

**Assembly Statistics**

Sunday Bible Class Attendance 91  
 Sunday Worship Attendance 173  
 Worship Average Attendance 191  
 Sunday Evening Attendance 100  
 Wednesday Bible Class Attendance 105  
 Sunday Contribution \$6,716  
 Average Contribution \$5,624  
 Budget \$6,700

Slicer Street Church of Christ  
 P.O. Box 725  
 Kennett, MO 63857

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**About Us**

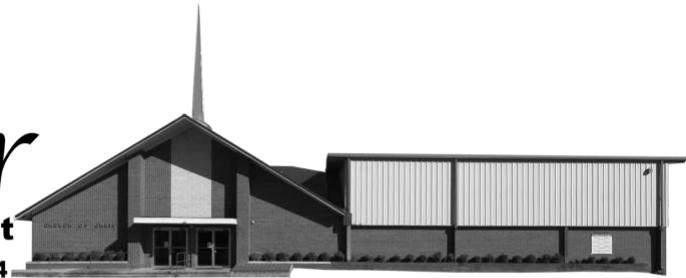
Welcome to the Slicer Street Church of Christ. If you're looking for a church family, we believe you've come to the right place! Here at Slicer Street, we are focused on being the family of God that the Lord calls us to be. We hold up the Scriptures as the sole source of doctrine and instruction for living, and we produce all of our beliefs and practices from them. We seek to develop a love for man which reaches out to our fellow human beings with the message of the gospel. Please join us as we reach up, reach in, and reach out.

**TV Programs - Cable Channel 2**  
 Mon-Fri: 7:00-8:00 pm Sun 10:00 am, 1:00pm

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The *Messenger*  
**Slicer Street Church of Christ**

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*"How beautiful... are the feet of those who bring good news..." Isaiah 52:7*

Schedule of Services	
<b>Sunday</b>	
Bible Class	9:00 am
Worship	9:50 am
Evening Worship	5:00 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	
Bible Class	6:30 pm
<b>Pulpit Minister &amp; Editor</b>	
Jay Lyles (870) 565-2532 jlyles1@harding.edu	
<b>Elders</b>	
Leonard Boggs	888-4705
Jeff Bridges	344-3129
Britt Burcham	559-5855
Rick Gore	888-6317
<b>Deacons</b>	
James Brice	Shawn Sando
Floyd Coffey	David Smith
Bradley Dunlap	Frank Stuart
Matt Hodges	Don Ward
Rick Johnson	
<b>Pastoral Counseling</b>	
Jeff Cline	(870) 930-0094
<b>Secretary</b>	
Donna McDowell	
<b>Librarian</b>	
Nate Jackson	
Office hours: 9-1 Monday-Thursday	

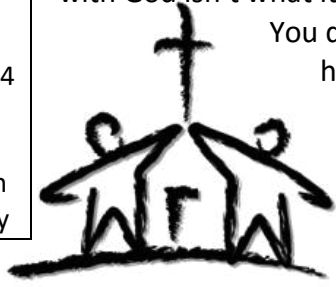
**December 10, 2017**

**"The Deadline"**

We are nearing the end of the school semester. For many students, myself included, that means frantically scrambling around to finish projects at the last minute because of months of procrastination. Most students can get away with that because they know when the deadline is. As long as the project is done by that cutoff date, there is no harm done. Unfortunately, some people try to do the same in their spiritual lives. They know what needs to be done to be reconciled to God, but they don't want to think about that right now. They say, "I'll become a Christian when I'm older." The problem with that is that we don't know when our "deadline" is. **"Yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes."** - James 4:14. If your relationship with God isn't what it should be, take care of it now.

You don't know how much time you have left. The deadline could be quickly approaching.

-In love, Jay



*Slicer Street Church of Christ*

*Reaching Up • Reaching In • Reaching Out*



## Announcements

Don't forget **Heartfelt Christmas 2017** for Heart Moms and Sisters is this evening after services.

**Today is the last day** to sign-up for the December 16<sup>th</sup> **Progressive Holiday Dinner**. Please give your \$3 to Donna Smith or Darlene Robertson.

Our **Food Box Ministry** items for this week are cereal, rice and oats.

We are now collecting the **UPC code** from **Best Choice labels** for the **Children's Home**. If you would like to help you may give them to Denise Gore or place them in the box in the lobby.

There will be a **Baby Boy Shower** for **Stacey Branum** Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, starting at 3:30pm. She is registered at Walmart and Target.

See **Mary Vance** if you would like to help with **Christmas gifts** for the **Paragould Children's Home kids**.

On **December 24** we will not have PM services.



## Prayer Requests

**Buddy Neal** is in the local hospital with a broken hip & may be there for 3 weeks of rehab.

**Rosemary Marshall** is not doing very well;

**Remember in prayer:** Linda Strother, Joe Ford, Floyd & Florence Coffey, Jim & Barbara Rasberry, Duane Sullivan, Earline Nash, Jerry Sullivan, Stacy Saltzman, Alan Sheckell, Freddy & Letraonna Gentry, Alvin Haywood, Joy Dawn Brown, Travis Davis, Judy Davidson, Sharon Wilson, Brenda Branum, Flo Milburn, Danielle Bateman, Vicki Campbell, Dean & Brenda Dorris, Aline Craig, Darice Sheckell, Rosemary Marshall, Pat Neal

### Nursing Homes & Care Facilities

**National Health Care:** Dorothy Bost, Allen O'Neal, Patsy Bailey, Hildred Stultz, Gearlene King, Larry Depew, Cleta Faulk, Carrie Lewis, Rosemary Marshall, Geneva Young

**St. Francis Park Assisted Living:** Monette Collmorgen, Dolly Stanberry, Jack Clark (cottage 5)

**Southaven Residential:** Marilyn Elders, Joe Hoover, Mattie Dale, Jimmy Smith

## Those to Serve



### Nursery Workers

Penny & Magan Hamlett

### Preside Lord's Table

Jeff Bridges

### Scripture Reader

Jeremy Hughes

### Lobby Attendant

Gregg Fowler

### AM Opening Prayer

Melvin Gerdel

### AM Closing Prayer

Marc Blankenship

### PM Announcements

Jeff Bridges

### PM Opening Prayer

James Garner

### PM Closing Prayer

Bradley Dunlap

### Nursery Contact

Dana Blankenship (888-7101)

### Prayer Leader Contact

Jim Brice (888-3678)

Or Floyd Coffey (888-3487)

## Wednesday, Dec 13

Speaker: Jeff Bridges

Prayer Leader: Jay Lyles

## Sermon Notes



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## December Helpers

### Scripture Readers:

Leon Jackson 12/17  
James Garner 12/24  
Freddy Gentry 12/31

### Wed. Devotionals

Rick Gore 12/20  
Jay Lyles 12/27

### Van Driver for Dec:

Tony Burkman  
870-634-6274

### Security for Dec:

Marty Cato  
Mike Strother

### Nursery Workers Dec:

Amy McClendon & Melinda Smith 12/17  
Carrie Strother & Casidy Strother 12/24  
Kathy Johnson & Hannah Johnson 12/31

