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### **Assembly Statistics**

Sunday Bible Class Attendance  
94

Sunday Worship Attendance  
139

Sunday Average Attendance  
178

Sunday Night Attendance  
80

Wednesday Bible Class Attendance  
113

Sunday Contribution  
\$5,860

Average Contribution  
\$5,903

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

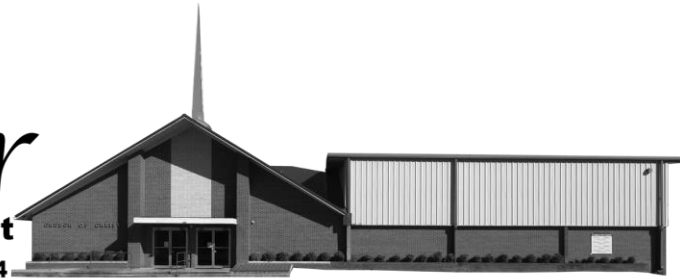


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# The Messenger

**Slicer Street Church of Christ**

310 Slicer Street Kennett, MO 63857 573 888-5974



*"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**

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### **Elders**

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### **Deacons**

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

### **Pastoral Counseling**

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### **Secretary**

Donna McDowell

### **Librarian**

Nate Jackson

Office hours: 9-1 Monday-Thursday

## **October 14, 2018**

### **"A Specific Kind of Prayer"**

Have you ever noticed that in our prayers we are usually very specific when it comes to what we want God to do for us, but we are general when it comes to what he has already done? We ask God to do this and we ask him to do that. And then we say something along the lines of, "thank you for all the blessings you've given me." Am I the only one who does that, or does it sound familiar to you too? We may sing the song, but we're not so good at counting our blessings. We do however excel at counting our problems! Maybe we have that backwards. It seems to me that we should be very specific when it comes to what God has blessed us with. When we spell out the things God has done for us specifically, we become much more aware of exactly how He is working in our lives, and we will start to have a much more positive outlook. So here is my challenge for you: when you pray, devote at least a couple minutes to listing your blessings. Notice how it changes the way you look at your life.

-In love, Jay

# *Slicer Street Church of Christ*

*Reaching Up • Reaching In • Reaching Out*



## Announcements

Our **Matthew 4:4 Ministry** items: canned meat, hamburger helper and dried beans.

**Snacks for God's Kids** tonight will be provided by Amy Cato.

**Preschool-6<sup>th</sup> grade: Youth Night at Weaver's Farms** this evening, **October 14th** from 4:00-6:00pm. Bring \$6.00 for admission.

**Area Wide** – October 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:00pm. Bakerville congregation will be in charge of worship. **Slicer Street members need to bring plenty of sandwiches. Potluck Team #3** in charge of setting up and serving. **Team members are** the Burchams, the Methenys, the Sandos, Melissa Collins, Sharon Wilson, Donna McDowell, Rebecca Ross, Peggy Smithson, the Smithsons, the Coffers, Jim & Linda Strother, Charla Branum, the Chapins, the Hughes and the Blakes.

**Dorcas Group: Tuesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8:00am** two ladies from St Francis Park Assisted Living will be here to serve breakfast and talk about their assisted living program.

**Fall Festival** – **October 28<sup>th</sup>** with Trunk or Treat starting at 4:00pm. Singing services will be at 5:00 and then a chili meal to follow.

There will be **no Ladies Night** for October.

Our **deepest sympathy** goes to Margaret Davenport and family in the loss of **Sister Mildred Jones**. Services were held October 8<sup>th</sup> at Paragould, Ar.

## Prayer Request

Martha Wright's brother, **Doyle Laws**, has been diagnosed with stage one cancer; **Sam Hall**, friend of Donna McDowell, fluid around lungs; **Jeris Warrington** had a repeat mammogram last Thurs; **Darice Sheckell**, Alan Sheckell's mother, got a good report, next appt in 3 months

**Procedures/Medical Concerns:** Tonya Sando, Judy Parr, Lou Ann Veteto, Marilyn Wellman, Martha Wright, Margaret Davenport, Gerald Robertson, Gaylon Mullins, Brenda Branum, Teresa Hall, Willie Franklin

**Ongoing treatments:** Jerry Hall, Dennis Smithson, Rodney West, Jim Medlock, Jerry Sullivan, Linda Strother, Alan Sheckell, Darice Sheckell, Brian McDonald, Derek Wilson, Beverly Bailey, Jim Bradley, Sharon Wilson, Ron McNew, Jack Newman

**Our Homebound:** Florence Coffey, Joe Ford, Aline Craig, Bonnie Rasche, Brenda Mungle, Joy Brown

### Nursing Homes & Care Facilities

**National Health Care:** Dorothy Bost, Allen O'Neal, Patsy Bailey, Hildred Stultz, Gearlene King, Cleta Faulk, Carrie Lewis, Dean Ponder, Jim Wilson, Marilyn Elders

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

**Southaven Residential:** Joe Hoover, Geneva Young

**Haven:** Jimmy Smith

**Heritage Homeward Bound:** Carrel Folkes

## Those to Serve



### Nursery Workers

Penny & Magan Hamlett

### Preside Lord's Table

Rick Gore

### Scripture Reader

James Garner – Mark 16:2-6

### Lobby Attendant

Jim Brice

### AM Opening Prayer

Shawn Sando

### AM Closing Prayer

Marty Cato

### PM Announcements

Jeff Bridges

### PM Opening Prayer

Michael Cates

### PM Closing Prayer

Hayden Sando

### Nursery Contact

Dana Blankenship (888-7101)

### Prayer Leader Contact

Jim Brice (888-3678)

Or Floyd Coffey (888-3487)

### Wednesday, October 17

Speaker: Michael Cates

Opening Prayer : Rick Gore

## October Milestones



**Birthdays:** Brenda Mungle, Pearson McClendon, 10/1, Andy Johnson 10/2, Bob Mullins 10/3, Holly Woodhouse, Ruth Strother 10/4, Peggy Smithson 10/5, Boyce Hamlett 10/9, Kymberlee Matheny 10/9, Bonnie Rasche 10/12, June Maxwell, Casidy Strother, Michael Cates 10/13, Aaron Beck, Hadley Ragins, Marla Ward, Garrett Caldwell 10/14, Alice Morris 10/18, Johnny McCarroll 10/20, Monette Collmorgen 10/21, Angie Burkman 10/22, Dennis Robertson, Michele Jones 10/24, Heather Shaver 10/25, Stephen Ragins 10/27, Betty Weathington 10/28, Kacey Jones 10/30, Donna Smith 10/31

**Anniversaries:** Rick & Denise Gore 10/8, Jim & Shelby Pelts 10/10, James & Sharlene Lack 10/20, Alan & Tara Sheckell 10/21, Larry & Ruth Strother 10/26

## October Helpers

**Scripture Readers:** Dennis Blake 10/21  
**Wed. Devotionals:** Finis Caldwell 10/24

Hayden Sando 10/28  
Jay Lyles 10/31

**Van Driver for Oct:** Jeremy Hughes  
**Security for Oct:** Boyce Hamlett  
**573-344-9252** Charles Smith

### Nursery Workers October:

Amy McClendon & Melinda Smith 10/21  
Charla Branum & Carrie Strother 10/28