

## Those to Serve

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|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Wednesday Evening June 18</b> | <b>Wednesday Evening June 25</b> |
| Building Lock Up — Peters        | Building Lock Up — Cartwright    |

| Morning Worship June 22                     |                 | Morning Worship June 29                     |                  |
|---|-----------------|---|------------------|
| Opening Prayer                              | Kevin Scarsdale | Opening Prayer                              | Brandon Stafford |
| Song Leader                                 | Paul Cartwright | Song Leader                                 | Paul Cartwright  |
| Communion                                   |                 | Communion                                   |                  |
| <b>Presiding:</b> Gheath Alatrash           |                 | <b>Presiding:</b> Bob Williams              |                  |
| Kent Wroe                                   | Tim Nations     | Charlie Story                               | Jeremy Brown     |
| Stephen Morton                              | Tom Langford    | Phil Godwin                                 | Derek Mauney     |
| Nathan Scarsdale                            | Logan Lindelof  | Gary Adams                                  | James Maxcey     |
| Announcements                               | Chris Lindelof  | Announcements                               | Chris Lindelof   |
| Closing Prayer                              |                 | Closing Prayer                              |                  |
| Nursery Attendants                          |                 | Nursery Attendants                          |                  |
| Susan Peters                                | Molly Godwin    | Laurie Maxcey                               | Dallas Maxcey    |
| Ushers (*indicates head usher)              |                 | Ushers (*indicates head usher)              |                  |
| *Daniel Brown, Warren Hudman, Rick Nudelman |                 | *Bobby Parker, Jacob Carriere, Chris Peters |                  |
| Greeters                                    |                 | Greeters                                    |                  |
| Clifford & Nina Layton                      |                 | Lynn & Lucille Adams                        |                  |
| Audio—Projector—Video for AM & PM           |                 | Audio—Projector—Video for AM & PM           |                  |
| Whitmire, Riggs, Banyai                     |                 | Whitmire, Riggs, Banyai                     |                  |
| Building Lock Up for AM & PM—Cartwright     |                 | Building Lock Up for AM & PM—Williams       |                  |

| Evening Worship |                              | Evening Worship |   |
|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Opening Prayer  | Paul Hamilton                | Opening Prayer  | <b>FRIENDS &amp; FAMILY DAY—NO EVENING SERVICES</b> |
| Song Leader     | Bobby Parker                 | Song Leader     |   |
| Communion       | Nathan Scarsdale, L Lindelof | Communion       |   |
| Closing Prayer  | Chris Lindelof               | Closing Prayer  |   |

### Worship Times:

#### Sunday

Bible Study .....9 am

Morning Worship.....10 am

Evening Worship.....6 pm

Wednesday Bible Study.....7 pm

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**Gaston Nda - Natitingou**  
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**Andre Assogba - Savé, Besse, Atchakpa**  
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**Elie Kouagou - N'Dali**  
**Joachin Tonou - Abomey**  
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# The Pearland Harvester

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## HALLOWED IS YOUR NAME

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Matthew 6:9-13<sup>9</sup> **“Pray, then, in this way: ‘Our Father who is in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. <sup>10</sup> Your kingdom come. Your will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. <sup>11</sup> Give us this day our daily bread. <sup>12</sup> And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. <sup>13</sup> And do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.”**

*This is the second article in a series that examines the model prayer Jesus taught His disciples. This was not a formula to be recited, and nowhere in Scripture are we taught to do so. It was an example of the things a disciple, living at that time, should pray for. Jesus came to proclaim, purchase, establish, and reign over a coming kingdom. In preaching the Sermon on the Mount, only the first of those four things was a reality. The sermon was about how to live righteously in that kingdom and what would be different in that kingdom. The model of praying that He taught reflects a disciple’s understanding of those things.*

Having discussed the significance of “Father,” let’s move to the expression of praise that is given: “... Hallowed be Your name.”

Many may think my comments to follow will date me. As a consequence, they will choose to ignore the message. That is unfortunate because it will blind the reader to a message about reverence that desperately needs to be heard today.

“Hallowed” translates a Greek word meaning, “to treat as holy” (Rienecker, Rogers, *Ling. Key to the Gk. NT*, p. 18). Jesus was not saying that God’s personal name is Hallowed, rather He is saying that the name of our heavenly Father is to be revered, to be honored, and to be respected (Crain, *Truth for Today Commentary*, Mt. 6:9, p. 215).

Jesus taught His disciples to revere and honor even the name of the One they address in prayer. Elsewhere, we are told that we can draw near to the very throne of grace (Heb. 4:16). Sometimes we have difficulty

understanding that while we have the great privilege and blessing of being able to come near or approach our God in prayer, that does not give us the right to assume an attitude of familiarity that is disrespectful and that does not honor Him. **“Holy and awesome is His name”** (Ps. 111:9).



**“You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not leave him unpunished who takes His name in vain”** (Ex. 20:7). The NIV says, **“You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.”**

Our culture does exactly what Ex. 20:7 forbids to a degree and with a cavalier attitude that is unparalleled. While the Christian may refrain from the constant barrage of OMGs, he or she may be guilty of an attitude of familiarity that crosses boundaries we must not cross.

