

### Assembly Statistics

Sunday Bible Class Attendance 105  
 Sunday Worship Attendance 169  
 Worship Average Attendance 191  
 Wednesday Bible Class Attendance 107  
 Sunday Contribution \$6,083  
 Average Contribution \$5,649  
 Budget \$6,700

Slicer Street Church of Christ  
 P.O. Box 725  
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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

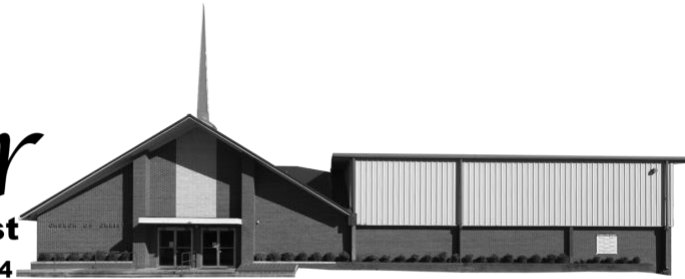
Mon-Fri: 7:00-8:00 pm Sun 10:00 am, 1:00pm

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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*

January 7, 2018

### "The Cure"

For the majority of this week I have been sick with what seems to be flu like symptoms. I appreciate all the prayers and the fact that so many have offered to help in any way possible. We are all usually so quick to offer aid when someone is sick, but the interesting thing is that we all have loved ones who are struggling with a disease much deadlier than flu like symptoms: sin. **"For the wages of sin is death." – Romans 6:23a** This disease is an epidemic, and not only can we help our loved ones, we have the cure! **"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."** Why are we so hesitant to share the vaccine? Let's go cure some folks!

-In love, Jay

### Schedule of Services

#### Sunday

Bible Class 9:00 am  
 Worship 9:50 am  
 Evening Worship 5:00 pm

#### Wednesday

Bible Class 6:30 pm

### Pulpit Minister & Editor

Jay Lyles (870) 565-2532  
 jlyles1@harding.edu

### Elders

Leonard Boggs 888-4705  
 Jeff Bridges 344-3129  
 Britt Burcham 559-5855  
 Rick Gore 888-6317

### Deacons

James Brice Shawn Sando  
 Floyd Coffey David Smith  
 Bradley Dunlap Frank Stuart  
 Matt Hodges Don Ward  
 Rick Johnson

### Pastoral Counseling

Jeff Cline (870) 930-0094

### Secretary

Donna McDowell

### Librarian

Nate Jackson

Office hours: 9-1 Monday-Thursday



# Slicer Street Church of Christ

Reaching Up • Reaching In • Reaching Out



## Announcements

Our **Food Box Ministry** items for this week are **dried peas and macaroni**.

Congratulations to Shane and Stacey Branum and big brother Jaxton upon the birth of Beckett Shane Branum. He was born January 2<sup>nd</sup>. He weighed 7lbs 2oz and was 19 ½ inches long. Scott and Angela Branum are the proud grandparents.

**Rick and Kim Johnson** invites you to celebrate their 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary with them on Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. in the fellowship building. Cake, cupcakes, cookies and punch will be served. This will be an informal event. No gifts please; just your attendance to wish them many more years of happiness together.

### January God's Kids:

Jan 7 – Susan Bridges-lesson & Denise Gore – snacks.

Jan 14 – Sara Lyles-lesson & Jenifer Ragins-snacks

Jan 21 – Rebecca Ross-lesson & Danielle Bateman-snacks

Jan 28 – No God's Kids/Sunday Singing

**Ladies Night** will be January 22 at 6:00pm. Co-chair are Dana Blankenship and Carrie Strother. Committee members are Donna Smith, Susan Bridges, Brook Hughes and Jenifer Ragins.



## Prayer Requests

**Vicki Campbell** to have a bone graft on her wrist, Jan 9; **Frank Stuart** has been very ill in the local hospital with flu-like symptoms but is home now doing better; **Kim Pittman** has been in the Blytheville hospital; **Floyd Coffey, Pat Neal, Jay Lyles & Jim & Barbara Raspberry** have all been ill at home this past week; Penny Hamlett's mother, **Dean Ponder**, is now in NHC

**Remember in prayer:** Linda Strother, Joe Ford, Floyd & Florence Coffey, Jim & Barbara Raspberry, 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, Pat Neal, Buddy Neal, Dolly Stanberry,

### Nursing Homes & Care Facilities

**National Health Care:** Dorothy Bost, Allen O'Neal, Patsy Bailey, Hildred Stultz, Gearlene King, Larry Depew, Cleta Faulk, Carrie Lewis, Geneva Young, Dean Ponder  
**St. Francis Park Assisted Living:** Monette Collmorgen, Dolly Stanberry, Jack Clark (cottage 5)

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

**Heritage:** Buddy Neal

## Those to Serve



### Nursery Workers

Angela Branum & Amber Camp 1/7

### Preside Lord's Table

Rick Gore

### Scripture Reader

Dennis Blake- **Hebrews 10:24-25**

### Lobby Attendant

Jim Brice

### AM Opening Prayer

Finis Caldwell

### AM Closing Prayer

Marty Cato

### PM Announcements

Rick Gore

### PM Opening Prayer

Larry Metheny

### PM Closing Prayer

Tyler Bateman

### Nursery Contact

Dana Blankenship (888-7101)

### Prayer Leader Contact

Jim Brice (888-3678)

Or Floyd Coffey (888-3487)

## Wednesday, Jan 10

Speaker: CRC Worker

Prayer Leader: Frank Stuart

## Sermon Notes



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## January Helpers

**Scripture Readers:** Wed. Devotional  
**Hayden Sando 1/14** **Michael Cates 1/17**  
**Owen Neal 1/21**  
**Boyce Hamlett 1/28**

**Van Driver for Jan:** **Security for Jan:**  
Mike Strother Steve Coffey  
344-0941 Johnny McCarroll

### Nursery Workers Jan:

Melinda Dunlap & Amy Cato 1/14  
Kristen Callas & Libbey Callas 1/21  
Denise Gore & Erica Richardson 1/28