

Siwell Signature

Hospitality



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When you think about hospitality what are some of the first thoughts that come to your mind? Do you think about an employee in the hospitality industry such as a host/hostess at a restaurant, a flight attendant for an airline, or a desk clerk at hotel? Do you think about someone that is kind and friendly or often invites people into their home?

When we look into scripture we can see a clear picture of what it means to be hospitable. This characteristic is not for just the paid employee who wants to keep his or her job or make money. It is not just for homeowners and people that often entertain. Hospitality is a characteristic of people that want to be pleasing before God. It is to be shown in our occupations as well as in our homes. It is to be shown everywhere we go. It is a characteristic that we as Christians need to remember is commanded by God and is not merely a suggestion.

Hospitality is so important to God that He made it one of the requirements for men that wanted to serve as shepherds (1 Timothy 3:2). But this quality is not reserved solely for shepherds. God wants all of us to be hospitable. In Romans 12:13 we see that as Christians we should be seeking to show hospitality to those around us. This would include those that are Christians and those that are not (Galatians 6:10).

Jesus's life and ministry teaches us a lot of what it means to be hospitable. Not only are we to be seeking opportunities to show hospitality, we are also to do so with the right intentions and towards all people. We should not just be hospitable towards our friends or towards people we think can do something for us or reward us in some way. In Luke 14:12-14 Jesus taught about showing hospitality towards those that cannot repay or reward us. The reward we are truly seeking is of God and He will give that reward to those that faithfully and humbly serve Him. In Matthew 25:34-46 we see that those that will receive the reward of God are those that lived as humble servants towards all men and God. Those that do not humble themselves and serve will be cast away into that eternal fire.

Showing hospitality will not always be easy and sometimes it will require a great deal of work, but we should all continue to work and serve and show our hospitality without complaining (1 Peter 4:9). If we want to be pleasing before God we should seek to show Christian hospitality everywhere we go.

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Sunday

Bible Class - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday Night

Bible Class - 7:00 p.m.

Elders

**Bob Allen, Chris Bates,
Ron Clemons, Darrel Cockroft,
Andy Dulaney, James Leggett,
Jeff Morris**

Deacons

**Antonio Bracey, Charles Bracey,
Chris Carr, William Case,
Bobby Chase, Drew Dulaney,
Herbert Ellis, Terrance
Freeman, Joey Jamison, Colin
Middleton, Scott Morris,
Mark Polk, Hiram Sturgeon,
W.E. Walker**

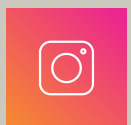
Ministers

**Gary Hampton - Pulpit
Derek Broome - Associate
Logan Baldwin - Youth
Edward Glass - Deaf**

Missionary

Louis and Martha Rushmore

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Men to Serve December 2021

Flowers	Morgan Dulaney
Food Coordinator	Mitzie Nations
Contribution	Kip Gardner and William Case
Elder to Contact	Ron Clemons
Sound Booth	Colin Middleton
Attendance Count	Grant Sturgeon

Sundays

Date	5 th	12 th	19 th	26 th
Song Leader	Drew Dulaney	Derek Broome	Joey Jamison	James Koestler
A.M. Scripture Reading and Prayer	Chris Bates	Tim King	James Leggett	Jeff Morris
Presiding/PM Communion	WE Walker	John Mark Bridges	Dustin Jeffords	Terrance Freeman
P.M. Opening Prayer	Darrel Cockroft	Logan Baldwin	Bobby Chase	Brent Oxley
P.M. Closing Prayer	Tim Butler	Kip Gardner	Sam Clark	Richard Carr
Building Lock-UP	Colin Middleton	Scott Morris	Hiram Sturgeon	WE Walker

Wednesdays

Date	1 st	8 th	15 th	22 nd	29 th
Song Leading	Allen Bates	Grant Sturgeon	Tracy Gray Jr.	Scott Morris	Hiram Sturgeon
Devotional	Logan Baldwin	Darrel Cockroft	Chris Carr	Gary Hampton	Andy Dulaney
Closing Prayer	Derek Broome	Bobby Chase	James Koestler	Chris Bates	Tim King

Attendance & Contribution

For December 5, 2021

Bible Classes.....	162
Sunday Morning Worship.....	201
Sunday Night Worship.....	110
Budget:	\$10,549.00
Contribution:	\$9,854.30



News and Events

Women's Christmas Party - December 12th, 3-5 p.m. Bring finger foods and a wrapped ornament for gift exchange.

