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# Glen Allen Baptist Church

*“We’ve Come This Far By Faith”*

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# **GLEN ALLEN BAPTIST CHURCH**

## **The Service of Worship Worship Service/Communion**

**March 4, 2018**

Prelude

Choir

### **WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION**

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Dr. B. J. Crowder

Meet & Greet

Hymn #380

**“In the Family of God”**

FAMILY OF GOD

The family of God is born from above,  
A special bond drawn together by love;  
Knowing and caring, feeling and sharing,  
Living together in the family of God.

Hymn #390

**“We are Called to Be God’s People”**

AUSTRIAN HYMN

Children’s Sermon

Rev. Dr. B. J. Crowder

### **WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION**

Scripture Reading

Judges 16:18-22  
Page 251 of the Pew Bible

The Morning Prayer

### **WE WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP**

Hymn #476

**“Be Strong in the Lord”**

STRENGTH

Missionary Moment for March

Since 1969 the Virginia Baptist Disaster Response Team has partnered with volunteers to work through local churches to meet the needs of disaster survivors. Their mission is to mobilize volunteers to meet human needs after disasters. They were very busy in 2017.

Volunteers served across nine communities in five states and Puerto Rico. Following hurricanes, the volunteer teams served 44,398 meals in Florida, cleaned up 191 homes in Texas, and purified hundreds of gallons of water in Puerto Rico. We can help by volunteering, giving, praying. If you would like to know more about the Disaster Response Team or would like to attend a volunteer training, please visit [bgavdr.org](http://bgavdr.org).

Offertory Prayer

Aricka Parent

Receiving of Tithes and Offering

Offertory

**“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”**

Chime Choir

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts.  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Children age 4 through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade are invited to attend Children’s Church. Children, age 3 and younger, are invited to join the Nursery.*

Anthem

**“Abana in Heaven”**

Abana in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, in all the earth as in heaven.  
And give to us, give us this day, our daily bread, O Lord we pray.  
Forgive our sins as we forgive those who have sinned against us.  
And save us in time of trial, deliver us from evil.  
Yours is the kingdom, yours the power. Yours is the glory now and ever.  
Abana in heaven. Amen.

### **WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION**

Sermon **“The Deliverer Series – Part 2, Gideon – Despite Fear, He Delivers”** Rev. Dr. B. J. Crowder

### **WE WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT & DISCIPLESHIP**

Invitation for Commitment

Hymn #366

**“Let Us Break Bread Together”**

BREAK BREAD

### **THE LORD’S SUPPER**

Benediction

Closing Hymn #387

**“Blest Be the Tie”**

DENNIS

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above. Amen

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#### **Ushers**

N. Yarbrough, J. Mantiply, L. Long, M. Dalton, B. Richards

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY** is extended to the Crosby family in the death of Gina Crosby on Saturday, February 24, 2018. She is the wife of John and mother of Amy Webb, Amanda Brown and Amber Cowan.

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY** is extended to the Miles family in the death of Margaret Miles on Sunday, February 25. She is the mother of Gil Miles. Funeral services will be at Bliley's on Staples Mill Road on Wednesday, March 7.

**Special thanks to my Church Family** for all of the phone calls, cards, visits and food during the recovery period from my recent operation. This meant more to me than words can express. In Christian Love, **Buddy Anderson**

**The family of Cris Foster wishes** to thank the Church family for the kind and generous love and support during his mother's recent passing. The calls, visits, cards, and flowers were a blessing and comfort during this difficult time. A special thanks to Dr. Collier for leading the service.

**Wednesday, March 14, 2018** our Church Family Night Dinner and Program will be at 5:45 p.m. Cost of supper is \$5/pp, \$1.50 per child and a maximum of \$15 per family. Please join us for good food and fellowship! We will have a Bible Study led by Rev. Dr. B. J. Crowder.

**Wednesday, March 7, 2018** our Church Family Night Dinner and Program will be at 5:45 p.m. Cost of supper is \$5/pp, \$1.50 per child and a maximum of \$15 per family. Please join us for good food and fellowship! Our program will be on "Church Safety" led by our Safety Team.

**Lunch a Month Bunch** - will be at Debbie's Kitchen Tuesday March 20 at 1:00 pm. If questions 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 so let me know Monday March 12 if you plan to go. Mark your calendars for the third Tuesday of each month. Open for suggestions of where to go. Remember it needs to be not too far away and easy entry access. If we have snow and ice, we will not meet.

