



# The Pearland Harvester

EQUIPPING THE SAINTS FOR THE WORK OF SERVICE, BUILDING UP  
THE BODY OF CHRIST

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## JOINT YOUTH DEVO

RALPH BRYANT

We have always used our home as a place for fellowship and hospitality. We sometimes host visiting ministers or missionaries. They use it as a base of operation while they are in our area. Sometimes, when people move into the area without a place to stay yet, they will be guests in our house as they look for accommodations. And folks know they are welcome to drop in for a visit or a word of encouragement any old time. There is no telling how many game nights, devotionals and other teen gatherings have taken place in our home.

Last Monday night, the 17th, when our group reached home after the Jabberwacky, Anthony asked me on the way home if we could host a joint devotional with the League City and Pearland youth groups. I told him I liked the idea.

He was invited to spend the day with one of the League City young men last Sunday (23rd), and before he left I told him to look on the devo calendar at League City to see if there were any open dates for a devotional at our house.

That evening, before I got home, I had a text from Anthony saying that he had

signed us up as devotional hosts on the 30th. While I was a bit chagrined that we didn't have very much notice to make preparations for the gathering, it did my heart good to know that Anthony realized our home is a place he can invite his friends and fellow Christians without being worried that we might say no.

So, I texted Zack Williams to let him know of the situation. He seemed to like the idea, so we made some cursory plans. Because it is Friends and Family Day and no formal worship service is planned for that evening in Pearland, Zack is going to invite the teens from here to go to League City for worship, and then to our house for a time of devotion after services. I hope this turns out to be a fun night for all concerned. Perhaps more interactions between the two groups will grow out of the plan for this weekend.

(By the way, if you were in class on Sunday night last week in Pearland, you know that sister Truelove and I invited anyone that's interested in a time of fellowship and devotion to come back to the building at 6 PM. It will be our aim to talk and pray about our family and friends who need to know God and accept His grace. Any and all are welcome.)

# TRIVIA

CHALLENGE

"Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies." What king wrote this?

Answer to last week's question: Two possible answers: Elisha with salt or Moses with a tree (2 Kings 2:19-22 , Exodus 15:25 NIV)



Daily Bible chapter reading schedule, beginning Thursday, July 20, 2017:

- Thursday—Ephesians 4-6
- Friday— Leviticus 4-6
- Saturday—1 Kings 14-18
- Sunday—Psalms 72-74
- Monday—Proverbs 5-6
- Tuesday—Ezekiel 7-12
- Wednesday—Luke 13-14

For the Record—July 23, 2017	
Sunday AM	141
Sunday PM	N/C
Wednesday (7/19)	56
Contribution	\$3,128
Weekly Budget	\$5,800
YTD Contribution	\$125,276
YTD Budget	\$174,000

## KEEP IN PRAYER

- **Lianne Biegay** had a CT scan done after doctors found something in an x-ray. She was asked to wait 4-6 weeks before having another x-ray in order to see if the abnormality is still there. Please pray for Lianne as she awaits a follow up with the doctor.
- **Bennie Sue Galindo** had a pacemaker put in on Monday, July 24th and was released from the hospital the following afternoon. Everything went as expected and she is recovering well.
- **Thomas Mauney**, Derek Mauney's father, is recovering after having emergency triple bypass surgery on July 20th. Please pray for his complete recovery.
- **Mike Humphries**, friend of Ralph Bryant, is in the hospital after having a heart attack. Please keep Mike in your prayers.

### Our Members:

Fran Barnhill, Dawn Bell, Haley Biegay, Annette Bumpers, David Clayton, Jeff Coe, Daisy Dees, June Evans, Bennie Sue Galindo, Ross Genaro, Dorendia Hamilton, Charlyne Harper, Murrell Hill, Judy Indest, Wanda Kirby, Dorothy Kirkland, Jo Knight, Wanda Knight, Clifford & Nina Layton, Jan Lemoine, Valerie McHargh, Harold & Alice Moore, Adam Parker, Vi Price, Betty Pridgen, Chase Shelton, David Smith, Loma Stone, Sandy Stone, Doris Stuteville, Angela Terry.

### Others:

Michael Smith, Jim Alford, Leona Anderson, Catherine & Cecilia Bailey, Octaline Beaupierre, Erica Matte Blair, Jeffrey Buesch, Linda Bynum, Raquel Castillo, Debbie Cook, Evelyn Cordell, Ray Craycraft, Judy Dame, Larry & Carla Doolen, Billie Dykes, Linda Evans, Roger Farmer, Gwen Fikes, Glenda Garner, Betty Goad, Sarah Goeman, Carol Hasten, Robert Hudman, Kaliya Kelly, Elaine King, Jay Langley, Jason & Jenny Langley, Kerry Lemoine, Martha Locke, Austin & Celia Matthews, Jim & Julie Maxcey, Shirley McWhorter, Mary Means, Pat Miller, Lewis Moss, Jean Nudelman, April Parker, Wilma Parker, Mark Pridgen, Alice Puckett, Ryan Rangel, Trenna Russell, Everett Sanderson, Butch Sapp, Henry Schaefer, Don Scott, Sherly Scott, Andrew Shock, Tony Smajstrla, Andrew Smith, Michael Smith, Rick Stone, Erin and Elijah Timmons, Leon Vanderveer, Mary White, Wanda Williams, Anthony Young, Lesli (friend of Heather Brown's friend), Dakota (baby boy of Lianne Biegay's Friend).

