

FEBRUARY 12, 2023, 10:30 AM SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

Prelude on McKee

Harry T. Burleigh arr. Dale Wood

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

† CALL TO WORSHIP (shaped by Deut. 30:15-20)

Rev. Sarah Robbins

We are gifted the opportunity to walk with God each day.

We love the Lord our God and walk in obedience keeping God's commands.

We will live and increase, and the Lord will bless us in seasons we are entering.

We will choose the life God desires for us, listen to God's word, and hold fast to our faith.

Let us worship God together

† HYMN OF PRAISE

O Master Let Me Walk With Thee

Hymn 738

† CALL TO CONFESSION

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, you call us to love and care for all you have created and to share you will and word with others. We strive to live as you command yet daily fall short. We do not see you in the eyes of strangers. We forget your spirit rests in the hearts of those we bicker with. While we have good intentions, we neglect to share our food with the hungry, to shelter and clothe those in need. Our own desires distract us from you. Our minds wander towards creating our own peace instead of finding divine peace that only you can create. Forgive us, Lord, and guide us as we start anew.

- † SILENT CONFESSION
- † DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS
- † 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

FIRST READING 1 Kings 3:1-15

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 2:1-6

SERMON "Godly Wisdom" Rev. Emily C. Cooper

† HYMN Will You Come and Follow Me Hymn 726

† 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.

OFFERTORY

Give Me a Song Chancel Choir Heather Sorenson

† 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

Hymnal Page 35

GO IN GOD'S NAME

† SENDING HYMN The Church of Christ Cannot Be Bound

Hymn 766

† CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

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WORSHIP NOTES

TODAY, WE WELCOME REV. EMILY C. COOPER!

Emily graduated from Westminster College in 2004 with a B.A. in Religion and completed her Masters of Divinity in 2019 from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. She has served as pastor at Covenant Community Presbyterian Church in Scott Township and most recently at Heritage Presbyterian Church in the Franklin Park Area. Emily and her husband, Jason, and 9-year-old son, Robby, have lived in Shaler for 10 years and are excited to become active members of GPC.

All active members are invited to stay for a congregational meeting at the request of the Pastor Nominating Committee immediately following the worship service for the purpose of hearing a final report from the PNC regarding their nomination and to vote by ballot on Pastor Emily's candidacy and her terms of call.

In order to hold a meeting, we will need a quorum of **40 voting members** of the congregation present in the sanctuary and via Zoom. All are welcome to attend, however only active members of GPC may vote.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS are dedicated to the glory of God. Given by Karen and Tom Tabor.

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

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 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.

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING IN ACTION February 5 & 12 after worship.

Please join in supporting the Souper Bowl of Caring by **donating one dollar or one item of food** for people in need. Benefits the Bread of Life Food Pantry.



ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE & ASHES TO GO

The season of Lent is fast approaching!

On **February 22nd** we have three options to receive ashes and to pray together.

At 12pm and 6pm, Pastor Sarah will be offering ashes to go in the portico driveway.

We will worship together at 7:30pm in the sanctuary, where ashes will also be imposed.

We look forward to seeing you there, Pastor Sarah



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

Marian Harrington

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

Margaret Wiegand

Atria at Cranberry Woods 3020 Fairport Lane Apt. 241 Cranberry Township, PA 16066 (724)776-2675 Birthday: May 21

Wilbert (Wib) Griffith

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

Ann Nicklas

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

THIS WEEK AT GLENSHAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

TODAY February 12, 2023

9:30 AM Adult Education in the Parlor

10:30 AM Worship Service

11:30 AM Congregational Meeting

12:00 AM Reception

MONDAY February 13, 2023

5:00 PM Early Learning Center Board Meeting

TUESDAY February 14, 2023

7:00 PM Deacons Meeting

7:00 PM Properties Committee Meeting

WEDNESDAY February 15, 2023

6:00 PM Music and Worship Meeting via Zoom

THURSDAY February 16, 2023

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

SUNDAY February 19, 2023

9:30 AM Adult Education in the Parlor

10:30 AM Worship Service

11:30 AM Fellowship in the Parlor

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	Class of 2024	Class of 2025
Ann Carlson	Alain Richardson	Alan Cridge
Betty Miller	Brian Helfferich	Mark Held
Bruce Raines	April Klein	Sherry Martin
Deb Vita	Chick Pfeiffer	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 Zankey, *Administrative Assistant*Fawn Pignoli, *Director of the GPC Early Learning Center*Frank Maksin, *Property Manager*Zachary Wall, *A/V Tech*

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