



# Somerville Church of Christ Welcomes You!

April 16, 2023

## 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.



Hello friends, I am very happy with the feedback I have received so far on our youth articles, thank you for your encouragement. This week I hope to give another snapshot into the current life of another one of our members. Please take a moment and read a little information about Jeremiah Zaher (pronounced "Zuh-HER" if you were wondering). Jeremiah and his family have attended Somerville for about one year and have faithfully participated in as many activities as possible. He is currently 16 years old and is finishing his 11th-grade year in high school. He and his siblings are homeschooled by their Mom and Dad and have a very apparent aptitude for learning. Along with his education at home, Jeremiah also participates in a homeschool co-op program called The Bridge, which allows him to take specialized classes away from home. As a junior, Jeremiah is looking forward to graduation next year and has tentative plans to pursue a degree in finance. In addition to his school studies, there are also a number of activities in which he finds enjoyment. Jeremiah is very technologically savvy and has dabbled in the world of computer coding, learning several coding languages in just a short time. He is also a boy scout, a soccer athlete, and loves to swim.

I have grown very close to Jeremiah in the few months we have spent together. He is helpful and kind and always speaks his mind. He is a person with whom you do not have to guess whether or not they like you. It has been so pleasant witnessing how he takes care of his younger siblings and how he endears them to himself through his kind actions and friendly demeanor. Jeremiah, in my opinion, is certainly a role model for young men everywhere and I can't wait to see what sort of man he will become in the future. On that note, he has plans for the future that seems to be propelling him forward in his present. One day Jeremiah hopes to be married to a lovely young lady who wants to start a family with him. He says that when the right person comes along he will happily get married and have as many children as they are able. To be 16 years old and know what you want out of life is a rare circumstance indeed, but I do believe it comes from having strong standards, a moral upbringing, and a good head on your shoulders. As I said before, Jeremiah is one of my favorite young men to know and I have nothing but high hopes for him in the future. If you haven't already, please take a moment out of your day to have a conversation with him for the purpose of encouraging and getting to know him better.

Daniel Manning, Youth Minister

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# Blessed to Serve

## Sunday, April 16, 2023

**Greeters:** Chuck & Glenda Nance

**1st Aid Attendants:** Butch Glover & Teresa Montague

**Foyer Help:** Frank House & Raymond Snell

### Safety

**Auditorium:** Ronnie Wright (9 A.M.)  
Butch Glover (10 A.M.)  
Will Tippit (11 A.M.)

**Annex:** Bill Spears (10 A.M.)

## 9:00 A.M. Worship

**Opening Hymn**

**Welcome:** Frank House

**Hymn**

**Opening Prayer:** Darrell Beard

**Hymn**

**Offering:** Welby Choate, Jr. & Welby Choate, III

**Hymn**

**Sermon:** Daniel Manning

**Invitation Hymn**

**Communion Hymn**

**Lord's Supper:** Welby Choate, Jr. & Welby Choate, III

**Closing Hymn**

**Closing Prayer:** Kenneth Rowlett

## 11:00 A.M. Worship

**Opening Hymn**

**Opening Prayer:** Will Tippit

**Hymn**

**Sermon:** Ryan Manning

**Invitation Hymn**

**Communion Hymn**

**Lord's Supper & Offering:** Daniel Manning & Ian Manning

**Closing Hymn**

**Closing Prayer:** Will Burch

## Wednesday, April 19, 2023

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

**7:00 P.M. Speaker-** Daniel Manning  
**Opening Prayer-** Ryan Manning  
**Closing Prayer-** Welby Choate, Jr.  
**Safety:** Matt Gentry (Auditorium) & Ronnie Wright (Annex)

## BIBLE CLASSES

10:00 A.M.

**2 YRS -6TH Grade:** Engraving Heavenly Truths- "New Testament Book by Book"

**7TH-12TH Grade:** Daniel Manning- "Respecting Authority"

### ADULT CLASSES

ANNEX: Various Teachers- "God is the Audience"

AUDITORIUM: Joe Mallory- "Jesus in the Old Testament"

## 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 "Seek the Precious Moments" by

Becky Blackmon

## NHC

**Next Service: May 14th at 2:00 p.m.**

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

AND JESUS SAID UNTO THEM, I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE: HE THAT COMETH TO ME SHALL NEVER HUNGER; AND HE THAT BELIEVETH ON ME SHALL NEVER THIRST.

