

Those serving	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
Announcements	Glenn Brose	Dennis Mount
Song Leader	Dennis Mount	Dennis Mount
Opening Prayer	Glenn Brose	Dennis Mount
Lord's Supper (Prayer)	Paul Carpenter	Glenn Brose
Helper	Non Applicable	Non Applicable
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Closing Prayer	Dennis Mount	Paul Carpenter
Greeters	Paul & Angela	Dennis & Colleen
Communion Preparation		

# Pearl Street church of Christ

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## Birthdays in July

## Anniversaries in July

## Re-Birthdays in July

Mary Brose 7/07/1964

## Attendance Record

Attendance last Sunday ..... 18  
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

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

July 26, 2020

One Voice

Matthew 17:1-8

## 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 or 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

“There are two paths in life. One is the path of obedience and blessing. The other is the path of disobedience. And the path that we travel on is our choice. If we're traveling on the path of disobedience, we can't say, "God's withholding His blessing from me." He doesn't need to withhold it. We are not on the path of obedience and blessing. If we want to choose the path of disobedience where there's no blessing, then that's up to us. But if we choose the path of obedience, that's where the blessing is. The path of blessing may be tough at times, but it's still the path of blessing.”

Source unknown

### Weekly Memory Verse

Matthew 3:8, <sup>8</sup>Bear fruit in keeping with repentance.

### Bible Quiz Time

One Sabbath Jesus healed a man with a withered hand, was it the right or left hand?

### Today's Bible Passage

Matthew 17:5, English Standard Version.

<sup>5</sup>He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him.”

### Paul's Portion

You can go to the supermarket buy a seedless watermelon, and take it home. Once you have your seedless watermelon home you can cut it open. When you cut your seedless watermelon open do you know what you find inside? Seeds. There are seeds in a seedless watermelon. These seeds, however, are not the big black seeds you find in a regular watermelon. (Although there may be a few of those as well.) Generally the “seeds” that you find in a seedless watermelon are the very tiny white seed coats which are incapable of maturing into full seeds. The purpose of the seedless watermelon is naturally to remove the seeds so one does not have to deal with them. A seedless watermelon is like a sinless Christian. When contemplating the idea of a sinless Christian we take into account Paul writing, “For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,” (Romans 3:23, and John writing, “If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us,” (1 John 1:8). There is also, however, the words of Peter, “Whoever has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin,” (1 Peter 4:1), and Paul “For one who has died has been set free from sin,” (Romans 6:7). How can these statements all be true when they seem to be contradictory? The sins of a Christian are like the seeds of a seedless watermelon, they are there but they lack the ability to fully mature. Remaining human, Christians will make mistakes and bad choices, but being merged with Christ and sharing in His death and resurrection allows Christians to overcome those mistakes before they grow. What about the occasional big black seed in a seedless watermelon? You simply spit it out. You don't throw away the whole watermelon because of a few seeds, and you don't let a couple seeds ruin the pleasure of eating the watermelon. Likewise, with the occasional sin in a Christian's life that gets too big, spit it out. Do not toss the whole Christian life because of an occasional sin, and don't let the occasional sin ruin the pleasure and reward of being a Christian.

### Take Note

We will soon resume Sunday and Wednesday evenings.  
Gospel singing under the tent, July 31, at the  
Highway 50 Church of Christ, Hillsboro.  
Please get with Toni if you have any large print bible  
materials that you can share with the Cape May residents.  
Pick up a copy of the latest "Our Daily Bread."

### Just For Fun

God is like:  
COKE - He's the real thing.  
HALLMARK - He cares enough to send His very best.  
TIDE - He gets the stains out that others leave behind.  
GENERAL ELECTRIC - He brings good things to life.  
SEARS - He has everything.  
ALKA-SELTZER - Try him, you'll like Him.  
SCOTCH TAPE - You can't see Him, but you know He's  
there.  
ALLSTATE - You're in good hands with Him.  
DIAL SOAP - Aren't you glad you have Him? Don't you  
wish everybody did?

### Bible Quiz Time Answer

His right hand, Luke 6:6.

### Illness and Prayer Concerns Continued

Bob Jones, by-pass surgery in couple weeks  
Carol Mobley, broken wrist.  
Ryan Roth, stroke.  
Ryan Jones, recovering from surgery to remove cancer  
Randy Wilkin, LAS  
Marilyn Hazlip, issues with her back, migraines.  
Life Issues: Roger Curtis

### Illness and Prayer Concerns

Bob Mount, pneumonia in both lungs  
Heather Crawford, torn ACL, arthritis and water on knee.  
Mary, Sandra's daughter, peace of mind  
Mary Brose, blood clots  
Glenn Brose, shoulder pain  
Carolyn Wood, various health issues.  
Kendra Stice's mother, health concerns.  
Fay Lamb, sciatic nerve issues, foot in brace.  
Vernon Lucas, aneurism  
Paul Michaelson, prostate issues  
Kody King, seizures and black outs.  
Ginger Back, diverticulitis  
Susan Valentine, radiation therapy on knees.  
Nate & Kendra Stice, desirous of prayers..  
Cathy Sullivan, prayers..  
Mona Greer, back pain and stomach pain.  
Levi, 5 year old with brain tumor  
General poor health: Charlie Balon, Dylan, Kay Gillis,  
Dennis Irwin, Cheryl Irwin, Charlie Kessinger, Mike Lucas,  
Barbara Milner, Dorothy Pfister, Pat Whitacre,  
Roger Turner, Norman Vincent  
Gall bladder: Samantha Estep,  
Knee Problems: Pat Back, Judy Mason, Debbie Turner  
Stomach Issues: Katie Mount, Andrew Turner  
Kidney issues: Ben Back, Edward Michaelson, Henry Stevens  
Diabetes: Connie Whitmore  
MS: Susan Binkley, Traci Faddis, Linda Fleming  
Cardiac issues: Charlene Back, Jr. Banks, William Brose,  
Tony DeLeonardis, Steven Elliott, Bob Fleming,  
Mary Lathram, Dan Minton, Dave Minton, Bob Jones,  
Bob Mount, Robert Pack  
Health Issues: Ginger Back, Debbie Turner, Braden Spagel