



We are a Reconciling Congregation!

Connecting with others through Mission, Music and Ministry!

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 open to hear the worship service every Sunday.

There are large print bulletins, hymnals and supplements in the back of the sanctuary on the table. You are welcome to use them during the service and then return the hymnals to the table after the service.

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

November 24, 2024

10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Thanks Be To God

Handel

WELCOME

*PEACE

Leader: May the peace of Jesus Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

*OPENING PRAYER (unison)

God of Wisdom, God of Light, Holy One, help us to rejoice in the truth. Grant that we may experience the meaning of your reign among men and women on this earth, through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

Blessed Be Your Name

3002 (small green book)

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

Beth Peterson

(sung as the children come forward and then leave for Sunday school)

Response

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

2026 (small black book)

(Children PreK-K, room 10c, 1st - 5th, room 10b, 6-8th, room 10a may leave for Sunday school.)

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

- NEW TESTAMENT *Revelation 1:4-8* (Pew Bible p. 1913)
- ANTHEM *Forever* Chris Tomlin
- *GOSPEL *John 18:33-38* (Pew Bible p. 1683)
 Leader: The word of God for the people of God.
 People: **Thanks be to God.**
- *HYMN *Come, Ye Thankful People Come* 694, vs. 1,2,4 4 (large blue book)
- SERMON *Reign of Christ* Rev. Victor Melad

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

PRAYER 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 *God of Great and God of Small* 3003, vs. 1,2,4 (small green book)

SENDING FORTH

COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OFFERING OUR THANKS AND OURSELVES

Please return your pledge card! There are extras by the sound booth.
All loose coins and singles in the offering plates will go to Curt’s Cafe.

BENEDICTION

- POSTLUDE *Thanksgiving* George Winston

WE WELCOME OUR DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT REV. VICTOR MELAD as our guest preacher today. Rev. Melad will also preside over the Annual Conference in the parlor right after worship.

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

**USHER: Sandy Vanderburg**

*Everyone is invited to join us for fellowship and refreshments in the parlor provided by Holly and Ed Porrett.*

*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**

### **THE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT**

is given by Ed and Holly Porrett in gratitude for the work of the entire staff of Glenview United Methodist Church.

### **PLEASE PLAN ON ATTENDING OUR ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE**

right after worship TODAY in the parlor. Our D.S. Rev. Victor Melad will preside over this informative meeting. Come and hear what our church has been doing this past year and our plans for next year.

### **COME JOIN YOUR COMMUNITY ON NOVEMBER 26**

at 7:30 p.m. at St. Catherine Laboure Catholic Church, 3535 Thornwood Ave., Glenview for the annual Glenview Interfaith Thanksgiving Service.

### **EVERYONE IS INVITED TO JOIN US FOR OUR**

“Hanging of the Greens” to help decorate our church for Advent and Christmas and also Ornament Making right after worship on Sunday, December 1. This is open and includes all ages.

### **ADVENT EVENING SERVICE VIA ZOOM**

will be held on Monday evenings, 12/2, 9, 16 and 23 at 7 p.m. Please contact Pastor Eun-Hye so you can get on her link for this program. If you need an Advent candleholder, Pastor has some you can use.

### **WHOSE BIRTHDAY IS IT, ANYWAY?**

Your willingness to sign up to purchase gifts for so many children, young adults and seniors is heartwarming. Thank you for stepping forward to support this program. All names have been chosen, but we can always accept gifts for Olivet UMC. All gifts are due back at the church by 9 am on Sunday, Dec. 8. They should be wrapped and tagged with the Agency Name, Number and Recipients' name. Drop them off in the church parlor on your way into church or bring them to the church office at any time before Dec. 8.

### **BELL CHOIR REHEARSALS ARE ON WEDNESDAYS AT 6 PM IN THE SANCTUARY! YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN!**

### **THE TREE IS HERE!**

Yes, in the back near the narthex door, there stands the tree for Mittens and More! Its boughs are spread out in bare limbed chic, with hopes that you'll fill them week after week. From today, through Twelfth Night (Jan. 5), the Tree will be receiving your donations for our sister church, Olivet UMC's neighborhood warming ministry and for Care for Real's clients, many of whom are recent migrants to our chilly winter climate. Come one, come all and deck the tree with your generous gifts of knitted and stitched mittens, mufflers, hats, gloves, coats, sweaters, socks, blankets and more. Make them or buy them, it matters not! And even if you brought nothing to give today, please serenade the tree with a hip, hip, hooray!

### **OUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH ARE REHEARSING FOR THEIR “ITS CHRISTMAS EVERYWHERE”**

Christmas program for our Sunday worship on Sunday, Dec. 8. You won't want to miss this.

### **INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS**

to our Community Candlelight Christmas Service held at the Schram Chapel, 1799 Patriot Blvd., Glenview, at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 12. Start out the Christmas season with this beautiful, inspiring service with our choir.

**THE SANCTUARY CHOIR WILL PERFORM THEIR "LESSONS AND CAROLS" FOR US**  
on Sunday, Dec. 15 starting at 9:40 a.m. in the sanctuary.

**WE ARE AGAIN HAVING OUR ANNUAL COOKIE SALE**

on Sunday, Dec. 15 right after worship. A box of homemade cookies will be \$10.

**YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO BAKE YOUR FAVORITE COOKIES**

to help make this sale the success it always has been. Make 3-4 doz. of your best, nicest Christmas cookies (you can include nuts but just label as such). This has been a favorite event that is coordinated by our Women In Faith.

**YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN OUR NEW ADULT SUPPER CLUB.**

There are two ways to do that: In House-where 6-8 people get together and the host cooks the meal or the host can cook the main dish and the other people bring the other dishes: the second way is to go out to a restaurant (each pay our own). This is a great way to meet new people and have a good time. The groups would meet for 4 months and then change. If you are interested, talk to Kay Harr, 847-724-8020, or call the church office.

**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.

**DECEMBER BOOK CLUB**

We will be discussing "*Counting Miracles*" by Nicholas Sparks. Come join us for this lively discussion group on Tuesday, December 3rd at 7 pm in the parlor. Everyone is encouraged to join.

**THIS WEEK:**

**November 24 - December 1, 2024**

**Today:** 11 am Fellowship and Annual All Church Conference, parlor

**Tuesday:** 10 am Staff meeting, pastor's office

7:30 pm Interfaith Community Service at St. Catherine Laboure Church

**Thursday:** **HAPPY THANKSGIVING** - building closed

**Next Sunday:** First Sunday of Advent

10 am Worship, Communion, Confirmation and Sunday school

11 am Fellowship, social hall

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