



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

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Seymour, TN 37865

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Trust God

—not people.—

Depend on God

—not yourself.—

Live for God

—not this world.—

God over

everything.

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Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



WHAT IF?

For a long time, I have known that some people are addicted to their cell phones. Want proof? Read on.

A study about cell phone usage reveals the following.

- ✓ *People check their cell phones on average 34 times a day.*
- ✓ *66% of all cell phone users fear losing or being without their cell phones.*
- ✓ *77% of people between 18 and 24 years-of-age fear being without their cell phones.*
- ✓ *55% of women would rather leave home without their makeup than without their cell phone.*

A young lady I know posted on Facebook that she had to leave her phone for an hour and a half to be repaired. She said it would be the single worst day of her life. Oh, my! I wonder what that says about her life.

I have even observed that some people can't lay their phone aside for a one-hour church service. Shameful!

What's the point? Not just to rail against cell phone use, I assure you. My point is this: **what if** people were as interested in staying in touch with God as they are with people through e-mail, Facebook, Twitter, texting, etc.?

Sure, use your cell phone. It is a great tool. But, read your Bible regularly. Speak to God often in prayer. Assemble together with others to worship and learn more about Him. Eternally, it will do you more good than constantly checking your cell phone.

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—**John McBroom** had a colonoscopy last Monday. The report was very good, and we are thankful. . . . **Chris Bragwell** continues to recover from his recent shoulder surgery. **Tammy** had a fall last week. Both were able to attend the Wednesday evening Bible Study, and we are thankful. . . . **Billy Payne**, Joseph and Isaiah Wheeler's father, has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. He lives in Maryville. Prayers have been requested. . . . Please continue to pray for the family of **Lisa Pickens**, who passed away recently. Her husband is one of Jason LaFollette's captains at the Sevierville Fire Department. . . . **Samantha Kinzalow** has been ill this past week with the respiratory and allergy problems that have been going around.

STATS FOR LAST WEEK—Bible Study, 39; Morning Worship, 61; Evening Worship, 46; Contribution, \$1,613. Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 44.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR VBS—This week the items to bring are **black pens and composition books**.



AREA EVENTS—**SEIBS Lectures** April 26-29. . . . **19th Annual East Tennessee Men's Retreat at Sevierville** on May 2. . . . **Gospel Meeting at Asbury** with Ralph Clevinger from Kodak church of Christ May 3-6. . . . **Gospel Meeting at Lenoir City** with Phil Sanders from Edmond, OK May 10-13.

TEACHER'S BANQUET—Don't forget. Our Teacher's Banquet is planned for Saturday, May 16, beginning at 6 p.m. **It is open to all**. Please sign the list on the bulletin board in the classroom hall, if you plan to attend. John McBroom and Jason LaFollette, with a little help from some others, are doing the barbequing. It will be great.



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, April 26

A.M.— "Jesus Prayed" (Matthew 26:36-46)

P.M.— Devotional

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Announcements:	John McBroom	John McBroom
Song Leader:	Ronnie McAbee	Phil Adams
Bible Reading	David Bragwell	
Opening Prayer:	Larry Perry	Keith McCord
Preside at Lord's Table:	Jeff Whitaker	Chris Bragwell
Serving at Lord's Table	To Be Announced	
Closing Prayer:	Wayne Smith	Steve Hopper
Greeters	Chris Bragwell/Jason LaFollette	

Wednesday: *Devotional, Ronnie McAbee; Prayer, Rusty Curtis
Singing, Chris Bragwell*

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

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