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **Gary Adams** is our contact elder for July. **Chris Lindelof** is our contact elder for August.
- The ladies in the July food preparation group are **Kristin Alatrash** and **Laurie Maxcey**.
- The ladies in the August food preparation group are **Leah Bateman**, **Susan Lenamon**, and **Lacey Gartrell**.
- **Brenda Riggs** and **Candice Townzen** are available to provide notary services to the congregation free of charge.

**July 2017 Events**

- 30 Friends and Family Day
- 31 Jabberwacky - 7 PM - Angleton

**August 2017 Events**

- 2 Camp Awesome August 2nd–5th
- 11 Church wide game night - Annex - 6 PM

**July Birthdays**

- 27 Jack Cherry
- 27 Leah Gartrell
- 30 Emily Townzen
- 31 Kylee Fabian
- 31 James Maxcey

**July Anniversaries**

- 28 Jeremy & Heather Cook
- 31 Jack & Dorothy Cherry

**August Birthdays**

- 1 Aiden Hundley
- 1 Jamie Hundley
- 2 Mark Holmberg
- 5 Lynn Adams
- 8 John Adams
- 9 Russell Genaro
- 9 Dorothy Kirkland
- 10 Molly Godwin
- 10 Nathan Scarsdale
- 11 Billie Dykes
- 13 Jeff Coe
- 13 Beverly Stewart
- 14 Annette Bumpers
- 15 Joe Hawkins
- 15 Chloe Hudman
- 15 David Smith
- 16 Peggy Chisum
- 17 Brenda Blair
- 22 Robbie Alatrash
- 22 Laurie Maxcey
- 26 Charlie Layton
- 26 Wanda Knight
- 30 Pat Fletcher
- 30 Josh Hamilton

**August Anniversaries**

- 2 Jim & Judy Indest
- 3 Randy & Trudy Knight
- 4 Leon & Valerie McHargh
- 9 Joe & Irma Hawkins
- 20 Gheath & Kristin Alatrash
- 29 Ben & Susan Lenamon

*Friends and Family Day*

July 30, 2017

Invite someone to be your guest and to stay for a great meal! A potluck will be held after worship services.

**Game Night**

Please join us for a church-wide game night on Friday, August 11th at 6 PM in the annex. Food will be provided!

**Volunteers Needed**

We are in need of volunteers for a number of church duties. Please contact the elders if you are willing to help.

## Those to Serve

## *Pearland Church of Christ*

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of service, building up the body of Christ...

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<b>Wednesday Evening July 26</b>	<b>Wednesday Evening August 2</b>
Building Lock Up—Gary Adams	Building Lock Up—Chris Lindelof

Morning Worship July 30	Morning Worship August 6
Opening Prayer      Bob Williams	Opening Prayer      Daniel Brown
Song Leader          Gary Adams	Song Leader          Gary Adams
Communion	Communion
<b>Presiding</b> Zack Williams	<b>Presiding:</b> Gheath Alatrash
Jacob Carriere      Jimmy Terry	Blake Williams      Phil Godwin
Wendell Romain    Russell Genaro	Tom Langford        Bobby Parker
Anthony Bryant     Jake Satterwhite	Grayson Townzen    Derek Mauney
Announcements    Chris Lindelof	Announcements    Chris Lindelof
Closing Prayer	Closing Prayer
Nursery Attendants	Nursery Attendants
Molly Godwin      Lianne Biegay	Appeal Byers        Tracey Mauney
Ushers (*indicates head usher)	Ushers (*indicates head usher)
*Paul Hamilton, Zachary Bryant, Josh Hundley	*Clifford Layton, Nathan Scarsdale, Tom Langford
Greeters	Greeters
Kevin & Maresha Scarsdale	Kevin & Maresha Scarsdale
Audio—Projector for AM	Audio—Projector for AM
Grayson Townzen, Brenda Riggs	James & Laurie Maxcey
Building Lock Up for AM & PM— K Scarsdale	Building Lock Up for AM & PM— Gary Adams
Evening Worship	Evening Worship
<b>FRIENDS &amp; FAMILY DAY</b>	Song Leader      Gary Adams
<b>NO EVENING SERVICES</b>	Communion        Jimmy Terry, Russell Genaro
	Closing Prayer    Wendell Romain

### Worship Times:

#### *Sunday*

Bible Study .....9 am  
Morning Worship.....10 am  
Evening Worship.....6 pm

Wednesday Bible Study.....7 pm

### ELDERS

*Gary Adams      281-797-2575  
Chris Lindelof    281-224-2183  
Kevin Scarsdale 713-447-1866*

### DEACONS

*Bobby Parker  
Bob Williams*

### MINISTERS

*Ralph Bryant      Interim Minister  
Zack Williams     Youth Minister*

### MISSIONARIES

*Benin, West Africa:*  
Paul Tohionon - Bohicon  
Pascal Djedatin - Dassa  
Blaise Atta - Bétérou  
Clément Djebede - Okéwo  
Gaston Nda - Natitingou  
Valentine Ndimonte - Natitingou  
André Assogba - Gobé  
Dorotheé Tchekpo - Savé et Bessé  
Paul Kouagou - N'Dali  
Jonas Sambieni - Kaboua  
Gabin Agbeci - Savalou  
*Portsmouth, Dominica, West Indies*  
Lewis Romain