

"We shall never see much change for the better in our churches in general till the prayer meeting occupies a higher place in the esteem of Christians."

—C. H. Spurgeon

HOW DO YOU ESTEEM OUR PRAYER MEETING?

WE HAVE ADDED TWO NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES!

The **Young Couples' Class**, taught by Brian Babin, is designed for those who are newly-married or who have young children. Issues concerning family life and child-rearing will be the focus as well as providing an encouraging community for those in this stage of life.

This class meets in the library of the educational building.

The **Men's Bible Class** is taught by Rob Ferrill and is open to all men, no matter what stage of life. It meets in Classroom 2 in the educational building.

EMAIL MAILING LIST

If you would like to receive periodic updates and reminders of upcoming events, please send an email to info@gleniris.net, and request to be placed on the email mailing list.

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The Lord's Day

GLEN IRIS BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2021

*Blessed be he that cometh in the name
of the Lord: we have blessed you out of
the house of the Lord.*

Psalms 118:26

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 16)	Benevolence Ministry
Website (www.gleniris.net)	AWANA Youth Program
Gospel Outreach and Visitation	Young Adults 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

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

THURSDAY

Young Adults 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.

SERVING THE LORD IN THE NURSERY

Sunday, September 26

11:00 A.M. Kimmie Ferrill, Katie Lyn McKinney, Rebekah Franks

6:00 P.M. Hannah Saruse, Anna Young, Mabel Otamias

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Dave and Kathy Cook

Missionaries/Church Planters

- Please pray for the hearts of those with whom we've shared the gospel to be opened.
- Pray that God would give us an open door into Canada.

RENOVATIONS

- The new flooring for the downstairs of the church has been delivered and will be installed soon. We still need funds for painting downstairs. Funds for the much-needed school roof are at the halfway point, \$36,000. Please help us pray for these funds to be given.
- The new ladies' rest room in the educational building is to be finished soon.
- We praise the Lord for these provisions and thank Him for givers and volunteers.

SCHEDULED PRAYER MEETINGS

Wednesday 7:00 P.M. – Auditorium

Sunday 9:30 A.M. – School Library

5:00 P.M. – Classroom at bottom of stairs

Notable Quotes

Prayer is not so much an act as it is an attitude, an attitude of dependency upon God. –A. W. Pink

Everybody wants to enjoy heaven after they die, but they don't want to be heavenly-minded while they live. –D. L. Moody

I have found that there are three stages in every great work of God: first, it is impossible, then it is difficult, then it is done. –Hudson Taylor

Christian teaching is not meant to be applied only when circumstances are easy. Christianity is to be lived out even under the most trying of circumstances. –Leon Morris

Where one thousand are destroyed by the world's frowns, ten thousand are destroyed by the world's smiles. The world, siren-like, sings us and sinks us. –Thomas Brooks

Regular expository preaching of the Bible is the staple diet of a healthy church. –Alistair Begg

Jesus did not die to increase our self-esteem. Rather, Jesus died to bring glory to the Father by redeeming people from the curse of sin. –Ed Welch

What do we call it when a person no longer has a heartbeat or brain waves? Death. What should we call it when there is a heartbeat and there are brain waves? Life. That every abortion ends a human life is a scientifically certain fact. –Randy Alcorn

Common to all leaders used by God is a willingness to faithfully endure hardship. It's His appointed means for our growth. –Collin Hansen

Don't ever allow your problems to define your theology. Reverse it. Always make sure your theology is framing your problems. –Cary Schmidt



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