



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane
Seymour, TN 37865

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**I am just a nobody
telling everybody
about somebody
that
can save anybody.
His name is **JESUS.****

Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



TO KNOW AND TO DO

Some people know what they ought to do, but they seemingly can't find the strength to do it. The Bible calls this sin. **"Therefore, to him who knows to do good and does not do it, to him it is sin"** (Jas. 4:17).

Sometimes others are very zealous in doing things, but they don't have the proper knowledge behind what they are doing. Paul's Jewish brethren were a good example of this. **"Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is that they may be saved. For I bear them witness that they have a zeal for God, but not according to knowledge"** (Rom. 10:1-2).

The Scriptures reveal that true happiness comes only from knowing the right things to do and then doing them. **"If you know these things, happy are you if you do them"** (John 13:17).

Christianity thrives upon knowledge and is protected by knowledge. And, knowledge demands diligent effort (2 Tim. 2:15). Just knowing, however, is not sufficient by itself. We must do what we know to do. No doubt, this is the harder part.

Listen as James sums it up: **"But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves"** (Jas. 1:22).

Let's study God's Word so that we may know what to do, and then let's have the courage, wisdom, and fortitude to do it. Therein is true happiness.

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—Michelle Orr requests prayers for her daughter, **Barbara Orr**. . . . The Lanes request prayers for **Rachael Cole**, a friend of their daughter-in-law, Lydia Lane. Rachael is in the Johnson City Medical Hospital and is quite ill. . . . **Paul Sharp** had tests on the arteries in his neck this past week. Please keep Paul, and his brother, **Bud Sharp**, both in your prayers. . . . **Chris Wentworth** had a PET scan last Thursday. We pray that all will be well with her. . . . Jeff Whitaker asks us to pray for his mother, **Ann Whitaker**, who is battling lymphoma. . . . **Jeff Cronin** continues his recovery from recent hip surgery. His mother, **Doris Cronin**, will have surgery at UT on November 14. . . . We also extend our sympathy to the Cronin family on the recent passing of Jeff's aunt, **Edwina Kent**. . . . Be sure to keep **Velva Perry** in your prayers. . . . **John McBroom** has not been feeling well recently. At this writing, no date has been set for his upcoming knee surgery.

FOR THE RECORD—Sunday Bible Study, 44; Morning Worship, 70; Evening Worship, 42; Contribution, \$1,721; Wednesday Bible Study, 32.

PREACHER EXCHANGE—This morning, **Andrew Spivey**, from the Nashville Road congregation is the speaker at Seymour, and Tom Miller is speaking at Nashville Road.



- ✓ **Bonfire** at the McBrooms next Saturday at 5 p.m.
- ✓ **Teacher's Meeting** next Sunday at 5 p.m.
- ✓ **Forms for Elder and Deacon Recommendations** due next Sunday.

BOXES FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS—It is time to collect items for boxes for our college students again. If you have someone you would like included, or if you need more information, please see **Trish Curtis**.



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, November 4

A.M.— Andrew Spivey
Guest Speaker

P.M.— Rusty Curtis
Guest Speaker

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

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

*Wednesday: Singing, Kenny Brown; Devotional, Brian Lane
Prayer, Darrell Whitaker*

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

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

