



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane
Seymour, TN 37865

December 31, 2017



Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



THOUGHTS ON TIME

Time is a precious commodity and should not be used carelessly. The Bible speaks to this matter quite clearly. **“So teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom”** (Psa. 90:12). **“See that you walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil”** (Eph. 5:13-16).

A part of Christian stewardship involves making the best possible use of the time God has given us. The 2016 American Time Use Survey gives the following information for how the average adult spends a regular workday.

Sleeping	7.6 hours
Working	8.4 hours
Leisure	2.6 hours
Household Activities	1.8 hours
Eating	1.1 hours
Other	2.5 hours

Maybe you are not the “average adult” talked about in this report. Many things would affect these numbers—age, occupation, male or female, etc. They should, however, cause us to stop and think seriously about how we personally use the twenty-four hours we have each day.

One thing is sure, as Christians we must remember to put first things first in all matters, and that includes how we use our time. Make sure you take time for God in your busy life. **“But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness . . .”** (Matthew 6:33).

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—As of last Wednesday evening, the following people were on our sick list: **JC McBroom, the Curtis family (Rusty, Trish, and Will), Tammy Bragwell, Lynn Whitaker, Chris Wentworth, and Kenny and Dawson Brown.** . . . Others to remember in prayer are: **Terry Taylor** (Donna Lane’s brother), **Mike Hall** (Deone LaFollette’s dad), **Eddie Blair Delk** (Barbara Husband’s brother), and **Sharon Simpson** (going through chemotherapy).

FOR THE RECORD—Sunday Bible Study, 59; Morning Worship, 96; Evening Worship, —; Contribution, \$1,999; Wednesday Bible Study, 42.

CALENDARS AND SERVICE SCHEDULES AVAILABLE—January calendars are available by the door as you exit the building. Men’s Service Schedules are available at the sound and audio booth.

ACTIVITIES THIS EVENING

- ✓ Questions & Answers at 6 p.m.
- ✓ Finger Foods, Games, and “White Elephant” Gift Exchange Following Services



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, December 31

A.M.— “We Have a Hope That Will Anchor Us” (Hebrews 6:16-20)

P.M.— Questions & Answers

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Announcements:	Rusty Curtis	Rusty Curtis
Song Leader:	Tim Wheeler	Tim Wheeler
Bible Reading	Jeff Cronin	
Opening Prayer:	Kenny Brown	Jeff Whitaker
Preside at Lord's Table:	John McBroom	John McBroom
Serving at Lord's Table	Jeff Cronin, Sam Martin	
	Darrell Whitaker, Joseph Wheeler	
Closing Prayer:	Jim Husband	Will Curtis
Wednesday: <i>Singing, Rusty Curtis; Prayer, Joseph Wheeler</i> <i>Devotional, Jeff Cronin</i>		

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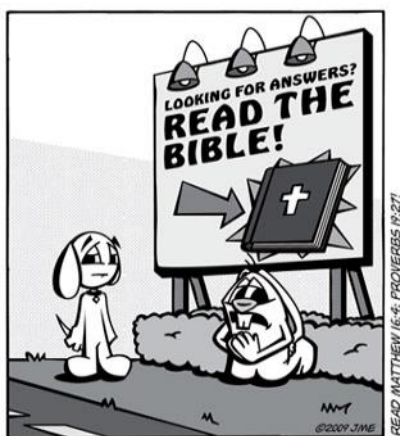
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Services: Sunday—9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.



I keep praying for God to send me a sign.
I'm beginning to think He's not listening.