



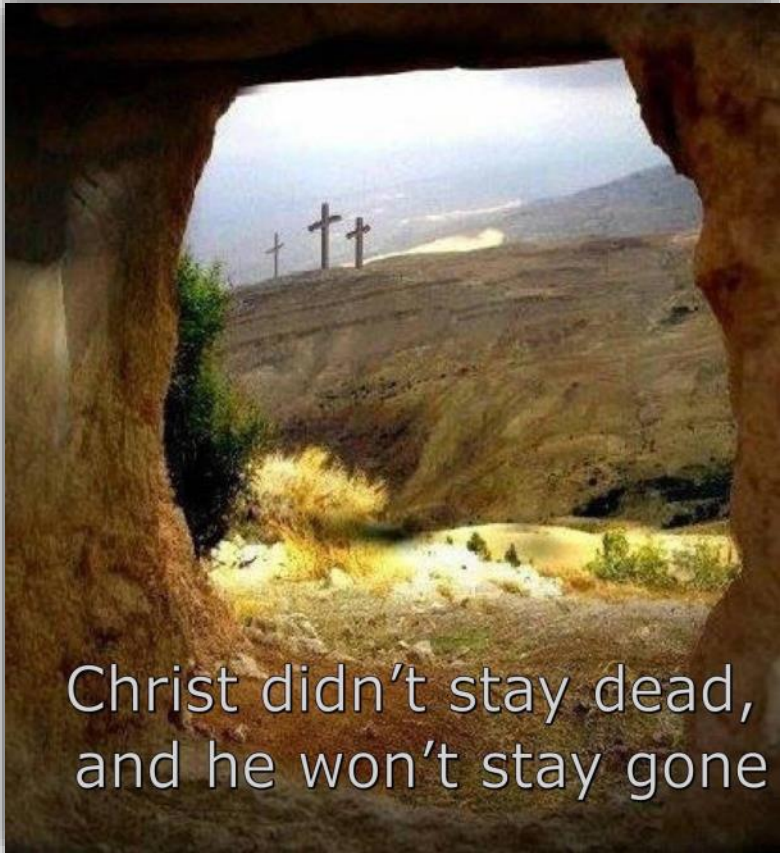
Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane
Seymour, TN 37865

April 16, 2017



Christ didn't stay dead,
and he won't stay gone

Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



THE IMPORTANCE OF THE RESURRECTION

Without question, the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the grave early on a Sunday morning is the most important event of human history. This is to take nothing away from His miraculous virgin birth or His vicarious death on the cross. It was the resurrection, however, that gave meaning to His birth, life, and death. The resurrection was validation of all that He said about Himself and all the prophets, apostles, and other inspired men said about Him.

Paul would say it this way in Romans 1:4, **“and declared to be the Son of God with power, according to the Spirit of holiness, by the resurrection from the dead.”**

Paul would also argue that without the resurrection all preaching is vain, the apostles were false witnesses, our faith is futile, we are still in our sins, and there is no hope beyond the grave (1 Cor. 15:13-19).

Around the world today, people celebrate the resurrection of Jesus, many with early sunrise services. We, in fact, celebrate it every Lord's Day. In the Lord's Supper, we remember His death. In being together on the day He was raised from the dead (Sunday, the Lord's Day) we remember His resurrection.

How thankful we should be that He is alive. There is no grave to visit to remember Him. Rather, we assemble each Lord's Day to honor and glorify our living Savior.

“I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;
I know that He is living, whatever men may say;
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,
And just the time I need Him He's always there.”

- *A.H. Ackley, 1933*

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—**Bill Morrison** continues to battle his cancer. Prayers are requested. . . . Be sure to remember Kathy Crider’s father, **Richard Hawkins**, in your prayers. . . . **Barb Gillasplie**, Tina Sugalski’s mother, is continuing with her radiation treatments for skin cancer. . . . **Genova Lambert** continues to improve following her extensive dental surgery. . . . **John McBroom** has been quite ill recently. He had tests this past week and received new meds. . . . **Chad Lane** requests prayers for the **Byrum, Ogle, and McCalley families** who have had losses in their families.



Our sincere sympathy is extended to the **Agricola family** at Don’s passing. We take great comfort in knowing that he died in Christ. Please keep **Denise and Leanne** in your prayers.

LAST WEEK’S STATISTICS THAT SHOW OUR DEVOTION—Bible Study, 56; Morning Worship, 76; Contribution, \$1,895; Evening Worship, 47; Wednesday Bible Study, 47.



- April 21—**Ladies’ Night at South Knoxville** with Tassie Smith speaking.
- April 22—**Area Wide Youth Meeting** at Metcalf Bottoms, beginning at 1 p.m.
- April 23-26—**SEIBS Lectures**
- April 27—**Ladies Devotional** at 7 p.m.
- April 30—**5th Sunday** with Covered Dish Dinner following morning services and Q&A in the evening.

5th SUNDAY CONTRIBUTION—The contribution for April 30 will go to the work in **Skvyra Ukraine**, which **James Orrison** spoke about on March 26.

CONGRATULATIONS—**Joey Creekbaum**, Peyton Curtis’ boyfriend, was baptized last Monday in Cookeville. He said it was “the best decision I’ve every made. All glory to God.” Amen!



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 16

A.M.— “The Print of the Nails” (John 20:24-29)

P.M.— “Evangelism and Me” (Acts 10:38)

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Announcements:	Rusty Curtis	Rusty Curtis
Song Leader:	Tim Wheeler	Tim Wheeler
Bible Reading	Chris Bragwell	
Opening Prayer:	John McBroom	Chris Bragwell
Preside at Lord's Table:	Jeff Whitaker	Jeff Whitaker
Serving at Lord's Table	<i>Nate LaFollette, Anthony Wheeler Isaiah Wheeler, Joseph Wheeler</i>	
Closing Prayer:	Kenny Brown	Darrell Whitaker

Wednesday: *Singing, Chris Bragwell; Prayer, Jim Husband
Devotional, John McBroom*

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

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

