



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane
Seymour, TN 37865

November 12, 2023



God didn't promise days without pain, laughter without sorrow, or sun without rain, but He did promise strength for the day, comfort for the tears, and light for the way. –Anonymous

Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



THE POWER OF A FEW

Sitting in an examination room at my doctors recently, I noticed a rather large needlepoint with the following saying by Margaret Mead.

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it’s the only thing that ever has.”

When I saw it, my first thought was “bulletin article”!

Sorry, but that’s the way my mind works.

Margaret Mead (1901-1978) was a controversial American anthropologist. I certainly would not agree with everything she advocated, but I believe she was spot on with the statement above.

It reminded me of something that was said about Christ and His apostles by some of the city rulers in Thessalonica: **“These who have turned the world upside down have come here too”** (Acts 17:6).

Jesus took some pretty common men—fishermen, a tax collector, and a Zealot, along with some others—and turned the world upside down. That makes me wonder what He could do with a few thoughtful, committed people today. And, what if I were one of those thoughtful, committed people?

Something to think about, isn’t it?

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—In addition to everything else, **Leisa Potter** is now dealing with some health issues. . . . **Wanda Rogers**, Melissa McBroom’s aunt had a mastectomy last Thursday. . . . **Kathy Crider’s** granddaughter, **Maggie**, has pneumonia. . . . **Rea Wright**, a friend of Katie Cronin, has a hole in her heart that cannot be fixed. . . . **Heather Potter** requests prayers for a stronger faith and for God’s help in some of the issues she is dealing with. . . . **Jody Miller** is improved following the blood clots in her lungs. . . . **Lucy Benjamin** continues to be unable to attend services. . . . **Jeff Cronin** has not been feeling well the past few days. . . . Jeff Whitaker asks us to remember his dad, **Carl Whitaker** in our prayers. He has been hospitalized in Lexington, KY since November 4. Also, **Natalie’s** baby is about due, so Jeff and Lynn will be traveling for the next little while. . . . **Judy Jinks**, a friend of Barbara Potter, is having heart problems and will have a stress test soon. . . . Donna Lane’s aunt, **Beulah Taylor**, fell last week and also has Covid. She is now in assisted living. . . . Prayer for all, please.

FOR THE RECORD—**Sunday**: Bible Study, 65; Morning Worship, 84 + 13; Evening Worship, 45 + 10; Contribution, \$2,281. **Wednesday**: 46 + 7. (*The + numbers are the number of people who joined us by livestream.*)



- ✓ **Area-Wide Youth Devotional**—TODAY, 3:30 P.M.
- ✓ **LIFT Giveaway**—Saturday, Nov. 18, 9 a.m. List of needed items in the foyer.
- ✓ **Elders & Deacons**—Sunday, Nov. 19, 4:45 p.m.
- ✓ **Thanksgiving Devotional**—Wednesday, Nov. 22, 7 p.m.
- ✓ **Teachers’ Meeting**—Sunday, Nov. 26, 5 p.m.



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, November 12

A.M.— “The Israel of God”

Galatians 3:24-29

P.M.— “Joseph: Ups and Downs”

Genesis 37:1-11

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Song Leader:	Kenny Brown	Tim Wheeler
Announcements:	Brian Lane	Brian Lane
Reading (<i>Genesis 12:1-7</i>)	Jeff Cronin	
Opening Prayer	John McBroom	Tristan Wheeler
Preside at Lord's Table:	Chris Bragwell	Chris Bragwell
Serving at Lord's Table:	Glen Rogers, Bret McHone Sam Martin, Will Curtis	
Reading (<i>Galatians 3:24-29</i>)	Mark Neal	
Closing Prayer:	Rusty Curtis	Jacob Ward
<i>Wednesday: Singing, Kenny Brown; Devotional, Will Curtis Closing Prayer, Keith Devereaux</i>		

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

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

