

Siwell Signature

Following the Lord's Lead in Leading

Jesus is the greatest leader ever to walk the earth. He demonstrates the characteristics that will help each of us lead others to a heavenly home.

First, the Lord seeks the lost. The shepherds of Israel had failed to seek the Lord's sheep (Ezekiel 34:6-10). The Lord said, "Indeed I Myself will search for My sheep and seek them out. As a shepherd seeks out his flock on the day he is among his scattered sheep, so will I seek out My sheep and deliver them from all the places where they were scattered on a cloudy and dark day" (Ezekiel 34:11-12).

Second, the Lord feeds his sheep. It does no good to find sheep and then let them starve to death. The Lord, unlike the shepherds of Israel, planned to feed the sheep in good pasture (Ezekiel 34:2-3, 13-14).

Third, the Lord gives his sheep rest (Ezekiel 34:15). He breaks the captor's bands (Ezekiel 34:27).

Fourth, the Lord helps the injured and sick, unlike the shepherds of Israel (Ezekiel 34:23-24, 4). We need to strive to aid brethren who are spiritually hurting (Galatians 6:1-2; James 5:19-20).

Fifth, the Lord keeps his sheep safe. "I will make a covenant of peace with them, and cause wild beasts to cease from the land; and they will dwell safely in the wilderness and sleep in the woods" (Ezekiel 34:25).

Finally, the Lord lovingly leads his sheep (Ezekiel 34:28-31). David wrote of him, "He makes me to lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside the still waters. He restores my soul; He leads me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake" (Psalm 23:2-3).

We owe it to the people following us to imitate the Lord in all of these characteristics. Doing so will make it much more likely that they, and we, will have a home in heaven.

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Elders

Bob Allen
Chris Bates
Darrel Cockroft
Andy Dulaney
Dale Ledbetter
James Leggett
Paul Leggett

Deacons

Antonio Bracey
Charles Bracey
Brad Carr
William Case
Bobby Chase
Thomas Edwards
Mark Meadows
Jeff Morris
Russell Myers
Mark Polk
Hiram Sturgeon
W.E. Walker
Corey Yates

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Gary Hampton

Youth and Family Life

Minister

Derek Broome
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Deaf Minister

George Myers

Missionary

Louis & Martha
Rushmore

Assembly Times

Sunday Classes	9:30
Sunday Morning	10:30
Sunday Evening	5:30
Wednesday Night	7:00

Remember in Prayer

Please keep **Alisha Middleton** and her baby in your prayers.

Ashleigh Breaud, daughter of Dawn Johnson, had an appointment on Monday with her surgeon and is healing very well. A PET Scan was scheduled for Tuesday and she will not have the port put in until after the results of the PET Scan are in.

B. J. Henderson, son of **Billy and Patty Henderson**, is scheduled for major heart surgery.

Please continue to pray for **Jeanie and Billie Lane**. Billy is still in the hospital and having tests run.

Lee McAdams fell Tuesday afternoon. He is in the St. Dominic Hospital and may have surgery Wednesday.

Christine Shears is having problems with her knees.

Dale Spencer is at home recovering from shoulder surgery.

Please remember **Evelyn Bennett**, niece of **Annette Parrett**, in your prayers.

Bob Blakeney, Mary Barr's brother, has been in the hospital but will be going home Wednesday.

Sympathy goes to the family of **Gabriel Martinez, both-in-law of George Myers**. He passed away this past week in Washington state.

Louis and Martha Rushmore are on a Mission Trip to Guyana, South America. Please remember them when you pray.

Prayers have been requested for **Brilee Jones**. Brilee is a patient at Blair Batson Hospital. Her grandfather is a member of the church along with **Jack Whitney's mother**.

Those Serving in the Military

Richie Allen, Carey Ballard, Josh Barnett, Brian Butler, Dillon Holloway, Jae Irvin, Shayne Kelly, Brandon Lane, Seth Sparkman, William Thompson, Jacobi Weatherspoon

BIBLE CLASSES	213
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	269
SUNDAY NIGHT	195
WEDNESDAY BIBLE CLASSES	N/C
BUDGET	\$10,315.00
CONTRIBUTION	\$ 9,587.83

Scripture for Children's Bible Classes

Sunday:	Jesus - Mark 14:32-52 Jesus' Prayer in Gethsemane Followed by His Arrest
Wednesday:	Jesus - John 18-12-14; Matthew 26:57-75 Trial Before the Jewish Leaders and Peter's

