



We are a Reconciling Congregation!

<u>Grow, Play and Serve with a people with</u> Hearts for Children and Hands for Service

REMINDER:

We are asking everyone to please wear masks in the sanctuary.

We have 4 hearing-enhancing devices that can be used for those that need them. Please ask in the sound booth for help with these.

The parlor is also open to hear and watch the worship service every Sunday.

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 30, 2022 10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

*WELCOME

*OPENING PRAYER (unison)

(by John Wesley)

O merciful God, do not consider what we have done against you; but what Jesus Christ has done for us. Don't consider what we have made of ourselves, but what He is making of us for you, our God. O that Christ may be "wisdom and righteousness, sanctification and redemption" to every one of our souls. May His precious blood cleanse us from all our sins, and your Holy Spirit renew and sanctify our souls. May He crucify our flesh with its passion and lusts, and cleanse all our brothers and sisters in Christ across the earth. Amen.

*HYMN

God of Love and God of Power

578, vs. 1,2,4

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

Beth Peterson

All children Kindergarten - 5th grade and Confirmands are invited to go to Sunday school.

Nursery/Toddler Room 8 is now open with caregivers every Sunday.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

*GOSPEL John 3:1-18 (Pew Bible p. 1649)

Leader: The word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

MUSIC I Can Only Imagine Bart Millard

Barb Galarza, soloist

SERMON The Way of Life and Faith Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer cards are available in the pews. If you have a special prayer request, please write it on the card and place it in the offering baskets at the exits.

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*HYMN O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing 57, vs. 1,2,3,7

SENDING FORTH

COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OFFERING OUR THANKS AND OURSELVES

All loose coins and singles in the offering plate will go to Dignity Diner.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*congregation is invited to stand if it is comfortable to do so

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Following the loving example of Jesus Christ, we affirm the inherent worth and dignity of every person as a beloved child of God. We welcome into the life and ministry of Glenview United Methodist Church all persons of every age, ability, race, gender identity, ethnicity, nationality, marital status, sexual orientation, family configuration, or socioeconomic or employment status.

We follow the United Methodist Safe Sanctuaries guidelines as part of our child protection policy.

**USHER: Chris Walters** 

## **COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

#### DO YOU KNOW WHAT'S IN THE BOOK OF EXODUS?

Wednesday Bible Study Group is reading and discussing the Book of Exodus. The class meets on zoom at 7 pm. This is a safe time and place to exchange questions, insights, and comments about the Bible. To participate in the class, contact Pastor Eun-Hye at echoi@glenviewumc.org.

### NEW SERMON SERIES STARTING ON FEBRUARY 13 - "WHERE IS MY HELP COMING?"

"I raise my eyes toward the mountains. Where will my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth." (Psalm 121:1) Where does your help come from? From hymns or prayers, poems or Bible verses? We invite you to share your favorite hymns, prayers, or Bible verses for the new sermon series. The worship leaders will incorporate them in music, Bible readings, prayers and sermons. Worship liturgy is the work of people because it incorporates peoples' hearts in God's heart.

#### FIFTH SUNDAY APPEAL TODAY.

Your donation in the enclosed envelope supports United Voices for Children (UVC); and your generosity allows UVC to continue to champion these affiliated agencies that serve children, youth and families: Kids Above All (formerly ChildServ), MYSI Corporation and Rosecrance.

### 2/22/22 - NEXT DATE FOR BOOK CLUB!

Save this date and plan on reading "The Potluck Club" by Linda Evans Shepherd and Eva Marie Everson. Donna Kwiatkowski will be leading the discussion in the parlor at 7 pm.

### IF YOU WOULD LIKE ALTAR FLOWERS

to commemorate some special event, just call the church office to arrange a date. The flowers are \$45.00 and may be taken home following Sunday worship to enjoy.

#### WHAT DO STEPHEN MINISTERS DO?

Stephen Ministers are members of Glenview United Methodist Church who have gone through 50 hours of training to provide confidential, one-to-one Christian care to people who are facing a crisis or simply going through a difficult time. A Stephen Minister meets with his or her care receiver once a week for around an hour to listen, care, pray, and provide emotional and spiritual encouragement. Men are matched with male Stephen Ministers, and women are matched with female Stephen Ministers. To find out more about how you or someone you know could be matched with a Stephen Minister, talk to Pastor Eun-Hye for more information.

### **LOOSE COINS AND SINGLES**

in the offering plate will go to Dignity Diner. Their mission is a restaurant-style meal program, to feed the homeless and hungry with respect and dignity. Every Tuesday night they feed approximately 75 homeless and hungry patrons; however during COVID meals are prepared to go. The diner is located at Holy Covenant UMC in the Lincoln Park area. If you would like to give more, please write a check to GUMC with memo "Dignity Diner".

## SUPPORT GROUP MEETS MONTHLY

Do you cope with loss and grief? Do you need some encouraging words or understanding ears? The Support Group of Glenview UMC meets every second Thursday at 1:30 p.m. on zoom. Please contact Pastor Eun-Hye at <a href="mailto:echoi@glenviewumc.org">echoi@glenviewumc.org</a> to get the zoom link.

### IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY ON THE HOLIDAY/WEEKENDS:

On the weekends (Friday - Sunday evening) our church office is closed, and the phone messages are not retrieved until Monday. For emergencies, please contact our pastor, Rev. Eun-Hye Choi at echoi@glenviewumc.org, or at: 847-525-7261.

### **OUR FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:**

Cereal, juice boxes, pancake mix, canned chicken, canned beef stew and hearty soups, canned pasta with meat, peanut butter, jelly, plain white rice, boxed potato sides.

### **CONTACTLESS DONATIONS**



Use your smartphone camera or QR reader app to quickly and safely make your donation to GUMC. With one quick scan, you can send in a one-time donation or schedule recurring donations. Thank you for your generosity.

THIS WEEK: January 30 - February 6, 2022

Today: 4:30 pm GUMYouth, social hall Monday: 7 pm Coordinating Council via Zoom Tuesday: 10 am Staff Meeting via Zoom

11 am Prayer Shawl meeting, choir room

Wednesday: 7 pm Adult Study Group on Exodus via Zoom

7 pm Boy Scouts, social hall 7 pm A.A., choir room

Saturday: 6:30 am A.A., choir room

**Next Sunday:** 

10 am Worship, Communion, Sunday school and Confirmation

## STAFF:

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