



We are a Reconciling Congregation!

***Grow, Play and Serve with a people with
Hearts for Children and Hands for Service***

REMINDER:

Masks are recommended, but not required while in the building.

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.

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

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 31, 2022

10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME

***OPENING PRAYER (unison)**

Loving and compassionate God, whose strength is made perfect in our weakness, help us to believe that you love us as we are. More than that, help us, imperfect though we are, to be carriers of the message of your love, like earthen vessels that carry treasures; and may we worship you in spirit and in truth, through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.

***HYMN**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

384, vs. 1,3,4

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

Beth Peterson

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

NEW TESTAMENT

Philippians 2:1-11

(Pew Bible p. 1827)

(Pew Bible p. 1505)

Julie Gold

Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

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.

COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

SCHOOL - AGAIN! ALREADY!!

We are again collecting school supplies for Olivet UMC's programs that support children of all ages (K-12th) in their Chicago west side neighborhood. Olivet is seeking not only the traditional academic supplies, **but also new underwear (underpants, undershirts, bras)**. While doing your normal shopping, pick up some of the items shown in the list included in your last Visitor. (*Tip: Illinois has announced that from 8/5 - 14, school supplies will be taxed only 1.25% (usual is 6.25%)). Bring the items to GUMC anytime through Sunday, Aug. 14. Place them in the collection bins by the social hall or by the church office. Whatever you donate will be much appreciated!

OUR NEXT BOOK CLUB WILL BE DISCUSSING "LESSONS IN CHEMISTRY" BY BONNIE GARMUS

at the meeting on Wednesday, August 3 at 7 pm in the parlor.

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY:

Looking for something to read? If you are in the mood for romance, adventure and triumph over life's trials, then check out the top of the fiction bookcase in the parlor for multiple titles from Grace Livingston Hill. The books are numbered and the series was donated by Judy Neuberger. If that's not your thing, check out the other fiction books below. They are labeled F for Fiction and then the first initial of the author. Coming soon...if you missed the GUMC book club and would like to read one of those books, we plan to have a copy of each book on the shelves soon. Happy Reading!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl ministry is a small group effort with a valuable mission at the church. We provide prayer shawls that are soft, lightweight and full of comfort and prayer. Each shawl is prayed over and dedicated to the receiver. Recently, I had the privilege to give two shawls to Glenview Terrace residents. After reading the dedication card and presenting the shawls to the recipients, I became a firm believer in the importance of this small mission. The recipients were effusive in their thanksgiving and delighted to have been included in our prayer shawl ministry. At least 10 prayer shawls have been given out in the past year or so. If you can't attend the meetings, please feel free to knit or crochet a prayer shawl to donate to the cause. If you would like to learn how to knit or crochet a prayer shawl, please contact Judy Neuberger or Donna Kwiatkowski.

MAKING GLENVIEW UMC A MORE CARING PLACE

We can all help make GUMC a more caring place with a bright smile, a sincere greeting, a word of encouragement. As you greet people this morning, let them know how much you care. And remember, when you meet someone with extra needs, tell them about our Stephen Ministry. If you or someone you know is hurting or alone, please have them contact Pastor Eun-Hye.

LOOSE COINS AND SINGLES

in the offering plates will go to Debra Gelfand Foundation. This non-profit organization is currently helping District 34 families experiencing hardship with food, household items, rents to prevent evictions and other types of assistance. The Foundation relies solely on donations. Please donate generously to this partnership between our church and this resource to those most needy in our community. If you'd like to donate more, write a check with "Debra Gelfand Foundation" on the memo line. To learn more about this group, visit www.DebraGelfand.org.

PASTORAL CARE FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY! Too often we find out about illnesses, crises and hospitalizations after they occur. This is a missed opportunity for the calls and visits we would like to share. Please let us know if there is a concern in your family or in another congregant's family (with their permission). We need your help in order to offer ours. Pastor Eun-Hye: Echoi@glenviewumc.org; Office@glenviewumc.org; 847-729-1015.

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY ON THE 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.

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.

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:**July 31 - August 7, 2022**

Today: 11 am Fellowship, parlor
Monday: 7 pm Agile Church via Zoom
7:30 pm A.A., rooms 11 & 12
Tuesday: 10 am Staff meeting via Zoom
11 am Prayer Shawl meeting, choir room
Wednesday: 7 pm A.A., rooms 11 & 12
7 pm Book Club, parlor
Saturday: 6:30 am A.A., choir room

Next Sunday:

10 am Worship, Baptisms and Communion

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