



BOB BIDEWELL is retired from almost forty years in the field of church music. He served as choral director, organist, and handbell director for several churches in Arkansas and taught for ten years in public schools. Bob has a Master of Music Education degree from Arkansas State University in Jonesboro. He studied piano with Dr. James Patty and Dr. Theron Waddle. Organ studies have been Dr. Ervin Dunham, Harriett O'Neal, and Dr. Jane Gamble. Bob has obtained the Service Playing Certificate from the American Guild of Organists and has presented recitals in Arkansas, Tennessee, Texas, and Missouri. He served on the board of the Arkansas Chapter of the Handbell Musicians of America for many years and has served as Dean of the Central Arkansas Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. He is a member of Christ Episcopal Church in Little Rock where he remains active in the choir, the handbell choir, and occasionally subbing on the organ bench. Bob plays bass clarinet and keyboard in the Little Rock Winds and is active in the local community theatre scene.

West TN Handbell Association

Germantown United Methodist Church
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River City Ring

2025

Saturday, March 1

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CLINICIAN
Bob Bidewell

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Festival Repertoire

Celebrate with Ringing

Michael Mazzatenta
AGEHR MAG35326, 3-5 Octaves, Level 2+

Jesus and His Love

Ben Tucker
Alfred/Jubilate MJMG1288, 3-5 Octaves, Level 2

Laudation

Brenda Austin
Composers Music Co. MCP7096 (2-3 Octaves)
MCP7097 (3-5 Octaves), Level 2

Angels We Have Heard On High

Sandra Eithun
Alfred/Jubilate MAP25337, 3-5 Octaves, Level 3

Challenge Piece

Come, Ye Thankful People Come

Lloyd Larson
Beckenhorst MBEHB818, 3-5 Octaves, Level 3+

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Saturday Festival Schedule

8:00 AM—Registration Opens, Load-In

8:45 AM—First Rehearsal

10:15 AM—Break

10:30 AM—Second Rehearsal

12:00 PM—Lunch

12:45 PM—Third Rehearsal

2:15 PM—Break

2:30 PM—Closing Concert
(open to the public)

LUNCH OPTIONS

Box lunches from McAllister's are available to order, or you may bring your own. Options:

- Turkey Sandwich
- Ham Sandwich
- Veggie Sandwich
- Roast Beef Sandwich

*Includes pickle, chips, and cookie—
beverages provided by WTHA

Registration Form

Church Name

Ensemble Name/# of Octaves

Street Address

City/State/ZIP

Contact Person

Email

Phone Number

FEES

# of Ringers	x\$25	\$ _____
Rental Tables	x\$10	\$ _____
Turkey Sandwich	x\$13.50	\$ _____
Ham Sandwich	x\$13.50	\$ _____
Veggie Sandwich	x\$13.50	\$ _____
Roast Beef Sandwich	x\$13.50	\$ _____
Total Due		\$ _____

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