

August 14th, 2022

Siwell Signature



Siwell Road Church of Christ

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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.

Am I Faithful?

There are characteristics I want people to see in me. Compassion, a willingness to forgive and dependability, to name a few. Another is faithfulness. I want people to think of me as a faithful, or loyal, friend. I also want to be known as one striving to live faithfully in my relationship to God.

Faithfulness is required of those outside of Christ (Hebrews 11:6). The source of faith is in hearing "the word of God" (Romans 10:17). A careful study of God's word causes me to see repentance is an essential element of the required faith (Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30). Repentance must be followed by appealing to God to clean my conscience in baptism (1 Peter 3:21).

Faithfulness is also required of Christians. Their faithfulness will compel them to teach others (2 Timothy 2:2; Mark 16:15). God's people are humble servants, planting and watering while waiting for God to give the harvest (1 Corinthians 3:5-7). Those who fail to warn others will be punished (Ezekiel 33:7-9). So, Paul told the Ephesian elders, "Therefore I testify to you this day that I am innocent of the blood of all men. For I have not shunned to declare to you the whole counsel of God (Acts 20:26-27).

The faithful will be rewarded. Those who have been entrusted with things belonging to another are required to be faithful (1 Corinthians 4:2). The five talent man and the two talent man, both of whom had gone out and gotten more for their master, heard, "Well done, good and faithful servant; you were faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your Lord" (Matthew 25:21, 23). The Christians in Smyrna were about to suffer terribly, but the Lord assured them, "Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life" (Revelation 2:10).

So, it is important for me to check to see if I am faithful. The Lord requires it of those outside and inside Christ. He also promises to reward the faithful.

Gary Hampton

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, Hiram Sturgeon**

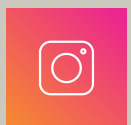
Ministers

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

Missionary

Louis and Martha Rushmore

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Monthly Service List August 2022

August	
Flowers	Julia Lewis
Food Coordinator	Hannah Broome
Contribution	Tim Butler and Jimmy Barr
Prep Communion	Hannah Broome and Alisha Middleton
Wash Communion Trays	Abby Alman and Morgan Dulaney
Elder to Contact	James Leggett
Sound Booth	Colin Middleton
Attendance Count	Herbert Ellis

Sundays				
Date	August 7th	August 14th	August 21st	August 28th
Song Leader	James Koestler	Terrance Freeman	Drew Dulaney	Joey Jamison/Derek Broome
Scripture Reading/ Opening Prayer	Bobby Chase	Thomas Edwards	Brent Oxley	Hiram Sturgeon
Presiding/PM Communion	William Case	Jeff Morris	Darrel Cockroft	Jim Green
Communion/Serve Lord's Supper	Casey Hurley, Earnest Longstreet, Terry Dyer, Coy Edwards, Sam Clark, Bill Patrick, Marvin Wallace, Dean Nettles Alternates: Bryce Thompson and Michael Griffith			
A.M Closing Prayer	Andy Dulaney	Charles Bracey	Dustin Jeffords	Jeff Seal
PM Opening Prayer	Chris Carr	Herbert Ellis	John Mark Bridges	Richard Carr
P.M. Closing Prayer	Ron Clemons	Grant Sturgeon	Scott Morris	W.E. Walker
Building Lock-Up	Colin Middleton	Scott Morris	Hiram Sturgeon	W.E. Walker
Greeters	William and Valerie Case, Doug and Ann Cockroft, Anita Carver, Annette Parrett			
Nursery Attendants	Kelley Baldwin	Jill Chase	Valerie Bates	Ginger Koestler

Wednesdays					
Date	August 3rd	August 10th	August 17th	August 24th	August 31st
Song Leading	Brent Oxley	Allen Bates	Hiram Sturgeon	James Koestler	Raymond Gray
Devotional	Drew Dulaney	Andy Dualney	Richard Carr	Logan Baldwin	Chris Carr
Closing Prayer	Wayne Morris	Chris Bates	Derek Broome	Tim Butler	Kip Gardner

Mowing Team Schedule					
Date	August 6th	August 13th	August 20th	August 27th	September 3rd
Team	1 Charles Bracey Antonio Bracey John Mark Bridges Corey Yates Abram Yates	2 Richard Carr Andy Dulaney Drew Dulaney Dustin Jeffords James Leggett Jeff Seal	3 Hiram Sturgeon Grant Sturgeon Bobby Chase Tim Butler Derek Broome	4 William Case Scott Morris Colin Middleton Logan Baldwin Bill Patrick	5 Tracy Gray Tracy Gray Jr. Raymond Gray Daniel Gray Terrance Freeman

News and Events

Women of the Word - August 15th at 6 p.m.

Work Projects - Monday, August 15th from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Elders, Deacons, and Ministers Meeting/Breakfast - August 27th at 9 a.m.

All ladies are invited to a wedding shower honoring **Alex Tucker and Grant Sturgeon** on August 28th from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. They are registered at Amazon and Target.

Women of the Word - August 29th at 6 p.m.

Early Risers - August 30th at 7 a.m. at Chick-fil-a in Byram.

The Gathering - A devotional for young adults and families - August 30th at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Derek and Hannah Broome

Connect - Congregational Day Retreat - September 24th - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Lunch provided. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board

Door Knocking/Outreach Day - October 1st at 9 a.m.

Gospel Meeting - "Answering the Error" - October 9th -12th. Guest Speaker - Aaron Gallagher

Meetings/Special Events

Apologetics Seminar - January 20th-22nd - Mike Houts

Ladies Retreat - January 27-29th. If interested see Morgan Dulaney, Hannah Broome, or Alisha Middleton.