We are currently collecting supplies for our new movers baskets and visitors bags

Men's Fellowship - Dec. 13th - 6:30 p.m. Bring your best cajun dish. Please sign up on the list in the foyer and let us know what you will be bringing so we can make sure we have enough food.

Youth News

December 11th - Jrs. Christmas Party. 5 to 7 p.m.

Golden Circle Christmas Party - December 18th 11-1 p.m.

There is a sign-up sheet on the youth board for **Evangelism University**. If you plan to attend you need to sign up by December 15th.

Door Knocking - December 18th at 2 p.m. This is to pass our New Movers Baskets to people in our community.

Dec. 15th - Hang Time. 4 p.m. at the building.

Berean Children's Home - We are collecting kid friendly cereal and ramen noodles to give to Berean children's home for Christmas.

Dec. 18th - Srs. Christmas Party

Congregational Singing - January 7th at 6:30 p.m.

Dec. 19th - SNACK. After pm worship

Need Your Help

We are collecting supplies for New Mover's Baskets and Visitors Bags and we need your help. These are two new ministries we are starting to reach people in our community and those that visit with us here at Siwell Road. If you can donate any of these supplies please put them in the boxes marked New Movers or Visitors Bags. These boxes are located in the foyer near the box for the pantry. Thank you so much for your help.

New Mover's Baskets

- Bounty essentials paper towels
- Small Clorox bleach bottle- 11 oz
- Small Gain original- 10 fl oz
- LA's Totally Awesome Bathroom cleaner- 16 fl oz
- Palmolive dish soap- 12.6 fl oz
- Comet antibacterial spray cleaner- 16 fl oz
- Glad trash bags- 7 bags/box
- Multipurpose cleaning cloths- 2 pack
- Clorox Disinfecting wipes- 15 wipes

Visitor's Bags

- Packs of gum- buy in bulk at Walmart
- Lifesaver breath mints- 3.2 oz or in bulk at Walmart. Individually wrapped.
- Small Notebook - pocket size
- Pens
- Travel size hand sanitizer
- Kleenex travel pack
- Lip Balm
- Travel size hand lotion

Prayer List Updates

Malcolm Barnett has cancer in his thyroid and lymph nodes. He will be having surgery in the near future. Surgeries are really booked up right now. Please continue to pray for Malcolm and Sue Barnett.

Lydia Hood had a fall Wednesday afternoon and was taken to St. Dominic Hospital.

Clay Waggoner, son of James and Betty Ann Waggoner, is in the hospital with pancreatitis and a possible blockage. Please keep Clay, James, Betty Ann, and the entire family in your prayers.

Hulon Parrett has been moved to Edgewood Rehab in Byram in room 306.

Casey Hurley had another surgery on his hand on Tuesday and is doing well.

Jimmy Barr had neck surgery on last week. Everything went well.

Please keep **Buddy Oxley** and family in your prayers. Buddy's mother, Jeanne Hill, passed away last week.

Buddy and the entire Oxley family would like to thank everyone for all the cards, calls, prayers, and food that they received with the passing of Buddy's mother.

Our Military, Law Enforcement, and First Responders

Johnny Alman	Dan Parrett
Josh Barnett	Kyle Russell
Charles Bracey	Andrew Smith
Coy Bunch	Robert Smith
Brian Butler	Seth Sparkman
Michael Griffith	William Thompson
Jae Irvin	Jaden Williams
Joey Jamison	Hunter Thompson
Shayne Kelly	Wesley Thompson
Ryan Thompson	

DO YOU NEED PRAYER??

