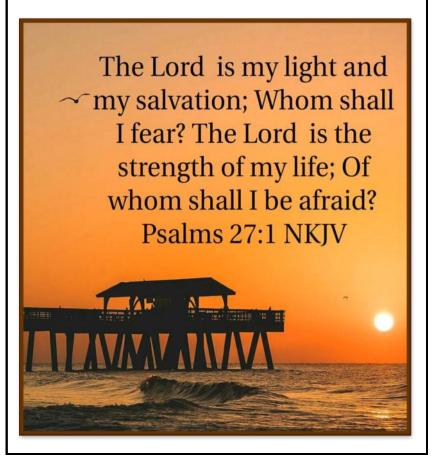


The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ
Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane
Seymour, TN 37865

August 1, 2021



Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



CHANGES

The early church met each Lord's Day to observe the Lord's Supper (Acts 20:7), give as they had been prospered (1 Cor. 16:1-2), sing songs to praise God and teach and admonish one another (Eph. 5:19), and study and pray together (Acts 2:42). We should do the same. It is also clear that they met on other occasions to worship and fellowship together.

Traditionally, we meet three times a week—Sunday mornings, Sunday evenings, and Wednesday evenings. We encourage our members to attend all of those services, and rightfully so. God deserves our praise and being together is beneficial for us all.

We tend to conduct those services in a certain way. We joke about two songs, a prayer, and another song before the sermon. The truth is that we have no biblical information as to the exact way these services are to be conducted, other than that we are to conduct them in a decent and orderly way (1 Cor. 14:40).

It makes sense that we would conduct our services in a way that is beneficial to all and satisfactory to as many as possible. Therefore, we are making some changes to our Sunday evening and Wednesday evening services,

On Sunday evenings, we will conduct our regular evening worship from 6:00 p.m. to approximately 6:45 p.m. Following the service, we will have two classes offered. Patty Adair will teach a sign language class in the multi-purpose room, and our elders will conduct a class in the auditorium that will focus on the material presented in the evening sermon. These classes will end at 7:15 p.m.

Our Wednesday evening service will revert to classes for all ages and will not be live-streamed. The classes will be from 7:00 p.m. till 7:40 p.m., with a devotional to follow. Presently, I am teaching an adult class on The Providence of God.

FAMILY MATTERS

<u>PRAYER LIST</u>—Chris Wentworth continues confined to bed and under hospice care. Please remember her in your prayers regularly. . . . Michael Bragwell is now home. Continued prayers are requested. . . . Please continue to pray for Julian New and Peyton Curtis. Julian had his second round of chemotherapy. . . . Two-year-old Brekyn Barr is home from the hospital.

Prayers have been answered, and we are thankful. Bob Huff, a member at Asbury, is in the hospital with lung cancer. . . . Prayers are requested for Jack & Karen Walker. Jack is a cousin to Trish, Will, and Peyton Curtis, and was injured in a car wreck. . . . Pam Neal has two slipped discs in her lower back. She is scheduled for surgery the middle of September but is on a "wait list" to have it done earlier if possible. . . . Prayers are requested for the family of Gary Malaby, who passed away recently. He is a cousin to Trish, Will, and Peyton Curtis. . . . Nina Blevins is having a difficult time. Her youngest brother's wife, Linda Extine, passed away a week ago. Also, her best friend, Pat Vineyard, passed away last week. Prayers and sympathy to all.

FOR THE RECORD—Sunday Bible Study, 22; Morning Worship, 44+7; Evening Worship, 25; Contribution, \$2,960; Wednesday Bible Study, 26 (*The + number is for those on line.*)





SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, August 1

A.M.—"The Principal Principle"

Matthew 10:34-39

P.M.— "Happy Mourners" *Matthew 5:4*

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

MorningEveningAnnouncements:Rusty CurtisRusty CurtisSong Leader:Brian LaneBrian Lane

Bible Reading: Jeff Cronin

Opening Prayer: Chris Bragwell Jeff Whitaker
Preside at Lord's Table: Tim Wheeler Tim Wheeler
Serving at Lord's Table: Anthony Wheeler, Isaiah Wheeler

Tristan Wheeler, Timmy Wheeler

Closing Prayer: Bob Adair Kenny Brown

Wednesday: Singing, Will Curtis; Prayer, Jim Husband

Devotional, Kenny Brown

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Services: Sunday—9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 6:00 p.m. Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

