



# *Seymour Sayings*

The Weekly Bulletin of the

*Seymour Church of Christ*

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane

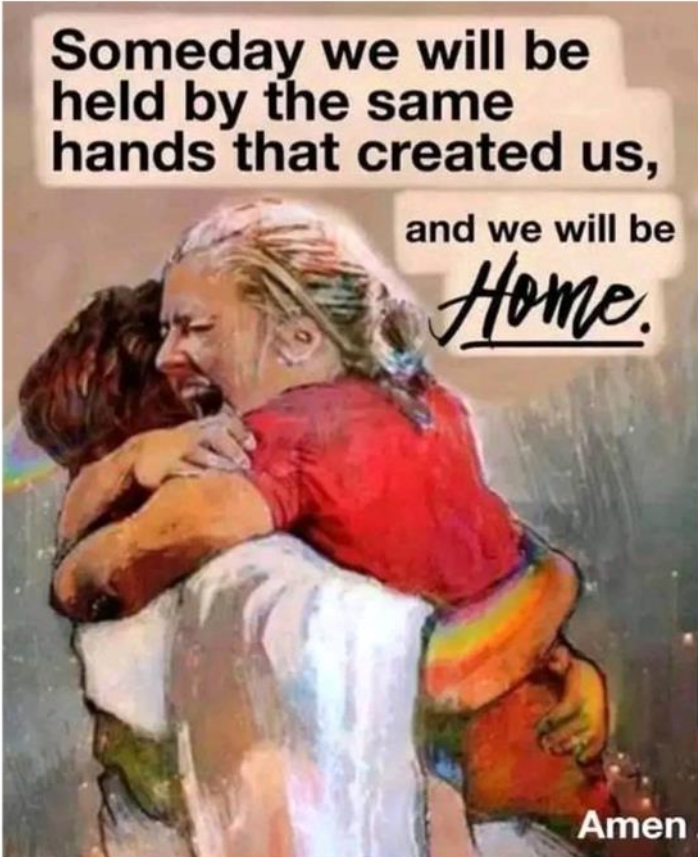
Seymour, TN 37865

**October 1, 2023**

**Someday we will be  
held by the same  
hands that created us,**

**and we will be**

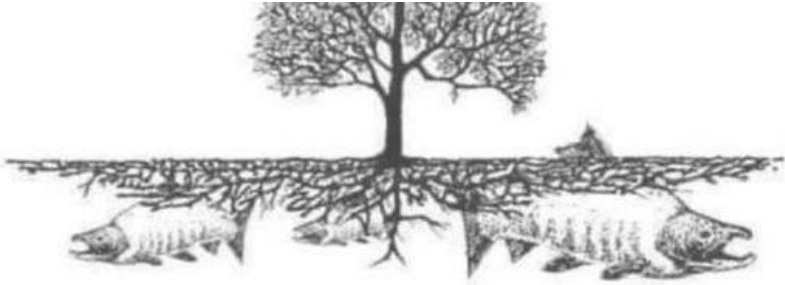
***Home.***



**Amen**

## *Person to Person . . .*

*Tom Miller*



## **I LOVE THIS ANALOGY**

When GOD wanted to create fish, HE spoke to the sea. When GOD wanted to create trees, HE spoke to the earth. But, when GOD wanted to create man, HE turned to himself. Then, GOD said "Let us make man in our image and in our likeness."

If you take a fish out of water, it will die; and when you remove a tree from soil, it will also die. Likewise, when man is disconnected from GOD, he dies.

GOD is our natural environment. We were created to live in HIS presence. We have to be connected to HIM because it is only in HIM that life exists. Let us stay connected to GOD.

## FAMILY MATTERS



**PRAYER LIST**—Our condolences to the family of **James Sturgill**, who passed away last week. . . We are sorry to report that **Elmer Scarbrough's wife, Wanda**, passed away last Wednesday morning. Our condolences to the family. . . . **Lucy Benjamin** has been in Fort Sanders Hospital recently. Please keep her and **George** in your prayers. . . . **Butch Potter** will have hip replacement surgery on October 11. . . . Suzanne Cronin asks prayers for a co-worker and her husband, **Tanya & David Hayes**. David has cancer with a poor prognosis. . . . **Al Flores** was unable to attend Wednesday evening Bible study due to swelling in his feet and legs. . . . **Jennifer Rose** responded to the invitation last Sunday morning to request prayers that she might be more faithful to the Lord. . . . **Chris & Darlene Houser** both had the dreaded "stomach bug" this past week. . . . **Wanda Rogers**, Melissa McBroom's aunt, is having a lump removed from her breast and cancer is suspected. Prayers, please.

**FOR THE RECORD**—**Sunday**: Bible Study, 63; Morning Worship, 85 +9; Evening Worship, 43 + 10; Contribution, \$2,896. **Wednesday**: 61 + 11. (*The + numbers are the number of people who joined us by livestream.*)

**GOODIE BOXES FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS**—Trish Curtis needs the names for those you wish to receive one of the "Goodie Boxes" from home.

### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

- ◆ **Grief Discussion Group**—this afternoon at 4:30 p.m.
- ◆ **Elders & Deacons**—Sunday, Oct. 14 at 4:45 p.m.
- ◆ **LIFT Giveaway**—Saturday, Oct. 21 at 9:00 a.m.
- ◆ **Kenny's Chicken Stew**—Saturday, Oct. 21.
- ◆ **Youth Halloween Party**—Saturday, Oct. 28.
- ◆ **5th Sunday**—Sunday, October 29. **Covered Dish Luncheon** following morning services. **Second Service** at 12:30 p.m.



### **SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, October 1**

A.M.— "A Time To Sing"  
*Ephesians 5:15-21*

P.M.— "The Ten Words: Respect Life"  
*Exodus 20:13*

## THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Song Leader:	Chris Bragwell	Kenny Brown
Announcements:	Brian Lane	Brian Lane
Reading ( <i>Psalms 96</i> )	Jeff Cronin	
Opening Prayer	Tim Wheeler	Al Flores
Preside at Lord's Table:	John McBroom	John McBroom
Serving at Lord's Table:	Ricky Spears, Mark Neal Sam Martin, Dail Ogle	
Reading ( <i>Ephesians 5:15-21</i> )	Bret McHone	
Closing Prayer:	Rusty Curtis	Timmy Wheeler
<i>Wednesday: Singing, Will Curtis; Devotional, Tristan Wheeler Closing Prayer, Kenny Brown</i>		

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#### **Elders:**

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

*Wednesday—7:00 p.m.*



How much did you get, Dad?