Prayer List

Daniel Berry (nephew of Dirk Robertson)
Angela Callon
Judy Cook (friend of W.E. and Judy Walker)
Shelia Cox (niece of H.D. Hood)
Eric Davis
Linda Dickinson
Loretta Ellis
Amy Fleming (daughter of Vince and Deborah Gibbs)
Josephine Gardner
Sheri Gilmore (sister of Jill Chase)
Charles Gleghorn (uncle of Eric Hausley)
Myrtle Gordon
Donna Green (relative of McAdams family - cancer)
Melvin Hardy (Brother of Vera Spencer)
Miriam Holcomb (kidney problems)
Elizabeth Ann Holmes (daughter of Billy Sam Ward)
Mary Horton
Fran Howell (sister of Shirley Cotting and aunt of Angela Callon)
Nathalie Johnston (Sister of Vera Spencer)
Billy and Jeanie Lane
Dale and Marty Ledbetter
Master's Family (friends of Russell Myers)
Evelyn May (friend of Darlene Easterling and Lydia Hood)
Billy McAdams
Lee McAdams
Randy Miller (back problems)
Tracey Morris
Bob Myers (Uncle of Kristina Manning)
Hulon Parrett
Shirley Ray (Niece of Annette Parrett)
Dustin Robertson (Nephew of Dirk Robertson)
Janette Sizemore (Sister of Betty Barkley)
Carl and Vera Spencer
Dale Spencer
Chris Tidwell (Son of Melanie Tidwell)
Melda Tunnell (friend of Darlene Easterling and Lydia Hood)
Mark Wall (Brother of Melanie Tidwell and Jeff Wall)
Loretha Wallace
Lazaros Watson
Nell Watson
Dot Wells (co-worker of Dale Ledbetter - cancer)
Mary Lois Wells

Shut-in List

Kay Abercrombie, Mother of Jill Chase
(Chadwick, Room 104-A)

How Great Is Our God (song by Chris Tomlin)

The splendor of the King, clothed in
majesty

Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice

He wraps himself in Light,
and darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
Trembles at His voice

How great is our God, sing with me
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God

Age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the end
Beginning and the end

The Godhead Three in One
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

Name above all names
Worthy of our praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God

How great is our God, sing with me
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God

**These are great words to an amazing
song. We serve a great and awesome
God. May we always remember who we
are and who we belong to.**

Derek Broome

Happenings at Siwell

Involvement Forms

If you have not already completed a new Involvement Form, please fill one out and give it to Derek or the office. The information is given to the Deacons for their particular area of service. The blank forms are in a tray on the bulletin board and on the tables in the foyer.

September 24 – Fellowship Meal

Please bring enough food for our visitors.
The evening service will be at 1:00 p.m. and there will be no 5:30 p.m. service.

Youth News

Lads to Leaders

1 and 2 Corinthians

Theme: Do This in Remembrance of Me

September 17 – Bible Bowl at 4:00 p.m.

September 17 – 9 Good Minutes at 5:19 - Birth to 6th Grade

September 17 – Area Wide at Siwell

We are asking for volunteers to bring desserts. We also need monetary donations to purchase the food that will be served. (We already have chips and cheese for Nachos, tea and Kool-Aid.)

September 18 – Apartment Devotional

September 23 – Youth Devotional

After the evening services, there will be a Youth Devotional.

September 29 – October 1 - RUSH

Berean Children's Home

Please make your check payable to Siwell Road Church of Christ and note "for Berean Children's Home."

Items Needed: After school snacks (Goldfish, chips, nabs, etc. – no chocolate, please) and Kool-Aid

Pantry

Items Needed: Vegetables – Corn, Green Beans, Peas, Pork & Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Canned White or Sweet Potatoes, Dry Beans, Canned Fruit and Canned or Powered Milk

Mowing Schedule for September 16

Team 3

Michael Griffith, William Gates, Richard Carr, Chris Carr and Brad Carr

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MEN TO SERVE FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

	A.M.	P.M.
Announcements:	Darrel Cockroft	Darrel Cockroft
Song Director:	Derek Broome	Brad Carr
Opening Prayer:	Dean Nettles	Colin Middleton
Presiding:	Hiram Sturgeon	
Speaker:	Brad Carr	Derek Broome
Sermon Topic:	<i>Who is the God who will Deliver You?</i>	<i>Our God is Greater</i>
Scripture:	Daniel 3:15	Ephesians 3:20-21
Closing Prayer:	Colton Meadows	Chris Carr

MEN TO SERVE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Communion: Johnny Alman, Adam Bates, Owen Boutwell, John Boyd, Antonio Bracey, Charles Bracey, Nathan Hampton

Alternates: Drew Dulaney, Herbert Ellis, Terrance Freeman, Paul Leggett, Hiram Sturgeon and W. E. Walker

Ushers & P.M.: Jerry Hart and Kyle Russell
Take up Cards: John Alman, Coy Edwards and Abram Yates

Men serving Communion and leading prayers are asked to meet in the front of the auditorium immediately following

SERVING FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Flower Arrangement: Vicki Edwards
Prepare Communion: William Gates and Dean Nettles
Clean Communion Trays: Thomas and Anna Edwards
Elder to Contact: Darrel Cockroft
Count & Deposit Contribution: Terril Morris and Mark Polk
Food Coordinator: Mary Allen (*If you know of a need for food to be taken to someone, please let Mary know.*)

DEACON IN CHARGE OF BUILDING SECURITY

Charles Bracey

GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Sarah Wall and Melanie Tidwell
Derek and Hannah Broome

A.M. NURSERY ATTENDANTS FOR SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

Infant: Rose Gallman and Patty Polk
Toddlers: Jennifer Gardner and Crystal Dunlap

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 20, 2017

Singing: Jaden Williams
Speaker: Derek Broome
Prayer: William Case

ATTENDANCE COUNT

John Mark Bridges