

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

### Birthdays in July

### Anniversaries in July

### Re-Birthdays in July

Mary Brose 7/07

### Attendance Record

Attendance last Sunday ..... 17  
 Weekly Budget ..... \$600.00

Bible Correspondence Courses and home Bible studies are available upon request.

# 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)

July 14, 2019  
 The Marriage Bed  
 Hebrews 13:4

## 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. 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

When I was 5 years old my mother always told me that happiness was the key to life. When I went to school, they asked me what I wanted to be when I grew up. I wrote down “happy”. They told me I didn’t understand the assignment, I told them they didn’t understand life.

John Lennon

## Weekly Memory Verse

Galatians 5:25-26, <sup>25</sup>If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit. <sup>26</sup>Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.

## Bible Quiz Time

Isaiah prophesied that how many women would take hold of one man saying, “Let us be called by your name; take away our reproach”?

## Today’s Bible Passage

Hebrews 13:4, English Standard Version.

<sup>4</sup>Let marriage be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled, for God will judge the sexually immoral and adulterous.

## Paul’s Portion

Many, many, many thousands of years ago the Lord created the Earth. After He had made the world just as He wanted the Lord placed man and woman on the Earth and said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it,” Genesis 1:28. Man listened to the Lord and they were fruitful and they did multiply upon the face of the Earth. Unfortunately, as they multiplied in population they also multiplied in sin and reproach. Mankind’s sin became so great that the Lord had to do something about it, so He sent the flood and destroyed all of mankind, except Noah and his family. After God recreated, in a sense, the Earth, and Noah and his family came out of the ark God said to them, “And you, be fruitful and multiply, increase greatly on the earth and multiply in it” Genesis 9:7. It would seem that in the Old Testament God’s plan was to fill the Earth with His people. In the story of Onan and Tamar we see just how serious God was about His people populating the Earth. Judah got Tamar as wife for his firstborn son, Er, but Er was wicked and the Lord put him to death. As was the custom back then, Judah sent Onan, his second born son, unto Tamar to produce offspring for Er. We then read in Genesis 38:9, “But Onan knew that the offspring would not be his. So whenever he went in to his brother’s wife he would waste the semen on the ground, so as not to give offspring to his brother.” This action obviously went against God’s plan of being fruitful and multiplying, this is brought out in verse 10, “And what he did was wicked in the sight of the Lord, and He put him to death also.” God’s desire was that the whole Earth be filled with His people, and He was not happy when His people did not take proper action to fulfill this desire. In a very like manner it is now God’s desire that His people fill the world with believers. The difference is that, He expects His people to spread over the Earth not with procreation but with proclamation. We see this in the “Great Commission” where Jesus tells the disciples to “Make disciples of all nations,” Matthew 28:19. It is also evidenced in the scattering of the believers throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, Acts 8:1. God still wants His people to be fruitful and multiply. It still makes Him unhappy to see His people not living up to this task, or worse wasting the seed on the ground. Are we being fruitful and multiplying?

### Take Note

The next service in song will be August 4th at 6:00 PM.  
The next Ladies class will be this Tuesday July 16th.  
We need a volunteer to prepare August's communion.  
Our next fellowship meal will be July 28th.  
There will be a Pig Roast fundraiser August 17th, for the  
Because He Lives Food Pantry.  
You may pick up the June-July-August Daily Bread in the  
foyer. Pick up one for yourself and one for your neighbor.  
The next Men's Business meeting will be August 14th.

### Thank You

Faith would like to thank everyone for all of the prayers,  
thoughts, letters, cards and packages while she was at Harding.

### Just For Fun

George W. Bush, in an airport lobby, noticed a man in a  
long flowing white robe with a long white beard and flowing  
white hair. The man had a staff in one hand and some stone  
tablets under the other arm.

George W. approached the man and inquired, "Aren't you  
Moses?" The man ignored George W. and stared at the ceiling.  
George W. positioned himself more directly in the man's view  
and asked again, "Aren't you Moses?" The man continued to  
peruse the ceiling.

George W. tugged at the man's sleeve and asked once  
again, "Aren't you Moses?" The man finally responded in an  
irritated voice, "Yes I am."

George W. asked him why he was so uppity, and the man  
replied, "The last time I spoke to a Bush I had to spend forty  
years in the desert."

### Bible Quiz Time Answer

Seven women, Isaiah 4:1.

### Illness and Prayer Concerns

Mary Brose, cut on hand healing.  
Roger Turner, pneumonia, gallstones, and UTI  
Toni Mount, shoulder pain.  
Shiela Thompson, recovering from major surgery on foot  
Mona Greer, back pain and stomach pain.  
Aletha Gilliland, in hospice.  
Jim Hering, recovering from bowel blockage surgery  
Clyde Wood, depression, back issues.  
Kody King, seizures and black outs.  
Amanda Jarvis, possible heart attack  
Myrna Human going on a mission trip  
Katie (Myrna Human's granddaughter), broken knee cap.  
Marvin Croutcher, in long term nursing after leg amputation.  
Nancy Croutcher, strength to help husband Marvin.  
Amanda Miyashiro, sepsis in leg  
General poor health: Charlie Balon, Earl Carpenter, Dylan,  
Kay Gillis, Herschel, Dennis Irwin, Cheryl Irwin,  
Charlie Kessinger, Mike Lucas, Barbara Milner,  
Dorothy Pfister, Terry Sochman, Pat Whitacre.  
Gall bladder: Lucille Midittilo, Samantha Estep,  
Delores Dwelley (+pancreas)  
Headaches/Migraines: Angel Balon, Dale Schraw  
Knee Problems: Pat Back, Judy Mason, Phylis Nelson,  
Debbie Turner  
Stomach Issues: Katie Mount, Andrew Turner  
Kidney issues: Ben Back, Edward Michaelson  
Diabetes: Dana Mount, Connie Whitmore (cirrhosis liver)  
MS: Susan Binkley, Traci Faddis, Linda Fleming  
Cardiac issues: Charlene Back, Jr. Banks, William Brose,  
Tony DeLeonardis, Steven Elliott, Bob Fleming,  
Mary Lathram, Bob Mount  
Health Issues: Ginger Back, Debbie Turner, Braden Spagel

The Marriage Bed  
Hebrews 13:4

I. TOGETHER

A. COMPANIONSHIP

Genesis 2:18  
Mark 10:6-8  
Ezekiel 37:27  
Matthew 9:36  
2 Corinthians 11:2  
Revelation 21:2

B. RELATIONSHIP

1 Corinthians 7:3  
James 4:8a

C. LASTING

Matthew 19:6  
Mark 10:11  
Hebrews 10:23

II. FAITHFUL

A. PHYSICALLY

Exodus 20:14  
Proverbs 6:32  
Exodus 20:3  
Ezekiel 23:37

B. MENTALLY

Mathew 5:28  
Matthew 15:19

C. NATURALLY

Romans 1:26-27  
Romans 1:25

III. JUDGMENT

A. GOD WILL JUDGE

2 Corinthians 5:10  
Luke 8:17

B. PUNISHMENT

Leviticus 20:10  
1 Corinthians 6:9  
John 8:2-11  
1 Corinthians 6:11

C. REWARD

Revelation 2:10  
James 1:12