



We are a Reconciling Congregation!

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

REMINDER:

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 the worship service every Sunday; and Room 9 is open for parents and their young children to watch and hear the service.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 16, 2023 10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds arr. Anne Krentz Organ

*DOXOLOGY Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow 94

*WELCOME

*OPENING PRAYER (unison)

We come before you, O God, with the greetings of the risen Christ ringing in our ears! You have done great things for us, though we barely understand them. You have done great things for us, though we sparsely share their riches. You have done great things for us, though we rarely live in their full glory. Today in this ongoing Easter season, please may the Spirit of Christ surprise us again. You only turn our doubts to joy, and you only give us eternal peace. In his name we pray. Amen.

*HYMN We Know That Christ is Raised 610

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

Response

He Has Made Me Glad

2270

(sung as the children come forward and leave to attend Sunday school and Confirmation)

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

NEW TESTAMENT Acts 2:14, 22-32 (Pew Bible p. 1692)

MUSIC Coronation Craig Courtney

Jan Hutchins, piano

*GOSPEL John 20:19-31 (Pew Bible p. 1686)

Gospel Acclamation



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

People: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain 315

SERMON Doubt What You See! Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

BLESSING ON THE MISSION PROJECT IN THE PHILIPPINES

Jun and Alice Ramos

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 Up From the Grave He Arose 322

SENDING FORTH

COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OFFERING OUR THANKS AND OURSELVES

All loose coins and singles in the offering plates will go to UMCOR-Turkey/Syria.

BENEDICTION

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

USHER: Curtis Corbige

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Everyone is invited to join us in the parlor for fellowship sponsored by the Fellowship Committee.

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.

### **COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

#### THE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT

is given by Bruce and Sarane Siewerth in celebration of the 16<sup>th</sup> birthday of Nina Landvick, their oldest grandchild.

#### THE RED ROSE ON THE ALTAR

is in memory of a past member, Bonnie Mitchell, born 11-4-24, died 4-11-74 from her son Rev. Mark Mitchell. This is the 49<sup>th</sup> year of her passing.

## **OUTREACH PROJECTS IN THE PHILIPPINES**

There will be more than a thousand households and individual beneficiaries from several indigent communities who will be receiving livelihood goods and services. In addition, a livelihood means will be started in the community prone to communist recruitments so their allegiance can't be easily swayed against the Philippine Government. The Mushroom Production Project will benefit 175 households and 100 elementary children. Lastly, we will put up four artesian wells in remote areas without available potable water. One of them will be dedicated in honor of the Glenview United Methodist Church (June and Alice Ramos).

#### **UPPER ROOM FOR MAY/JUNE 2023**

is available in the narthex and by the church office.

#### **DIAPER DRIVE NOW THROUGH MOTHER'S DAY!**

Your contributions will benefit WINGS (Women in Need Growing Stronger). Supportive services provided to WINGS residents include budget planning, counseling, child and family services, support groups, crisis management, goal setting, and access to vocational counseling. WINGS has Emergency Safe Houses in Chicago and the suburbs, Transitional Housing for unemployed survivors and their children with refuge while they seek employment. WINGS apartments are distributed throughout the north and northwest suburbs and Permanent Housing for long-term and optional supportive services to physically or mentally disabled adults and their children. Please bring any size diapers (not adult) and wipes to the bins by the social hall and the church office.

## LOOSE COINS AND SINGLES

in the offering plates will go to UMCOR-Turkey and Syria. Since Turkey and Syria were devastated by an earthquake in February, over 35,000 people have died and hundreds of thousands of people were left homeless. UMCOR and their long-standing humanitarian partner, international Blue Crescent, are helping the survivors as they seek shelter, warmth, and a hot meal. They are providing tents, heaters, blankets, warm clothes, first aid kits, and ready to eat meals. Please support their relief and recovery efforts. Place "Advance #982550" on the memo line if you choose to write a check.

#### **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

Helping Hands of Glenview is seeking driver volunteers. The major volunteer activity with Helping Hands is driving senior and disabled residents to medical appointments, necessary shopping trips or personal care visits. This assistance is greatly appreciated and is a key ingredient in enabling seniors to remain in their own homes. Trips provided by our volunteers take no more than two hours and are usually within five miles one-way and never more than ten. A volunteer can drive as often or as seldom as desired. They need your help for as little as an hour a month to several hours a week. Add your name to the list of volunteers by calling Helping Hands at 847-729-8181.

#### **HELP US UPDATE OUR RECORDS!**

Please use the blue "Keep in Touch" cards in your pews to give us any new information, i.e. address, <u>cell phone</u>, email, etc. This helps us keep your contact information current.

#### **ADULT BIBLE STUDY**

Please join the ongoing Bible study on Wednesday mornings via Zoom at 10 am. Our worship (music, scripture readings and sermon) follow the Common Lectionary Cycle since Advent of 2022. This Lectionary study group will read and discuss each week's Scripture readings before Sunday worship. To get the zoom link, please contact Pastor Eun-Hye at echoi@glenviewumc.org.

#### **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: April 16 - April 23, 2023

**Today:** 11 am Coffee Fellowship, social hall

11 am Bells rehearse, sanctuary

Monday: 7 pm Finance Committee via Zoom

**Tuesday:** 10 am Staff meeting via Zoom **Wednesday:** 10 am Adult Study via Zoom

7 pm Adult Choir rehearsal, choir room

Saturday: 10 am Women in Faith Board meeting, parlor

**Next Sunday:** 

10 am Worship, Sunday school and Confirmation

11 am Fellowship, parlor 11 am Bells rehearse, sanctury 4:30 pm GUMYouth, social hall

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