



Seymour Sayings

The Weekly Bulletin of the

Seymour Church of Christ

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane

Seymour, TN 37865

November 13, 2016



They will celebrate your
abundant goodness
and joyfully sing of
your righteousness.

Psalm 145: 7

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Person to Person . . .

Tom Miller



THANKSGIVING: An Attitude of the Heart

Our theme for November is “Thanksgiving!” That should not be surprising. Our national day of Thanksgiving is Thursday, November 24, just eleven days from now.

Thanksgiving should not be just a single date on our calendars. It should be a constant attitude of the heart. Like other attitudes, it can be nurtured or neglected, developed or destroyed.

The apostle Paul is a wonderful example of someone who developed and nurtured the attitude of thanksgiving. Read his letters. He frequently expressed his gratitude for someone.

- ✓ “I thank my God through Jesus Christ for you all, that your faith is spoken of throughout the whole world” (Rom. 1:8).
- ✓ “I thank my God always concerning you, for the grace of God which was given to you by Christ Jesus (1 Cor. 1:4).
- ✓ “You also helping together in prayer for us, that thanks may be given by many persons on our behalf for the gift granted to us though many: (2 Cor. 1:11).
- ✓ “Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift” (2 Cor. 9:15).
- ✓ “I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mind making request for you all with joy” (Phil. 1:3-4).

These were not mere words with Paul. They expressed the feelings of his heart. He was truly thankful.

Who heads the list of people for whom you are thankful? Do they know it? Lift their names up to God in prayers, and then let them know that you are thankful for them. Don’t neglect this attitude of the heart.

FAMILY MATTERS



PRAYER LIST—**Melissa McBroom** remained on the sick-list this past week. Please keep her in your prayers. . . . **Darlene Adams** came through her hip replacement surgery very well last week. She is at NHC in Farragut (room 441) for a few days of rehab. Please continue to pray for a successful outcome. . . . **Gene Caprani** (Jamie's dad) had a heart attack last Tuesday.

He received a stint and remains in the hospital at UT, at this writing, for a few days of observation. . . . **Sierra Miller** had oral surgery last Friday and would appreciate being included in your prayers. . . . **Samantha Kinzalow** has been dealing with gall stones and little **Gerrand** is teething. Please keep this family in your prayers. Our sympathy is extended to the family of **Shannon Isabell** who passed away last Wednesday evening. Shannon was a friend of our **Davean Tonkery**.

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS THAT SHOW OUR DEVOTION—Bible Study, 49; Morning Worship, 65; Evening Worship, 61; Contribution, \$1,556; Wednesday Bible Study, 57.



ATTENTION, LADIES—The **Ladies' Meeting** for last Sunday was cancelled due to illness and has been rescheduled for today at 5:00 p.m. Ladies, please plan to attend. In addition, the regular monthly **Ladies' Devotional** will be Thursday, November 17, at 7 p.m.

GOSPEL MEETING AT EASTSIDE—**Steve Higginbotham**, minister with the Karns congregation, will be speaking at Eastside in Maryville November 13-16. A flyer is posted on the bulletin board.

"Gratitude can transform common days into thanksgivings, turn routine jobs into joy, and change ordinary opportunities into blessings."

William Arthur Ward



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, November 13

A.M.— "Misconceptions About Worship" (John 4:20-24)

P.M.— "That Glad Gettin' Up Morning" (John 5:25-29)

THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

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

Wednesday: *Singing, Tim/Isaiah Wheeler Prayer, Kenny Brown
Devotional, Chris Bragwell*

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

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

Church of the Covered Dish by Thom Tapp



**“Can you remember way back
when sin was a BAD thing?”**