



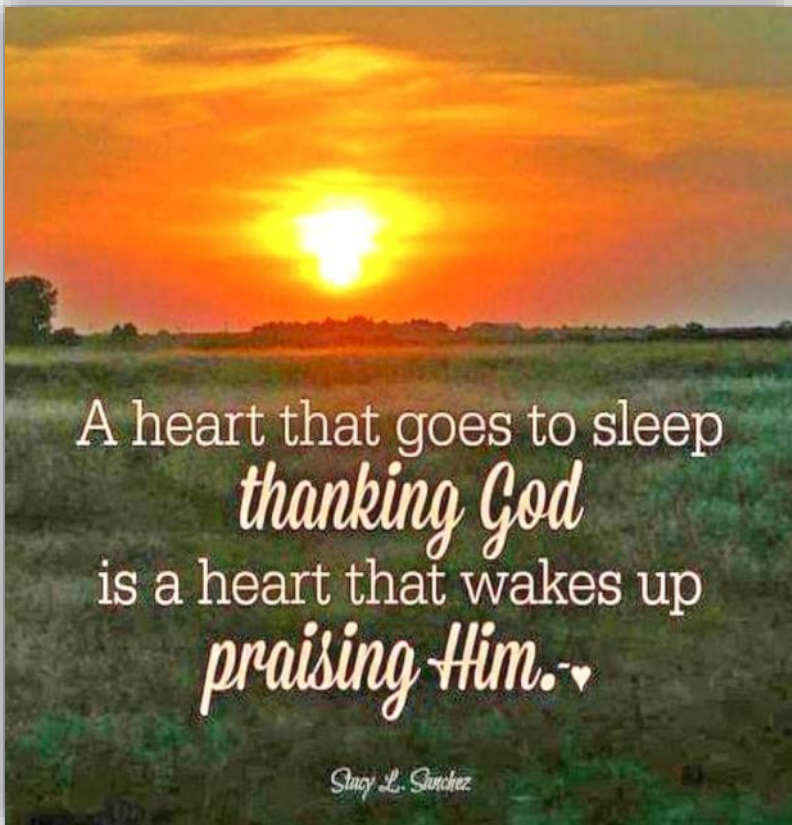
# *Seymour Sayings*

The Weekly Bulletin of the

*Seymour Church of Christ*

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane  
Seymour, TN 37865

**September 9, 2018**



A heart that goes to sleep  
*thanking God*  
is a heart that wakes up  
*praising Him.* ♡

*Suzy L. Sanchez*

## *Person to Person . . .*

*Tom Miller*



### **CARELESS ABOUT OUR APPEARANCE**

Can you imagine this scenario?

A woman and her husband appeared before a judge. The woman was seeking a divorce. When asked about the grounds for such action, she replied, “My husband is careless about his appearance.”

The judge looked at the man and replied, “Madam, I will agree that your husband looks slovenly. He needs a hair cut and shave. His clothing needs ironed, and his shoes are scuffed and dirty. He is clearly careless about his appearance, but that is not really grounds for divorce in this state.”

The woman responded, “But, your honor, you don’t understand. He is really careless about his appearance. He leaves home, and I don’t see him for weeks at a time.”

Those who listen to me preach regularly know I don’t harp on a lack of church attendance. I see that as a symptom of a deeper and more serious problem. However, it is obvious to me that some Christians—even some here at Seymour—are rather careless about their appearance.

I wonder why this is so? I wonder how the Lord feels about it?

The Bible still says what it says. **“Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching”** (Heb. 10:25).

Especially in view of our emphasis this month on Luke 15, the story of the Prodigal Son, and the concept of Homecoming, we encourage every member not to be careless about their attendance.

# FAMILY MATTERS



**PRAYER LIST**—Please keep **Sharon Simpson** in your prayers. She had a doctor’s appointment last week and will continue her cancer treatments. . . . **Chris Wentworth** had surgery last Tuesday to remove a mass in her small intestine. She is now home and recovering. . . . Chris Hatcher's stepdad, **Dorman Curry**, has been battling cancer for two years. He is critically ill and hospitalized. Prayers are requested. . . . **Sam Martin** had an MRI and a nerve study this past week. We pray the doctors will soon be able to find the reason for the pain he has been having in his leg. . . . Jamie Caprani’s uncle, **Myron Legg**, is starting radiation for his cancer. He is having considerable pain, and Jamie asks us to pray for him. . . . **Butch Potter** is facing a number of tests and doctor’s visits this month. Lesia asks that we remember him in our prayers. . . . Paul Sharp asks us to continue to remember this brother, **Bud Sharp**, in our prayers, as he continues with his chemotherapy.

**FOR THE RECORD**—Sunday Bible Study, 42; Morning Worship, 73; Evening Worship, 41; Contribution, \$1,476; Wednesday Bible Study, 47.



## **ITEMS FOR THIS WEEK**

- Canned Tuna (12 oz. can)
- Tuna Helper (5-7 oz box)
- Carrots (14-16 oz. can)
- Mandarin Oranges (14-16 oz can)

**ATTENTION TEEN AGE GIRLS**—**Radiant Ministries** is holding it’s 2nd Conference at the Hardin Valley Church of Christ on September 29th from 8 a.m. till 5 p.m. If you would like to attend, please see **Trish Curtis**.



## **SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, September 9**

A.M.—“The Rebellious Son”

*Luke 15:11-19*

P.M.—“Praise God!”

*2 Corinthians 1:3-4*

## THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

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

*Wednesday: Singing, Tim Wheeler; Devotional, Jeff Cronin  
Prayer, Jeff 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.***



Something tells me he plans to step on some  
toes today.