



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.

We have “worship bags” for children to use during worship and they are in the back.

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.

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

March 9, 2025

10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Lenten Meditation

Robert Thygerson

INTROIT

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring
Kayt Ribordy, soloist

J. S. Bach

WELCOME

***PEACE**

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

People: **And also with you.**

***OPENING PRAYER (unison)**

Almighty God, your blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by the devil. Come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations. And, as you know the weakness of each of us, let each one find you mighty to save; through Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord. Amen.

***OPENING HYMN**

On Eagle's Wings

143 (large blue book)

PSALTER *Psalm 91* 810 (large blue book)
Kayt Ribordy, cantor

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS Beth Peterson

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

Response *Jesus Loves the Little Children*

Jesus loves the little children,

All the children of the world.

Every gender, every race, all are covered by His grace.

Jesus loves the little children of the world.

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

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT *Deuteronomy 26:1-11* (Pew Bible p. 311)

ANTHEM *Break the Bread* Natalie Sleeth

*GOSPEL *Luke 4:1-13* (Pew Bible p. 1595)

*HYMN *Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley* 2112 (small black book)

SERMON *Bread . . . Glory . . . Security* 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 *God Will Take Care of You* 130 (large blue book)

SENDING FORTH

COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OFFERING OUR THANKS AND OURSELVES

All loose coins and singles in the offering plates will go to World Central Kitchen.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *He Leadeth Me* William Bradbury

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

USHER: Sandy Vanderburg

ACOLYTE: Ryan Granzow

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Everyone is invited to join us for fellowship and refreshments in the parlor today.

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

TOMORROW IS DEADLINE TO ORDER YOUR EASTER FLOWERS!

Complete the yellow order form in this bulletin and put in the offering baskets, or call the church office tomorrow.

BOOK CLUB

on Thursday, (note day change), March 13 at 7 pm in the parlor. We will be discussing "The Women" by Kristin Hannah. All are welcome.

LENTEN DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Daily devotionals in Lent will be emailed to you. All you need to do is let the church office (office@glenviewumc.org) know that you want to receive the daily devotional. This year's Lenten devotional will be based on Kate Bowler's book *Good Enough*. Following her daily devotionals in this Lent we may learn to live our Christian life not as a pursuit of endless progress but as a chronic condition.

JOIN "SOUP AND SUBSTANCE" THIS LENT!

Lenten practice of simple soup and bread dinner along with learning and discussion will be held on Wednesdays, beginning March 12 at 6 pm in the parlor/narthex area. This year's theme is Christianity and History. Our speaker on March 12 will be Rev. Chris Walters on "Historical Jesus part one". Invite friends, family and neighbors to join you in the Early Christianity as well as Christian fellowship!

OUR RUMMAGE SALE IS VERY CLOSE!

We will start collecting all your "donations" beginning Sunday, March 23 at 1 pm and every day through Thursday, March 27 from 9 am to 8 pm.

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE THIS SALE THE SUCCESS IT ALWAYS HAS BEEN!

JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF COMEDY!

On Friday, April 11, at 8 pm we will be gathering at the Laughing Academy, 3230 Glenview Road, Glenview for a fun-filled evening featuring comedian Larry Reeb! Reserve your space now at <https://thelaughingacademy.com> and then notify the church office you are coming, so we can all sit together. Please make your reservations by March 27!

MISSION VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Help the poor and hungry in Chicago's Edgewater area at Care for Real, one Wednesday a month, dates TBD, 9 am - noon. Carpool from GUMC at 8 am, back by 1:30-2 pm. (Rev. Gregory Gross, former GUMC Assoc. Pastor, is Exec. Director). If interested, contact Ethel Doyle, 847-975-0361, or lareth@aol.com.

UPPER ROOM FOR MARCH/APRIL,

both large and regular print, is available on the literature rack in the narthex as well as on the rack by 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.

WE WILL AGAIN HAVE OUR DIAPER DRIVE BEGINNING IN APRIL THROUGH MOTHER'S DAY!

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.

PLEASE BRING ITEMS FOR THE FOOD PANTRIES - THEIR NEED IS ALWAYS ONGOING!

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY ON THE WEEKENDS:

On the weekends (Friday - Sunday evening) and holidays 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.

THIS WEEK: **March 9 - March 16, 2025**

Today: 11 am Fellowship, parlor
11:15 am Bell Choir rehearsal, sanctuary
2 pm "Annie" play, social hall
4:30 pm GUMYouth, social hall

Monday: 7 pm Eve Circle, parlor
7 pm Finance Committee via Zoom

Tuesday: 9:30 am Mission and Service Committee, choir room
9:30 am Staff meeting, pastor's office
7 pm Trustees, parlor

Wednesday: 10 am Adult Bible Study, choir room
6 pm "Soup and Substance", narthex/parlor
7 pm Sanctuary Choir rehearsal, choir room

Thursday: 7 pm Book Club, parlor

Next Sunday: **Second Sunday in Lent**

10 am Worship, Confirmation and Sunday school
11 am Fellowship, social hall
11:15 am Bell Choir rehearses, sanctuary

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