

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

Birthdays in May/June

Austin Balon 5/01	LeLand Pennington 6/07
Judy Mason 5/04	Brittany Balon 6/17
Ellen Pennington 5/16	Ginger Back 6/26

Anniversaries in May/June

Greg & Robin Tholen 5/17	Glenn & Mary Brose 6/6
Mel & Fay Lamb 5/24	Bob & Betty Mount 6/6
	Eric & Angel Balon 6/18

Re-Birthdays in May/June

Robin Tholen (Mount) 5/15/1994	Brittney Balon 6/18
	Faith Carpenter 06/23
	Colleen Mount 6/22

Attendance Record

Attendance last Sunday	20
Weekly Budget	\$600.00

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Sunday Services

Bible class	9:30 AM
AM Worship	10:30 AM
PM Worship and Class	5:00 PM

Wednesday Service

Bible Study	7:00 PM
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May 26, 2019
The Fight Is On
2 Timothy 4:7

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

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

“Infuse your life with action. Don’t wait for it to happen. Make it happen. Make your own future. Make your own hope. Make your own love. And whatever your beliefs, honor your creator, not by passively waiting for grace to come down from upon high, but by doing what you can to make grace happen ... yourself, right now, right down here on Earth.”

Bradley Whitford.

Weekly Memory Verse

James 1:21, ²¹Therefore put away all filthiness and rampant wickedness and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls.

Bible Quiz Time

Upon which island did Paul find himself after being shipwrecked on his way to Rome?

Today’s Bible Passage

2 Timothy 4:7, English Standard Version.

⁷I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

Paul’s Portion

Many people remember the “Where’s Waldo” books that were very popular some years ago. As you recall, the books were a collection of cartoon drawings of various crowded scenes. The drawing might have been a crowded beach scene, or a crowded mall at Christmas scene. No matter what the scene may have been they all had two things in common, they all contained drawings of dozens of people, and they all contained a single drawing of Waldo (Though not always his whole body). The point of the books was for the reader to search through the drawings to locate Waldo in his signature red and white toboggan hat and red and white striped shirt. What can make this more difficult is that at times there are images that sort of look like Waldo, but are not. Two more things are true of these books; one thing is that at times it was very frustrating attempting to locate Waldo in the confusion of the drawing, the other thing that is true of these drawings is that once you did find Waldo it was almost impossible to not see him every time you looked at the drawing. For many people finding Jesus is like finding Waldo. The crowded religion scene makes it hard for some to see Jesus, at least the real Jesus. There are so many groups that claim to have the answer to salvation. Scripture tells us that Jesus is the only way, Acts 4:12. That helps clear up the picture to a degree, but there is still chaos and confusion, since multitudes claim to have Jesus. Isaiah wrote that we are to seek the Lord while He may be found. (Isaiah 55:6). People need to look very close at the picture to see the real Jesus in the crowd. Jesus said, “For many will come in my name, saying, ‘I am the Christ,’ and they will lead many astray (Matthew 24:5). Therefore, it is not enough to find something that looks like Jesus, one must find Jesus. One also needs to remember that like in the Waldo books, there may be times when only part of Jesus is visible. At times people are discouraged as they look for Jesus, because they want the whole picture at once. Finding even a trace of Jesus should be cause for rejoicing, as one realizes that more and more of Jesus is revealed in more and more of the book. It is encouraging to realize that, as with Waldo, once one sees Jesus it is impossible to not see Him. He literally jumps off the page at you.

Take Note

Please return your completed Congregational Meeting

Follow-up sheet. You can remain anonymous in your answers if you so wish.

There will be a men's meeting on June 9th to discuss the congregational meeting and the follow up sheets.

Our monthly Fellowship meal for May has been postponed.

It will be next Sunday, June 2, men will still cook.

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 song service will be next Sunday, June 2nd.

Ladies Retreat at Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp, June 7-8.

