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# Glen Allen Baptist Church

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Established in 1868

**GLEN ALLEN BAPTIST CHURCH**

**The Service of Worship**

**September 3, 2017**

**Communion Sunday**

**10:30 a.m.**

Organ Pr

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**JANET KESSLER**

**WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION**

Welcome & Announcements

Meet & Greet

**#386**

**“The Family of God”**

**Gaither**

I'm so glad I'm a part of the family of God.  
I've been washed in the spirit, cleansed by his blood!  
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod;  
For I'm part of the family, the family of God.

Hymn **#575**

**“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”**

**McGranahan**

Children's Sermon

Rev. Dr. B. J. Crowder

*\*\*Following the Children's Sermon, children aged 4 through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade are invited to attend Children's Church. Children, aged 3 and younger, are invited to join the Nursery.*

**WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION**

Scripture Reading

2 Chronicles 7:14

Page 431 of the Pew Bible

The Morning Prayer

**WE WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP**

Hymn **#60**

**“Be Thou My Vision”**

**Evans**

Offertory Prayer

Missionary Moment for September

Laura Cooper

Late in the afternoon January 12, 2010, a 7.0 magnitude earthquake struck the country of Haiti, leaving total destruction in its path.

Hundreds of thousands lost their lives. Many more were left injured, homeless, and hopeless. Of those remaining, a great number were children. The Source of Light Center in Haiti was established in response to the earthquake that devastated the entire country. It officially opened in January of 2012 and is a multi-faceted community ministry in the Port au Prince neighborhood of Delmas 19. Haiti Baptists want to transform this neighborhood's faith, health, education, economics and connection with the world. The Center is working towards being self-sustaining, and includes a children's home, school and micro economic ventures, as well as a vocational center that is still in process. Of the ministries addressing this vision, Virginia Baptists are partnering with Haiti Baptists especially in the areas of child sponsorships, the new church plant at the Center, long-term discipleship training, and a vocational center for the community. The Source of Light Center resources the community in many ways, some of which include:

- Providing a safe home for orphans
- Providing an elementary school that is affordable
- Providing a therapy center for children with disabilities
- Providing professional training for adults in areas such as auto mechanics and nursing
- Providing a computer lab and computer training
- Providing purified water and chicken eggs for the community to purchase at an affordable rate

Currently, 28 children call the Source of Light Center their home. All of these children were directly impacted by the 2010 earthquake in Haiti. The children range in age from three to thirteen. Their smiles, energy and capacity to love are completely contagious. Together, they have created a beautiful family!

Offertory

**“Eternal Father, Strong to Save”**

**Arr. Kessler**

Receiving of Tithes and Offering

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him all creatures here below.



This event will plan Bible Study, fellowship opportunities and mission actions for the remainder of 2017. Come join us!

A survey is being taken and will be discussed at the meeting. Pick up a copy in the Welcome Center, Vestibule, or your Sunday School Class. For further information, please see Matt Davidson or call 241-1152.

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**Pre-K – Meet the Teachers and Open House is Thursday, September 7, 2017.**

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The next meeting of the 150th anniversary team will be on **Sunday, September 10**, after the Worship service in the Fellowship Hall.

**Beginning Sunday, September 10**, directly following the prayer after the Children's Sermon, the children will have the opportunity to put small amounts of money in the collection plate. This is a great lesson on stewardship and giving for our young children.

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## **A CONVERSATION ABOUT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall immediately after the worship service on **September 17** for a conversation about how to grow our Sunday School. This is for Department Directors, teachers, helpers, and ANYONE ELSE who wants to help grow our Sunday School. Please come with ideas! Please let Linda know if you plan to attend so that enough pizza is ordered. There will be a signup sheet in the vestibule and at Wednesday night dinner or use the contact info below. We hope to see you there.

Linda Davidson (672-2503, [linsaledav@comcast.net](mailto:linsaledav@comcast.net)) and Emily Worley, Co-Sunday School Directors

**State Missions Offering** - Please consider a donation for State missions. You will find a special envelope in your pack of offering envelopes. If you don't have envelopes, just write your check to Glen Allen Baptist Church and put in the memo section "State missions." An usher will be glad to provide an envelope. As soon as the water recedes, Virginia Baptists are prepared to travel to Texas to help provide disaster relief. Our Disaster Response Team is in close communication with our Baptist partners there. If you would like to make a donation specifically for Hurricane Harvey relief, please visit <https://bgavdr.org/responses/hurricane-harvey/>. Thank you.

Linda Davidson, on behalf of the Missions Committee

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**First Day of Pre-K – September 11, 2017.**

**The next Church Council meeting** will be held **Monday, September 11** at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. All committee chairs or a designated representative are strongly encouraged to attend. This is a time to gear up for the New Year and get all of your items on the church calendar.

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**Elderberries** - will be held on Wednesday, **September 13** at 11:30 a.m. - Am. Legion Post 244. Please come.

**LUNCH A MONTH BUNCH**: The luncheon for all ladies in GABC will be at **Smoke Pit Grill, Tuesday, September 19** at

1:00 pm ( Kroger Shopping Plaza, 9074 Staples Mill Rd). If you have questions please call Chris Rogers (262-0485) home/cell 339-3719) or Joyce Hall (266-1921). Remember all are welcome. It is a great way to get to know each other. We need to make reservations on **Monday September 18** before noon. Fourteen attended the August Luncheon at Debbies Kitchen.

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**Glen Allen Day 2017 is Saturday, September 23** from 9:30-3:00p. The theme is "Glen Allen, A Great Place to Grow Up". We will gather at 8 am at the home of Charlie and Denise Martin in Deer Springs (2805 Dillard Place) to decorate our float and line up for the parade. We hope you will plan to participate in the parade and visit our booth.

