

**We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.**

### **BLESSING**

The God of all grace, who has called us to eternal glory in Christ, establish you and strengthen you by the power of the Holy Spirit, that you may live in grace and peace.

### **ANTHEM**

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#### ***Glenview United Methodist Church***

*727 Harlem Avenue*

*Glenview, Illinois 60025*

*Beth and Greg Peterson, Directors of Youth Ministry*

*Rev. Dr. Eun-Hye Choi, Pastor*



### **CONFIRMATION**

**May 15, 2022**

#### **Layla Ruth DeBaker**

Mentor - Laura Wilson Underwood

Parents - Beth and Jason DeBaker

#### **Brielle Shea Doherty**

Mentor - Caryn Granzow

Parents - Amy and William Doherty

#### **Mikko Green Ramos Espino**

Mentor - Pat Keenan

Parents - Sharon and Richard Espino

## ***PROFESSION OF FAITH***

### **(Address to Confirmands)**

Do you accept the freedom and power God gives you to increase love, peace and justice in the world in every way possible?

**I do.**

Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations and races?

**I do.**

### **(To Parents)**

Your example of faith is most influential to your child. Will you continue to endeavor to grow in faith so that your child may learn from you?

**I will.**

### **(To Mentors)**

Will you continue to support your student in this community of faith?

**I will.**

### **(To the congregation)**

Do you, as Christ's body, the church, reaffirm your commitment to Christ and give your support to our youth now before you?

**We do.**

## ***CONFIRMATION***

### ***LAYING ON OF HANDS***

*Name*, the Lord defend you with his heavenly grace and by his Spirit confirm you in the faith and fellowship of all true disciples of Jesus Christ. Amen.

### ***RECEPTION INTO MEMBERSHIP***

As members of Christ's universal church, will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and do all in your power to strengthen its ministries?

**I will.**

As members of Glenview United Methodist Church, will you faithfully participate in its ministries by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service, and your witness?

**I will.**

### ***COMMENDATION AND WELCOME***

#### **(To the congregation)**

Members of the household of faith, I commend these young people to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase their faith, confirm their hope, and perfect them in love.