

## Where Are You on Wednesday Evenings?

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.

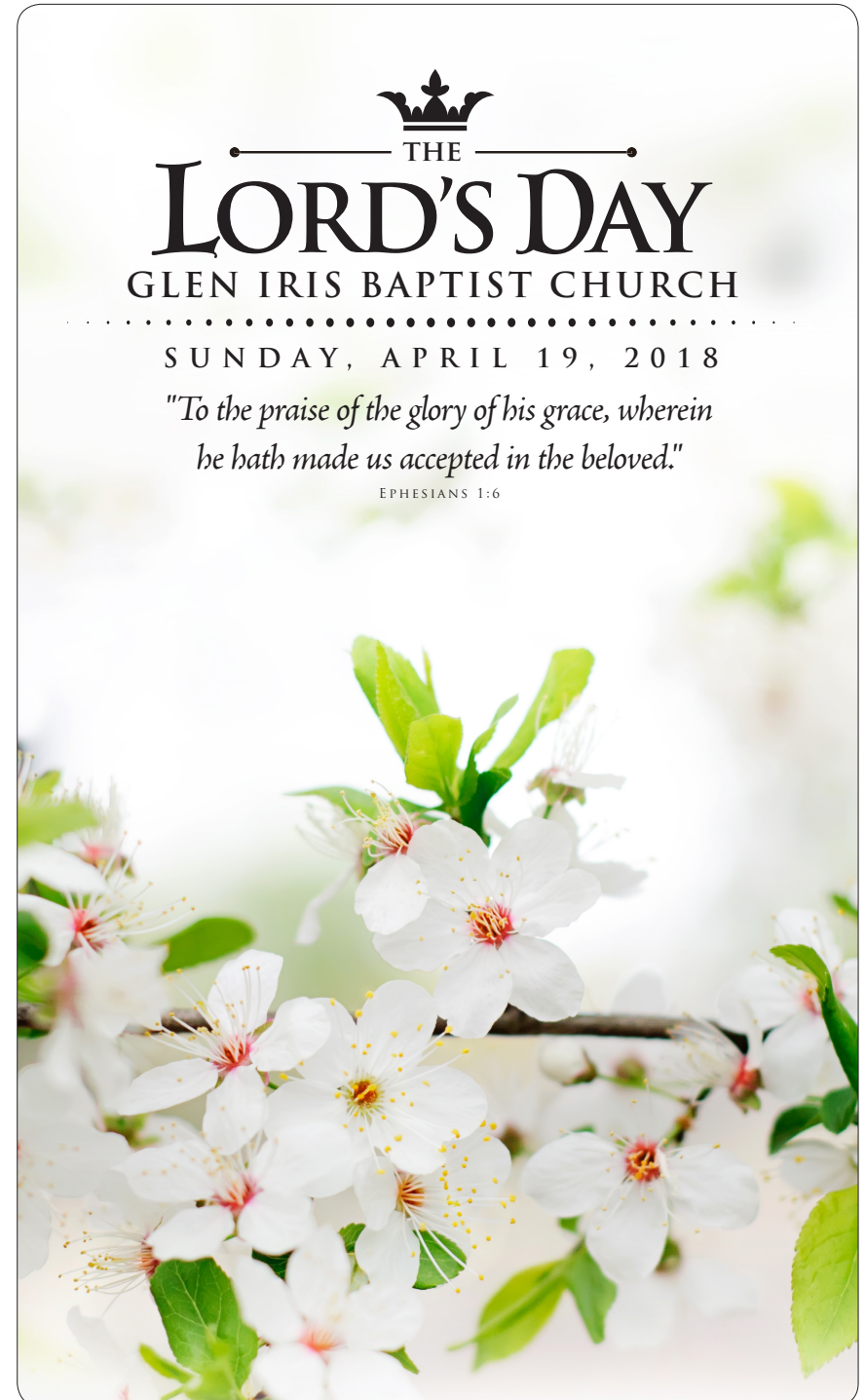


## Church Constitution and Bylaws

Your church leadership is ready to present to the congregation a much-needed updated Constitution and Bylaws. The document will be released soon for our membership to read and study and will be voted on by the membership in a church meeting on Sunday, June 24, after the morning worship service. Please be in prayer for the Lord's guidance as we work together through this important process.