Ladies Day 2023 - February 18th. Speaker- Kathryn Baker

Youth News

TNT (Tuesday Nights Together)
August 16th

Hang Time - August 17th

SNACK - Sunday Night After Church with Kids - August 28th

Teen Youth Retreat - September 9-11th at Sardis Lake Christian Camp. Cost is \$25 per person. There is a sign up sheet on the youth board.

Help Needed

Food Pantry

We are collecting nonperishable food to restock our pantry for benevolences boxes. We really need your help. We are asking all donations be brought by **August 28th** and placed in a special box marked for the food pantry that is in the foyer. A list of supplies needed is on the table in the foyer. Thank you so much for your help.

Food Coordinators

We are needing a few more volunteers to serve as food coordinators. Food coordinators will serve one month a year by helping organize food for those in need such as those that have been hospitalized, had surgery, had a baby, death in the family, etc. If you are willing to serve as a food coordinator please let the church office know.

Greeters

We are in need of people who are willing to greet in the foyer before and after Bible class and in the auditorium before and after worship. If you are willing to be one of our greeters please let the church office know.

Berean Children's Home Items Needed

Personal hygiene products, Shampoo, Conditioner, Soap, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Sanitary napkins, Deodorant

REMEMBER IN PRAYER



Prayer List Updates

Please continue to keep **Roger Dyer, Nancy Wright, Sandy Smith,** and **Hulon Parrett** in you prayers as they continue to recover.

Rachel Humphrey, coworker of Abby Alman, has cancer. Please keep her in your prayers as she begins treatments.

Raymond Patterson, friend of James Leggett, is in the hospital with pneumonia. Keep him in your prayers as he recovers.

Please remember the **Wulfort family** in you prayers. They lost their son, Chase, in a boating accident. These are friends of Logan and Kelley Baldwin.

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, Delvin Brown, Shayne Kelly, Wesley Thompson, Ryan Thompson

Attendance & Contribution

For August 7th, 2022

Bible Classes.....	157
Sunday Morning Worship.....	192
Sunday Night Worship.....	106
Budget:	\$10,822.00
Contribution:	\$10,746.61

Card Care Groups

Card Group - August 14th - Team 2

Group Leaders - Allen Bates and John Mark Bridges

Involvement

As the Body of Christ we have been called by God to be faithful servants and stewards. Each person is important in the work of the Church and everyone has something to offer. There are numerous ministry areas here at Siwell Road, and a wide variety of talents and skills that are needed. We need your help and would love to assist you in being more involved.

Things you can do to get more involved...

1. Talk with Derek Broome. He is over congregational involvement and would be happy to assist you in getting involved here at Siwell Road.
2. Talk with one of the deacons about helping in their ministry areas.
3. Fill out or update your involvement form. These forms can be found online on the involvement page or on the bulletin board in the foyer. All forms need to be completed and returned to Derek Broome or the church office.
4. Please be sure we have your up to date contact information. Email, phone and address. If you are not getting any messages from the church something is wrong. We send out multiple messages and updates throughout the week. Please let the church office know.
5. Get connected to Realm. Realm Connect is the mobile app and website that we primarily use to keep everyone informed about all of the upcoming events and announcements. This app/website has a lot of wonderful features. One of the lesser used features allows members who have set up their account to click on more - groups - find groups and select groups from a category list that you would like to be involved with.

Siwell Abbreviations Key

MASH- Married and Singles Heaven-Bound

WOW - Women of the Word

SALT- Seeking A Lasting Truth

TNT - Tuesday/Thursday Nights Together

SNACK - Sunday Nights After Church with Kids

PTP - Polishing the Pulpit



WELCOME
We are glad YOU are here!

GUEST
SIGN IN



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God's Formula for Happiness

- I. _____ in the Lord.
- A. Philippians 4:4
 - B. Acts 8:39 "Now when they came up _____ the water, the Spirit of the Lord caught Philip away, so that the eunuch saw him no more; and he went on his way _____."
 - C. 2 John 1:4

- II. Be _____ in spirit.
- A. Philippians 4:5
 - B. 2 Corinthians 10:1a "Now I, Paul, myself am pleading with you by the _____ and _____ of _____"
 - C. Philippians 2:5-8

- III. Do not _____.
- A. Phil 4:6a
 - B. Two types of problems
 - C. Matthew 6:25-34 "Therefore do _____ worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?'"

- IV. But _____.
- A. Philippians 4:6b "but in _____ by _____ and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God"
 - B. Colossians 2:6-7
 - C. Philippians 2:7

- V. _____ on the right things.
- A. Philippians 4:8 _____
 - B. _____

- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____
- G. "_____ on these things."

- VI. Put your lessons into _____.
- A. Philippians 4:9a
 - 1. 1 Corinthians 15:1 "Moreover, brethren, I declare to you the _____ which I _____ to you, which also you received and in which you stand"
 - 2. 1 Thessalonians 2:13
 - 3. Acts 20:18-20 "You know...in what manner I always _____ among you, _____ the Lord with all humility, with many tears and trials which happened to me by the plotting of the Jews"
 - B. Philippians 4:9b
 - 1. 1 Corinthians 15:2 "by which also you are _____, if you _____ that word which I preached to you—unless you believed in vain."
 - 2. Galatians 6:9

- VII. Be _____.
- A. Philippians 4:10-11
 - B. 1 Timothy 6:6-8 "Now _____ with _____ is great gain."
 - C. Philippians 4:12-13