

Siwell Signature



Jesus Is God

The word "son" means someone's male descendant or one he has adopted to fill that role. Jesus was called the Son of God for another reason. He was God's Son by birth (Luke 1:34-35), but the title "Son of God" most often refers to Jesus being of the same nature as God. When Jesus called God His Father, the Jews understood he was claiming to be God (John 5:17-24).

John tells us Jesus was God come down to earth. "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made" (John 1:1-3). John says that the Word was with God at the beginning and was God. That all things were made by Him is proof that he is God, since God was the creator (Genesis 1:1; compare Colossians 1:16-17). This Word, that was God, John plainly shows to be Jesus (John 1:14).

The Father testified to Jesus' sonship on two separate occasions. After Jesus' baptism, "a voice came from heaven, saying, 'This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.'" On the mount of transfiguration, after Peter suggested making tabernacles for Moses, Elijah and Jesus, "a bright cloud overshadowed them; and suddenly a voice came out of the cloud, saying, 'This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased. Hear Him!'" (Matthew 3:13-17; 17:1-5). The Jews, as we have seen, understood that Jesus being the Son of God made him partake of God's very nature, in other words, the Father was saying Jesus is God!

The inspired writer of Hebrews also shows us the Father thought of Jesus as God. Jesus was the shining forth of God's glory and the very image of his substance (Hebrews 1:3). God commanded Israel to worship no other gods (Exodus 20:3-6). Yet, the Father commands the angels to worship Jesus (Hebrews 1:6). The inspired writer went on to quote Psalm 45:6-7, and said that God, the Father, called Jesus God (Hebrews 1:8).

We worship Jesus because he is God.

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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 - 6:30 p.m.

Elders

**Chris Bates, Darrel Cockroft,
Andy Dulaney, James Leggett,
Jeff Morris**

Deacons

**Antonio Bracey, Charles Bracey,
John Mark Bridges, Chris Carr,
William Case, Bobby Chase,
Drew Dulaney, Herbert Ellis,
Terrance Freeman, Joey Jamison,
Dustin Jeffords, James Koestler,
Scott Morris, Hiram Sturgeon**

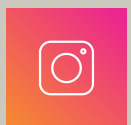
Ministers

**Gary Hampton - Minister
Derek Broome - Minister
Edward Glass - Deaf Minister
Joey Jamison - Youth Minister**

Missionaries

**Louis and Martha Rushmore
Sam Lawrence**

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News and Events

Ronald McDonald - Each month we take a meal to those staying at the Ronald McDonald House. If you would like to take a meal or help take a meal to the Ronald McDonald House one month in 2025 please see or text Morgan Dulaney as soon as possible to get your name on the list.

We are collecting supplies that will be sent to **Ukraine**. Supplies needed right now are firstly or babies. Diapers, baby Blankets, bottles, baby socks, socks for adults, baby beanies, beanies for adults, adult and children jackets/ sweaters, and they are in need of tarps.

Teen Christmas Party - December 21st at 4:45 p.m.

Wednesday Night Bible Study - December 25th at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday Night Bible Study - December 31st at 6:30 p.m. Everybody is invited to bring finger foods and games a time of fellowship as we ring in the new year after Bible class.

Kids and Family Lunch - January 5th in the upstairs fellowship hall after morning services.

SLCC Camp Registration - January 5th. Opens at 2 p.m.

Early Risers - January 7th at Bojangles in Byram, MS at 7 a.m.

Involvement Day/Fellowship Meal - January 12th following morning services. After lunch we will have a 12:45 p.m. afternoon service. We will not be meeting at 5:30 p.m. Everybody is asked to potluck, drinks, and desserts. During lunch we will be sharing the ministries that are available here at Siwell Road and all the ways you can get involved. We will also be recognizing our newest members/families here at Siwell Road.

Men's Bible Study - January 13th. Bible study will start at 6:30 p.m.

Women of the Word - January 13th. Bible study will start at 6:30 p.m.

Evangelism University - January 17th-19th in Savannah, TN all teens and chaperones need to sign up on the list on the youth table.

Teen Devotional - January 26th after evening worship in the upstairs fellowship hall.

Men's Fellowship Night - January 23rd at 6:30 p.m. at Mama Hamils Restaurant

Women of the Word - Fellowship Night - January 27th at 6:30 p.m.

Mystery Fellowship - February 1st at 6:30 p.m.

Kids and Family Lunch - February 2nd after morning services. Bring canned drinks.

Early Risers - February 4th at Chickfila in Byram, MS at 7 a.m.

Ladies Retreat - February 6th-9th - Sign up on list in the foyer.

