Those Privileged to Serve   Today         Next Sunday

(Subject to change please check each Sunday morning)

Song Leader ………………  Nate Stice ..… Dennis Mount

Opening Prayer ………..       Nate Stice .…. Dennis Mount

Scripture Reading ………..  Dennis Mount .. Paul Carpenter

(GENESIS 8:20-22)

Lord’s Table (Talk & Prayers) . Gary Niehaus …. Nate Stice

Closing Prayer …………… Jerry Runk …. Gary Niehaus

Announcements ………….  Jerry Runk …. Gary Niehaus

Greeters ……………… Paul & Angela . Dennis & Colleen

Communion Preparation for July …………....  Joyce

Birthdays June/July

Ginger Back 6/26 Shannon Woodcock 6/9

Retta Short 7/1 Kendra Stice 7/28

Anniversaries June/July

Glenn & Mary 6/6

Re-Birthdays June/July

Faith Carpenter 6/23 Colleen Mount 6/22

Tracey Runk 6/12

Mary Brose 7/7 Jerry Runk 7/19

Nate Stice 7/29 Kendra Stice 7/29

 Weekly Budget   –   $1,250

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

Event room available for parties, meetings, or

other gatherings.

Call Gary Niehaus, 513-519-5783, for information and booking.

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Sunday Services

Bible Class ………..…………………..  9:30 AM

AM Worship …….…………………… 10:30 AM

PM Worship ..………………………….. 6:00 PM

Wednesday Service

Bible Study ……………………………….. 6:00 PM

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

June 29, 2025

Smell

2 Corinthians 2:15

Welcome

Welcome to services at the Pearl Street church of Christ. If you are a visitor, know that you are an honored guest. You are invited to join us every time we come together for worship or for Bible study. If you have any questions about God, Jesus, Holy Spirit, Bible, Christianity, the worship service, or the church of Christ in general we would love to study with you to answer those questions.

Just A Thought

“We believe that to Christ belongs creative power--that "without Him was not anything made which was made." We believe that from Him came all life at first. In Him life was as in its deep source. He is the fountain of life. We believe that as not being comes into existence without His creative power, so none continues to exist without His sustaining energy. We believe that the history of the world is but the history of His influence, and that the centre of the whole universe is the cross of Cavalry.

 Alexander MacLaren

Weekly Memory Verse

EXODUS 20:15 – 15You shall not steal.

Bible Quiz Time

Where did Moses and the Israelites battle king Sihon and all his people?

Today’s Bible Text

2 CORINTHIANS 2:15; English Standard Version

15For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing.

Paul’s Portion

 Some people have them as pets. Some people are deathly afraid of them. They have been the subject of books, movies, and even songs. They have had myths and legends built up around them. Though they can be found in much of the world there are places where they do not exist. Least ways they are not native to and don’t naturally live in these places. If they are in these places, it is because man has brought them in. They are snakes. Snakes have been around since day 6 of creation. Although snakes are not specifically mentioned in the creation account, they would fall under “creeping things” of Genesis 1:24. Some scientists and evolutionists declare that snakes have changed over time, losing their legs. Snakes have gotten a bad rap over the years. While it is true that many snakes are a danger to man and humanity, it is also true that many snakes are of benefit to man. Snakes are very good at rodent control. Snakes are used in medical research, anti-venom antidotes have been developed from studying snakes, as well as other advancements. Of course snakes are mentioned in the Bible, both in a bad way (think garden of Eden) and as a tool for God to work in peoples lives. As the Israelites were traveling in the wilderness complaining God sent serpents among them as punishment. Once they repented God had Moses fashion the bronze serpent on the pole to save them, Numbers 21:4-9. Before they left Egypt God used a snake as a way to convince Pharaoh to let the people go, Exodus 7:8-13. In the New Testament there is the story of Paul’s encounter with a snake on the island of Malta. Whether God’s hand was in the snake coming out of the wood pile and biting Paul or not doesn’t matter. God’s hand was in Paul surviving the snake bite which amazed the natives and undoubtedly led to some becoming believers of the Gospel. You may be afraid of snakes, or spiders, or mice, or dogs, or any number of God’s creation, but understand this, God can use any and all of these things to punish, teach, and save. So, overcome your fears and look in the world around you to see the lessons which God is showing you.