Please make sure you are checking the bulletin boards for further information and announcements.

Please make sure you inform Paul of any changes or corrections to the bulletin or the bulletin boards.

Traveling

Dennis & Colleen Mount are in Arkansas.

Angela Carpenter is in Michigan.

Glenn & Mary Brose are in Tennessee.

Bible Quiz Time Answer

The island of Malta, Acts 28:1.

Just For Fun

A brother and sister were arguing over which of them would get the last brownie. Their mother seizing the opportunity to instill a valuable lesson into her children, asked her children that ever pertinent question, "What would Jesus do?" Without hesitation the older of the two siblings said, "Jesus would bless the brownie, break it and make it enough to feed 5,000."

Illness and Prayer Concerns

Ginger Back, injured her back.

Mel Lamb, complications from kidney stones.

Miyashiro family, recovering from auto accident.

Toni Mount, shoulder pain.

Jr Banks, broken leg.

Todd Fuqua, dementia & other health issues

Mark Deleonardis, ulcers in esophagus.

Mona Greer, back pain and stomach pain.

Jerry Harter, recovering from heart surgery.

Bob Roth, 2 pins implanted in his hip

Bill Harris, Lou Gehrig disease.

Shirley Michaelson, frequent falls, Parkinson

Jack, tough going with rehab.

Pauline Arledge, 2 light strokes & brain aneurysm

Clyde Wood, depression, back issues.

Michael Statler, in ICU after brain surgery.

Don Blackwell, serious injuries from ATV accident.

Sheri Blackwell, injuries from ATV accident.

Jane Cadwallader, cracked vertebrae

Taylor Scarberry, ulcerative colitis.

Charlene Wisecup, COPD.

Chad Credit, cystic fibrosis, other health issues.

Rhonda Deer, flu and other health issues.

Susan Valentine, knee surgery on the 28th.

Knee Problems: Pat Back, Judy Mason, Debbie Turner

Stomach Issues: Katie Mount, Andrew Turner

Headaches/Migraines: Angel Balon, Dale Schraw

Health Issues: Ginger Back, Debbie Turner, Braden Spagel

Life Issues: Banach family, Mary Fogl, Julia Parker,

Zach Slack

Gall bladder: Lucille Midittilo, Samantha Estep,

Delores Dwelley (+pancreas)

Illness and Prayer Concerns Continued

Brain Tumor: Dawn “Michelle” Crockett, Jamie Stout

Cancer/possible cancer: Donny Bank, Clifford Bent, Rick Bryan, Goebel Craft, Jenny Daniels, Terry Davidson, John Dayton, Dottie Dysen, Regina Feltner, Olivia Furbee, Matt Hall, Marilyn Heichelbech, Linda King, Kristen, Melissa Krumpus, Vernon Lucas, Jenna Mount’s grandma, John Pierson, Valerie Powers, Mary Sampson, Diane Spruance, James Taylor, Shirley Thompson, Dorothy Trent, Becky Tyree, Kimberly Watt, Tom Wisecup

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

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. Debbie Turner, seeking employment.

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I. WARFARE

A. PARTICIPANTS

Genesis 14:8-9

Joshua 9:1-2

2 Kings 16:5-9

B. BATTLES

1 Samuel 17

2 Chronicles 36:6.

C. WEAPONS

II. SPIRITUAL WARFARE

A. PARTICIPANTS

1 Peter 5:8

1 Timothy 4:1

Hebrews 13:5

Mark 13:11

Fellow Christians

B. BATTLES

Acts 9:1-18

C. WEAPONS

1. 2 Corinthians 10:3-6

2. Matthew 26:51-52

3. Hebrews 4:12

III. OUTCOME

A. CAUALTIES

Acts 7:60

Acts 12:2

B. WALKING WOUNDED

1 Thessalonians 5:14

C. VICTORIES

1 Corinthians 15:20-26

Revelation 20:14