Kids Movie Day - February 8th

Ladies Day - March 1st - Guest Speaker - Tyrene Benjamin

Siwell Road Family Retreat - March 28th-30th at Sardis Lake Christian Camp

Monthly Service List December 2024

December	
Flowers	Morgan Dulaney
Food Coordinator	Jill Chase
Contribution	Allen Bates and William Case
Prep Communion	Hannah Broome and Emily Dotson
Wash Communion Trays	Pam Carr and Patricia Doty
Elder to Contact	Andy Dulaney
Sound Booth	Joey Jamison
Attendance Count	Herbert Ellis
Greeters	Lois Eldridge Tammy Nailen Herbert and Lorretta Ellis
Baptistry Towels/Garments	April Jamison
Food Pantry	Corey and Amanda Yates
Welcome Bags	Patty Polk
Nursery Linens	Crystal Dunlap

Sundays

Date	1 st	8 th	15 th	22 nd	29 th
Song Leader	Terrance Freeman	Jeff Dotson	James Koestler	Drew Dulaney	Joey Jamison
Scripture Reading/ A.M. Opening Prayer	W.E. Walker	Tracy Gray Jr.	Darrel Cockroft	Charles Bracey	Sam Clark
Presiding/PM Communion	Chris Carr	Hiram Sturgeon	Dustin Byars	Chris Bates	Owen Boutwell
Communion/Serve Lord's Supper	Dustin Jeffords, John Alman, Kyle Russell, Austin Spearman, Casey Hurley, Raymond Gray, Dirk Robertson, Mark Polk. Alternates: Jeff Wall and Johnny Alman				
A.M Closing Prayer	Tim Butler	Doug Cockroft	Michael Griffith	Thomas Edwards	Wayne Morris
PM Opening Prayer	Terry Dyer	Corey Yates	William Case	Richard Carr	Allen Bates
P.M. Closing Prayer	Scott Morris	Wesley Wall	John Mark Bridges	Bobby Chase	Jeff Seal
Building Lock-Up	Dustin Jeffords	James Koestler	Scott Morris	Hiram Sturgeon	Antonio Bracey
Nursery Attendants	Abby Alman	Brittany Bates	Valerie Bates	Angela Boyd	Tara Bracey

Wednesday Nights

Date	4 th	11 th	18 th	25 th	31 st (Tuesday Night)
Song Leading	Allen Bates	Hiram Sturgeon	Scott Morris	Dustin Jeffords	James Koestler
Devotional	Richard Carr	Chris Bates	Drew Dulaney	Gary Hampton	Derek Broome
Closing Prayer	Grant Sturgeon	Christian Young	Abram Yates	Earnest Longstreet	Kip Gardner

REMEMBER IN PRAYER



Prayer List Updates

Please keep **Christian and Christine Young** in your prayers in the loss of his grandfather, Lowell Hansen.

Please keep **Morgan Dulaney's grandfather** in your prayers. He has been having trouble breathing and other issues.

Please keep **Shannon Brown** and family in your prayers in the loss of her cousin Tammie Thompson.

Please keep **Jeanie Lane** in your prayers. She continues to struggle with an infection in her leg.

Please keep **Logan Douglas** in your prayers as he is recovering from surgery.

Please keep **Ron and Mary Clemons** in your prayers. Ron got good results from his pet scan and will continue to follow up with the doctors.

Please continue to remember **Chris Rae, Carrie Rae, Johnny Alford, and Brad Lane** in your prayers.

Contribution/Attendance For December 15th, 2024

Bible Classes.....	141
Sunday Morning Worship.....	191
Sunday Night Worship.....	120
Budget:	\$12,518.00
Contribution:	\$14,529.67

DO YOU NEED PRAYER??

The elders would like to pray for you!



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Note from the Clemons

To the Siwell church family:

Mary and I would like to say thank you so very much for all of the cards, calls, texts, and especially prayers during my treatments and recovery. I am still in the recovery and testing process with doctors appointments still in the next few months.

We are grateful for our church family with all the offers to help, especially with a couple of men who provided transportation. A special thanks to the Women of the Word for the holiday goodie bag. We are truly blessed with a loving christian daughter and son-in-law who has experienced this journey with us.

We love and miss you all and hope to see you soon.

Ron and Mary Clemons



Want to Study God's Word??

Contact the Church Office

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SIWELL ROAD
Church of Christ

WELCOME

We are glad YOU are here!

**GUEST
SIGN IN**



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(Use your phone camera to scan image)

Looking for Jesus

I. _____

- a. Genesis 3:15
- b. Genesis 12:1-3
- c. Genesis 22:15-18
- d. Micah 5:2
- e. Zechariah 9:9
- f. Daniel 2:44-45
- g. Isaiah 53:1-6
- h. Luke 24:44

II. _____

- a. Galatians 4:4-5
- b. 1 John 3:8
- c. 1 John 3:5
- d. 1 John 4:9
- e. Matthew 16:16
- f. Luke 4:16-22
- g. John 1:46
- h. Matthew 13:55
- i. Acts 1:6
- j. John 18:36
- k. Acts 2:29-36

III. _____

- a. John 14:1-3
- b. Acts 1:10-11
- c. Matthew 24:36
- d. Matthew 24:44
- e. Titus 2:11-14
- f. 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17

Taking God Seriously

I. _____

- a. 1 John 4:8
- b. Hebrews 4:16
- c. Deuteronomy 4:30-31
- d. 2 Thessalonians 3:3
- e. Matthew 6:14-15
- f. Deuteronomy 32:4
- g. Revelation 4:8
- h. James 4:4-5
- i. Hebrews 10:30
- j. Hebrews 9:27

II. _____

- a. 1 John 4:7-8
- b. 1 John 4:16
- c. John 14:15
- d. Ephesians 2:8-9
- e. 1 Timothy 1:16
- f. 2 Peter 3:9
- g. 1 John 1:9
- h. 1 Peter 1:15-16
- i. 1 Peter 2:9
- j. 1 Corinthians 3:16-17
- k. 2 Corinthians 5:10