

Good News From Chardon Church of Christ

128 Maple Ave., Chardon, Oh 44024
June 23, 2024 Issue 25

Schedule of Services

Greeting: Mark
Song Leader: Dale
Opening Hymn:
13—Wonderful Words Of Life
Opening Prayer: Jerad
Hymn:
225—Soldiers Of Christ Arise
Scripture Reading: Ryan
2 Peter 3:13-18
Hymn:
28—My Jesus, I Love Thee
Lord's Supper: Robert
Hymn:
176—Standing On The Promises
Sermon: Mark
Invitation Hymn:
607—All Things Are Ready
Closing Hymn:
111—Yield Not To Temptation
Closing Prayer: Larry

♪ Low in the grave He lay—Jesus, my
Savior! Waiting the coming day Jesus, my
Lord! Up from the grave He arose, With a
mighty triumph o'er His foes; He arose a
victor from the dark domain, And He lives
forever—death He over came; He arose!
He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose! ♪

CALENDAR

June 23—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker Mark
June 26—(b) Bennett
June 26—Ladies Bible Study Briar Hill
June 28—(a) Myron & Carole
June 30—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker Tom
July 7—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker Tom
July 14—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker Mark

Peter's Final Words

The great apostle and evangelist, Peter did some amazing things in his preaching career. In Acts 2, he delivered the first gospel sermon after Jesus' resurrection and ascension. Acts 2:41 records that an astounding number responded to this and were baptized into Christ – almost 3,000! Peter continued preaching even though arrested several times, beaten, and threatened with his life if he continued to proclaim the name of Christ (cf. Acts 4-5). He was also the first apostle to take the gospel to the Gentiles, with the conversion of Cornelius and his friends and family in Acts 10.

After Acts 15 where Peter is involved in an apostolic gathering, we know very little of his activities. I agree with George DeHoff concerning Peter in that "As the years went by he was mentioned less frequently in the sacred writing probably because he was away from Jerusalem preaching in distant places." (DeHoff's Bible Handbook)

Peter, through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, wrote two epistles later in life. They were written to encourage Christians, especially new converts, to withstand the trials and persecutions that they were about to encounter. Likely this is in reference to Nero's persecutions. It is believed that Peter's second epistle would have been written shortly before his death. If that's the case, then the last words of the second epistle of Peter would have been his final words of encouragement.

Peter's last words in chapter 3 of his second epistle are a reminder for all Christians to be diligent to...

...be sanctified (v.14)
...be studying (v.15-16)
...be steadfast (v.17)

Christians, let's make sure that we are cleansed by the blood of Christ and living pure and righteous lives, searching and studying the Scriptures for all they're worth, and remaining faithful and true to God. It's Peter's lasting wish for us. "but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen." (2 Pet. 3:18)

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PRAYER LIST

Mynda as she travels. **Caleb's** shoulder treatment. All her Family
Tom & Nina health issues.
 Their son-in-law **Chris** lost his job
Mark and **Debbie** as they travel.
Tom's Bible Study with **Roberta, Channing,** and **Kris.**
Nina's back, Nephew **Gary** with cancer
Bonnie's health, grandsons **Devin, Dakota & Dillon,**
 Daughters **Rhonda** and **Renee**
Wanda's migraines; son **Allen,** sisters **Lorraine & Joyce** . Her niece **Nikki** in bad accident
 Her niece **Lorrie** had a heart attack
Mary, Carl and family , they are all doing. better.
Keatha, Mary's sister in law.
 Mary's brother **David** with health issues
Jim and Beverly G. with health issues
Wayne and Diane G. with health issues
Kathy's friends **Fran** with cancer and **Murial's** surgery
Linda's health and severe back pain **Tiffany & family**
 2 1/2 year old baby with terminal cancer.
David & Renee's home caught fire
Zarna and her family
Juanita, is at Briar Hill rehab room 100, and her family.
Ray and **Barbara** and their family.
Dale's health issues, headaches and his family. His **Mothers**
 medical procedure and sciatic pain. 7 year old girl,
Lucie, with Leukemia. Cousin **Kenny** hernia, Cousin
Joshua heart Issues, Cousin **Randal** physical &
 mental health Cousin **Roosevelt** with nerve pain
 Cousin **James** in serious truck accident
 Uncle Earl with cancer
Ray's health and his family. **Rebecca, Steven, and Asher**
Pat recovering from a fall, and her family
Robert & Sara their **Son Michael** and Daughter **Maddie**
 Friend **Hailey** serious health issues after birthing
Brenda's health, her sister **Linda** with shingles and
 sister-in-law **Linda** as they struggle with cancer. Her
 son **Mark** surgery recovery granddaughter **Amanda.**
Larry & family
Mike & Debra as they lead Bryce back to Christ.
Betty's friends; **Ann** with cancer,
Miyapur Church of Christ in Hyderabad, South India
Les Cayes Church of Christ in southeast Haiti

WORD LIST

ACCOUNT	AWAY	BELOVED
BEWARE	BLAMELESS	BROTHER
DELIGENT	EARTH	EPISTLES
ERROR	FALL	FOUND
GLORY	GRACE	GROW
HARD	HEAVEN	JESUS
KNOW	LOOK	LORD
NEW	PAUL	PEACE
PETER	PROMISE	SALVATION
SCRIPTURE	SEEING	SPEAK
SPOT	WICKED	WISDOM

D E K C I W N D L L W W G B D
 X V N W E N E E O X O A L R S
 R E T E P V A O V N R O O O E
 A L R Q O J K W K A G L R T L
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WHERE IS IT WRITTEN?

Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath:

Answer: James 1:19

2 Peter 3:13-18 ¹³ Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness. ¹⁴ Wherefore, beloved, seeing that ye look for such things, be diligent that ye may be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless. ¹⁵ And account that the longsuffering of our Lord is salvation; even as our beloved brother Paul also according to the wisdom given unto him hath written unto you; ¹⁶ As also in all his epistles, speaking in them of these things; in which are some things hard to be understood, which they that are unlearned and unstable wrest, as they do also the other scriptures, unto their own destruction. ¹⁷ Ye therefore, beloved, seeing ye know these things before, beware lest ye also, being led away with the error of the wicked, fall from your own steadfastness. ¹⁸ But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever. Amen.

SUNDAY: Bible Study—10:00 am, Worship—11:00 am

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