| Those serving ……. | Today ……. | Next Sunday |
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| Announcements …… | Glenn Brose …… | Paul Carpenter |
| Song Leader …….. | Bob Mount ……. | Austin Balon |
| Opening Prayer …….. | Dennis Mount … | Glenn Brose |
| Lord's Supper (Prayer) .. | Paul Carpenter … | Bob Mount |
| Helper …… | TBD ……. | TBD |
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| Closing Prayer …… | Glenn Brose ……. | Paul Carpenter |
| Greeters …….. | Dennis & Colleen .. | Glenn & Mary |
| Prayer Room ……. | Dennis Mount …… | Glenn Brose |

Communion Preparation for October …… Colleen & Toni

## Birthdays in October

Fay Lamb 10/05
Angela Carpenter 10/30

## Anniversaries in October

Britt & Heather Dean 10/16

## Re-Birthdays in October

Olivia Erwin 10/20/2013
Gregg Ewing 10/25/2009
Judy Mason 10/30/1960

## Attendance Record

Attendance last Sunday ……..… 19

Weekly Budget ……. $1,100.00

# Pearl Street church of Christ

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### Sunday Services

Bible class …….. 9:30 AM
AM Worship …… 10:30 AM
PM Worship and Class ……. 6:00 PM

### Wednesday Service

Bible Study …….. 7:00 PM

Minister …. Paul Carpenter 513-375-9992 (Cell)

October 16, 2016
Written For Us
Romans 15:4

## Welcome

We wish to welcome you to services at the Pearl Street church of Christ. If you are a visitor with us today, know that you are an honored guest. We invite you to join us each time we meet together for worship and Bible study.

## Just A Thought

" One ship sails East
And another West,
By the self-same winds that blow;
'Tis the set of the sails,
And not the gales,
That tells the way to go,

Like the winds of the sea
Are the waves of time,
As we voyage along through life;
'Tis the set of the soul
That determines the goal,
And not the calm or the strife!

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## Bible Quiz Time

How many times did Peter think that he should forgive a brother that sinned against him?

## Today's Bible Reading

Romans 15:4, English Standard Version.

"[4]For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance and through the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope."

## Paul's Portion

We have a guest article today.

How's Your Hearing?

"Take heed therefore how ye hear: for whosoever hath, to him shall be given; and whosoever hath not, from him shall be taken even that which he seemeth to have" (Luke 8:18).

Here are the possibilities of how we might hear Jesus:

Some Hear Jesus Gladly. Mark wrote, "And the common people heard him gladly" (Mark 12:37). Those who hear Him gladly, respond immediately, "Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls" (Acts 2:41).

Some Hear Jesus Continually. "And when they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter" (Acts 17:32). There are today those who hear Jesus, but instead of obeying Him, they simply want to hear Him over and over again. They are never fully convinced or they simply allow other things to distract them.

Some Hear Jesus Argumentatively. The scribes and the Pharisees listened to Jesus because they were "seeking to catch something out of his mouth, that they might accuse him" (Luke 11:54).

Some hear Jesus with preconceptions and misconceptions. They argue, refuse to accept, and hold to traditions.

How do we hear Jesus? Do we argue with Scripture when it is preached? Let's be people who hear Jesus gladly!

—Chance Hicks, Jacksonville, Alabama, as presented in House to House Heart to Heart ,Volume 21 Number 5

## Take Note

**PLEASE** turn in your "Community Outreach" ideas sheets.
"Dead Serious About Life" November 5th & 6th.
Our next fellowship meal will be October 30th.

## Traveling

Pat & Ginger Back possibly coming home from Kentucky today.
Dennis Mount will be in Arkansas next weekend.

## Congratulations

Congratulations to Austin Balon on being inducted into the National Honor Society.

## Weekly Bible Reading Schedule

The Old Testament in 34 Weeks.
Week Twenty-Four: Isaiah Chapters 22 - 42.

## Just For Fun

"There was a barber who thought that he should share his faith with his customers more than he had been doing lately. So the next morning when the sun came up and the barber got up out of bed he said, 'Today I am going to witness to the first man that walks through my door.'

Soon after he opened his shop the first man came in and said, 'I want a shave!' The barber said, 'Sure, just sit in the chair, and I'll be with you in a moment.' The barber went in the back, and prayed a quick desperate prayer saying, 'God, I'm going to witness to this first customer. So, give me the wisdom to know just the right thing to say to him. Amen.'

Then quickly the barber came out with his razor knife in one hand and a Bible in the other while saying, 'Good morning sir. I have a question for you - Are you ready to die?'" From the Internet.

Quiz Answer: As many as seven times, Matthew 18:21.

## Illness and Prayer Concerns

Hurricane Victims
Fay Lamb, recovering from procedure on esophagus.
Angel Balon, seeing a headache specialist.
Judy Mason, shingles.
Marvin Brose, recovering from broken hip.
Pat Whitacre, Mel Lamb's sister, health issues.
Cheryl Irwin, bronchitis.
Carolyn Woods, severe neck pain.
Damien, Glenn & Mary's great grandson, staples in head.
Glenn Bishop, kidney stones.
Heather Dean, recovering from knee surgery.
Cindy Cooper, recovering from gall bladder surgery.
Randy Turner, elevated blood sugar problems.
Alisha (Andrew Turner' girlfriend),C-Section November 3.
Amanda, Judy's granddaughter, problems with her legs.
Joyce Warmen, Judy Mason's friend, recovering from fall.
Delphia Clark, cataract surgery October 18th.
Niki Watson, recovering from injuries from car crash.
Clyde Wood, depression and health issues.
Earl Carpenter, spinal stenosis, Parkinsons.
Kidney issues: Ben Back, Edward Michaelson.
Cardiac issues: Pauline Arledge, Junior Banks, Edward Michaelson
General poor health: Charlie Balon, Kay Gillis, Cheryl Irwin, Steve Jordan, Charlie Kessinger, Terri Knight
Life Issues: Banach family, Steve Jordan, Zach Slack.
Cancer: Goebel Craft, Hayden Cummings, John Dayton, Dottie Dysen, Regina Feltner, Marilyn Heichelbech, Linda King, Kristen, Abi Lykins, Jack McDaniel, Keith Mayes, Valerie Powers, Mary Sampson, Diane Spruance, Heather Sisco, Shirley Thompson, Dorothy Trent, Roger Turner.
Family and friends of Vernon Creighton in his passing.

Written For Us
Romans 15:4

I. HERALD.

A. WRITTEN.

2 Timothy 3:16

B. FORMER DAYS.

John 5:39, Acts 17:2, 1 Corinthians 15:4.

C. FOR US.

Acts 18:28
Jude 1:3
Hebrews 4:12
Hosea 4:6

II. HELP.

A. INSTRUCTION.

Galatians 3:24
Hebrews 11
Matthew 6:33
Matthew 22:37-39

B. ENCOURAGEMENT.

Luke 10:41-42
Philippians 4:6
James 4:7
1 Corinthians 10:13
Genesis 6:5-8
Matthew 14:28-30

C. ENDURANCE.

Genesis 50:20

2 Corinthians 4:8-11

III. HOPE.

A. TODAY.

Matthew 11:28

Romans 8:33-39

B. TOMORROW.

Matthew 6:34

James 4:13-15

Philippians 1:21

1 John 4:17

C. ETERNAL.

John 11:25-26

John 3:36

1 John 5:11-12