



# Glenshaw

## Presbyterian Church

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JANUARY 22, 2022, 10:30 AM  
THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

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### GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

**PRELUDE**

*Sweet By and By*

arr. Mark Hayes

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Terri McGee

**Call to Worship**

Come out of the shadows and into God's light!

**We will not play hide and seek,  
but will make a pilgrimage to God's heart.**

Lay down all which is a burden to you!

**We will give our fears to God,  
who is our help in every moment.**

Follow the One who will lead you to new life!

**We long to live in God's presence  
every day of our lives.**



**HYMN OF PRAISE**

*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!*

**Hymn 804**

† *Those who are able are invited to stand.*

† **CALL TO CONFESSION**

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

We admit, God our Light, that we do indeed try to tear Christ apart - a piece of him here to support our politics, a part of him to undergird our economic views, the rest of him to bolster our fears of others. We could leave immediately to follow him, but need to wait until we see where he might lead us. We want you to look upon us with favor always, but have no trouble turning our backs on those around us.

Hear us, God our Deliverer, as we speak of our failures! Have mercy on us, we appeal to you, have mercy! May your love become the core of our hearts, may your compassion become the words we speak, may your hope illuminate the ways in which we serve others, even as we seek to follow the One who calls us to new life, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

† **SILENT CONFESSION**

† **DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS**

God is our help, so why should we be afraid?  
God keeps us safe, there is nothing to dread!  
This is good news for all of us.

**Sheltered in God's gracious heart of mercy  
and love, we raise shouts of joy: thanks be  
to God, we are forgiven! Amen.**

† **THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

The peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

† **CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

*Gloria Patri*

**Hymn 581**

# THE WORD

**A TIME OF WONDER**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**PSALM OF THE DAY**

**Psalms 27:1,4-9**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**

**Matthew 4:12-23**

**SERMON**

**“What Gets Dropped”**

**Rev. Sarah Robbins**

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**HYMN**

*Will You Come and Follow Me*

**Hymn 726**

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**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

**Apostles’ Creed**

**Hymnal Page 35**

# GIVE THANKS TO GOD

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

*Please place your offering in the tray at the back of the sanctuary  
as you exit after worship or consider giving online at [www.glenshawchurch.org](http://www.glenshawchurch.org).*

**OFFERTORY**

*The Lord Is My Light*  
Chancel Choir

**Patti Drennan**

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**DOXOLOGY**

**Hymn 606**

**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

**SHARING THE JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER**

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## GO IN GOD'S NAME

- †      **SENDING HYMN**                      *Shine, Jesus Shine*                      **Hymn 192**
- †      **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**
- Let us take God's light into the world.  
        **We will go to join others in pilgrimage of trust.**  
        Let us go to gather the burdens of others.  
        **We will take away their fears and offer them to Jesus,**  
        **who helps everyone in every moment.**  
        Let us go to live in the Spirit's presence.  
        **We will follow the Spirit into the peace**  
        **which is offered to all of God's people.**
- †      **CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**      *May the God of Hope Go With Us*      **Hymn 765**
- †      **POSTLUDE**                      *You Shall Go out With Joy!*                      Doug Wagner

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## WORSHIP NOTES

### ORDINARY TIME PARAMENTS

This set of paraments is comprised of many shades of green which symbolize new life and growth. Running through the field of many shades and textures of green, is a vine - a symbol of Christian growth that recalls John 15:5, "I am the vine, you are branches."

**VISITORS**, please **complete a visitor card found** in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. We invite you to stop by the kiosk in the narthex outside the sanctuary doors to receive **a welcome packet**. We are glad to have you worship with us!

**WE RECORD OUR SUNDAY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE.** We invite each member of your family in attendance to sign the friendship pad at the end of each pew. We are glad to have you worship with us!

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PER CAPITA** for 2023 is \$35.70

### **GPC BOOK CLUB**

**February 1, 2023**

***The Lincoln Highway*** by Amor Towles, 593 pages, (Laura Davidson),  
**Hostess – Anne Orr, 412-492-9713**

**March 1, 2023**

***The Paris Library*** by Janet Skeslien Charles, 384 pages, (Arla Downie),  
**Hostess – Ruthann Martin, 412-712-8129**

### **CHANCEL FLOWERS**

We are now accepting orders for chancel flowers to brighten our sanctuary during our Sunday services. The cost to sponsor both arrangements dedicated to a loved one, to the Glory of God, or any dedication so desired each week is \$55. **To order flowers, please contact Jennifer in the church office** by calling 412-486-8400 ext. 110 or emailing [jennifer@glenshawchurch.org](mailto:jennifer@glenshawchurch.org) by 4:00 p.m. on the Tuesday before your desired Sunday

### **CHILDREN'S CHRIST CANDLES**

Parents and grandparents please have your children look for the Christ candle near the activity bags. They can light their own tea candle and place it with the larger one.

## **HOMEBOUND MEMBERS OF GLENSHAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Our members enjoy the cards and/or visits from each one of you. Please place them in your heart and let them know they are being thought of by reaching out to them. Below is an updated homebound member list with current addresses and telephone numbers. Please contact the church office if you know someone to include on the list of people that might like to hear from us.

### **Sandy Crynack**

304 S. Magnolia Drive  
Glenshaw, PA 15116  
(412) 487-6204  
Birthday: September 5

### **Wilbert (Wib) Griffith**

301 Lucille St  
Glenshaw, PA 15116  
412-486-8854  
Birthday: December 5

### **Marian Harrington**

Rebecca Residence  
3764 Cedar Ridge Rd. #115  
Allison Park, PA 15101  
(724) 444-1810  
Birthday: December 26

### **Ann Nicklas**

1490 Highland Ave  
Glenshaw, PA 15116  
(724) 321-4530 (cell)  
Birthday: February 19

# **THIS WEEK AT GLENSHAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

## **TODAY**

**January 22, 2023**

9:30 AM Adult Education in the Parlor  
10:30 AM Worship Service  
11:30 AM Fellowship

## **MONDAY**

**January 23, 2023**

6:30 PM PNC Meeting

## **TUESDAY**

**January 24, 2023**

1:00 PM Staff Meeting  
7:00 PM Century Club Meeting

## **WEDNESDAY**

**January 25, 2023**

6:00 PM Music and Worship Meeting

## **THURSDAY**

**January 26, 2023**

6:30 PM Carillon Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

## **SUNDAY**

**January 29, 2023**

9:30 AM Adult Education in the Parlor  
10:30 AM Worship Service  
11:30 AM Fellowship

### **GPC OFFICE HOURS :**

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Welcoming all who seek to know God,  
Glenshaw Presbyterian Church invites  
individuals and families to join in our  
journey of faith as we share the love of  
Jesus Christ with one another, the  
community, and the world.



### **The GPC Session**

Sherry Martin, Clerk of Session

#### **Class of 2023**

Ann Carlson  
Betty Miller  
Bruce Raines  
Deb Vita

#### **Class of 2024**

Alain Richardson  
Brian Helfferich  
April Klein  
Chick Pfeiffer

#### **Class of 2025**

Alan Cridge  
Mark Held  
Sherry Martin  
Donna Walker

### **----- CHURCH STAFF -----**

Rev. Sarah Robbins, *Interim Pastor*

Cell phone: 412-715-3207

Corinne Adkins, *Director of Music & Organist*

Lois Cridge, *Business Manager*

Jennifer Zanke, *Administrative Assistant*

Fawn Pignoli, *Director of the GPC Early Learning Center*

Frank Maksin, *Property Manager*

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