# Glen Allen Baptist Church

# "We've Come This Far By Faith"

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1941 Building

## GLEN ALLEN BAPTIST CHURCH

# The Service of Worship September 9, 2018 10:30 a.m.

Prelude "Morning Prayer" Watts

Janet Kessler

#### WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Welcome & Announcements

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 #355 "For All the Saints (Stz. 1,2,5)" SINE NOMINE

Children's Sermon

Children age 4 through  $2^{nd}$  Grade are invited to attend Children's Church. Children, age 3 and younger, are invited to join the Nursery.

#### WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION

Scripture Reading Acts 11:19-30

Page 1090 of the Pew Bible

The Morning Prayer

#### WE WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

Hymn #204 "Glorious Is Thy Name" GLORIOUS NAME

Offertory Prayer

Receiving of Tithes and Offering

Missionary Moment for September

According to the CIA World Factbook, there are nearly 2 million Christians that live in Syria today. The news has discussed intense Christian persecution in the country. Following Christ in Syria is not easy. There are also foreign Christians in Syria who have chosen to place themselves knowingly under that same persecution. They give aid, encourage followers of Christ, and work to provide community to isolated Christians. Help them stay strong in the faith by praying for them as

Paul prayed for the church in Ephesus to be strengthened by God's Spirit (Eph. 3:14–19).

Offertory

"Jesus Loves Me, This I Know"

Arr. Kessler

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.

Anthem

### "Tender Lord, Precious Lord

Tender Lord, precious Lord, walk with me, be my guide;
Tender Lord, precious Lord, ever at my side.
For all of our days on earth, led by your love,
Your child I'll always remain.

Tender Lord, precious Lord, through sunshine and storm;
Tender Lord, be the healer, my bright, blessed morn.
And through all of our days on earth, led by your love,
Your child I'll always remain.

When we walk with the Lord in the light of his world,
What a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will, he abides with us still
And with all who will trust and obey.
Trust and obey, for there's no other way
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

### WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Sermon

"Our Own Highlight Reel"

Rev. Dr. William J. Crowder

### WE WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT & DISCIPLESHIP

Invitation for Commitment

Hymn #471

"Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"

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Benediction

Closing Hymn

"Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace"

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Let us now depart in thy peace, blessed Jesus. Send us to our homes with God's love in our hearts. Let not the busy world claim all our loyalties. Keep us ever mindful, dear Lord, of thee.

#### **Ushers**

J. Crosby, T. Cooper, R. Williams, N. Yarbrough, J. Mantiply

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY** is extended to the Harris family in the death of Karl Harris on August 31, 2018. He is the husband of Beverly Harris. The service will be on Sunday, September 9 at GABC at 3:00 PM with visitation being 1 hour prior to from 2-3 PM.

Christian Collins (Judy Wade's grandson), Marines – has recently been deployed to the Middle East.

**Elderberries -** will be held on Wednesday, **September 12** at 11:30 a.m. - Am. Legion Post 244. Please come.



National Preparedness Month (NPM), is recognized each September, and provides an opportunity to remind us that we all must prepare ourselves and our families now and throughout the year. This year's NPM will focus on planning, with an overarching theme: **Disasters Happen. Prepare Now.** Learn How.

In keeping with this year's National Preparedness Month the safety team will be providing handout information on emergency preparedness at Church Family Night dinners each Wednesday in September. These should not interfere with the planned programs on each Family Night. The themes we will be pursuing this year are "Make and Practice Your Plan" and "Learn Lifesaving Skill". Handouts will reflect on these themes and there will be safety team members available to answer questions on the material in the handouts.

In addition after the Family Night program on the **September 12**, there will be a short introduction to fire extinguishers (approximately 15 minutes). The introduction to fire extinguishers will be repeated on **Sunday**, **September 23** after the Worship service for those that are in Choir or could not attend the Family Night session.

**This Wednesday Night (September 12)** kicks off our First Church Family Night Dinner and Program at 5:45 p.m. The program will begin at 6:30 p.m. where the Youth will present on their summer mission trips in the Sanctuary. Please come and hear how our youth impacted so many lives this summer as they did God's work. This annual event welcomes us back from the summer. 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!

**Wednesday (September 19)** 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! The program will begin at 6:30 p.m. where Lindsey Hale will present the program – GABC History Program (continuing our commemoration of our 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary).

| Menus for September 2018 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| 9/12                     | Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Dessert, Salad Bar; Kids: Chicken Nuggets, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Fruit |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9/19                     | Lasagna, Texas Toast, Salad Bar, Dessert; Kids: Cheese Pizza  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9/26                     | Pork Loin, Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Salad Bar, Dessert; Kids: Hot Dogs, Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Fruit                    |  |  |  |  |  |

Glen Allen Day is right around the corner! It is hard to believe that it is less than a month away. As always, we need YOUR help! On Saturday, September 15th, Glen Allen Baptist Church will participate in a couple of different parts of the program as usual. Debbie Gordon is heading up the float for this year and help is always needed. If you are able to help with the float, please reach out to Debbie in person, or you can reach her at <a href="debbiejgordon@verizon.net">debbiejgordon@verizon.net</a> or (804) 306-1995. In addition, we need volunteers to help run our booth in the vendor area. We need volunteers who are willing to work two-hour shifts during the day from the following times: 9:00 – 11:00 AM, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM, and 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM. During this time you would hand out information about the church and spread the joy of what we do here at GABC. If you are able to help during any of these shifts, please contact Matt Davidson in person, or you can reach him at <a href="matt@logomd.com">matt@logomd.com</a> or (804) 241-1152.

