



Sermon Notes

Assembly Statistics

Sunday Bible Class Attendance
120

Sunday Worship Attendance
172

Sunday Average Attendance
184

Sunday PM Worship
90

Wednesday Bible Class Attendance
109

Sunday Contribution
\$6,464

Average Contribution
\$5,984

Budget
\$6,000

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

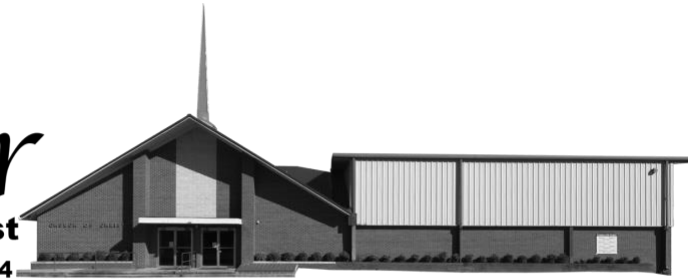
Mon-Fri: 7:00-8:00 pm Sun 10:00 am, 1:00pm

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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

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

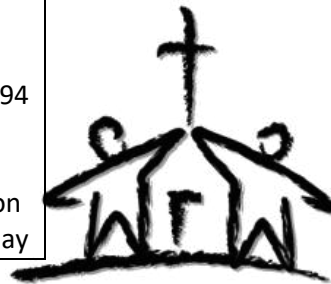
Office hours: 9-1 Monday-Thursday

May 6, 2018

"Vain Worship"

"In vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men." Mark 7:7 What is vain worship? Many would be quick to say it is when we worship in ways that God never authorized. Clearly that is something to avoid, but it's not quite what Jesus is speaking of. In Mark chapter 7, Jesus is criticizing the Pharisees for enforcing traditions such as ceremonial washings but neglecting God's laws such as caring for the poor. To put it simply, their lives did not reflect their worship. Therefore, their worship was not acceptable to God. Does your life match the way you are when you're here worshiping God? Is your worship just a mask you wear one morning each week? If so, you're dangerously close to those Pharisees. Please don't offer God vain worship today!

-In love, Jay



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Announcements

Our **Matthew 4:4 Ministry** items for this week are **macaroni and Hamburger Helper**.

PICTURES FOR THE DIRECTORY will be taken one last time today, **May 6th**, between class and worship and after morning services in the **studio room**. If you have not had your picture taken please try to do that today. No signups...just come! We will be publishing a new picture directory for everyone soon and would like to have all our Church Family in it.

Wednesday Night Meal will be May 16th starting at 5:30.

Upcoming Events in May

1. **Heartfelt Ministry** get together is this evening after services in the fellowship building.
2. **Area Wide** is **May 20th**. Please bring plenty of sandwiches.
3. **American Red Cross Blood Drive** 2:00-6:00pm in the fellowship building on **May 21st**. Volunteers needed to help with registering.
4. **Ultimate Youth Rally, May 25th-27th**. Please let Jay know this week if you are going.
5. Our **Summer Series** begins **May 23**.



Prayer Requests

Regina Smith having a scan & other tests for thyroid problems; **Sarah Rogers**, friend of Barbara Rasberry, having a biopsy; **Linda Rushing**, Martha Wright's daughter, has been diagnosed with Lupus

Remember in prayer: Floyd & Florence Coffey, Jim & Barbara Rasberry, Joe Ford, Alvin Haywood, Joy Brown, Travis Davis, Aline Craig, Linda Strother, Jerry Sullivan, Alan Sheckell, Freddy & Letraonna Gentry, Darice Sheckell, Patsy Bailey, Kim Sickbert, Brian McDonald, Bill Estes, Verna Blake, Kim Johnson, Barbara Williams, Virginia Bedwell, Donna Mullins, Derek Wilson, Jim Wilson, Margaret Davenport, Anthony Cates, Jo VanNada, Marilyn Elders

Nursing Homes & Care Facilities

National Health Care: Dorothy Bost, Allen O'Neal, Patsy Bailey, Hildred Stultz, Gearlene King, , Clea Faulk, Carrie Lewis, Dean Ponder

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

Southaven Residential: Marilyn Elders, Joe Hoover, Mattie Dale, Geneva Young

Haven: Jimmy Smith

Those to Serve



Nursery Worker

Rebecca Ross & Mary Vance

Preside Lord's Table

Leonard Boggs

Scripture Reader

Larry Strother **Mark 2:1-5**

Lobby Attendant

Berley Beck

AM Opening Prayer

Shawn Sando

AM Closing Prayer

Hayden Sando

PM Announcements

Jeff Bridges

PM Opening Prayer

Shane Branum

PM Closing Prayer

Owen Neal

Nursery Contact

Dana Blankenship (888-7101)

Prayer Leader Contact

Jim Brice (888-3678)

Or Floyd Coffey (888-3487)

Wednesday, May 9

Speaker: Finis Caldwell

Prayer Leader: Jeff Bridges

May Milestones



Birthdays:

Jeris Warrington 5/1, Kim Key 5/2, Tite Williams 5/3, Steve Coffey, Lance Neal 5/5, Shawn Sando 5/6, Jim Pelts 5/7, Amber Camp, Joe Hoover 5/9, Judy Frakes 5/10, Kent Beck 5/14, Jakob Callis 5/15, Julianna Parker, Tucker Dunlap 5/16, Angela Branum 5/18, Misty Rhine 5/19, Timothy Reeves 5/22, Patsy Davidson 5/25, Darlene Robertson, Gabrielle Neal 5/29, Martha Ward 5/30

Anniversaries: Tony & Angie Burkman 5/1, Steve & Dana Coffey 5/15, Mike & Mary Vance 5/19, Jay & Sarah Lyles 5/25, Leon & Susan Jackson 5/27, Ron & Linda McNew 5/30, Bob & Lisa Mullins 5/31

May Helpers

Scripture Readers:

Jeremy Hughes 5/13
Leon Jackson 5/20
James Garner 5/27

Wed. Devotionals

Van Driver for May:

Jeff Bridges
573-344-3129

Security for May:

Leon Jackson
Boyce Hamlett

Nursery Workers May:

Susan Bridges & Angie Burkman 5/13
Alison Fowler & Tonya Sando 5/20
Donna Smith & Melissa Collins 5/27