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Thankful for Glennville Methodist This Thanksgiving

Hey Church Family,

Thank you for a wonderful Harvest Sunday! Together, you gave over $60,000 to support mission and ministry in our church, our community, and around the world. I am grateful for your generosity and the lives you will bless through these gifts.

Raj, Hephzibah, Jeremiah, and Jessica loved meeting everyone and sharing with us on Harvest Sunday. Your support over the years has meant so much to them, and your encouragement in person made their visit especially meaningful.

I was particularly touched by how many of you greeted them by name. That simple act helped them feel known, welcomed, and supported. Thank you for loving them so well.

If you are traveling this Thanksgiving, I hope your journey is smooth, safe, and filled with joy.

This Sunday, we begin Advent and conclude our series in Philippians. I look forward to worshiping with you as we prepare our hearts to celebrate the birth of Jesus.

I am thankful to be your pastor. Happy Thanksgiving!

Grace and Peace,
David



Hall Monitor Schedule

29th Wendy Durrence



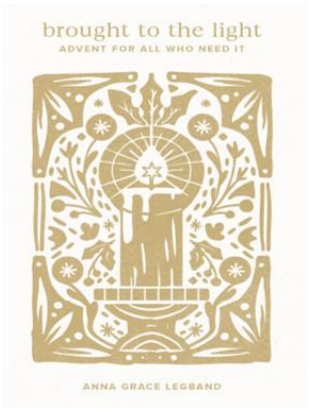
Listed below is the altar flower schedule for this month.

29th



Glennville Methodist Church Greeter Schedule

29th Daniel Smith, David Smith, & Casey Yarbrough *(11 a.m.)*



Church Wide Advent Study

The study, *Brought to the Light*, will begin on the first Sunday of Advent, November 29th.

There are a few books available at the church office. The cost per book is $15.00. If you would like to purchase one, please call the office at (912) 654-2587.

You may also purchase a copy of the book online by visiting www.seedbed.com.



***This Sunday, Nov. 29 - (First Sunday of Advent)**
Meet in the choir room
30 minutes before worship

***Wednesday, Dec. 2 @ 7:00 p.m. -**
Choir Practice

***Sunday, Dec. 6 @ 11:00 a.m. - (Children's Christmas Program, followed by Breakfast in Bethlehem)**
No Choir Special that day @ 9:00 or 11:00 a.m.
The Choir gets to be in the congregation.
Please come & worship with the Caswell Kids as they present their Christmas Program!

***Wednesday, Dec. 9 @ 7:00 p.m. -**
Last Wednesday Night Choir Practice before the Cantata!

***Sunday, Dec. 13 @ 11:00 a.m. - (Christmas Cantata)**
We will present our Christmas Cantata, *"Proclaim That Christ, Our Hope, Is Born!"*
Wear your Christmas colors & meet in the Sanctuary @ 10:15 a.m. that morning.

I look forward to seeing, and I pray you have a Blessed Thanksgiving, and a wonderful start to the Advent Season!
God Bless,
Mary Anne

The Light Of The World
Isaiah 9:2 (NIV)
"The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned."



Congratulations to Layne, Elliot, & Grayson Phillips on the birth of their son and brother, Graham Elliot Phillips, who was born on November 2, 2026 weighing 8 lbs. 12 oz. & measuring 21" in length.

Congratulations also to the Grandparents, Timothy & Karen Bland

Remembering You on Your Special Day!



November 29 – December 5

30 Kevin Wasson
1 Catherine S. Todd
3 Paul Griffin
4 Bryan Banks
5 Joseph Hart



November 29 – December 5

3 Lance & Erin Durrence

If we do not have your family's birthdays and anniversaries, please call the Church office at 654-2587.