In the last article we saw that the term “Father” was only used six times in the Old Testament in reference to Jehovah. The great patriarchs knew Him as Jehovah, not “Father,” and they revered that mighty name. Jesus teaches us that, while He is our Father, He is still in heaven and we are still on earth. He is exalted. We are not. He is eternal. We are mortal. He is above all and because He is, He should be addressed in a reverence and love that cannot be the parallel of the casual terms we use for others. “Hallowed be Your name” is what Jesus taught. Who has the right to teach us anything less? When our prayers address Him in ways that do not hallow His name, we teach by example the very thing Jesus taught against.

Keep studying and keep serving! D.C. Brown ©2014

**YOUTH EVENTS**



Camp Twin Oaks Ranch (formerly Camp Thousand Oaks Ranch) for our 3rd-6th graders is July 30-August 3. Please see Paul for more information.

**2014 Bay Area Wide Devotional (BAWD) Schedule**

- June 30 - Channelview
- July 7 - Hidden Valley
- July 14 - Angleton
- July 21 - Westside (Alvin)
- July 28 - Katy
- August 4 - League City

***Pearland Church of Christ VBS 2014***

**THEME: MOSES - THROUGH THE WILDERNESS**

Sunday, June 22 - Wednesday, June 25 6:30-8:00 PM

Join us as we travel through the wilderness with Moses and Aaron to discover more about: Crossing the Red Sea, Bitter Water and Manna, the 10 Commandments, and God's promises.

Bring a friend and come to Vacation Bible School.

*Note -Wednesday night, kids wear something they can get wet and bring a towel!*

Volunteers are still needed for food, registration table, decorations/set-up, and clean-up.

Please contact April Cartwright or Susan Peters to volunteer.

**Kathryn Grace Stafford**

**Born 6-13-14**

**Weight: 9 lb. 3 oz.**

**Congratulations to the proud parents, Brandon & Patricia!**



**KEPT IN PRAYER**

**Lela Farmer** will have surgery on Thursday, June 26, at St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital in the Medical Center.

**Dorothy Kirkland** fell and is in Kindred Rehabilitation Hospital Clear Lake, 655 E Medical Center Blvd, Webster TX 77598.

**La Verne Mitchell**, Jerri Farmer's sister, is home from the hospital but is very weak. She is still awaiting test results. She would appreciate receiving cards at 3012 Avenue G, Nederland TX 77627.

**Darlene Woods'** doctors have indicated that she may benefit from chemotherapy.

**In Continuing Need:**

**Our Members:** Neil & Fran Barnhill, Tracy & Martha Cain, David Clayton, Evelyn Cordell, Daisy Dees, Billie Dykes, June Evans, Lela Farmer, Dorendia Hamilton, Charlyne Harper, Minnie Harris, Noah & Murrell Hill, Kaliya Kelly, Wanda Kirby, Dorothy Kirkland, Von Knight, Brenda Langford, Evelyn Lawhon, Claudia Martin, Betty Pridgen, Brenda Riggs, Doris Stuteville.  
**Shut-In:** Libby Clayton **Others:** Timothy Anderson, Marjorie Garrison, Jim Godwin, Rhonda Jones, Bartis Knight, Pat Miller, Lauren Murphy, Cloey Pruitt, Sherly Scott, Rick Stone, Darlene Woods.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chris Lindelof is our contact elder for June. If you would like to schedule a meeting, please see Chris.

**JUNE**

- 21 Mugs and Muffins - 9-11 AM - Annex. Bring your Bible and favorite mug. Breakfast will be provided. Please sign the list on the bulletin board if you plan to attend. Let Patricia Stafford or April Cartwright know if you can host a future meeting.
- 21 Congregational Cleaning Day - 9 AM
- 23-27 Meals on Wheels - Please see Leah Bateman to volunteer.

**June 29, 2014**

*Invite someone to be your guest and to stay for a great meal!*



*Friends*  
 &  
*Family Day*

**June Birthdays**

|    |                   |    |                 |
|----|-------------------|----|-----------------|
| 4  | Alice Moore       | 4  | Betty Pridgen   |
| 7  | Kevin Scarsdale   | 10 | Sandy Arnold    |
| 10 | Von Knight        | 10 | Chris Peters    |
| 11 | Lucy Gartrell     | 11 | Charlyne Harper |
| 12 | Phil Godwin       | 15 | Tracy Cain      |
| 16 | Dallas Maxcey     | 18 | Dwight Bateman  |
| 18 | John Gartrell     | 19 | Jason Holmes    |
| 20 | Jeremy Brown      | 21 | Chris Lindelof  |
| 23 | Debbie Brown      | 23 | June Evans      |
| 25 | Stephanie Forster | 28 | Ben Lenamon     |

**June Anniversaries**

|    |                       |    |                            |
|----|-----------------------|----|----------------------------|
| 1  | Charlie & Peggy Story | 7  | Neil & Fran Barnhill       |
| 9  | Ike & Bethany Atkins  | 12 | Jeremy & Jessica Bouillion |
| 12 | Hugh & Pat Fletcher   |    |                            |



We are getting the church cookbook together and would like to give everyone a chance to add more recipes. Please place them in the envelope on the bulletin board or give them to Jean Nudelman as soon as possible or before July 1.

**Brenda Blair**