Back to Church Sunday is September 16 - September 16 is National Back to Church Sunday! The kids are back in school, it's time to get back to church on a regular basis. We invite you to join us at 9:15 a.m. for Sunday School for all ages. (Come a little earlier to enjoy donuts and coffee/juice.) Following our worship service, we will enjoy a complimentary potato bar in the Fellowship Hall. Our band 221 will provide music. We hope to see you on September 16. Invite your friends. Flyers are available for you to give out or mail. Pick up a few or see Suzanne Jenkins or Linda Davidson. "I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1

**Leslie and Hazel Watson Association Missions Offering -** Once again, I want to thank those of you who contributed to this special offering. Additional contributions have been made since our total was last reported. So far we have donated \$412 for this offering. The Association has received about \$26,000 of its \$39,000 goal. **Linda Davidson** on behalf of the Missions Committee

**LUNCH A MONTH BUNCH:** The luncheon for all ladies in GABC will be at Olive Garden **Tuesday September 18** at 1:00 pm. If you have questions call Chris Rogers (262-0485) home/cell 339-3719) or Joyce Hall (266-1921). <u>Remember all are welcome</u>. It is a great way to get to

know each other. We need to make reservations so let me know Monday September17 if you plan to go. Mark your calendars for the third Tuesday of each month.

**Attention Men of the Church!** - Imagine joining 10,000 men—fathers, sons, brothers, seekers and Christ-followers—coming together to worship God and learn more about the life of true adventure He intends for us.

Even more, imagine a two-day event packed full of workshops, exhibits, and fun around the stuff that men love: hunting, fishing, football, motorcycles, racing, extreme sports, and other outdoor activities—featuring some of the leading experts in the world.

Welcome to Ignite Men's Impact Weekend Conference! After years of perfecting our men's impact weekend, we have landed on a unique format that helps men align their everyday passions with God's eternal purpose. We are here to take on the everyday challenges that men face—a godless culture, fatherlessness, broken relationships, and the lack of male leadership in the Church. This ground-breaking, extreme weekend is scheduled for March 15-16, 2019 at Thomas Road Baptist Church in Lynchburg, Virginia.

Tickets are at its cheapest price right now at \$54. They will go up in price in a couple of months. In addition, hotel rooms are disappearing fast in the Lynchburg area (I checked this morning). We have had folks go to this conference the last few years and it is an awesome experience.

Joining the stage this year will be Jeff Foxworthy, Dennis Swanberg, Rick Rigsby, Jon Gordon, and James MacDonald, along with more yet to be announced. If you are interested in going on this wonderful conference, please let B.J. know.

A big thank you to all of those who attended our trip to the Museum of the Bible. We had a group of 34 go to Washington, D.C. to see the influence the Bible has had on our culture. You could truly spend a week in this museum and not see it all!

## **Youth News**

**Youth Reunion Celebration - Save the Date – November 24—6:00 – 8:00 pm**—The 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Team will be hosting a reunion of former youth group members November 24, 2018. The event will take place in the fellowship hall from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. All former youth group members and their families are invited to attend. Childcare will be provided. Please contact Susan Taylor at <a href="mailto:susan.sutton.taylor@gmail.com">susan.sutton.taylor@gmail.com</a> or (804) 672-6464 if you can help with this event. Please also contact Susan, the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary committee members or the church office with any contact information that you have for former youth. This event will be a great way to celebrate all the youth that have grown up as a part of our church.

Welcome to the Virginia State Fair! The Youth will be making an outing to the fair on Sunday, October 7th, immediately following the Worship Service. The next day is a student holiday off from school. We will enjoy a full day of fellowship and fun at the fair. They are offering reduced rates now, so if you are interested in going, please sign up with B.J. by August 30th. The cost will only be \$5 per person. Each youth should plan on bringing extra money with them for food/vendor purchases. As always, we can use some chaperones to help!

**The Youth Fall Retreat** is right around the corner from October 19-21 in Crozet, VA at the Misty Mountain Camp Resort. We have several cabin and tent spaces reserved. This is a great trip that is always one of our more popular events of the year. The adult chaperones usually have just as much fun as our Youth. Let B.J. know if you plan to attend.