JOHN 6: 35

## For The Record

*Sunday, April 9th & Wednesday, April 12th*

Sunday Morning Worship (9 a.m.).....120

Sunday Morning Bible Study (10 a.m.).....126

Sunday Morning Worship (11 a.m.).....108

Contribution (2023 Budget \$7,584).....\$7,388

Mid-Week Bible Study.....90

# UPCOMING EVENTS

April 16: VBS Planning Meeting

April 16 & 30: Prison Ministry at Hardeman Correctional Facility

May 2: Macon CofC Summer Series w/ speaker John Deberry at 7pm

May 7: VBS Planning Meeting

May 31-June 3: VBS

July 23-27: Gospel Meeting



Anyone who would like to write Adisyn Halloran a letter or note to give her immediately after graduation would greatly be appreciated. The Seniors will take all their letters with them to read together. Please give these to Louise Jones before

May 1<sup>st</sup>. Many thanks!

## Upcoming Events



April 16: Youth T-shirt orders due

May 12: Youth Activity

May 19: Youth Devo

May 26-27: Germantown Ultimate Youth Rally

## Happy Birthday



18: Jeremiah Zaher

19: Nikki Summitt

20: Pat Spears

21: Rita Sewell

22: Rebekah Robison

23: Ethan Zaher

26: Pat Glover

26: Peggy Lee

27: Billy Montague



## May

7: Shirley & Norma Chambers

13: Elliot & Janie Lambert

18: Kenneth & Beth Rowlett

24: Larry & Vickie Hilliard

24: Lyle & Nikki Summitt

26: Ryan & Rebecca Manning

31: Johsh & Farrah McNabb

Happy Anniversary

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



The Battle Belongs to the Lord!

May 31-June 2

THE NEXT VBS MEETING WILL BE APRIL 16 FOLLOWING 2ND SERVICE IN THE ANNEX.

We need volunteers for the following: Lead & Assistant teachers, crafts, games, snacks, decorating

# Keep In Prayer

## Members:

Wayne Moorhead  
 Joyce French  
 Elliot Lambert  
 Richard & Carolyn Mitchell  
 Buddy & Pat Mobley  
 Annie & Harvey Crawford  
 Crystal Crawford  
 Walter Morris  
 Barbara Parks  
 Joy Dacus  
 Jim Byrd  
 Merle Leiman  
 Sheryl Hyland  
 Doug Treadway  
 Gerald Anderson  
 Pat Spears  
 Billy & Teresa Montague  
 Carol Hendrix  
 Louise Jones  
 Maria Morlan

## Family/Friends of Members:

Marilyn Hunt- grandmother of Jana Green  
Gavin Delinger- grandson of Linda Matheny  
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.  
Dee Hart- friend to many of the congregation  
Maggie Colley- grandmother of Rebecca Manning  
Helen Weddle- sister-in-law of Barbara Weddle  
Tish Clarke- mom of Michael Clarke  
Melanie Dilliard- sister-in-law of Ann McNabb & Mary Byrd  
Shirley Gregory- past member & friends to many  
Anna Claire Ellis- granddaughter of Butch & Donna Glover  
Shirley Cannon- friend of Sue Freels & Barbara Parks  
Matt Montague- son of Billy & Teresa Montague  
Barbara Foster- former member  
Thomas Crawford- brother to Harvey & Annie Crawford

## Other:

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



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 Quarter 2 Bible Class Begins	3 Diane Choate B Kenneth Rowlett B	4 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	5 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	6	7 Good Friday	8 Rachel House B  KFC Easter Egg Hunt at the Crawford's at 2 pm
9 2:00pm - 3:00pm Service at NHC Easter Sunday	10	11 Buddy & Pat Mobley A Sue Freels B 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	12 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	13	14	15
16 1:00pm - 2:30pm Prison Ministry- Hardeman Correctional Facility VBS Planning Meeting	17	18 Jeremiah Zaher B 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	19 Nikki Summitt B 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	20 Pat Spears B	21 Rita Sewell B	22 Rebekah Robison B
23 Ethan Zaher B	24	25 10:00am - 11:00am Men & Women Bible Class	26 Pat Glover B Peggy Lee B 2:30pm - 3:30pm Afternoon Bible Class 7:00pm - 8:00pm Evening Bible Class & Devo	27 Billy Montague B	28	29
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