



# Glenshaw

## Presbyterian Church

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APRIL 23, 2023, 10:30 AM  
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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### GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

#### PRELUDE

*O Worship the King with Come, Now Is the Time to Worship*

arr. Carol Tornquist

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

† **CALL TO WORSHIP** Rev. Tom Clifton

I love the Lord!

**Because God has heard me and not ignored my cry.**

God has saved my life repeatedly!

**So my life belongs to God. I am God's child,**

**happy to sing of God's work in me.**

† **HYMN OF PRAISE** *O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!*

**Hymn 41**

† **CALL TO CONFESSION**

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

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord, you have given us all we need to live our lives, yet we seek more. We want new and different things or experiences. We bicker with our brothers and sisters forgetting that they too are made in your beautiful image. Our lives are overflowing with busyness, yet we are not filling them with your work. Open our eyes so that we may see you in our midst. Guide us as we seek to follow your way and will. Forgive us for wandering off your path and gently steer us back.

† **SILENT CONFESSION**

† **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

† **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 FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES**

### **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**FIRST READING**      **Luke 24:13-24**

**SECOND READING**      **Luke 24:25-35**

**SERMON**      Eye Opening Experiences      Rev. Emily Cooper

† **HYMN**      *Seek Ye First*      **Hymn 175**

† **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**      Apostle's 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

*Brethren, We Have Met to Worship*  
Chancel Choir

arr. Heather Sorenson

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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

Hymnal Page 35

## GO IN GOD'S NAME

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## SENDING HYMN

*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

## Hymn 260

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## CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

## Postlude on HYFRYDOL

arr. Theodore Ripper

## WORSHIP NOTES

## EASTER PARAMETERS

The Easter paraments depict a rising sun - one of many symbols for resurrection. The deep darkness of death is overcome by the new life promised on Easter day. The rising sun also evokes the story of that first Easter when, early in the morning, on the first day of the week (Sunday), disciples came to the empty tomb and a new day dawned!

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

### **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.

**VISITORS**, please **complete a visitor card found** in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. 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**

### **GPC BOOK CLUB**

All meetings at 7:00 p.m.

#### **May 3, 2023**

*The Vanishing Half* by Britt Bennett, 354 pages, (Jane Hackett),  
Hostess – Audrey Clifton, 412-213-0678, GPC Parlor

#### **June 7, 2023**

*One for the Blackbird, One for the Crow* by Olivia Hawker, 496 pages, (Sue Phillips), Hostess – Laura Davidson, 412-915-0633

#### **July 5, 2023**

*House Rules* by Jodi Picoult, 532 pages, (Audrey Clifton), Hostess – Karen Tabor, 412-576-8508, at K. Tabor's home.

**PER CAPITA** for 2022 is \$34.79

## **THE KENTUCKY DERBY WOMEN'S TEA** **hosted by the Deacons**

**May 6th** will be here before we know it! Save the date for the Kentucky Derby themed Southern Tea in the church parlor. Doors open at 11:15 a.m. and will begin at 11:30 a.m. running through 1:30 p.m. You will want to don that beautiful exquisite hat while enjoying tea sandwiches, scones, sweets for dessert, and of course TEA! Suggested donations for the event are \$20 per adult and \$10 for children through age 16. We will be taking reservations until **APRIL 30th** before and after church in the narthex. You may also call the church office to make your reservations. Invite your sisters, grandmas, grandchildren, nieces, neighbors, and friends in your life to join you for TEA!

## **DONATE TO THE GPC EARLY LEARNING CENTER THROUGH UNITED WAY**

Dear GPC Members,

Every day dozens of parents trust us with their children and we feel truly honored to have them in our Center. Last year the United Way added the Early Learning Center as an agency to accept donations. If you contribute to the United Way, you can now designate your contribution to the Glenshaw Presbyterian Church Early Learning Center. The code for the ELC is 17905449. Thank you for considering this. All funds received will be used to buy supplies, toys, etc. for the children.

Respectfully,  
Fawn Pignoli  
GPC ELC Director

## **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.

## **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

### **Grace Rihn**

1330 Lindbergh Ave  
Pittsburgh, PA 15223  
Birthdate: June 1st

### **Margaret Wiegand**

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

# **THIS WEEK AT GLENSHAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

## **TODAY**

**April 23, 2023**

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

## **TUESDAY**

**April 25, 2023**

- 11:00 AM Shaler Garden Club
- 7:00 PM Glenshaw Century Club Meeting

## **WEDNESDAY**

**April 26, 2023**

- 7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

## **SUNDAY**

**April 30, 2023**

- 9:30 AM Adult Education
- 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**

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. Emily Cooper, *Pastor*

Cell phone: 412-334-2730

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*

Zachary Wall, *A/V Tech*

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