# **AUGUST SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT**

|                    | 8/5/2018 | 8/12/2018 | 8/19/2018 | 8/26/2018 |
|--------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| MEMBERS ATTENDING  | 63       | 68        | 72        | 64        |
| VISITORS ATTENDING | 1        | 1         | 0         | 0         |
| TOTAL ATTENDANCE   | 64       | 69        | 72        | 64        |

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

| Anne-Marie Alexander | Kelda Flinchum      |  |  |  |
|----------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| Hunter Alexander     | Laura Ford          |  |  |  |
| Katie Alexander      | Larry Long          |  |  |  |
| Tyler Alexander      | Gloria Mallory      |  |  |  |
| Kitty Bagby          | Frances Melton      |  |  |  |
| Laura Cooper         | Barbara<br>Richards |  |  |  |
| Tim Cooper           | Benita<br>Rockeman  |  |  |  |
| Gary Daniels         | Gwen Steinbrecher   |  |  |  |
| Linda Davidson       | David Stone         |  |  |  |
| Matt Davidson        | Arlene Sullivan     |  |  |  |
| Jeanean Duke         | Al Thompson         |  |  |  |
| Michael Duke         | Esther<br>Thompson  |  |  |  |
| Bill England         | Donna Washington    |  |  |  |

# Sep 9 to Sep 15, 2018

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday | Wednesday   | Thursda<br>y | Friday | Saturday       |
|--|--|---------|---|--------------|--------|----------------|
| 9  | 10   | 11      | 12  | 13           | 14     | 15             |
| Promotion Sunday during SS;<br>150 Years of Education Service (Worship)<br>9:00 AM Refreshments<br>9:15 AM Sunday School<br>10:30 AM Worship Service<br>11:30 AM 150th Anniversary Team<br>Meeting | 7:00 PM Boy<br>Scouts Troop<br>795 -Scout<br>Lodge |         | Fire Extinguisher<br>Class<br>11:30 AM Elderberries<br>5:45 PM Church<br>Family Night Dinner<br>7:30 PM Adult Choir |              |        | Glen Allen Day |

### Prayer List - Cares and Concerns as of September 5, 2018

Sick at Home

Mike Alexander

Pete Bagby

Renee Bateman

Willie Boswell

Barry Bourne

Jeanette Edwards

Joe Ender

John Gray

Joyce Hall

Alex Haves

Evelyn Holladay

**Carter Jones** 

Gil Miles

**Bootsie Newton** 

Sandy Newton

Bonnie Porter (1st cousin of Kelda Flinchum)

Red Reid

**Eugene Shelton** 

Marcus Slate Nick Spallino Sara Stanley

Lynn Steigleder (Evelyn Holladay's son)

Jim Stiebel

Quincy (Jack) Sutton (Susan Taylor's

dad)

Sam Swink (Robyn Rose's father) Heather Temple (friend of Donna

Washington)

Diane VanLandingham, (Ginny

Adam's sister-in-law)

Kenneth White (Cousin of Chris

Rogers) Chadbourn, NC.

Dorothy Waleski Vera Wilkinson

### In the hospital & rehab centers:

Bessie Barnett, Chestnut Grove

Mel Deverle, Glenburnie Rehab

Vivian Reed, Elizabeth House, Rm. 317 (Donna Washington's mom)

#### Assisted living:

Mary Nevius, Heritage Green - 7080 Brooks F arm 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:

Major Nathan Harris, grandson of Kenneth Harris and son of David Harris, He is an air force pilot of the C130 (leader & instructor), stationed in Japan.

Glen Allen My Community, Part 7:

Near the bridge where Mountain Road crosses the Chickahominy River was the "Chickahominy Tavern" later called "Child's Inn". It was built of brick and had 23 rooms. The only person of note "known" to stop there. That one was Jenny Lind during her last tour of America in 1851. A very old resident, Mrs. Imogene Holladay, remembers an amusing incident connected with Jenny Lind's visit at the tavern. A negro cook, employed in the home of Mrs. Williamson (grandmother of Mrs. Holladay), gave birth to twins that night and named them Jenny and Lind.

Another noted tavern, "Walkerton Tavern", and dwelling house were built by John Walker, an Englishman who came to America and acquired a large track of land on each side of Mountain Road. The tavern is still standing on the north side of the road just east of the station. The situation of the old bar and the window where drinks were served can still be seen. On the second floor is the ball room, one side swings out to enlarge it. In the cellar is a huge fireplace with its crane, pots and kettles was where all the cooking was done. There was a wine cellar and three houses served to refresh guests. In the rear was a barn and stable to accommodate 20 horses and the stage coaches. The passengers alighted out on Mountain Road at a point just between the center cedars where a plank walkway led up to the winding steps. In 1852 this tavern was bought by the widow of Dr. George North Hopkins. The Dr. Hopkins was the grandfather of the late Dr. Erasmus Guy Hopkins who was one of the leading pathologists of the South. It has been used as the residence for the Hopkins for 75 years. The old bar and stable were burned in 1908. The other house was on the Southside of Mountain Road and used as Mr. Walker's dwelling. Both of the houses were made of brick and were similar in type. The furniture and most of the building materials were shipped from England. The dwellings of the house was bought by Colonel Thomas Burton a man of culture and wealth and used as his residence until he died in 1861. It was then occupied by A. P. Rowe (member of the House of Delegates and afterwards Mayor of Fredericksburg). It was soon burned after the Civil War. A frame house was then erected on the same foundation by Edward Sheppard and owned in succession by James Winston, Benjamin Purcell, after whom Purcell Road was named and C. C. Bowles.

