



Glenshaw

Presbyterian Church

JULY 21, 2024, 10:30 AM
16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

The Lord's My Shepherd

arr. Heather Sorenson

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



CALL TO WORSHIP

George Missey

Christ says, come away to a deserted place and rest a while.

**God calls us to quiet and rest, even as we continue to minister
to those in need.**

Let us worship God!

Amen



HYMN OF PRAISE

I Need Thee Every Hour

Hymn 735



CALL TO CONFESSION

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

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God of green pastures, we confess that we can get so busy and distracted that we lose sight of your love and care for us. We forget to live in gratitude and fail to live lives of goodness and mercy. Forgive us, heal us, and lead us down gentle paths that restore our souls. Amen.

† **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

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

PSALM 23 *The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want* **Hymn 801**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING **Jeremiah 23:1-6**

SERMON Jeremiah: Looking for Good Shepherds Rev. Emily Cooper

† **HYMN** *Lead Me, Guide Me* **Hymn 740**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed **Hymnal Page 35**

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

*Please place your offering in the plate at the back of the sanctuary
as you exit after worship or consider giving online at www.glenshawchurch.org.*

OFFERTORY

How Beautiful
Sue Phillips, alto

Twila Paris

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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

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Hymn 65

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CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

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POSTLUDE

Postlude on *CWM RHONDDA*

arr. Theodore W. Ripper

WORSHIP NOTES

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!

PERSONAL PRIVACY DURING LIVESTREAM OF SUNDAY WORSHIP

It is important for our members, guests, and visitors to be aware that we livestream our worship service. If you are joining us for in person worship but prefer not to appear on the livestream video, we have 2 specific areas in the sanctuary where you can sit comfortably and not appear on the video. The first area is the left transept on the main floor and the second is the center balcony area. An usher will be happy to help you find these areas.

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."

CHILDREN'S CHRIST CANDLES

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REQUEST FOR ARTICLES FOR THE FALL SPIRIT OF THE GLEN

Hello ministry and event leaders,

Even though there is lots of summer left to enjoy, the Communication Committee is already planning for the fall issue of the Spirit of the Glen. Therefore, we are requesting that you send us an article about your event or ministry for the fall newsletter.

GUIDELINES FOR ARTICLES:

1. Please submit news of recent events or news and for the upcoming months of September, October and November.
2. Submit your articles to Jennifer at jennifer@glenshawchurch.org by Friday, August 9, 2024
3. Add any pictures or images that you would like to accompany your article.

We look forward to your articles. Thank you for your help and enjoy the rest of the summer!

The Communication Committee

Betty Miller, Doug Orr, and Carla Berg

PER CAPITA for 2024 is \$36.35.

WORSHIP AT THE AMPITHEATER HARTWOOD ACRES

The congregation at Glenshaw Presbyterian Church is invited to join Parkwood Church, Hampton Presbyterian, Elfinwild Presbyterian, and Glenshaw Valley Presbyterian in a service of worship surrounded by the beauty of Hartwood Acres on **Sunday, August 4!**

Please note that there will be no service at GPC that Sunday.

Pre-worship Concert 9:30 a.m.

Worship 10:00 a.m.

Bring a chair or blanket!

MEMORIAL TREES

If anyone is interested in Memorial Tree opportunities at the church, please contact the Properties Committee.

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.

LITURGISTS NEEDED

We need to expand our list of liturgist volunteers. Each Sunday we are grateful to everyone who aids in leading worship. One important role is that of liturgist. This person helps to lead the liturgy along with Pastor Emily. Any member is able to participate, as you don't need to be an Elder or Deacon to assist, and the liturgy text will be provided for you. **Please sign up today on the sheet in the narthex!**

IT'S SUMMERTIME BUNCO!

The Adult Fellowship Committee will be hosting Bunco on **Friday, July 26th** at 6:30 in the Parlor. If you plan to attend, please 1) put your name on the sign-up sheet in the narthex by July 21st, 2) bring a finger food or snack to share (beverages will be provided) and 3) bring a wrapped or gift bagged item for the prize table. Re-gifts & white elephants are highly encouraged, and only one item per couple. This event has always been a load of fun, great food, and interesting prizes, so looking forward to seeing new and seasoned players on July 26th!

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

Dr. Robert and Karen Ford

High Pointe at Rebecca Residence
1871 High Pointe Lane, Apt. 1306
Allison Park, PA 15101
724-939-3773
412-310-1655 (Bob cell)
412-480-1913 (Karen cell)

Ann Nicklas

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

Grace Rihn

1330 Lindbergh Ave
Pittsburgh, PA 15223
412-486-5788
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

July 21, 2024

10:30 AM Sunday Worship Service
11:30 AM Deacon's Bake Sale in the Parlor

FRIDAY

July 26, 2024

6:30 PM BUNCO Night

SUNDAY

July 28, 2024

10:30 AM Sunday Worship Service
11:30 AM Fellowship in the Parlor

**The Church Office is open during the summer
Monday through Wednesday 9 a.m. to 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 2024

Alain Richardson
Brian Helfferich
April Klein
Chick Pfeiffer

Class of 2025

Alan Cridge
Mark Held
Sherry Martin
Donna Walker

Class of 2026

Carla Berg
Ray Hack
Betty Miller
Tom Tabor

----- CHURCH STAFF -----

Rev. Emily Cooper, *Pastor*

Cell phone: 412-334-2730

Corinne Adkins, *Director of Music & Organist*

Lois Cridge, *Business Manager*

Jennifer Zanke, *Office Manager*

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

Frank Maksin, *Property Manager*

Lia Knight, *A/V Tech*

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