The elders would
like to pray for
you!

Contact the Church Office
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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Remember in Prayer

Harry and Betty Barkley
Jimmy and Mary Barr
Tiffany Bell
Velma Bicker
Toni Burnett
Betty Butler
Shirleen Clare
Myrtle Gordon, Regina Clower and Eric Davis
Cynthia Donahoe recovering from surgery
Betty Dougherty, Crystal Dunlap's grandmother
Linda Dickinson - C.M.L.
Loretta Ellis - upcoming appointment with neurosurgeon
Teresa Hampton
Steve Higginbotham
HD and Lydia Hood. HD has blood clots in lungs
Mary Horton - On Dialysis
Kristi Kelley (Daughter of Vic Kelley)
Jeanie Lane - recovering from broken leg and foot
Billy McAdams
Randy Miller (Back Problems)
Terril and Virginia Morris
Troy Nations - at home recovering
Virgil and Sylvia Parrish
Christopher Rae is having problems with seizures.
Claude Roberts
Dustin Robertson (Nephew of Dirk Robertson)
Christine Shears
Sandy Smith
Nancy Smith
Vera and Dale Spencer
Lyle Thompson - Son of Sylvia Thompson
Bill and Wanda Thompson
Judy, Mark, W.E. Walker
Mary Lois Wells
Sonia Davenport (Anita Carver's sister-in-law, Cancer)
Jack Morgan (Anita Carver's uncle, hospice)
Maddy Pittman (battling Leukemia)
Katherine Barnett (dealing with pain, in need of surgery)
Jennifer O'Neal - stage 4 cancer
Linda Ingle
Marion Hough - cancer
Bill Bolls - cancer
Clay Waggoner
Jerry Poarch - brother of Ron Poarch
Sue Cooper - friend of Anita Carver
Joseph and Donna Sabatini - friend of Anita Carver
Loretha Wallace - having health problems
Veda Longstreet
Chris Cooley - Health problems
Dean Nettles - recovering from knee surgery
Aaron and Ginger Cadden
Gordon Lockert
Ruby Stanley



WELCOME
We are glad YOU are here!

GUEST
SIGN IN



SCAN HERE



Honoring Christ

Good Friends

I. By honoring him as _____ with the Father.

- A. John 5:21
- B. John 5:22
 - 1. Acts 17:30-31
 - 2. Romans 2:16 "In the day when God will _____ the _____ of men by _____"
- C. John 5:23

I. Make me _____.

- A. Proverbs 27:17
- B. Proverbs 27:5-6
- C. Proverbs 27:9 "Ointment and perfume delight the heart, And the sweetness of a man's friend gives delight by hearty _____."
- D. Proverbs 22:11

II. By making the good _____.

- A. 1 Timothy 6:12-13
- B. John 18:37
- C. Luke 12:8 "_____ Me before men, him the Son of Man also will confess before the angels of God."

II. _____ at all times.

- A. Proverbs 17:17 "A friend _____ at all _____, And a brother is born for _____."
- B. Hebrews 10:24-25 "And let us consider one _____ in order to _____ and _____ works"
- C. Hebrews 12:12-13

III. By submitting to him in penitent _____.

- A. Acts 2:21
- B. Acts 2:38
- C. Acts 22:16 "And now why are you waiting? Arise and be _____, and wash away your sins, _____ on the _____ of the Lord."

III. Are there when I _____.

- A. Ecclesiastes 4:9-10a "_____ are better than one, Because they have a good reward for their labor. For if they fall, one will _____ his companion."
- B. Galatians 6:1-2 "Brethren, if a man is _____ in any _____, you who are spiritual _____ such a one in a spirit of gentleness, considering yourself lest you also be tempted."
- C. James 5:19-20

IV. By _____ his name.

- A. Ephesians 5:25-27 "Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also _____ the church and _____ Himself for her"
- B. Ephesians 1:22-23
- C. Acts 11:26b