

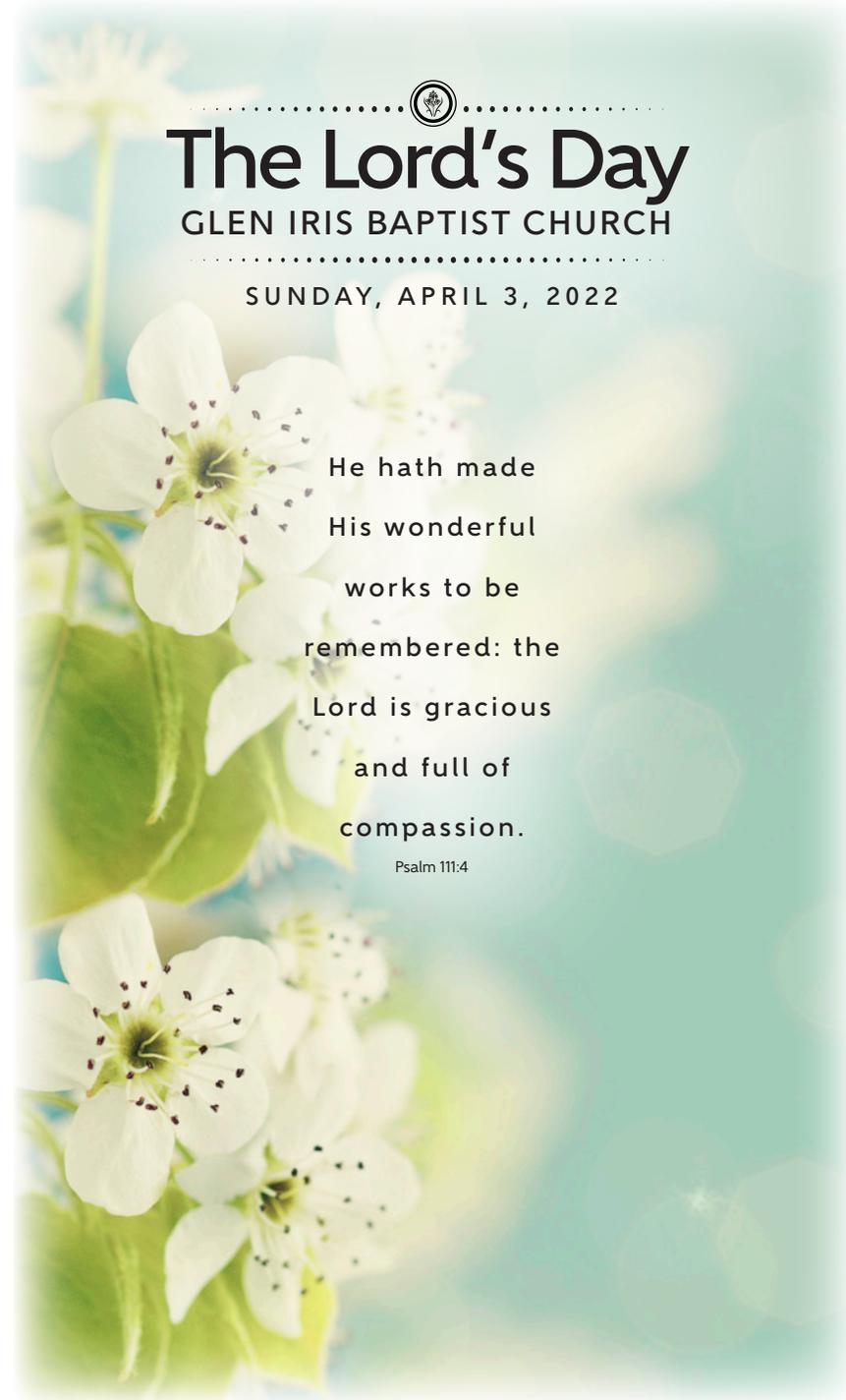


**Vacation  
Bible  
School**

**July  
11-15**



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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 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.
Adult Choir Practice - 10:45 A.M.	Adult Choir Practice - 5:00 P.M.
Worship Service - 11:00 A.M.	Evening Service - 6:00 P.M.

#### WEDNESDAY

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



## NEW LADIES' BIBLE CLASS

We are re-launching our Ladies' Bible Class, meeting on Sunday mornings at 10:00 A.M. in the classroom downstairs beside the choir room and kitchen.

For many years the ladies' class was under the careful and excellent oversight of Gayle Waits. Due to health limitations, Gayle is not able to return to this ministry. She has been a faithful Bible teacher for this class, and we give honor where honor is due to her longevity and passion.

Thank you, Gayle! Your reward is great.

Cathy Davis will be assuming this teaching post. We appreciate her willingness and excitement in this new assignment and new season in her life.

Pray for these precious ladies. We encourage all ladies not already in a class to make this one your home each week.

**This new ladies' class begins today!**

## 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.

## 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

If you have not chosen the kingdom of God first, it will in the end make no difference what you have chosen instead.

—William Law

Whatever God makes, He owns. —R. C. Sproul

A sin consists in doing, saying, thinking, or imagining anything that is not in perfect conformity with the mind and law of God."

—J. C. Ryle

Do not work so hard for Christ that you have no strength to pray, for prayer requires strength. —Hudson Taylor

There is mercy enough in God, and merit enough in Christ, for the forgiving of the greatest sins and sinners. —Matthew Henry

God's Word has always been His chosen instrument to create, convict, convert, and conform His people. —Mark Dever

Cold water of persecution is often thrown on the church's face to fetch her to herself when she is in a swoon of indolence or pride.

—C. H. Spurgeon

The most hateful thing we can do is not call sin what God calls sin. —Burk Parsons

No sinner was ever saved by giving his heart to God. We are not saved by our giving; we are saved by God's giving. —A. W. Pink

Revival tarries because we lack urgency in prayer.

—Leonard Ravenhill

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

—Hudson Taylor

Whatever you prioritize before God, you'll lose. —J. D. Greear



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