



Sermon Notes

Assembly Statistics

Sunday Worship Attendance
137

Contribution
\$12,089.25
Average
\$4,752
Budget
\$5,960

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
Sun 10:00 am, 1:00 pm, 5:00 pm

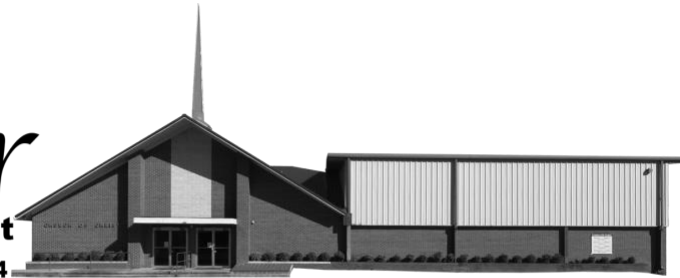


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The Messenger

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
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Elders

Jeff Bridges 344-3129
Britt Burcham 559-5855

Deacons

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

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Jeff Cline (870) 930-0094
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Secretary

Donna McDowell
Office hours: 9-1

Librarian

Nate Jackson

Monday-Thursday

May 17, 2020

"Know the Father, not Facts"

What is your goal when you read Scripture? I would imagine that many of us dive into our Bibles to learn things. That can be a great goal. By meditating on the Word we can learn all kinds of interesting facts. Ultimately though, when it comes to reading Scripture, it's not about what you know. It's about who you know. We don't read the Word to memorize the answers to trivia questions. We meditate on it to draw closer to the one who inspired it. That is the true reason for God's written Word. It is his revelation to us – his way of making himself known. And when we approach Scripture with his intention in mind, it makes all the difference. Focus less on facts, and more on what it tells you about God. For instance, I encourage you to spend less time memorizing where Paul went on his third missionary journey, and perhaps spend more time understanding how God was moving through the spread of his church. When you read any passage, ask yourself this question, "What does this teach me about my God?"

-In love, Jay

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Reaching Up • Reaching In • Reaching Out



Announcements

Our **Matthew 4:4 Ministry** food items for this week are peanut butter, hamburger helper, and canned fruit. 25 boxes of food were passed out this past Thursday.

Our deepest **sympathy** goes to Larry Neal, Alexandra, Owen and Gabby Neal and family, Floyd and Florence Coffey and family, Steve and Dana Coffey and family, and Kelly Garner and family in the loss of Sister Patty Neal. She passed away on Tuesday, May 12th. Services were held Saturday, May 16th here at the church building. That beautiful smile will be missed.

We extend our deepest **sympathy** to Billy Conn Hamlett and family in the loss of Sister Aline Craig. She passed away May 13th. Visitation will be this afternoon May 17th from 12:30 to 2:30 at McDaniel Funeral Home. The funeral will be at 2:30 with burial to follow in Memorial Gardens.

Prayer Requests

Alice Morris having problems with her arthritis & fibromyalgia; **Jim Brice** getting injections in his back; **Barbara Brice** having wound care treatments; **Finis Caldwell** is slowly improving but still a long way to go in recovery from a stroke

Ongoing Medical Concerns & Treatments: Melissa Collins, Pat Neal, Linda Strother, Ken Dugan, Sharon Wilson, Alan Sheckell, Jerry Sullivan, Jerry Hall, Judy Parr, Hap Boswell, Cloyis Rasberry, Barb Brice, Clyde Franklin, Nick Branum, Johnny Taylor, Loretta Furlow, Debbie Thomas, Jim Brice

Our Homebound: Floyd & Florence Coffey, Bonnie Rasche, Joy Dawn Brown, Alvin Haywood

Nursing Homes & Care Facilities

National Health Care: Dorothy Bost, Allen O'Neal, Patsy Bailey

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

Heritage: Joe Ford, Finis Caldwell

Southaven Residential: Joe Hoover

Haven: Jimmy Smith

Belle Meade: Brenda Branum

Those to Serve

Preside Lord's Table

Jeff Bridges

Scripture Reader

Larry Strother – **I Cor 11:23-16**

Lobby Attendant

Nick Moody

AM Opening Prayer

Shane Branum

AM Closing Prayer

Jakob Callis

Nursery Contact

Dana Blankenship (888-7101)

Prayer Leader Contact

Jim Brice (888-3678)

Or Floyd Coffey (888-3487)

May Milestones



Birthdays:

Jeris Warrington 5/1, Kim Key 5/2, Steve Coffey, Lance Neal 5/5, Shawn Sando 5/6, Jim Pelts, 5/7, Amber Camp, Joe Hoover 5/9, Judy Frakes 5/10, Berley Beck 5/14, Jakob Callis 5/15, Julianna Branum, Tucker Dunlap 5/16, Angela Branum 5/18, Misty Rhine 5/19, Timothy Reeves, Patsy Davidson 5/22, Nick Moody 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

May Helpers

Scripture Readers: Dennis Blake 5/24

Marc Blankenship 5/31

Van Driver for May: Jeff Bridges

573-344-3129

Wed. Devotionals: Boyce Hamlett

Mark McClendon

Security for May:

Nursery Workers for May: