

Glenn Church Welcomes You

Glenn Memorial United Methodist Church is committed to loving God and loving neighbor with our whole selves - heart, mind, soul, and strength. As Jesus loved those around him, we believe that all persons are of sacred worth and dignity as part of God's creation. We welcome all persons into the full life and ministry of our congregation, regardless of race, culture, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, family or socioeconomic status, education, politics, physical or mental ability, or faith history.

Peter Pan: One More Showing! If you have yet to see this year's youth production, there is one last chance - this afternoon at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children and students. Pay at the door. Childcare available.

Ash Wednesday Services March 1. At 6:15 p.m. in The Little Chapel, we'll have a short, 15-minute service for children and families that introduces the season of Lenten traditions in a child-friendly way. At 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary, we'll have a meditative service with the reading of Scripture, prayers, hymns, and the ritual of the imposition of ashes. Childcare available.

Men's Un-Retreat Saturday, March 4, 8:00 a.m. The men of Glenn are invited to a day of "retreat" together at the church - 8:00 a.m. catered breakfast from Flying Biscuit to fuel up to load furniture/equipment/supplies from the YAAB into storage pods in preparation for the upcoming construction. A pizza lunch will be provided after the heavy lifting, and then enjoy an afternoon of pick-up basketball games. Optional evening plans of dutch treat dinner out. Suggested donation of \$20 to help cover meal costs. RSVP at glennumc.org/upcoming-events.

Hunger Walk/Run Sunday, March 5, 2:00 p.m. Join with thousands of people in Atlanta to fight hunger in our local community. The 5K route takes participants through historic downtown Atlanta and around the State Capitol. The Glenn team will be there - and needs your support. Help to reach the team's fundraising goal by making a donation on behalf of the entire team or a specific member. Or take the next step by walking/running with them. Visit glennumc.org/upcoming-events for more information.

Lunch & Learn: Celebration of Africa University's 25th Anniversary Sunday, March 12, 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Join with Alice Rogers and Glenn members Jim Waits, Jim Laney, and Gerald Lord for a special presentation on the work and mission of Africa University. AU is an United Methodist-related institution in Zimbabwe that aims to provide quality education within a Pan-African context through which persons can acquire general and professional knowledge and skills, grow in spiritual maturity, develop sound moral values, ethics and leadership qualities. In honor of the silver anniversary, a suggested donation of \$25/person that will go directly to the Africa University annual fund is appreciated.

To read about all of our Upcoming Events, please visit glennumc.org/upcoming-events.

Connect with us

Glenn E-News | Our church-wide e-newsletter published Mondays and Fridays.

Kids @ Glenn and Youth @ Glenn | Our weekly e-newsletters pertaining to children and teenagers.

Glenn Notes | Our monthly electronic and paper newsletter.

Hands and Feet | Our Service Team's quarterly e-newsletter.

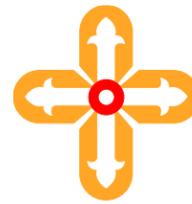
We also maintain a **church-wide calendar** and are active on **Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram**.

If you are interested in subscribing to these communications and more, visit glennumc.org/publications.

To inform Glenn of illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; to pass along a prayer request; or to arrange homebound Communion; please contact Rev. Susan Pinson at spinson@glennumc.org.



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9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Mon. - Fri.



GLENN MEMORIAL CHURCH

A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

Children's bulletins and worship kits, large print Bibles and hymnals, individual listening devices, and pew cushions are available from an usher.

If your child needs care during the service, a comfort room is located downstairs at the back of the Sanctuary. Childcare is available in the Church School Building for ages 6-weeks through 6-years-old.

All children are invited to come forward as we sing.

The *Paschal Candle* is lit in honor of Tommy's baptism.

As a sign of reconciliation with God and each other, you are invited to greet those near you with a handshake or embrace, accompanied by the words

"Peace be with you"
and the response
"And also with you."

The Worship of God

Transfiguration of the Lord

February 26, 2017

11:00 a.m.

We Gather

OPENING VOLUNTARY | *Concerto in A Minor*

Vivaldi/Bach

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Jesus stands on the mountain top
radiant in glory and ablaze with power.

Open our eyes, our ears, and all of our senses to share in this glory.

Shine in our hearts and fill us with your love

that we may be transformed by your Word,

live your righteousness, and follow where you lead.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN | *O Wondrous Sight! O Vision Fair* (258)

WAREHAM

CHILDREN'S TIME

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Thomas Byron Lewis is the son of Courtney and Brent Lewis.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that Tommy, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

HYMN | *Jesus' Hands Were Kind Hands* (273)

AU CLAIR DE LA LUNE

PASSING OF THE PEACE AND WORDS OF WELCOME

God Speaks

THE FIRST LESSON | 2 Peter 1:16-21

May God bless the reading of the Word.

Thanks be to God.

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Courtney and Brent Lewis in celebration of Tommy's baptism and in honor of his great grandparents, Frederick Byron Barton "Poppo" and Peggy Barton "Mommo".

GRADUAL | *I Believe This Is Jesus*

Spiritual
Arr. Undine Smith Moore

Chancel Choir
Khary Wilson, Soloist

I believe this is Jesus; come and see, come and see.
The Light of God shines in his face, oh come and see, oh come and see.
He offers all his pard'ning grace; come and see, come and see.
I believe this is Jesus; Yes, yes, yes, yes. Lord.
I believe this is Jesus; Yes, yes yes, come and see, come and see.

*THE GOSPEL LESSON | Matthew 17:1-9
May God bless the reading of the Word.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON | "Holy Encounters"

We Respond

*HYMN | *I Need Thee Every Hour* (397) NEED

MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (895)

**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.**

OFFERTORY | *Mein gläubiges Herze* Johann Sebastian Bach
from Cantata BWV 68, "Also hat Gott die Welt geliebt"

Cynthia Shepherd, Soloist

My faithful heart,
rejoice, sing, be merry,
your Jesus is here!
Away with sorrow, away with lamentation
I shall just say to you:
my Jesus is close.

*DOXOLOGY OLD 100TH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**
(Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost)

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**We give you thanks, Holy God,
for the transforming power you work in our lives.
May we continue to be shaped and formed by you
as we walk with Jesus in our daily lives.
Accept these gifts we offer,
and may they bring transformation to your world.
Through Christ our Lord,
who walks with us through the valleys and mountain tops of life.
Amen.**

We Go Forth

*CLOSING HYMN | *Fairest Lord Jesus* (189) ST. ELIZABETH

*BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

*POSTLUDE | *Acclamation for a Festival Day* Jean Langlais

Worship Leaders Today

PREACHER | *Rev. Dr. Alice Rogers, Senior Pastor*

LITURGISTS | *Rev. Brent Huckaby, Minister for Worship and Missions;
Rev. Susan Pinson, Minister for Children and Older Adults*

LAY READERS | *Rod Pittam, Susan Anne MacKenna*

MUSICIANS | *Dr. Steven Darsey, Director of Music; Dr. Timothy Albrecht,
Organist; Khary Wilson, Soloist; Cynthia Shepherd, Soloist*

USHERS | *Vic Allums, Jon and Charlotte Golden, John Hogshead, Aaron, Thomas,
and Charlotte Hurst, Tom, Leslie, Tommy & Maggie Lawley, Jennifer Scott-
Ward, Albert and Kathy Sheffer*

ACOLYTES | *Jack Elliottte Floyd, Lily Floyd*

CRUCIFER | *Lane Parker Estes*

Tonight:

The Gathering - 5:00 p.m.
(meeting in The Little Chapel this week)
Rev. Brent Huckaby, preaching

Next Sunday, Lent 1:

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Rev. Dr. Alice Rogers, preaching

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Interested in learning more about Glenn, becoming a member, or baptisms?

We would love to hear from you.
Please call our church office at
404.634.3936 and a pastor will
contact you.

Join us in welcoming our
newest members:

**Betsy Lambert and
Antonio Maggioni**
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