Prayer Concerns

CRISIS

•✞David Walker Family
Will Altman
Matthew Todd
Wayne Easterling
Tim Tarver
David Wright
Ricky McDowell
Edward Driggers
Quinn Flournoy
Tarri Almstead
Kathy McGee
Wyndall Walters
Joe Odom
Kay Dasher
Deb Rutkowski
Debbie Waters
Lucinda Wright
Keegan Dooley
Trey Brannen
Sandra Amon
Pam Bourque
Mark Kicklighter
Joe McIlwain
Ann Whiten
Tim Bland
Larry McLeod
Tommy Ray
Janice Sampson
Jeff Weathers
Bennie Tootle
Georgia Kate Anderson
Danny Terrell
Gary Hill
Rusty Bradford
Libby Reeves
Charlie Bec
Bob Rutkowski
Sherry Smith
Jane Anderson
Julie Todd

Kristy Brady
Betty Sands
Geraldine Berry
Hub & Pat Daniel
Ricky Wilson
Claire Kennedy
Westley Bland
Cheryl Whelan
Jon Dasher
Kurt Limpert
Gail Stanek
Emmaclaire Howard
Donna Tootle
Art Durrence
Cameron Simmons
Adam Bland
Marley Dykes
Sharlene Randall
Bogee Lee
Cindy & Lee Sheffield
Donna Drummond
Elaine Keels
Darrie Randall
David Caldwell
Heather Lazar
Frankie Thompson
Louise Dasher
Judy Bland
Willie Bland
Anthony Smith
Haze Conley
The Barnard Family
Patty Kicklighter
Wendell Durrence
Elder Steve Flowers
Rhonda Walters
Corene Jones
Mickey Trageser
Karen Browne

GENERAL

Kaycee O'Neal
Louise Bradley
Dot Bogardus
Michael Groover
James & Jenna Roberts (Missionaries)
Marteal Brannen
Pam Jones
Summer Beckner
Sue Rogers
Sonny Medlock
Ronnie Durrence
Dean Slusser
Railey Sheffield
College Students
Debbie Lynn
Dennis Barnard

MILITARY

Our troubled Nation & World
Our Country amid recent attacks
Our Government's Leaders
Worldwide Unrest
Service Men & Women
Wars in Israel, Middle East, Ukraine, & Russia

• New Name ✞ Deceased

Glennville Methodist Church
Worship Attendance

	November 15	November 22
9:00 a.m.:	60	31
Children's Church:	0	0
Sunday School	0	0
11:00 a.m.:	90	115
Online:	42	28
Total in Person Attendance:	150	146
Total Attendance	192	174
Youth Group Total:	36	36
Caswell Kids:	0	0







Senior Ministry

The following are Senior members or family of members of the church. Please take time out of your schedule to pray for, send a card to or visit these loved ones. It will be a blessing to their day as well as yours!

At Home Senior Living in Jesup
Jesup, GA
Susan "Corene" Jones

Glenvue Nursing Home
Velma Salter
Debbie Waters

The Lodge at Bethany
Statesboro, GA
Dot Bogardus

Magnolia Manor
Richmond Hill, GA
Jane Thompson



UPDATE ON HEN HOUSE ACQUISITION

Dear Congregation:

I am pleased to inform you that, at long last, Glennville Methodist Church is now the owner of the Hen House property. The former owner, Ms. Sonya Johnson-Rome, attended the closing, which was held at my office on November 6, 2026, and cooperated in signing all documents.

Unfortunately, however, prior to vacating the property, Ms. Johnson-Rome and her associates heavily vandalized the property, leaving it in an unsafe and unusable condition. Although her actions were illegal, the Trustees, after much deliberation, have decided not to pursue any further actions against her, in the interest of bringing the dispute to an end. That said, because of the damage to the building, the Trustees have no alternative but to demolish the structure.

If anyone has questions about the status of the project, please reach out to the Trustees or to me. Thank you all for your prayers and support throughout this long and arduous project and thank you for allowing me the opportunity to be of service to our church.

