

# Poinsettia Gifts

The poinsettias adorning our auditorium this Christmas season are given in memory or in honor of loved ones. If you would like to designate a poinsettia, please put this information on an offering envelope and place it in the offering plate. The price for a poinsettia is \$25. Following is a list of those remembered and honored by these gifts to date.

## In Memory of:

John and Sarah O'Neal Lamb - Pastor's parents  
Dr. Jack LeGrand - Kathi's father  
Jesse David Lamb - grandson  
James Ferguson Lamb - grandson  
Jenna Elizabeth Lamb - granddaughter  
Jureda Sullivan - a dear friend  
Jerry Dickey - Jonathan's father  
Alice Randolph  
Dr. Maree Blackwell  
Jerry Dickey - husband  
Doris Miller (Cissy) - sister  
Donald William Graham - Christy's father

## Given by:

Chris and Kathi Lamb  
Jonathan and Leah Dickey  
Gloria Randolph  
Gloria Randolph  
Joyce Dickey  
Joyce Dickey  
Bill and Christy Henson

## In Honor of:

Ramona Jean H. Graham - Christy's mother

## Given by:

Bill and Christy Henson

### SCHEDULE CHANGE FOR THIS EVENING

In an effort to help families spend time together during this special time of year, we will not be meeting for an evening service.  
Merry Christmas to you and yours!



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# The Lord's Day

GLEN IRIS BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2021

Good  
Tidings of  
Great Joy

## 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 ( <a href="http://www.gleniris.net">www.gleniris.net</a> )	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 - 6:30 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.



## 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.

## 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

## MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

### Becky Patterson

*Bethesda Home for Tribal Children*

- Please pray for God's grace for Becky during this difficult time at the passing of her husband, Mike.
- Pray for God's continued blessings on the ministry Mike and Becky have poured their lives into over the years.

## EMAIL MAILING LIST

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

## Notable Quotes

Sin doesn't love us. It tries to use us, abuse us, enslave us, control us, and ultimately destroy us. Sin takes from us and gives nothing in return. –Tim Chester

Our responsibility is to get God's word to their ears. Only God can get the Word from their ears to their hearts. –Al Mohler

One of the great uses of Facebook and Twitter will be for God to prove your prayerless life wasn't for a lack of time.  
–John Piper

The real Jesus says, "I'm not going to give you the desires of your heart. I'm going to reorient the desires of your heart."  
–Sean DeMars

Suffering is common for all; however, persecution (which is a form of suffering) can be avoided. All you have to do is compromise.  
–Voddie Baucham

To desire revival...and at the same time to neglect (personal) prayer and devotion is to wish one way and walk another.  
–A. W. Tozer

Chief among the besetting sins of the saints is hearing without doing. –Vance Havner

Christ on the cross saves us when He becomes to us Christ in the heart. –C. H. Spurgeon

A man ought to live so that everybody knows he is a Christian... and most of all, his family ought to know. –D. L. Moody

It is what Jesus is, not what we are, that gives rest to the soul  
–C. H. Spurgeon

I can tell you that there is no greater joy than leading someone to faith in Jesus Christ. Even if they reject your message, it still feels great to obey Christ. Yet regardless of how we feel, we need to remember this is what He has commanded.  
–D. James Kennedy



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