



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the
Seymour Church of Christ
Meeting in Emert's Plaza
209 Chilhowee School Road
Seymour, TN

February 9, 2014



We can't obey God
until we first
LISTEN
to His Word!

Designs By God



Faith comes by hearing the Word.

Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



Some Thoughts On

BAD WEATHER AND CHURCH ATTENDANCE

As you well know, the weather had adversely affected our church attendance recently. I thought it would be appropriate for me to make some observations about this matter.

First, I recognize that church attendance is important. I also know that we are to use good common sense as to whether it is safe for us to make the journey to the building or not. Furthermore, the situation might vary from family to family. Some live further away than others. Some have more narrow, winding roads and hills to navigate. Some are older and have more difficulty driving in bad weather. So, plan to attend and make every reasonable attempt to attend, but don't take needless chances to attend. God knows your heart.

Second, if you cannot get to the church building, worship at home. This is not as desirable as being together with brothers and sisters in the assembly, but it can be spiritually strengthening and I'm sure God will be pleased with your desire to worship Him. Bad weather isn't an excuse to take a day off from worshipping God.

Third, if you cannot attend on the Lord's Day, be sure to make up your contribution when you are able to assemble together again with the saints. Whether you are here or not, there is still rent on the building and utilities to be paid, Bible school material to be purchased, needy people to be helped, and the proclamation of the gospel to be supported. Remember, the only Scriptural way to support the church is through the free-will contributions of the members (1 Cor. 16:1-2).

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—**Kathy Crider** had surgery last Tuesday at LeConte Medical Center. Her kidney stone was rather large and embedded. Please keep her in your prayers, as she recovers. . . . **Jeff Whitaker** continues to convalesce from his knee replacement surgery. He has been having considerable nerve pain. Hopefully some new medication will help. . . . **Barbara Husband** has not been feeling well recently. Shingles are suspected. . . . **Betty Summers**, Lynn Whitaker’s mother, was taken to the E.R. at LeConte Medical Center early last Thursday morning with chest pains. Tests indicated that it was not a heart attack, but as of this writing no diagnosis has been given. She is presently in room 335 **Mary Nance**, a dear friend of the Millers from Ohio, was taken to the hospital last Thursday evening with chest pains and shortness of breath. Preliminary tests indicate it was not a heart attack, though they did indicate she had experienced a heart attack in the past. More tests are scheduled. Bill called and asked for the prayers of the church. . . . **Olivia Waits**, a teen from the Arlington congregation, is in the hospital with the flu. . . . Prayers have also been requested for **Ashley Jordan**, a teen from here in Seymour. Her father died of a massive heart attack last week. . . . Gerrand reported last Wednesday evening that **Samantha Kinzalow** has not been feeling well recently.

STATS FOR LAST WEEK—Bible Study, 26; Morning Worship, 43; Evening Worship, 34, Contribution, \$986; Wednesday Bible Study, 32.



SCHEDULED FOR THIS MONTH

- **Men’s Meeting** today at 4:30 p.m.
- **Couples Group** on the 25th at the Bragwells.
- **CYC** 21st-22nd



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, February 9

A.M.— “Chuch, Chuch, Chuch” (Hebrews 10:24-25)

P.M.— “Don’t Be Foolish” (Galatians 3:1-9)

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Announcements:	Jim Husband	Jim Husband
Song Leader:	Jason LaFollette	Chris Bragwell
Bible Reader:	David Bragwell	
First Prayer:	Rusty Curtis	Chris Bragwell
Officiating at Lord's Table:	Jim Husband	John McBroom
Serving at Lord's Table	David Bragwell, Will Curtis	
	J.C. McBroom, Damon Hall	
Closing Prayer:	Ronnie McAbee	Wayne Smith

Wednesday: *Devotion, Rusty Curtis; Prayer, Wayne Smith*
Singing, David Bragwell

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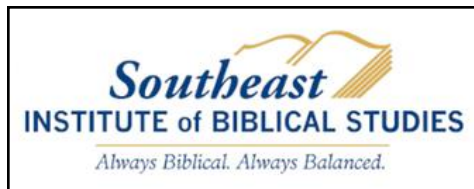
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Services: Sunday—9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.



40th Annual Lectureship

February 23-26

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