





# SERVING THE LORD IN THE NURSERY

Sunday, March 31

11:00 A.M. Anna Franks, Savannah Saruse and Grace Shaddix

5:00 P.M. Fellowship Gathering

Sunday, April 7

11:00 A.M. Melanie Saruse, Jackie Young, Shayna Lightfoot6:00 P.M. Lyndsey Cunningham, Kathie Mays, Charity Lamb



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# WELCOME TO GLEN IRIS BAPTIST CHURCH

We want you to know that we have prayed for you and that we have asked the Lord to bring to our fellowship those to whom we can minister. We trust that you will feel welcomed, that you will be encouraged by worshiping with us, and that you will be a guest of ours again soon. If we can be of assistance to you, we would count it an honor. We desire to minister to you in any way possible. If any of us can be of help to you, please call the church office at 323-1516. Thank you for coming!

# **OUR PURPOSE**

At Glen Iris, we desire to honor and glorify the Lord Jesus Christ in all that we do. We endeavor to accomplish this by obeying His Word in the following areas: offering the sacrifice of praise, giving thanks to His name continually with the fruit of our lips, doing good and sharing our gifts and abilities, assembling together regularly for worship and instruction in righteousness, and encouraging one another unto love and good works. Our burden is to take the gospel to every creature, in the various ways made available to us. This, we believe, is accomplished by holding fast the faithful Word in teaching sound doctrine (Hebrews 13:15-17; Mark 16:15; Titus 1:9).

# **OUR CHURCH MINISTRIES**

Missionaries Worldwide	Music Ministry		
Glen Iris Baptist School	Bus Ministry		
WGIB Radio (91.9 FM)	Youth Ministry		
WQEM Radio (101.5 FM)	Special Needs Ministry		
WAY Television (Channel 47)	Benevolence Ministry		
Website (www.gleniris.net)	AWANA Youth Program		
Gospel Outreach and Visitation	Blazers for Christ Ministry		
Jail Ministry	Highland Manor Ministry		

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# **WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

#### SUNDAY

Prayer Meeting - 9:30 A.M. Sunday School - 10:00 A.M. Worship Service - 11:00 A.M. Special Needs Service - 11:00 A.M. Sweet Singers Practice – 5:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting – 5:00 P.M.
Adult Choir Practice – 5:00 P.M.
Evening Service – 6:00 P.M.

#### WEDNESDAY

AWANA Youth Program (K4-12th Grade) - 6:45 P.M. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study - 7:00 P.M.

#### **THURSDAY**

Blazers for Christ Bible Study - 8:15 P.M.

# SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday school is an important time, dedicated to delving into the Word of God to find all the treasures God has for us there. Our Sunday school teachers systematically teach through the Scriptures each week, line upon line, precept upon precept. There is a Bible class for each age group, and a list of all classes and their locations can be found in the church vestibule.

# SUNDAY MORNING & EVENING SERVICES

God has mandated the preaching of the gospel (Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15; Luke 24:47; John 20:21). Because we believe that a service should be designated for this purpose, we usually set aside Sunday morning for this important ministry. The teaching ministry of the shepherd is equally important for the equipping of the saints for the work of the ministry. Establishing believers in sound doctrine is best achieved by an expository teaching ministry. Sunday evening is devoted to this purpose.

# **MIDWEEK SERVICE**

The midweek service is always a refreshing time of Bible study and prayer. On Wednesday evenings at 7:00, line upon line our pastor teaches the truths found in God's Word. Please do not miss what the Lord has for you at this important weekly meeting of our church.

# **SERMON NOTES**

Date:	Text:	
Speaker:		
Title:		

# COME BEFORE HIS PRESENCE WITH SINGING

PSALM 100:2

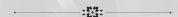


#### MORNING

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name 43
In Christ Alone Screen
I Exalt Thee 31

We earnestly ask that every sincere worshiper will enter the auditorium in an attitude of reverence, silencing electronic devices, and as the prelude music begins, to prayerfully seek the Lord's face and blessing.

Please join in the congregational singing, carefully considering what is being taught in the song and, above all, being concerned to worship the Lord in spirit and in truth.



"LET EVERYTHING THAT HATH BREATH PRAISE THE LORD. PRAISE YE THE LORD." PSALM 150:6

# CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER NEEDS

#### **Health Needs**

Braxton Adams Cathy Davis Pearl Marcus
Janet Brock Jerry Dickey Stan Waits
Robert Crocker Jackie Lightfoot Sheryl Woodward

#### Home/Nursing Home-Bound

Mary Sue Allen Montez Haley Geraldine Sizemore
Robert Duke Marlene Jackson Bette Talley
Lou Rutherford

# **Special Requests**

Pam Mascoe (sister-in-law of Barbara Leon) – diagnosed with lung cancer Lou Rutherford – diagnosed with terminal cancer Pastor Larry Wilhite (father of GIBS alumni) – diagnosed with ALS

# MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

#### The Ashley Family

Missionaries to Puerto Rico

- Pray for funds to complete building repairs.
- Pray we can reach the Girls' Club families with the Gospel.

# A BAPTIST CATECHISM

## Question 102:

Are the infants of professing believers to be baptized?

#### Answer:

The infants of believers are not to be baptized because there is neither command nor example in the Holy Scriptures nor implication from them to baptize such. But baptism is made an expression of faith. (Colossians 2:12; 1 Peter 3:21; Galatians 3:26, 27)

# **EMAIL MAILING LIST**

If you would like to receive periodic updates and reminders of upcoming events, please email Jonathan Dickey at jdickey@gleniris.net, and request to be placed on the mailing list.

# HIGHLIGHTS FROM OUR TWITTER FEED

A broken heart and a broken Christ do well agree. The more bitterness we taste in sin, the more sweetness we shall taste in Christ. —Thomas Watson

Silence in the face of evil, is evil itself. Not to speak is to speak. Not to act is to act. –Dietrich Bonhoeffer

There is no evangelism without words. -Mack Stiles

Self-emptiness prepares us for spiritual fullness. –Richard Sibbes

A god who is all love, all grace, all mercy, no sovereignty, no justice, no holiness, and no wrath is an idol. –R. C. Sproul

Let the joy of the Lord, dear brothers and sisters in Christ, be your protection against temptation. –C. H. Spurgeon

Oh, let us keep an eye continually upon our private devotions. Here is the pith and marrow of our practical Christianity.

–J. C. Ryle

When God asks us to do something, He enables us to do it.

—Erwin Lutzer

The riches of His free grace cause me daily to triumph over all the temptations of the wicked one. –George Whitefield

Not one detail works ultimately for evil to the people of God; in the end, only good will be their lot. –John Murray

The Bible never says to manage temptation. It says to flee it.

—Matt Smethurst

A little thing is a little thing, but faithfulness in little things is a very great thing. —A. Carmichael

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