



Sermon Notes

Assembly Statistics

Sunday Worship Attendance
114

Contribution
\$4,530
Average
\$4,747
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

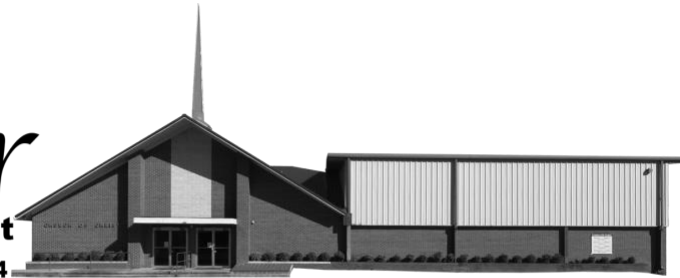


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The Messenger

Slicer Street Church of Christ

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

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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Secretary

Donna McDowell

Librarian

Nate Jackson

Office hours: 9-1 Monday-Thursday

January 3, 2021

"The Blessing of a New Year"

It felt so good to type "2021" at the top of this article. As the calendar changes over, most of the attention is going to be given to the year. We will ask, "Is 2021 going to be better than 2020?". The goal will be for the pandemic to wind down, distancing protocols to be lessened, and for it to generally be a more pleasant year. I hope for that progress too, however let us not forget the progress that we should make as well. With a new year always comes resolutions. They have become a bit cliché, but there is real wisdom to be found there. We should always be looking for our areas of weaknesses and finding ways to grow. So who do you want to be in 2021? What improvements do you need to make? Perhaps your temper gets the best of you, and this year you need to get it under control. Maybe you don't have enough patience, and in 2021 you need to learn some. What a wonderful blessing a new year brings! Make sure you use it to grow!

-In love, Jay

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Reaching Up • Reaching In • Reaching Out



Announcements

The **Matthew 4:4 Ministry** food items for this week are spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, and macaroni. Our next food box hand out will be January 7th.

We extend our **deepest sympathy** to Johnny and Brenda Chapin and family in the loss of his sister, Debbie Thomas. She passed away in Yorktown, Virginia on December 23rd.

Our **deepest sympathy** goes to Joy Dawn Brown and Jeff and Susan Bridges and family in the loss of Joy's son and Susan's brother, David Brown. David passed away in Ocala, Florida on December 21st. A memorial service will be held at a later date.



Prayer Requests

Bob Ewing, Alice Morris' grandson's father-in-law diagnosed with stage 4 cancer; **Monette Collmorgen** has Covid-19 & is in the Covid Unit at Chaffee Nursing home;

Ongoing Medical Concerns & Treatments: Bonnie Rasche, Johnny Taylor, Melissa Collins, Linda Strother, Alan Sheckell, Jerry Hall, Rosemary Burcham, Floyd & Florence Coffey, June Maxwell, Judy Parr, Nick Branum, Hap Boswell, Glen Smith, Jim Rasberry, Sandy Fletcher, Frank Stuart, Martha Wright, Nate Jackson

Nursing Homes & Care Facilities

National Health Care: Allen O'Neal, Patsy Bailey

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

Southaven Residential: Joe Hoover

Haven: Jimmy Smith

Belle Meade: Brenda Branum

Those to Serve



Presiding over the Lord's Table

Jeff Bridges

Scripture Reader

Marc Blankenship – **Ephesians 6:5-9**

Lobby Attendant

Johnny Chapin

AM Opening Prayer

Hayden Sando

AM Closing Prayer

David Smith

Nursery Contact

Dana Blankenship (888-7101)

Prayer Leader Contact

Jim Brice (888-3678)

January Milestones



Birthdays: Kelly Garner, Marla Roberts 1/1, Dana Coffey, Beckett Branum 1/2, Collin Strother, Carson Strother 1/4, Mary Haywood 1/5, Rick Johnson, Susie McCarroll 1/6, Britt Burcham 1/7, Landynn Hodges 1/11, Cindy Anderson 1/14, Johnny Chapin, Linda McNew 1/15, Barbara Rasberry 1/16, Lyndi Jones 1/24, Alvin Haywood 1/29

Anniversaries: Rick & Kim Johnson, Shane & Stacey Branum 1/7, David & Donna Smith 1/11, Don & Martha Ward 1/19

January Helpers

Scripture Readers:

Luke Hodges 1/10

Larry Strother 1/17

Jeremy Hughes 1/24

Dennis Blake 1/31

Security for Jan:

Steve Coffey

Andy Johnson