

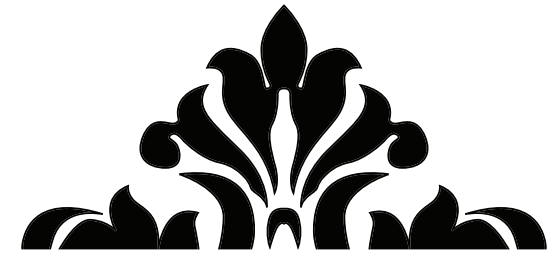
"THEIR PRAYER CAME UP TO HIS HOLY DWELLING
PLACE. EVEN UNTO HEAVEN."

II CHRONICLES 30:27

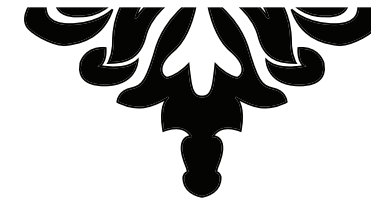


PRAYER is the never-failing resort of the Christian in any case, in every plight. When you cannot use your sword, you may take to the weapon of all-prayer. Your powder may be damp, your bow-string may be relaxed, but the weapon of all-prayer need never be out of order. Leviathan laughs at the javelin, but he trembles at prayer. Sword and spear need furbishing, but prayer never rusts, and when we think it most blunt, it cuts the best. Prayer is an open door which none can shut. Devils may surround you on all sides, but the way upward is always open, and as long as that road is unobstructed, you will not fall into the enemy's hand. We can never be taken by blockade, escalade, mine, or storm, so long as heavenly succors can come down to us by Jacob's ladder to relieve us in the time of our necessities. Prayer is never out of season: in summer and in winter its merchandize is precious. Prayer gains audience with heaven in the dead of night, in the midst of business, in the heat of noonday, in the shades of evening. In every condition, whether of poverty, or sickness, or obscurity, or slander, or doubt, your covenant God will welcome your prayer and answer it from His holy place. Nor is prayer ever futile. True prayer is evermore true power. You may not always get what you ask, but you shall always have your real wants supplied. When God does not answer His children according to the letter, He does so according to the spirit. If thou askest for coarse meal, wilt thou be angered because He gives thee the finest flour? If thou seekest bodily health, shouldst thou complain if instead thereof He makes thy sickness turn to the healing of spiritual maladies? Is it not better to have the cross sanctified than removed? This evening, my soul, forget not to offer thy petition and request, for the Lord is ready to grant thee thy desires.

Taken from C.H. Spurgeon's *Morning and Evening*



GLEN IRIS
BAPTIST CHURCH



PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY
WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018

*"Even them will I bring to my holy
mountain, and make them joyful in my
house of prayer: their burnt offerings and
their sacrifices shall be accepted upon mine
altar; for mine house shall be called an
house of prayer for all people."*

ISAIAH 56:7

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THE BIBLICAL PATTERN FOR PRAYER



*"And he said unto them, This kind can come forth
by nothing, but by prayer and fasting."*

Mark 9:29

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 Television (Channel 47)	Ministry to Our Special People
Website (www.gleniris.net)	Benevolence Ministry
Visitation & Gospel Outreach	AWANA/CIA Programs
Jail Ministry	Blazers for Christ Ministry
Music Ministry	Highland Manor Ministry
Nursing Home Ministry	Princeton Towers Ministry
Gospel of John Distribution	Monroe Home Ministry

TEACHERS AND WORKERS

Kathi Lamb & Leah Dickey—Nursery	LeGrand Lamb—Sunday School of the Air
Josh & Ashley Wilson—K4, K5	Gayle Waits—Just for Moms Class
Mabel Otamias—1st, 2nd	Joy Garrison—Special Adults Class
Charlotte Thornton—1st, 2nd	Ron & Sandy Haas—Children's Church
Valerie Rueckert—3rd, 4th, 5th	Cathy Davis—Primary Church
Jackie Young—3rd, 4th, 5th	Paul & Donna Hancock—Primary Church
Sandy Haas—6th, 7th, 8th Girls	Loraine Marcus—Primary Church
John Robertson—6th, 7th, 8th Boys	Josh Hayenga—Special Church
Anthony & Anna Johnson—9th-12th	David Hollis—Special Church
Randy Raiford—Young Adults Class	Jim Lollar—Superintendent

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

*The Bruce Rice Family
Missionaries in the Philippines*

Please pray for these requests:

- For God's blessings on the summer camps coming up
- Upcoming furlough coming up in June

COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Arphaxad Otamias – UAB

CHURCH FAMILY NEEDS

HEALTH NEEDS

Abby Allen	Jerry Dickey	Jackie Lightfoot
Dawn Bond	Kathi Lamb	Terry Reymond
Janet Brock	Pastor Shane Lewis	Doris Robertson
Wendell Coleman		Bette Talley

HOME/NURSING HOME-BOUND

Sue Allen	Montez Haley	Helen Root
Robert Duke	Marlene Jackson	Geraldine Sizemore
	Juanita Ogle	

SPECIAL REQUESTS

Sheryl Woodward – Spain Rehabilitation

DEACONS

Johnny Brock	Jim Lollar	Randy Raiford
Anthony Johnson	Jerry Mays	Terry Reymond

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