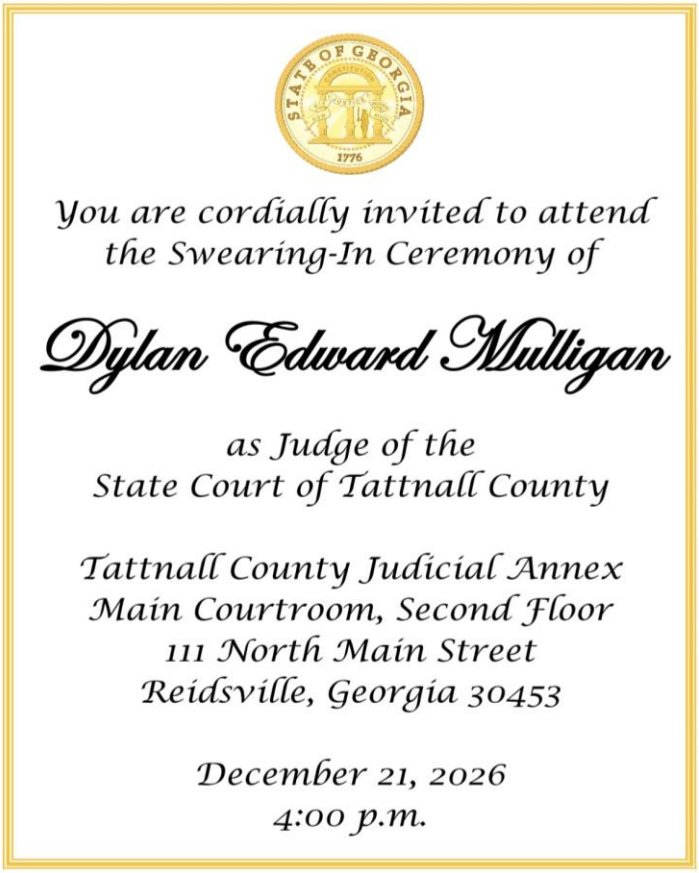
Sincerely,
Dylan Edward Mulligan
Attorney at Law



This year we are meeting the needs of students at STES!

1. Select either a family (gift) or a single student (ornament).
2. Write your name and phone number beside the number of your family/student.
3. Shop, wrap, write the identifying number (letter) on the gift.
4. Return to the church conference room by **Sunday, December 13th.**

If you have any question, please contact Brandy Donnan at 912-618-0299





SENIORS FOR THE KING

Our Seniors for the King meeting for December will be on Tuesday, December 8th, at 12:00 p.m.
First Baptist Church has asked us to join them.

Hope everyone can join us for a fun time!



The sanctuary will be decorated with poinsettias on Sundays, December 13th, 20th, & 24th. Please consider giving a poinsettia "In Honor" of those special to you or "In Memory" of someone special who is deceased.

This year we ask that everyone purchase their own poinsettias to be placed in the sanctuary. Once you purchase your poinsettia bring it into the church office. There will be cards available in the office to be placed on the poinsettia, and Aimee will put your flower in the church sanctuary. Church office hours are Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

If it is possible, please try to bring in your poinsettias each week by Thursday so that Aimee can get your information listed on the church bulletin insert.

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

4 Ways You Can Connect:



1. **Worship.** Join us for worship on Sunday mornings. We have 2 services: 9 and 11AM in the sanctuary with a nursery provided for both services. and 9AM online at youtube.com/glennvillemc; facebook.com/glennvillemc; and twitter.com/glennvillemc.com

2. Call a Member. Call a church member. Check on them and spend some time chatting. Consider calling someone you don't know as well. If you are a member of the church, we can get you a copy of the most up-to-date contact information for our church membership.

3. Giving. Your giving matters to God and the church! If you are able, please continue to give. You can give at any of our in-person worship services. You can also mail your tithes and offerings to the church. If you use online banking, you can also instruct your bank to send a check to the church.

4. Serving the Community. Jesus said we are the salt of the earth. Salt isn't meant to stay in the shaker; it's meant to be poured out. If you are able, find a way to serve. Help someone who can't get out; write a note to residents in assisted living; assist someone with technology. Find a way to continue making a difference for Christ in our community!