



*Glenshaw*  
Presbyterian Church

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SEPTEMBER 8, 2024, 10:30 AM  
23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

**PRELUDE**

*Children's Medley*

arr. Marilyn Ham

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Ray Hack

God's Word declares: "Honor your father and your mother,  
**so that your days may be long in the land the Lord your God is giving you."**

God's word declares: "I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in  
your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you."  
**We thank God for those who grandly love, nurture and lead.**



**HYMN OF PRAISE**

*God Is Here!*

**Hymn 409**



**CALL TO CONFESSION**

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

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God of favor, we have not been true to you. You have chosen the poor in the world, but we have dishonored them. You plead the cause of the afflicted, but we crush them. We have not loved our neighbors as much as ourselves. We have favored the rich and despised the poor. We have dismissed the needy with empty words. Soften our hearts and make straight our ways. Heal our unbelief and turn us back to you. 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**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**PSALM OF THE DAY**

**Psalm 146**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**

**James 2:1-17**

**SERMON**

Details Matter

Rev. Emily Cooper

† **HYMN**      *Christian People, Sing Together*

Please see page 5 of bulletin

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Apostles' Creed

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# 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](http://www.glenshawchurch.org).*

### OFFERTORY

*Jesus Love Me*  
Carillon Choir

arr. Douglas Wagner



### 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

*We Are One in the Spirit*

**Hymn 300**



### CHARGE AND BENEDICTION



### BENEDICTION RESPONSE

*Love the Lord Your God*

**Hymn 62**



### POSTLUDE

*Be Strong in the Lord*

arr. Donald Rotemund

## WORSHIP NOTES

**THE CHANCEL FLOWERS** are dedicated to the glory of God for the start of a new year.  
Given by Debbie Vita.

**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**

### **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!**

### **MEMORIAL TREES**

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

**PER CAPITA** for 2024 is \$36.35.

for Mark Edwards and the Celebrating Grace Hymnal Premiere, March 7-8, 2010, Atlanta, Georgia

# CHRISTIAN PEOPLE, SING TOGETHER

Words by  
MARJORIE DOBSON

Tune: **JUBILEE**, alt.  
from Ananias Davisson's  
*Supplement to the Kentucky Harmony*, 1820, alt.  
Harmonization by  
DONALD MURPHY (ASCAP)  
Arranged by  
DAVID SCHWOEBEL (ASCAP)

## CONGREGATION (in unison)

Choir 1. Chris - tian peo - ple, sing to - geth - er,  
Choir 2. God cre - at - ed count - less fac - es,  
Choir 3. Teach us, Lord, to trust each oth - er,  
Cong. 4. Chris - tian peo - ple, sing to - geth - er,

all u - nit - ed in one voice. Though we come from -  
yet in Christ we all are one. Though we look from -  
though our ways are not the same. As you call us -  
all u - nit - ed in one voice. Though we come from -

man - y cul - tures, yet in Christ we all re - joice.  
man - y an - gles, all our views re - flect the Son.  
to Your pur - pose, bless our work - ing in Your name.  
man - y cul - tures, yet in Christ we all re - joice.

In our dai - ly lives we're scat - tered, serv - ing God in  
So we bring each gift and tal - ent, of - f'ring what we  
In the world of dai - ly liv - ing each u - nique - ly  
In our dai - ly lives we're scat - tered, serv - ing God in

va - rious ways. Then in wor - ship we're u - nit - ed  
have to share, and God blends us all to - geth - er  
serves Your will. Show how ev - 'ry per - son mat - ters  
va - rious ways. Then in wor - ship we're u - nit - ed

giv - ing Him our thanks and praise.  
in one bod - y of His care.  
as our call - ing we fill -  
giv - ing Him our thanks and praise.

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## **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**

**September 8, 2024**

9:30 AM Adult Sunday School  
10:30 AM Sunday Worship Service  
11:30 AM All Church Luncheon

## **MONDAY**

**September 9, 2024**

5:00 PM Early Learning Center Board Meeting  
6:30 PM Personnel Meeting via Zoom

## **TUESDAY**

**September 10, 2024**

6:30 PM Properties Committee Meeting

## **WEDNESDAY**

**September 11, 2024**

7:00 PM Music and Worship Meeting

## **THURSDAY**

**September 12, 2024**

5:30 PM The Neighborhood Table  
6:30 PM Carillon Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

## **SUNDAY**

**September 15, 2024**

9:30 AM Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary  
9:30 AM Adult Sunday School  
10:30 AM Sunday Worship Service  
11:30 AM Fellowship in the Parlor

**The Church Office is open  
Monday through Thursday 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 2025**

Alan Cridge  
Mark Held  
Sherry Martin  
Donna Walker

#### **Class of 2026**

Carla Berg  
Ray Hack  
Betty Miller  
Tom Tabor

#### **Class of 2027**

Larry Bock  
April Klein  
Chick Pfeiffer  
Alain Richardson

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

Rev. Emily Cooper, *Pastor*

Cell phone: 412-334-2730

Corinne Adkins, *Director of Music & Organist*

Lois Cridge, *Business Manager*

Jennifer Zankey, *Office Manager*

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

Frank Maksin, *Property Manager*

Lia Knight, *A/V Tech*

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