



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane

Seymour, TN 37865

December 25, 2016



Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



HOW DO YOU SEE HIM?

There is no “official” picture of Jesus. We do not know what He looked like. I wonder, though, how we see Him in our minds.

At this time of the year, many see Him as that Babe in a manger. He was that, and it is important for us to see that picture of Him. He, the Son of God and Savior of the world had such a humble, yet miraculous, beginning.

But, that Baby grew up.

For the most part, I would think, people see Jesus as the suffering Savior hanging on a cross. He was that, and it is an important picture for us to have in our minds, too. It was on that old rugged cross that redemption’s work was done. Because of the blood shed there in His death, we can be saved through our obedience to His will.

But, that crucified Savior arose.

He was a Babe in a manger, and He was a crucified Savior on the cross, but what is He now? What picture should we have in our mind now?

He is the risen Lord of life (Matt. 28:6). He is sitting at the right hand of the Father in heaven (Col. 3:1). He is the Mediator between us and God (1 Tim. 2:5). He is waiting to return to claim His own (1 Thess. 4:16-17).

It is important for us to see Him as He was, but it is also important for us to see Him as He is.

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—‘Tis the season for assorted colds, congestion, flu-like symptoms, etc. Those we know about who have been battling these ailments include **Matt Hopper, Darrell Whitaker, Dawson Brown, and Trish Curtis**. . . . **Heather Fleenor** asks us to pray for her as she goes through a very difficult time in her life. . . . Please continue to pray for **Jason Dial**, Ken-ny Brown’s co-worker. The cause of his seizures is still unknown. . . . **Julianna Gregory’s dad** had surgery this past week for a mass found in his colon. Julianna is in Nashville with the family, and prayers are requested. . . . **Erin Robinson** flew to California this past Tuesday. She will be staying with her brother for several months and attending school there. . . . Lynn Whitaker asks us to remember her cousin’s newborn baby, **Hudson Myer** in our prayers. He has pneumonia and suffered a broken clavicle in delivery. . . . **Peyton Curtis** had oral surgery last Thursday.

LAST WEEK’S STATISTICS THAT SHOW OUR DEVO-TION—Bible Study, 30; Morning Worship, 60; Evening Wor-ship, 38; Contribution, \$2,347; Wednesday Bible Study, 47.



Mark Your
Calendar



Dates to
Remember

- ✓ December 31, **New Year’s Eve Party**, be-
ginning at 7 p.m. Bring finger foods and a
“while elephant” gift.
- ✓ January 1, **Youth Lock-In** following even-
ing services. Tim Wheeler has asked that we provide finger
foods for this event.

ATTENTION, YOUNG PEOPLE—There is a form on the bul-
letin board to sign up for CYC. **Please do so today!**

NEW DIRECTORY—We are in the process of printing a new
directory. If you have not filled out one of the forms with pertinent
information, please do so as soon as possible. The forms are on the
table in the foyer. Please return them to Tom or Sierra.

- more news on back



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, December 25

A.M.— “God’s Sovereign Time” (Galatians 4:4-7)

P.M.— No Service

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

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

Wednesday: *Singing, Isaiah Wheeler Prayer, Joseph Wheeler Devotional, 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.



We welcome the **Cronin family (Jeff, Suzanne, Katie, and Ashlynn)** to the Seymour congregation. They formally worshipped with the East Side congregation in Maryville. They live at 917 Harris Hollow Road in Seymour and can be reached at home at 579-1966. A list of birthdays, anniversary, cell phones number, and email addresses will all be in our forthcoming new directory.

*"When you forgive, you in no way change the past,
but you sure do change the future" - Bernard Meltzer.*