

EARNESTLY CONTENDING  
FOR  
**THE FAITH**  
STUDIES IN THE BOOK OF JUDE  
WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AT 7:00

**Awana  
CLUBS**

**YOUTH BIBLE  
PROGRAM**

WEDNESDAYS 6:45 P.M.  
K4-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADES

**Godly Living**  
*in the* **Last Days**  
SUNDAY EVENINGS AT 6:00

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# The Lord's Day

GLEN IRIS BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, JANUARY 10, 2021

*"But if I tarry long, that thou mayest  
know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in  
the house of God, which is the church of the  
living God, the pillar and ground of the truth."*

1 Timothy 3:15

## 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 ( <a href="http://www.gleniris.net">www.gleniris.net</a> )	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.	Sweet Singers Practice - 5:00 P.M.
Sunday School - 10:00 A.M.	Prayer Meeting - 5:00 P.M.
Worship Service - 11:00 A.M.	Adult Choir Practice - 5:00 P.M.
Special Needs Service - TBA	Evening Service - 6:00 P.M.

#### WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study - 7:00 P.M.  
AWANA Youth Bible Program - 6:45 P.M.

#### THURSDAY

Blazers for Christ Bible Study - 6:00 P.M. @ 3 Glen Iris Park S.

### 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.



## MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

**Bill and Sandy Younger**

*Good Shepherd Ministries - Milot, Haiti*

- Pray for God to increase support for Bill and Sandy as the value of the US dollar in Haiti has dropped dramatically.
- Pray for the gospel to be spread far and wide through the efforts of the Good Shepherd Ministries.

## SERVING THE LORD IN THE NURSERY

**Sunday, January 10**

**11:00 A.M.** Cherri Lightfoot, Brooke Booth, Lanie Saruse

**6:00 P.M.** Donna Hancock, Robin Babin, Anna Young

**Sunday, January 17**

**11:00 A.M.** Anna Johnson, Beth Carver, Laine Ferrill

**6:00 P.M.** Mary Beth Garrison, Sara Young, Melanie Saruse

## THANK YOU

Dear Glen Iris Family,

AMAZING, beautiful, so sweet—these are words my grandchildren and I expressed as the carolers from Glen Iris surprised us before Christmas. Thank you, young people and leaders, for the heart-touching carols and overflowing fruit basket. God used you to bring much joy to others.

In Christ,  
Patti Raymond

## WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETING

Each Wednesday evening we gather at 7:00 for a precious time of corporate prayer. After Bible study, we pray over our missionaries, students, ministries, requests sent to us, and most importantly, for God to work in our midst. We are seeing glorious answers to our prayers. One of the marks of a true New Testament church is to continue "steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers." May the Lord continue to bless the most important time of our week.

## Notable Quotes

"If all of your prayers today were answered tomorrow, how many of your friends would be saved?" —Hanz Heinrich

"Prayer is the way and means God has appointed for the communication of the blessings of His goodness to His people." —A. W. Pink

"Only through filling our minds with the Word and living in obedience to its principles can those [sinful] patterns be changed." —John MacArthur

"Neglect of private prayer is the locust which devours the strength of the church." —C. H. Spurgeon

"Resolved to live with all my might, while I do live."  
—Jonathan Edwards

"A spiritual and saving knowledge of God is the greatest need of every human creature." —A. W. Pink

"God hath ordained that we should be saved by grace that He might have the praise and glory of our salvation."  
—John Bunyan

"The true gospel is a call to self-denial. It is not a call to self-fulfillment." —John MacArthur

"Without the Spirit of God, we can do nothing. We are as ships without wind. We are useless." —C. H. Spurgeon

"At the core of any healthy congregation is a vibrant exposition of God's Word." —Steven Lawson

"Prayer is the shovel that digs up the promises of God."  
—Scott Swain

"Let us resolve to read the Bible more and more every year we live. Let us try to get it rooted in our memories, and into our hearts." —J. C. Ryle