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Hey Glennville Methodist Family,

Happy Labor Day Weekend! I hope you have a great holiday, enjoy some rest, and watch some college football! Here are four important items I want to share with you today.

#1 GAMA Community Worship Service this Sunday at Restoration Pointe Church 6:00p.m.

On months with a 5th Sunday churches in the Glennville Area Ministerial Association (GAMA) gather together for worship. This Sunday, August 31st at 6:00 p.m. we will gather at Restoration Pointe (right across from our church) for worship. I am privileged to be saying a prayer during the service. I am looking forward to hearing Rev. Roger Nelson share a sermon also.

#2 Primetime is back this Week!

On Wednesday, September 3rd we will have our first prime time of the school year. Primetime is our regular Wednesday night programming. See you Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

#3 Grandparent's Sunday is September 7th

Next Sunday, September 7th is Grandparent's Day! During worship we will honor all of our grandparents. At 10:00 a.m. there will be a brunch in the fellowship hall. All church members are invited to attend.

#4 Awakening Night with Bishop Gregory, September 21st

On Sunday, September 21st Bishop Leah Gregory and Rev. Jay Hanson will be preaching at Rincon Global Methodist Church at 5:00 p.m. A prayer service will begin at 4:00 p.m. If you would like to ride with me I will be at the church at 2:30 p.m. We should return around 7:30 p.m.

This weekend I am excited to continue our study of Ephesians in a sermon titled *Incomparable Great Power*. We will cover Ephesians 1:15-23.

Have a great weekend and safe travels if you are on the road.

Grace and Peace,
David Wesley Donnan



Listed below is the altar flower schedule for this month.

31st



Glennville Methodist Church Greeter Schedule

August 31st Daniel Smith & David Smith



Monday, September 1st

The Church Office will be closed in observance of this holiday

Planning the Budget



The Finance Committee is beginning to work on the 2026 church budget. If any committee, chairperson or leader needs to make changes to their budget, please let Wendy Durrence or Will Sheffield know.

Thank you



SENIORS FOR THE KING

We will have our next meeting on Thursday, September 4th at 12:00 p.m. After our meal, Lindsay Thomas will give us some tips for "senior" exercises and walking tips. Also, different programs that are available to seniors at little or no cost. Let's get moving.

G.A.M.A.

Fifth Sunday Night Service

will be held at the
Restoration Pointe Church of God
Sunday, August 31, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

Mark your calendars to join in this wonderful time of worship with our local community!



Announcements

Wednesday night choir practice resumes Sept. 10 @ 7:00 p.m.!
September is a great time to invite someone to join the choir!
So please be praying about who God may be leading you to invite.

Team Choir: Remember to bring your cans of Spaghetti-Os for the GMC Kids vs Youth Spaghetti-O Rodeo! This helps to support the GMC Backpack Ministry!

Sunday Mornings -
Meet in the choir room
30 minutes before worship
(8:30 and / or 10:30 a.m.)

Look forward to seeing you!
Have a Happy Labor Day!
God Bless,
Mary Anne

Singing Praise To God Through
Hymns & Praise Songs

"From the mountains to the valleys
Hear our praises rise to You.
From the heavens to the nations
Hear our praises fill the air."
(Lyrics from "Hear Our Praises"
by Reuben Morgan)

Remembering You on Your Special Day!



August 31 – September 6

31 Timothy Bland
5 Helena Phillips



August 31 – September 6

6 David & Lucinda Wright

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

Prayer Concerns

CRISIS

•✠ Azure Roundtree & daughter Family •Sarah Wilson

Stephen & Conner Todd
Susie O'Neal Morrison
Gary Skutt
Sophia Bland
Rebecca Woolard
Arianna Floyd
Bettie Sands
Ronnie Durrence
Lloyd & Corene Jones
Amanda Bingel
Joan Fletcher
James Logan Lanier
Pam Jones
Trey Brannen
Clyde Woolard
Kyle Duncan
Jane Anderson
Sandra Amon
Bob & Deb Rutkowski & Families

Darryl McGowan
Debbie Waters
Adam Bland
Dr. Laura Adams
Lucinda Wright
Bob Rutkowski
Ava Anderson
Paisley Tinsley
Morris Whiten
Keegan Dooley
Stacey Sampson
Wendell Durrence
Steven Lloyd
Edward Driggers
Stanton Browne
Ashley Findley
Bogee Lee
Julie Todd

✠ Cecil Kline Tootle Family

College Students
Rowan Thompson
Wyndall & Rhonda Walter
Logan Swanson
Sue Bercaw
Heather Lazar
Barbara Scarbrough
Joan Hendrix
Sonny Medlock
Kaycee O'Neal
Janice Sampson
Sharlene Randall
Kim Woods
Lousie Bradley
Emily Griffin Tew
Polly Baker
Karen Browne
Cindy & Lee Sheffield

