



# *Seymour Sayings*

The Weekly Bulletin of the

*Seymour Church of Christ*

Meeting at 269 Business Park Lane

Seymour, TN 37865

**September 3, 2023**

*Therefore, if anyone is in Christ,  
he is a new creation;  
old things have  
passed away;  
behold, all things  
have become new.*

*2 Corinthians 5:17*



## *Person to Person . . .*

*Tom Miller*



### **Just One Jar of Peanut Butter**



When we first started attending our church, we noticed this jar of peanut butter sitting outside one of the church offices on our way to our small group. Every week it was there. After we became friends with the man the office belonged to, our curiosity finally got the best of us. “Why does this jar of peanut butter always sit outside your office,” we asked? He smiled. “Oh, it’s not the same one. There’s a person here

who wanted to contribute to the food bank and so they leave a jar of peanut butter outside my office every week.”

One jar every single week!

You may not feel like you can do a lot for God. Maybe you don’t feel like you have a lot to offer. Five years is 260 jars, y’all. Ten years is over 500. If you’ve ever raised children, you know what kind of difference that much peanut butter could make. Figure out what you can do and then do it consistently. That’s all it takes.

*- Zack Whitsel*

# FAMILY MATTERS



**PRAYER LIST**—We are glad to see that some of our sick folks were able to be back with us last Sunday. But, as you can see below, we still have a number who are ill or facing surgery. Please keep them all in your prayers. . . . **Mark Neal** had a flareup of his Meniere's Disease and was not able to be with us last Sunday. . . .

The Rogers request prayers for their son, **Jason**, due to health issues, possibly a bowel obstruction. Tests are scheduled for this coming Thursday. . . . **Del Rogers** is scheduled for a medical procedure this coming Wednesday, which will require anesthesia, and she often has trouble with that. . . . **Marie Caprani** was in the hospital last weekend with intestinal trouble but is out and doing better now. . . . Barbara Husband requests prayers for the grandson of a close friend in Wisconsin who has a large cancerous growth in his chest, He is hospitalized in Atlanta and is in serious condition. . . . **Mary Roark** is staying with some friends and is recovering from her recent shoulder surgery. She is in considerable pain. . . . **Jeff Cronin** is scheduled for shoulder surgery on September 15. . . . **Lynn Whitaker** will have hip replacement this coming Thursday. . . . **Sierra Miller** had eye surgery last Thursday. . . . We have had **James Sturgill** on our prayer list regularly due to his treatments for cancer. His wife, **Billie**, had shoulder surgery last Thursday. . . . **Al Flores** had his hear ablation last Thursday and is doing well. . . . **Heather Fleenor and Hazel** were both ill last Wednesday evening. . . . **Lisa Potter, Jama Sergent, and Haley Devereaux** responded to the invitation last Sunday to request prayers for themselves and others. Sometimes we forget how hostile this world can be and the struggles that some have. Please keep these ladies in your prayers.

**FOR THE RECORD**—**Sunday**: Bible Study, 56; Morning Worship, 91 + 16; Evening Worship, 53; Contribution, \$2,398.  
**Wednesday**: .52 + 3.



## **SERMONS FOR SUNDAY, September 3**

**A.M.— “A Time For the Word”**

*2 Timothy 4:1-4*

**P.M.— “The Ten Words: Respect God”**

*Exodus 20:7*

## THOSE PRIVELEGED TO SERVE TODAY

	<i>Morning</i>	<i>Evening</i>
Announcements:	John McBroom	John McBroom
Song Leader:	Brian Lane	Chris Bragwell
Opening Prayer	Tim Wheeler	Kenny Brown
Bible Reading:	Tristan Wheeler	
Preside at Lord's Table:	Jeff Whitaker	Jeff Whitaker
Serving at Lord's Table:	Mark Neal, Ricky Spears Sam Martin, Chris Sergent	
Closing Prayer:	Jeff Cronin	Will Curtis
<i>Wednesday: Singing, Tim Wheeler; Devotional, Jeff Whitaker Closing Prayer, Gary Graves</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.*



- **Grief Discussion Group**—Today, Sept. 3, 4:30 p.m.
- **Ladies Class**—Tuesdays in Sept., 7 p.m.
- **Warners Chapel Youth Rally**—Sept. 8-10
- **Sam Bartrug, Guest Speaker**—Sept. 10, a.m. service only
- **Elders & Deacons**—Sept. 10, 4:45 p.m.
- **LIFT Giveaway**—Sept. 16, 9 a.m.
- **Area Wide Youth Devotional at Karns**—Sept. 17 (*See Tim Wheeler or Will Curtis for details*)
- **Ladies Day at Eastside**—Sept. 23, 9 a.m., flyer posted