**The GABC Yard Sale/Brunswick Stew** is coming **March 10, 2018** from 6 a.m. to noon. If you would like to donate items for the yard sale (**PLEASE, no TV's**

*or Christmas Trees*) or volunteer to help, please contact Suzanne Jenkins at [suzallen1@outlook.com](mailto:suzallen1@outlook.com) or Cheryl Tilley at 804-247-3690. Both rooms upstairs are full and we are currently putting items in the blocked off section of the Fellowship Hall. All proceeds benefit our youth mission trips. We are also in need of hangers, plastic and paper grocery bags too!

We will be selling our brunswick stew again this year! The goal is to pre-sell 250 quarts. Sign up sheets will be out soon. For more information, or to volunteer to help please contact Pamela Steinruck at [psteinruck23@gmail.com](mailto:psteinruck23@gmail.com) or 804-334-5311.

**This year, we will also be collecting old computers** to be donated to the Tech For Troops Project. This group spoke at the 2/10/18 USO Breakfast. They will clean and test your old computers and refurbish them for Veterans to use to help them learn new job skills, find employment, connect to family and apply for benefits. ***They CANNOT take bulky monitors...only working flat panel monitors.*** So, when you bring your yard sale items please feel free to bring your old computers too! For more information visit their website at <https://techfortroopsproject.org/>.

**Our Annual Easter Egg Hunt** will be held on Saturday, **March 24**, at 11 a.m. at GABC. All children in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade and younger are invited to participate. Please join us for this fun activity! We are hoping the Easter bunny will make a visit!

**EASTER LILIES** are **\$14.50** each and checks can be made payable to GABC. Order forms will be located throughout the church and in the bulletin. You may place your order in the Office Manager mailbox or in the offering plate. The deadline for ordering is **Thursday, March 8, 2018**. Because of the California fires, there is a shortage of lilies this year so the deadline for this order is firm.

**150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Note Cards** are available and can be ordered. Art by Edith Schermerhorn is featured on 8 designs featuring our original church buildings, Forest Lodge, Glen Allen School and 5 more. Orders can be placed during the 9:00 a.m. Hospitality Time or a form is available in the Welcome Center. Each box is \$12 and features 2 cards of each design. Price goes up to \$15 on April 29. If questions, contact Matt Davidson, [matt@logomd.com](mailto:matt@logomd.com) or 241-1152.

**There is a “We Are Praying for You”** magnet available to pass on to a friend or family member who is considering a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ or going through a crisis. Pick up as many as you need in the Welcome Center or Fellowship Hall. They are free.

**Youth News**

The 5<sup>th</sup> annual GABC Youth Fall Retreat has been set for October 19-21 at Misty Mountain Camp Resort in Crozet, near Charlottesville. This year we return to the site from where we had our first fall retreat. We have several cabins rented as well as tent spots for those who chose to “camp.” You may begin signing up with B.J. at any time. As always, we can use chaperones for this event!

**TOP is back!** We are extremely excited to get back out and help those in the community who are less fortunate. We will be going to Clay Park, which is the location we were going to previously downtown near VCU. **We will go right after church TODAY, March 4th.** We have a TON of winter clothes to hand out and with that being said, we need as much help as possible. Remember, this is not just for youth, but for any adults that want to help out as well. At TOP we have the opportunity to reach others less fortunate and not only help them out, but pray with them as well. If you have never been, it is a great opportunity.

### FEBRUARY SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

	2/4/2018	2/11/2018	2/18/2018	2/25/2018
MEMBERS ATTENDING	87	0	98	56
VISITORS ATTENDING	0	0	4	0
TOTAL ATTENDANCE	87	0	102	56

### CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE WHO HAD PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY!

Anna Abernathy	Gary Daniels	Larry Long	Kirby Smith
Bobby Abernathy	Mary Daniels	Gloria Mallory	Natalie Smith
Evalyn Abernathy	Matt Davidson	Eric Mawyer	Ryan Smith
Anne-Marie Alexander	Jeanean Duke	Laura Mawyer	David Stone
Hunter Alexander	Michael Duke	Forrest Melton	Al Thompson
Katie Alexander	Joyce Ellis	Frances Melton	Esther Thompson
Tyler Alexander	Kelda Flinchum	Robert Melton	Elijah Tonello
Melissa Brannan	Laura Ford	Barbara Richards	Hannah Tonello
Scott Brannan	Allen Jenkins	Amy Smith	Noah Tonello
Mary June Dalton			Carol Warlick