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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	Bus Ministry
Glen Iris Baptist School	Children's Church
WGIB Radio (91.9 FM)	Youth Ministry
WQEM Radio (101.5 FM)	Senior Saints' Ministry
WAY TV (Channels 47 & 15)	Ministry to Our Special People
Website ( <a href="http://www.gleniris.net">www.gleniris.net</a> )	Benevolence Ministry
Gospel Outreach & Visitation	AWANA Youth Program
Jail Ministry	Ladies' Ministry
Music Ministry	Highland Manor Ministry
Nursing Home Ministry	Princeton Towers 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.
Children's Service - 11:00 A.M.	Evening Service - 6:00 P.M.

#### WEDNESDAY

AWANA & CIA Bible Program (K4-12th Grade) - 6:45 P.M.
Prayer Meeting & Bible Study - 7:00 P.M.
Blazers for Christ Collegiate 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

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### SONG SELECTIONS FOR WORSHIP

#### MORNING

82	Praise the Lord, Ye Heavens Adore Him
8	Come, Thou Almighty King
Screen	Arise, My Soul, Arise

#### EVENING

Screen	Brethren, We Have Me to Worship
518	Satisfied
211	Let There Be Praise

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

## HIGHLIGHTS FROM OUR TWITTER FEED

"The ultimate end of study is that you may think great thoughts about God." -Paul Washer

"Your phone is a wonderful tool but a terrible master." -John Dyer

"Because God is a God of truth who does not speak falsehood, His Word is also true and incapable of error." -John MacArthur

"He sustains all, but is Himself independent of all. He gives to all, but is enriched by none." -A. W. Pink

"We are going away to another country; you are, as it were, only lodging here for a night..." -Jeremiah Burroughs

"Men must either part with their pride and good opinion of themselves, or they must part with the hope of a blessed eternity." -William Plumer

"Humility is a rare grace. Whœver is little in his own account is always great in God's esteem." -Thomas Brooks

"The fact of God is necessary for the fact of man. Think God away and man has no ground of existence." -A. W. Tozer

"The resurrection was the Father's 'Amen' to the Son's 'It is finished!'" -S. Lewis Johnson

"Christ has recommended rising early in the morning by His rising from the grave very early." -Jonathan Edwards

"A day without prayer is a day I've told God I can live without Him." -Bill Elliff

"Fighting sheep are strange animals, and fighting Christians are self-evident contradictions." -C. H. Spurgeon

"Could a mariner sit idle if he heard the drowning cry? Can you sit at ease in Zion with the world around you damned?" -Leonard Ravenhill

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## A BAPTIST CATECHISM

### Question 54:

What are we especially taught by these words, "before me," in the first commandment?

### Answer:

These words, "before me," in the first commandment teach us that God, who sees all things, takes notice of and is much displeased with the sin of having any other God (*Deuteronomy 30:17, 18; Psalm 44:20-21; 90:8*).

## NEW MEMBERS

We welcome into our fellowship Kyle and Melissa Ward, received at the Lord's Table last Sunday evening.

## RADIO NEED

We have a pressing need of \$3,000 to get our Jasper translator tower up and running. The deadline is this month. Please join us in prayer about this need. Mark gifts as "Jasper Translator."

## EMAIL MAILING LIST

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

## SERVING THE LORD IN THE NURSERY

### Sunday, April 22

**11:00 A.M.** Lisa Barrick, Robin Babin, Anna Johnson

**6:00 P.M.** Brenda Raiford, Mary Beth Garrison, Charity Lamb

### Sunday, April 29

**11:00 A.M.** Lyndsey Cunningham, Melissa Ward, Shawwna Smith

**5:00 P.M.** Fifth Sunday Fellowship