



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane
Seymour, TN 37865

April 15, 2018

Revive
us again Psalm
85:6

Spring Revival

Today through Wednesday

**"If You Could Ask God One
Question, What Would it Be?"**

Speaker: Sam Bartrug
McConnelsville, OH

Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



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Sam Bartrug

We enjoy a wonderful privilege each Lord’s Day, as we partake of the Lord’s Supper. It is a great honor to share in this feast that was instituted by our Savior, within the very shadow of His betrayal and crucifixion. The Lord’s Supper allows us to do the following:

Focus on the death of Jesus for our sins (Matt. 26:27-29). Each Lord’s Day, we take time to remember that fateful day nearly two thousand years ago, when the Son of God became the Savior of mankind, via the old rugged cross. The Lord’s Supper gives us a weekly reminder of the cost of our forgiveness.

Focus on Jesus’ return (1 Cor. 11:26). Our faith is not limited to past events. Our hope does not rest in a martyr. We have something to look forward to, a living hope in a living Lord! The Lord’s Supper allows us to peer weekly into the empty tomb and be reassured that our own tomb will someday be empty as well.

Focus on our fellowship with Jesus (1 Cor. 10:16). Baptized believers have put on Christ (Gal. 3:26-27). We are in Christ (Rom. 8:1). There is an intimate bond between the saved and the Savior. The Lord’s Supper lets us weekly clasp the hand of Jesus and rejoice in our continuing relationship with Him.

Focus on our fellowship with each other (1 Cor. 10:17). Though any given Sunday might find 80 or more of us gathering for worship in Christ, we remain essentially one! The Lord’s Supper allows us to weekly embrace one another in the bonds of

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FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—**Dawson Brown** had bronchitis last week. . . . **Sam Martin** has an appointment with a surgeon on April 25 to discuss options for the pinched nerve in his lower back. . . . Sam Martin's brother-in-law, **Donald Van Patton**, is in the hospital with advanced bladder cancer. . . . **Sierra Miller** had successful knee surgery last Tuesday. She is at home and going through out-patient rehabilitation. . . . Prayers for the Whitaker family, please. Jeff had a cousin to die of cancer, and Lynn's cousin, **Jacob Davidson**, was killed in a motorcycle accident last week.

FOR THE RECORD—Sunday Bible Study, 52; Morning Worship, 75; Evening Worship, 47; Contribution, \$1,890; Wednesday Bible Study, 64.

SPECIAL NOTICE—All classes from Middle School up will be in the auditorium this morning for the Bible Class. Sam Bartrug will be speaking on "Questions About the Bible."



COVERED DISH DINNER—Following the morning services today, we will enjoy a covered dish dinner in the multi-purpose room. This will allow us to have a wonderful time to fellowship and to get to know the Bartrugs better.



- ✓ **Elders' Meeting**, Tuesday, April 24, 7 p.m.
- ✓ **Ladies' Devotional**, Thursday, April 26, 7 p.m.
- ✓ **5th Sunday**, April 29. **Q&A** in the Evening.



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, April 15

A.M.— "Questions About Worship?"
John 4:20-26

P.M.— "Questions About the End Time"

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Announcements:	Tom Miller	Tom Miller
Song Leader:	Brian Lane	Will Curtis
Bible Reading:	Chris Bragwell	
Opening Prayer:	John McBroom	Rusty Curtis
Preside at Lord's Table:	Jeff Whitaker	Jeff Whitaker
Serving at Lord's Table:	Sam Martin, Kenny Brown	
	Will Curtis, Darrell Whitaker	
Closing Prayer:	Tim Wheeler	Brian Lane

Singing Monday-Wednesday: Monday, Chris Bragwell; Tuesday, Tim Wheeler; Wednesday, Kenny Brown

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

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

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Christian brotherhood. Many members to be sure, but one body!

Focus on our inner self (1 Cor. 11:28). Self-examination is the vital element in successful Christian living. Jesus sternly warns us to be careful when it comes to judging others (Matt. 7:1ff), but Paul tells us plainly that we need to be scrupulous in judging ourselves in preparation for observing the Lord's Supper. It provides us with the weekly opportunity to take an honest look within our own heart and to assess where we are and what we can be.

Never take the Lord's Supper lightly! It is a mirror to the past, a light for the present, and a map for eternity.