## Prayer List - Cares and Concerns as of February 28, 2018

### **Sick at Home**

Kitty & Pete Bagby  
Susan Binns  
Willie Boswell  
Jeanette Edwards  
John Gray  
Karl Harris  
Alex Hayes (major surgery on 2/20)  
Charles Klebert (Lynn McNeal's dad)  
Michele Hill (April Ball's sister)  
Jimmy Lucas (son of Pete & Kitty Bagby)  
Chris McMillan  
Gil Miles

Bootsie Newton  
Sandy Newton  
Red Reid  
Benita Rockeman  
John Seay (Linda Davidson's brother-in-law)  
Eugene Shelton  
Nick Spallino  
Sara Stanley  
Lynn Steigleder (Evelyn Holladay's son)  
Jim Stiebel  
Heather Temple (friend of Donna Washington)  
Kenneth and Bobby White (Cousin of Chris Rogers) Chadbourn, NC.

### **In the hospital & rehab centers:**

Everett Anthony, HDH Parham Rehab  
Bessie Barnett, Chestnut Grove  
Mel Deyerle, Glenburnie Rehab  
Joan England, St. Mary's (no visitors, please)  
Evelyn Holladay, Manor Care, Rm. 903-2 (for rehab)  
Vivian Reed, Crump Rehab, Rm. 32B (Donna Washington's mom)  
Mr. Sutton (Susan Taylor's dad) HDH Forest  
Diane VanLandingham, (Ginny Adam's sister-in-law)

### **Assisted living:**

Mary Nevius, Heritage Green - 7080 Brooks Farm Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23111, Rm. 118, Cell  
- 804-510-8013  
Fred Tucker, Sitter and Barfoot Veterans Care Center, 1601 Broad Rock Boulevard, Richmond  
Unit #439, Richmond, VA 23224; Phone: 804-371-8000.  
Helen Williamson, Covenant Columns Manor, Anna Pitt, 510 Park Avenue, Henrico, VA 23223,  
phone: 804-222-5133

### **Independent Living - Imperial Plaza:**

Elmer West  
Louise Ruddick - Apt. C312, 1713 Bellevue Avenue, Rich. VA 23227;  
Phone: 370-0904  
Vera Wilson -Apt. D213, 1711 Bellevue Ave., Rich., VA 23227

### **Military service:**

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Major Nathan Harris  
Christian Collins (Judy Wade's grandson), Marines

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## Notes from the Past:

Can you or someone you know help solve a mystery from our Church history? A mystery of Glen Allen Baptist Church is, where was the original 1868 Church building located? We're talking about the building pictured on the front of this bulletin. It would seem no one is still living that was there to know this information. But there are some of us that remember the 1893 Sanctuary, pictured here. Looking at the picture shown here, notice the attached building to the right for some clues. Is it possible that this could be the 1868 Sanctuary? The "addition" shown here, and the 1868 Sanctuary building appear to be approximately the same size and shape, but there are some differences also which are visible, including a missing middle window, a missing chimney, and a different exterior siding. We have been unable so far to find a picture of the 1893 building that does not have include the wing on the East. It was there before the classroom additions were added to the West side, and before the 1941 building was built. In the Church minutes in 1890 (before the 1893 building) there is indication of a graveyard established on the Church property, which may be the small cemetery plot by our Church buildings today. This may be some evidence of the location of the 1868 building. If anyone can provide any information that may help to solve this mystery, please share that with Forrest or a member of the 150th anniversary team.

If anyone has a suggestion for a Glen Allen 'note from the past', historic picture or trivia, please get it to the Church office to include in the bulletin during our 150th anniversary, Jubilee year.





**EASTER LILY ORDER FORM - 2018**

Lilies are \$14.50 each. Make Checks payable to GABC. Deadline for ordering is **March 8, 2018** (must be received by this date). Place order form in Mailbox #21 or Offering Plate.

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

QTY. ORDERED

DATE ORDERED:

**I wish to have the bulletin enclosure read:**

IN HONOR OF: IN MEMORY OF: (CIRCLE ONE)	<u>PERSON</u>
<u>GIVEN BY:</u>	
IN HONOR OF: IN MEMORY OF: (CIRCLE ONE)	<u>PERSON</u>
<u>GIVEN BY:</u>	
IN HONOR OF: IN MEMORY OF: (CIRCLE ONE)	<u>PERSON</u>
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