.m.).....	113
Contribution (2022 Budget \$7,359).....	\$7,440
Mid-Week Bible Study.....	83

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 18: Prison Ministry- Hardeman Correctional Facility

September 25: HTH Visitation Program

October 8: 3rd Annual Brotherhood-Wide Door Knocking Day

October 14-16: Fall Retreat at Chickisaw State Park

October 29: Church Fall Festival



SAVE THE DATE

Family Fall Retreat
with Forest Hill Church of Christ

When: October 14-16

Where: Chickisaw State Park

Theme: It takes Courage

More details to come!



HTH Visitation Program For the New Movers

Sunday, Sept. 25th
And every 4th Sunday of each month.

Bring enough food for your family & to share.

This is an outreach program serving as a local mission in our own backyards.

Goal is to touch the lives of the new families that have moved into our community.

Please come & be apart of this good work!

UPCOMING EVENTS

KIDS FOR CHRIST

TBD: Bicycle & Tricycle Obstacle Course & Lunch following 2nd service TODAY!

Oct 14: KFC trip to Falcon Ridge Farm. Leaving the building at 10 a.m.

Happy Birthday

SEPTEMBER

- 20: Lydia Green
- 22: Mary Byrd
- 26: Beaux Robison
- 26: Ryamond Snell
- 27: Jim Byrd
- 29: Amber Bean
- 30: Linda Martin



Upcoming Youth Events

September 18: Youth Rally at Germantown church of Christ

October 8: 3rd Annual Brotherhood-Wide Door Knocking Day

(Area Wide Youth will be on select Fridays every month.)

UPCOMING MAM EVENTS

Thank you to all the Ladies who made the Ladies Day 2022 such a success! This day would not have been possible without our amazing group of Ladies!

Keep In Prayer

Members:

Elizabeth (Henry) Short
 Wayne Moorhead
 Joyce French
 Elliot & Janie Lambert
 Brenda Paradise
 Richard & Carolyn Mitchell
 Buddy & Pat Mobley
 Annie & Harvey Crawford
 Crystal Crawford
 Mickey & Linda Spain
 Beverly Daugherity
 Pat Spears
 Larry Luttrell
 Pat Gonzales
 Walter Morris
 Jacqueline Robertson
 Barbara Parks
 Joy Dacus
 Jim Byrd

Family/Friends of Members:

Marilyn Hunt- grandmother of Jana Green
Gavin Dellinger- grandson of Linda Matheny
Roy Sharp- brother of Elizabeth King
Kenny Taylor- family of the Wrights
Chris Nance- son of Chuck & Glenda Nance
Jerry Byrd- brother of Jim Byrd
Betty Vincent- sister of Linda Matheny
Welby Choate, Sr.- Father of Welby Choate, Jr.
Rodney Bean- Husband of Amber Bean
Gail Thompson- daughter of Joy Dacus
Lisa Nicole- granddaughter of Joy Dacus
Dee Hart- friend to many of the congregation
Maluga Family- missionaries in Ukraine (Ukrainian Bible Institute)
Gary & Maggie Colley- grandparents of Rebecca Manning
Helen Weddle- sister-in-law of Barbara Weddle
Deidre Boone- friend of the Cypress'
Mary Elizabeth Rhea- friend of Helen Powers
Tish Clarke- mom of Michael Clarke
Melanie Dilliard- sister-in-law of Ann McNabb & Mary Byrd
Shirley Gregory- past member & friends to many

Other:

- Those serving our Country
- The leaders of our Country
- All first responders
- Victims of those affected by the war in Ukraine

SEPTEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Guest Speaker- Dean Miller "Getting Acquainted with Grief" Martha Sanders B	29 Mark Morlan B Ronnie & Alice Wright A	30 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	31 Rosemary & Jere Walls A 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	1 Colbey Wright B	2	3 Kristy Catron B
4 Jeanne DeLong B	5 Labor Day	6 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	7 Joy Trimm B 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	8 Jack & Jeanne DeLong A	9 RUSH @ FHU	10 RUSH @ FHU Sherry Ligon B Steven Barfoot B 8:00am - 4:00pm Annual Cotton Festival-Somerville, TN
11 Grandparents Day Larry Hilliard B Patriot Day	12 Bill Spears B	13 Angela Hatcher B 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	14 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	15 Cheryl Moody B Joan Montague B	16	17 9:00am Ladies Day- Speaker Stephanie Patton
18 1:00pm - 2:30pm Prison Ministry- Hardeman Correctional Facility	19	20 Lydia Green B 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	21 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	22 First Day of Autumn Mary J. Byrd B	23	24
25	26 Beaux Robison B Raymond Snell B	27 Jim Byrd B 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	28 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	29 Amber Bean B	30 Linda Martin B	1 Frank House B Gerald Anderson B 8:00am - 3:00pm HTH Door Knocking