✠ Betty Nesmith Edwards Family

DeeAnne Lloyd
Charlie Bec
Mitchell Speer
Alice Bianco
Ana Uzzolino
Elaine Keels
Marley Dykes
Jan Jones
Sadie Hanes
Sherry Smith
Tammy Perrony
Mary Collins
Mickey Trageser
Georgia Kate Anderson
Pat Brannen
Pam Davis & Family
Joe McIlwain
Unrest at Smith State Prison

GENERAL

Nicole Downs
Summer Beckner
Michael Groover
James & Jenna Roberts (Missionaries)

John Durrence
Dean Slusser
Larry McLeod

Debbie Lynn
Faye Burkhalter
Sue Rogers

Dot Bogardus
Dennis Barnard
Railey Sheffield

MILITARY

Our troubled Nation & World
Our Country amid recent attacks

Mass Shooting at Ft. Stewart
Worldwide Unrest

Our Government's Leaders
Wars in Israel, Middle East, Ukraine's, & Russia

Service Men & Women



Glennville Methodist Church Worship Attendance

	<u>August 17</u>	<u>August 24</u>
9:00 a.m.:	73	73
Children's Church:	20	15
Sunday School:	61	52
11:00 a.m.:	57	79
*Online:	62	39
Total in Person Attendance:	150	167
Total Attendance	212	206
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Youth Group Total:	34	39
Caswell Kids:	10	0

### SPAGHETTI O RODEO SCORES AS OF AUGUST 20TH

<b>YOUTH</b>	<b>91</b>
<b>KIDS</b>	<b>73</b>



We are in need of volunteers for hall monitor duty. If you have any questions about what this job entails or are interested in volunteering, please contact Brandy Donnan (912-618-0299).

## Senior Ministry

The following are Senior members or family of members. 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!

### Glennville Nursing Home

Velma Salter      Debbie Waters

### The Lodge at Bethany

Statesboro, GA  
Dot Bogardus

### Magnolia Manor

Richmond Hill, GA  
Jane Thompson



### GMC Memorial Sidewalk Project

We are, once again, taking orders for Memorial Bricks. If you would like to place an order for a brick "In Honor of" or "In Memory of" Someone Special, please call the office by no later than September 10th.

The price for each brick is \$50.00. Three lines of text are available on each brick with at least 20 characters, including spaces, per line.

For more information contact the church office at  
(912) 654-2587, Monday – Friday from  
8:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.



### Sunday, August 31st – No Youth Group Meetings

Sunday, September 7th –  
5:00 p.m. – MS Youth  
6:00 p.m. – SR Youth

Sunday, September 14th –  
5:00 p.m. – MS Youth  
6:00 p.m. – SR Youth

Sunday, September 21st –  
5:00 p.m. – MS Youth  
6:00 p.m. – SR Youth



### College Students

Please be in prayer for our church college students for this upcoming school year! Contact Kelly Durrence at [kellydurrence@yahoo.com](mailto:kellydurrence@yahoo.com) or 912-237-3228 if any changes need to be made.

Milli Anderson	Georgia Southern University	Freshman
Cooper Deal	Georgia Southern University	Freshman
Parker Deal	University of Georgia	Senior
Lara Durrence	Georgia Tech	Freshman
Bradley Hearn	Georgia Southern University	Sophomore
Haleigh Johnson	Georgia Southern University	Senior
Jaylynn Johnson	College of Coastal Georgia	Freshman
Sarah Kelley	Ogeechee Tech	Freshman
Mary Chandler Long	Georgia Southern University	Sophomore
Lindsey McLeod	Southeastern Technical College	Sophomore
Abi Pazderski	Georgia Southern University	Sophomore
Rich Pazderski	Georgia Southern University	Senior
Payton Randall	Valdosta State University	Sophomore
Grace Rogers	University of Georgia	Sophomore
Bailey Thigpen	College of Coastal Georgia	Senior
Mic Wasson	Mercer University	Senior
Will Wasson	ABAC	Freshman
Brinson White	Georgia Southern University	Sophomore
Peighton White	Georgia Southern University	Senior
Rebekah Whiten	Georgia Tech	Senior
Jordan Whitlow	Georgia Southern University	Freshman

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## 4 Ways You Can Connect:



1. **Worship.** Join us for worship on Sunday mornings. We have 2 services: 9 and 11AM in the sanctuary (masks are available) with a nursery provided for both services. and 9AM online at [www.glennvillemc.com/worship-online](http://www.glennvillemc.com/worship-online); [youtube.com/glennvillemc](https://youtube.com/glennvillemc); [facebook.com/glennvillemc](https://facebook.com/glennvillemc); and [twitter.com/glennvillemc](https://twitter.com/glennvillemc)

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!