

Those serving	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
Announcements	Paul Carpenter	Glenn Brose
Song Leader	Dennis Mount	Dennis Mount
Opening Prayer	Dennis Mount	Paul Carpenter
Lord's Supper (Prayer)	Glenn Brose	Bob Mount ??
Helper	TBD	TBD
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Closing Prayer	Paul Carpenter	Glenn Brose
Greeters	Glenn & Mary	Paul & Angela
Prayer Room	Dennis Mount	Paul Carpenter
Communion Preparation for July		Mary Brose

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Birthdays in July

Weston Dean 7/05
Dennis Irwin 7/26

Anniversaries in July

Re-Birthdays in July

Mary Brose 7/07
Jonah Younker 7/05

Attendance Record

Attendance last Sunday 25
Weekly Budget \$600.00

Bible Correspondence Courses and Home Bible Studies are
available upon request.

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

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July 15, 2018
God Supplies
1 Kings 17:14

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. If you have any questions about any aspect of our worship service, or the church of Christ in general, we would love to answer those questions for you.

Just A Thought

The French Mathematician and Philosopher, Blaise Pascal, (1623-1662), author of the celebrated *Thoughts*, has a profound thought when he says that happiness is not in ourselves but in God. There are, indeed, by-streams of happiness, such as affection for others and from others, doing good to others, doing creative work, entertaining hope for the future, sitting in the sunlight of pleasant memories of the past. But these are only by-springs. The real fountain and source of happiness is a state of life and soul that is right with God, and, therefore, right with man.

Weekly Memory Verse

Exodus 14:14, ¹⁴The LORD will fight for you, and you have only to be silent.

Bible Quiz Time

Why did the seven years which Jacob served Laban to have Rachel as wife seem like “but a few days”?

Today's Bible Passage

1 Kings 17:14, English Standard Version.

¹⁴For thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, ‘The jar of flour shall not be spent, and the jug of oil shall not be empty, until the day that the Lord sends rain upon the earth.’”

Paul's Portion

A couple of weeks ago I went out and fired up the grill, and by “Fired up the grill” I mean that I turned the valves on and pushed the igniter switch. I adjusted the flame, put foil down across the grill, and then after placing the kebabs on the grill I went inside. I would check on the progress of the kebabs turning them every so often. It seemed to be taking longer than usual for the kebabs to cook. Eventually I checked my grill, only to discover that at sometime I had run out of propane. Naturally, without propane the flames went out, and without flames the kebabs were not cooking. My thoughts went to Luke 14:28-32; where Jesus talks about counting the cost of a tower before beginning construction, and a king ensuring that his troops can overcome the enemies troops before going to war, and I thought about how I did not make sure that I had enough propane before starting my grilling. Of course Jesus was speaking of a much more important subject than cooking kebabs. In these verses Jesus is expressing the necessity of one realizing the cost of being His disciple before undertaking the task. I felt a little foolish when I had to bring the uncooked kebabs back into the house and explain to my wife that I was unable to complete the task. That feeling of foolishness, however is nothing to the feeling one will have if they have to explain to Jesus why they began to follow Him and could not follow through. It would have been better for our dinner if I had waited until I was sure that I had enough propane before beginning to cook the kebabs. It is better for our souls if we wait until we can pay the cost before we begin to follow Jesus. Do not get the wrong idea. It is not a matter of waiting until you are perfect, or able to follow Jesus without any bumps along the way. Even if I had enough propane it would not have made me a master griller. Jesus is not saying to not bother following Him until you can get it all right. What Jesus is saying is, don't start following Him until you are ready to pay the cost. At this point some may be saying, but Jesus already paid the cost, 1 Corinthians 6:20. That is true, Jesus paid the price for our sins, and bought our salvation, but we still need to pay the cost of taking up our cross daily, and until we are willing to do that we are better off not even starting, 2 Peter 2:21.

Take Note

There are still a few months left on the Communion preparer sign-up.

