



# *Seymour Sayings*

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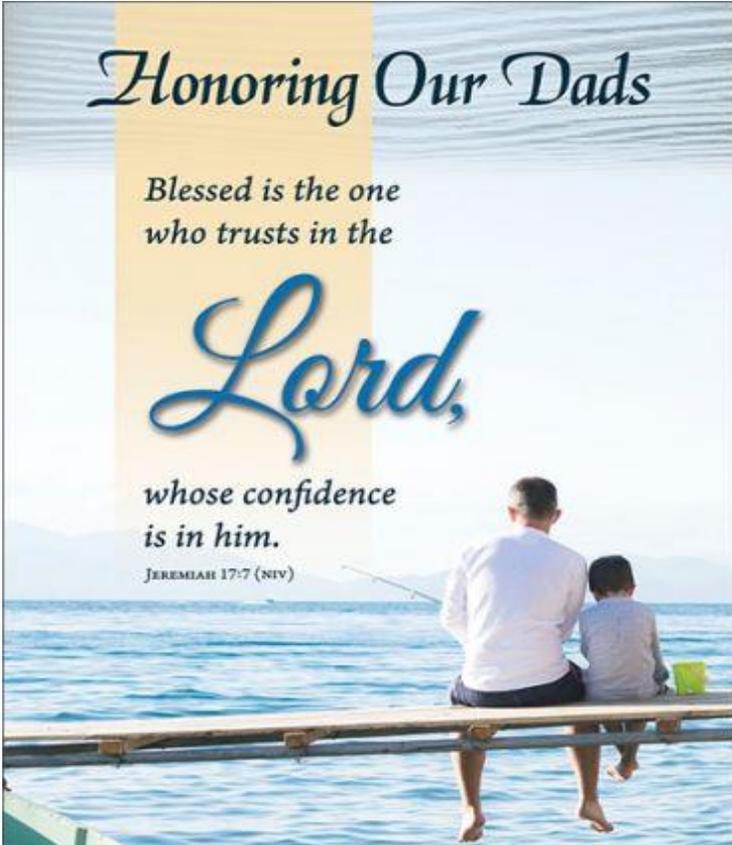
## *Honoring Our Dads*

*Blessed is the one  
who trusts in the*

# *Lord,*

*whose confidence  
is in him.*

JEREMIAH 17:7 (NIV)



# *Person to Person . . .*

*Tom Miller*



## HONORING PARENTS

Paul wrote: **“Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. Honor your father and mother, which is the first commandment with promise; that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth”** (Eph. 6:1-3).

Mother’s Day and Father’s Day are both reminders of the need to honor our parents. This does not infer that these are the only days we should honor them, they are special occasions to do it.

In defining the Greek verb for “honor,” Kenneth S. Wuest says “To honor someone, therefore, is to evaluate his personal accurately and honestly, and treat him with the deference, respect, reverence, kindness, courtesy and obedience which his station in life or his character demands” *Wuest’s Word Studies from the Greek New Testament for the English Reader*).

Some would suggest that their parents are not worthy of honor, and sadly that is the case in some situations. For most of us, however, we have been blessed with good parents.

As children, we honor our parents by obeying them “in the Lord.” We honor them daily by always speaking respectfully of them. We honor elderly parents by caring for them. For those of us who no longer have living parents, we continue to honor their memory.

Perhaps we need to be reminded that there is certainly a link between honoring our parents and honoring our Father who is in heaven.

Happy Father’s Day!

# FAMILY MATTERS



**PRAYER LIST**—**Dyanne Parrish's** heart procedure was successful last week. A congenital defect was found and repaired. She is doing well. . . . **Nina Blevins** did not feel well last weekend and missed services. . . . Prayers are requested for Jama Sergents, mother, **Renee Morrison**. She had gall bladder surgery recently but had some complications. She is now recovering at home. . . . Prayers are requested for the **Talley and Regan families** at the loss of life in the recent suicide/murder in Maryville last week. Some of the family attends the Eastside congregation. . . . The Bragwells request prayers for a neighbor, **John Addington's 39-year-old sister, Liz**, who has breast cancer. . . . Be sure to remember **Ann Whitaker** (Jeff Whitaker's mother), **Chris Wentworth** (had a very stressful week, with a fall and medical procedure) **Butch Potter, Alice Graves** (fell recently), **Doris Cronin** (Jeff Cronin's mother), **Betty Summers** (Lynn Whitaker's mother), **Thomas Hutchinson** (Pam Neal's father) and **Sharon Simpson** in your prayers.

**FOR THE RECORD**—Sunday Bible Study, 29; Morning Worship, 42; Evening Worship, 44; Contribution, \$2,942; Wednesday Bible Study, 34.

***5th Sunday***

***June 30***

- ♦ **Special Contribution.** Please be as generous as possible.
- ♦ **Covered Dish dinner following morning services.**
- ♦ **Q&A in the evening services.**

**BENEVOLENCE LOG**—**Jeff Whitaker**, our deacon in charge of benevolence has prepared a Benevolence Log Notebook, which will be kept in the pantry. If you get food for yourself or to give to someone, please fill out the appropriate page.



## **SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, June 16**

A.M.—“Cornelius, a Good Man but Unsaved”

*Acts 10:1-2*

P.M.—“How Are Your Eyes?”

*Matthew 6:22-23*

## THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

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

*Wednesday: Singing, Sam Martin; Devotional, Will Curtis*

*Prayer, Joseph Wheeler*

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

*Wednesday—7:00 p.m.*