Take Note

Today is our monthly fellowship meal. It will take place

 following the morning worship service. Everyone is

 invited and encouraged to stay and share a meal.

Please provide your opinion and suggestion for the best

 evening for optimum participation as we begin to show

 the new season of “The Chosen”.

The Secret Sister activity is ongoing, remember your sister.

The new “Our Daily Bread” is available.

FYI: The weekly bulletin is available on the website.

Plan Ahead and Mark Your Calendars

(Dates are subject to change)

Get Healthy class Tuesday evenings 6:00.

Our next fellowship meal will be Sunday, July 27th.

The next Ladies Night Out will be this Tuesday, July 1st.

Our next song service will be next Sunday, July 6th.

The next Men’s Breakfast will be Saturday July 5th.

Sympathy

 Sympathy is extended to Cheryl Irwin and family in the passing of her mother, Pauline Arledge.

 Condolences are offered o Ron Smith and family in the passing of Myrna Smith.

Traveling

Betty is in Cincinnati today.

Mount and Steed clans coming to Lynchburg for July 4th.

Answer to Bible Quiz Time

 Jahaz, Deuteronomy 2:32.

Illness and Prayer Concerns

Gloria Norman, Patty’s sister, cerebral aneurysm from fall.

Jim Fields, injures from a fall.

Patty Kiedell, broken ankle.

Diana Carl, kidneys.

Eldon Carl, recovery from surgery.

Shannon Woodcock, continued eye improvements.

Toni Mount, positive results from treatment.

William Brose, health issues.

Jim Limback, friend of Carol and Angela, pancreatitis.

Todd Miller, coworker of Joyce, brain tumor surgery.

Ralph, Mary’s brother, serious health issues.

Pat Back, leg and feet pain.

Retta Short, success with pain pump for her back.

Doug Carpenter, Paul’s cousin, cardiac issues.

Mona Greer’s niece’s boyfriend Tim, breathing issues.

Todd & Carol, working through issues.

Military: Amber Smith, Sarah King.

Just For Fun

Smell

2 Corinthians 2:15 – 15For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing,

1. YOU SMELL
	1. GOD DESIGN

PSALM 139:14 – 14I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.

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1. SMELL TO GOD
	1. PRAISE

GENESIS 8:20-22 – 20Then Noah built an altar to the LORD and took some of every clean animal and some of every clean bird and offered burnt offerings on the altar. 21And when the LORD smelled the pleasing aroma, the LORD said in His heart, “I will never again curse the ground because of man, for the intention of man’s heart is evil from his youth. Neither will I ever again strike down every living creature as I have done. 22While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night, shall not cease.” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* 1. PETITION

LEVITICUS 1:3-9 – 3“If his offering is a burnt offering from the herd, he shall offer a male without blemish. He shall bring it to the entrance of the tent of meeting, that he may be accepted before the LORD. 4He shall lay his hand on the head of the burnt offering, and it shall be accepted for him to make atonement for him. 5Then he shall kill the bull before the LORD, and Aaron’s sons the priests shall bring the blood and throw the blood against the sides of the altar that is at the entrance of the tent of meeting. 6Then he shall flay the burnt offering and cut it into pieces, 7and the sons of Aaron the priest shall put fire on the altar and arrange wood on the fire. 8And Aaron’s sons the priests shall arrange the pieces, the head, and the fat, on the wood that is on the fire on the altar; 9but its entrails and its legs he shall wash with water. And the priest shall burn all of it on the altar, as a burnt offering, a food offering with a pleasing aroma to the LORD.

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1. SMELL TO OTHERS
	1. TESTIMONY

DANIEL 3:26-27 – 26Then Nebuchadnezzar came near to the door of the burning fiery furnace; he declared, “Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, servants of the Most High God, come out, and come here!” Then Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego came out from the fire. 27And the satraps, the prefects, the governors, and the king’s counselors gathered together and saw that the fire had not had any power over the bodies of those men. The hair of their heads was not singed, their cloaks were not harmed, and no smell of fire had come upon them.

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* 1. WITNESS

2 Corinthians 2:15-16 – 15For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing, 16to one a fragrance from death to death, to the other a fragrance from life to life. Who is sufficient for these things?

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