July's Bible reading schedule is available in the foyer.

Highland church of Christ's Tent Meeting July 15-20.

We will be supporting the tent meeting this week, thus we will not be having services here at the building tonight or Wednesday evening.

Our next fellowship meal will be July 29th. We will again be meeting down at the park, weather permitting.

Travelling

Bob & Betty Mount are in North Carolina.

Faith Carpenter is in Columbus today.

Bekkah Grennell is in Georgia.

Brittany Ernst is in Africa.

Just For Fun

Public Service Announcement. For others who may not know this: When the preacher says, "You may now kiss the bride," he's only speaking to the groom.

Quiz Answer: Because of the love he had for her,
Genesis 29:20.

Illness and Prayer Concerns continued

Life Issues: Banach family, Julia Parker, Zach Slack

Accidents: Austin Caldwell, Dale Liming, Dan Thibodeaux

Headaches/Migraines: Angel Balon, Dale Schraw

Kidney issues: Glenn Bishop, Ben Back, Edward Michaelson

General poor health: Charlie Balon, Earl Carpenter, Dylan, Kay Gillis, Dennis Irwin, Cheryl Irwin, Charlie Kessinger, Mike Lucas, Barbara Milner, Dorothy Pfister, Pat Whitacre

Illness and Prayer Concerns

Ginger Back, health issues.

William Brose, defibrillator and pacemaker replacement.

Debbie Turner, upper respiratory infection.

Mark Deleonardis, ulcers in esophagus.

Joann Rutledge, recovering from gangrene.

Mona Greer, back pain and stomach pain.

Fay Lamb's cousin Herschel in poor health.

Sherrie Turner, hip replacement

Audrey Hunter, in nursing home.

Butch Peele, procedure to help tremors.

Bill Harris, possible Lou Gehrig disease.

Taylor Scarberry, ulcerative colitis.

Samantha Estep, Gall bladder issues.

Dana Mount, diabetes

Gaylord Valentine, nursing home with hip fracture.

Connie Whitmore, diabetes and cirrhosis of liver.

Clyde Wood, depression and health issues.

Kenny Lucas, recovering from a stroke.

Charlene Wisecup, COPD and bouts of pneumonia.

Stomach Issues: Katie Mount, Andrew Turner

MS: Susan Binkley, Linda Fleming

Cardiac issues: Jr. Banks, William Brose, Steven Elliott,

Bob Fleming, Edward Michaelson, Bob Mount

Cancer in remission: Hayden Cummings, Cliff Kerns,

Keith Mayes, Karen Smith, Roger Turner

Cancer: Rick Bryan, Goebel Craft, John Dayton,

Dottie Dysen, Regina Feltner, Olivia Furbee,

Marilyn Heichelbech, Mellissa Jenkins, Linda King,

Kristen, Melissa Krumpus, Cheryl Lapanese,

Vernon Lucas, Dennis Mount, Jenna Mount's grandma,

Valerie Powers, Mary Sampson, Diane Spruance,

Shirley Thompson, Dorothy Trent, Tom Wisecup

God Supplies
1 Kings 17:14

I. ISRAEL'S WOES.

A. DROUGHT

1 Kings 17:1

James 5:17

Luke 4:25

B. WICKEDNESS.

1 Kings 16:30-31

1 Kings 16:25

II. OIL FLOWS.

A. RAVENS

1 Kings 17:2-7

B. WIDOW.

1 Kings 17:8-16

Philippians 2:3.

C. SECOND WIDOW.

2 Kings 4:1-7

III. GOD BESTOWS.

A. RAINS COME

1 Kings 18:41-46

B. MORE THAN ENOUGH

Matthew 14:17-21

Matthew 15:34-38

Luke 5:4-7

John 21:3-6,11

C. GOD'S LOVE

1 Chronicles 16:34

Psalms 86:15

Psalms 107:8-9

Psalms 119:64