



Glenshaw

Presbyterian Church

OCTOBER 13, 2024, 10:30 AM
26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

In the Garden

C. Austin Miles
arr. Mark Hayes

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



CALL TO WORSHIP

Kip Fowler

Seek good and not evil; seek the Lord and live!
May the Lord our God be with us.
Seek good and not evil, that justice may prevail.
May the Lord our God show us grace.



HYMN OF PRAISE

Fight the Good Fight

Hymn 846



CALL TO CONFESSION

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

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God of justice and mercy, we confess that we put ourselves first and trust in things that will not last. We desire evil and scorn good; we gather up power and wealth and push aside the needy in our way. Lord, be gracious to us in spite of our great sin. Teach us to love your justice and share in your mercy. Help us to seek the treasure of heavenly life with you, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

† **SILENT CONFESSION**

† **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Hear the good news! As people born of water and the Spirit we have died to the old life, and a new life has begun. God's grace is poured out upon us day by day. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! **Thanks be to God.**

† **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 90:12-17**

NEW TESTAMENT READING **Mark 10:17-31**

SERMON Just Start Rev. Emily Cooper

† **HYMN** *Come, Labor On* **Hymn 719**

† **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

Savior, Keep Me Close to Thee
Chancel Choir

Patricia Mock
arr. Brad Nix



DOXOLOGY

Hymn 606

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

SHARING THE JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE THE LORD'S PRAYER

Hymnal Page 35

GO IN GOD'S NAME



SENDING HYMN

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

Hymn 700



CHARGE AND BENEDICTION



BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Love the Lord Your God

Hymn 62



POSTLUDE

Little Postlude in G

Carl Philipp Emmanuel Bach
arr. By Steven Scott

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

THE EARLY LEARNING CENTER IS LOOKING FOR BEFORE & AFTER CARE HELP

The Glenshaw Presbyterian Church Early Learning Center is looking for Before & After Care help from 7a.m. - 9a.m. and 3p.m. -5:30 p.m. This would be a paid, part-time position and would require all clearances to work with children. For more information please contact our director, **Fawn Pignoli** at fawn@glenshawchurch.org or Pastor Emily.

JOINT YOUTH BOWLING EVENT

We will be holding a joint youth bowling event with Heritage Presbyterian Church in the GPC bowling alley on **October 20** from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Open to all kids, k-12. Please email Jennifer in the church office at Jennifer@glenshawchurch.org to RSVP by Wednesday, **October 16!**

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!

PER CAPITA for 2024 is \$36.35.

REQUESTING ARTICLES FOR THE WINTER SPIRIT OF THE GLEN ISSUE

Dear Ministry and Event Leaders,

Even though fall is only half over, the Communication Committee is planning ahead and requesting articles for the winter Spirit of the Glen. Your input is what makes our newsletter informative and creative! The guidelines for the articles are as follows:

the articles should be about recent events and activities or those that are coming up in the months of November, December, January, and February.

- Try to keep the length of your articles to about 300 words.
- Submit your articles to Jennifer Guffey at jennifer@glenshawchurch.org by **Friday, November 3, 2024**.
- Submit any pictures that you would like to accompany your articles.
- Please ask the Communication Committee if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

The Communication Committee

Doug Orr, Carla Berg and Betty Miller

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

On **November 3**, the first Sunday of the month, we will celebrate All Saints' Sunday.

It will be a full service with communion and a time of remembrance for the members of our congregation who have passed away in the last year. This meaningful Sunday is one where we remember with gratitude the people who have gone before us. It is a wonderful way to start off this month focused on thankfulness.

In addition to memorializing those members, we are asking the congregation to send us the names of their dearly departed friends and family who have also been lost this past year so that they may be included in our service. Please send these names to Emily by **Sunday, October 27**.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR 2ND ANNUAL "TRUNK OR TREAT" AND HAVE SOME FUN?

GPC will be holding our second TRUNK OR TREAT event in the parking lot on

October 26 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. We are looking for members who would like to participate in passing out goodies to children from their trunk. Last year we have over 60 children participate! Please email Jennifer in the church office at Jennifer@glenshawchurch.org to let us know if you would like to join us for this fun event. Thank you!

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	October 13, 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
MONDAY	October 14, 2024
	5:00 PM Early Learning Center Board Meeting
TUESDAY	October 15, 2024
	6:30 PM Session Meeting
THURSDAY	October 17, 2024
	6:30 PM Carillon Choir Rehearsal
	7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal
SUNDAY	October 20, 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
	2:00 PM Joint Youth Bowling Event

**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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