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**The 2017 Leadership Development Conference** will be on **Monday, Sept. 25**, Branch's Baptist Church, 3400 Broad Rock Blvd. Richmond. Meal included, 5:15 p.m.-8:15 p.m. You can pick from a list of 15 sessions and attend two of them. Sessions include:

- “Discipling Digital Teens”, “Connecting with Your Neighbors to Connect Them to Christ and Your Church”, “Face to Face
- Ministry in an Instagram Society”, “A Mission Small Enough to Fit on a License Plate, but Big Enough to Change the World”

Registration at [www.baptistleaders.org](http://www.baptistleaders.org) Early bird : \$10, ends Sept. 18, \$ 15 at the Door. For details, contact Matt Davidson at 241-1152. If you would like to meet at church and car pool, let Matt know.

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## Menus for September 2017

<u>Date</u>	<u>Menu</u>
9/13	Meatloaf & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Rolls, Salad, Dessert
9/20	Lasagna, Rolls, Salad, Dessert (brownies, banana pudding); Kids: Pizza, Fruit Cup or Applesauce
9/27	Fried Chicken, Rolls, Mac and Cheese, Vegetable, Dessert (chocolate Cake, Cow Patties); Kids: Chicken Legs, Mac & Cheese, Fruit Cup or Applesauce

### YOUTH NEWS

We had approximately 20 folks join us for the Youth Swim Party this past Wednesday. A great time was had by all. A big thank you to all of the chaperones who helped with this event.

The Youth Goochland Drive-In trip will be Friday, September 15. This will be a great night of fun and fellowship. We will eat dinner at the drive-in. **Please RSVP with B.J. by Sunday, September 10** if you are interested in attending. As always, chaperones are needed. The cost per person will be \$5 and please bring extra money or dinner.

We already have about 25 folks signed up for our annual 2017 Fall Youth Camping Retreat. This has become one of our most popular activities throughout the years and it is sure to be again this year. It is time for me to begin ordering tickets for certain activities for the trip. **With that being said, TODAY is the last day to sign up!** We will be camping at the James River State Park near Lynchburg and will go to the Snowflex on Liberty



Mountain and Scaremare. If you are interested, please let B.J. know.

**On Wednesday, September 20**, the Youth will host their 2<sup>nd</sup> annual “Back to Youth Night.” This is for ALL parents and ALL youth in the GABC Youth program. This will be a night where we discuss our annual mission trips for next summer, talk about upcoming events throughout the year, fill out yearly paperwork, and a chance to ask questions as we continue to move our Youth Ministry forward. Please put this date on your calendar so that you may attend.

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### Calendar for the Week of September 3, 2017

Date	Time	Place
<b>Sunday 9/3</b>		
Refreshments	9:00 a.m.	Fellowship Hall
Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	
<b>Monday, 9/4</b>		
<b>Labor Day, Church Office Closed</b>		
Boy Scouts Troop 795	7:00 p.m.	Scout Lodge
<b>Wednesday, 9/6</b>		
Men’s Ministry Organizational Mtg.	8:00 a.m.	Glen Allen Market
Pre-K Teachers Begin		
Adult Choir	7:00 p.m.	Choir Room
<b>Thursday, 9/7</b>		
Pre-K Open House		

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## Prayer List - Cares and Concerns as of August 30, 2017

### Sick at Home

Kitty & Pete Bagby

Betty Blanchard (grandmother of Cheryl and Paul Tilley)

Willie Boswell

Alden Carlson

Bonnie Colley (father of Cheryl Ender)

Jeanette Edwards

Joan England

Phil and Cindy England (brother and sister-in-law of Bill England)

Rich Gardner (friend of Eric Mawyer)

Oswald "Big Boy" Gasser

John Gray

Karl Harris

Evelyn Holladay

Charles Klebert (Lynn McNeal's dad)

Bootsie Newton

Sandy Newton

Vivian Reed (Donna Washington's mom)

Red Reid

Martin Reiss (son-in-law of Flo Smith)

Benita Rockeman

Rene Rzasa

Rebecca Smith

Lynn Steigleder (Evelyn Holladay's son)

Jim Stiebel

Nick Spallino

Heather Temple (friend of Donna Washington)

Bob Warlick

Helen Williamson

### IN THE HOSPITAL & REHAB CENTERS:

April Ball, Bons Secour Hospice (no visitors, please)

Jean Colley, Sheltering Arms Rehab

Mel Deyerle, Glenburnie Rehab

Mary Nevius, HDH Parham, Rm. 428

Jim and Karen Thomas, MCV (motorcycle accident)

### Assisted Living

Ginnie Adams, Imperial Plaza, Azalea Bldg., Rm. 606

Bessie Barnett, Chestnut Grove, Morning Glory #120, 9010 Woodman Road, Henrico, VA

Judie Foster, Heritage Green Nursing Home (mother of Cris Foster)

Fred Tucker, Sitter and Barfoot Veterans Care Center, 1601 Broad Rock Boulevard, Richmond Unit #439, Richmond, VA 23224; Phone: 804-371-8000.

Elmer West, Imperial Plaza

### Independent Living - Imperial Plaza

Louise Ruddick - Apt. C312, 1713 Bellevue Avenue, Rich. VA 23227;

Vera Wilson, -Apt. D213, 1711 Bellevue Ave., Rich., VA 23227

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**Nathan Harris, Austin Schumann, Christian Collins, Marines (Judy Wade's grandson) (military service)**

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