

GLENRIDGE BIBLE CHURCH

Welcome to our

Onlíne Church Servíce

March 29th, 2020

Pastor Bobby Halek "The Power to Persevere Through Persecution"

A Bible-Based Community, united by God's love and grace, that worships Him, serves others, and proclaims the message of Christ.



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Today at GlenridgeBibleChurch.org

" And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made alive together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses"

Colossians 2 : 13

Order of Service

As seen at:

https://glenridgebiblechurch.org/sermon-archive/ (Available Sunday morning at 9:00am)

Praise & Offering Worship

"Praise You in the Storm" — Casting Crowns "Sovereign"— Chris Tomlin

Kids' Discipleland — Angela Kersten

Scripture Reading—Pastor Bobby Acts 4 : 23-31

> Message - Pastor Bobby "The Power to Persevere Through Persecution"

> Hymn of Response "It is Well With My Soul"

THIS WEEK AT G.B.C

Today Online Service with Pastor Bobby

<u>Next Sunday, April 5th</u> Online Service with Pastor Bobby

| | Giving |
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| "Upon the first day of the week, let everyone of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him" I Corinthians 16:2 | |
| | General Offerings Sunday, March 15 th \$1,775.00 General Offerings Sunday, March 22 nd \$4,805.38 |
| Weekly General Offerings required to meet 2020 Budget: \$ 6,821.27 | |
| 2020 YTD General Offerings Budget:\$81,584.512020 YTD General Offerings Donations:\$69,395.90 | |
| God continues to bless our church through your tithes and offerings, yes, even while we are unable to meet in person. | |
| If you have offerings you'd like to donate, please remember there are multiple options available. | |
| 1) | You can donate online through our website at |
| | www.GlenridgeBibleChurch.org and click on the 'Give' tab at the |
| 2) | top of the page. (You can use MasterCard or Visa) You can drop your envelope in the mail slot at the front of the |
| _, | church (to the left of the main front doors) |
| 3) | You can mail your cheque in |
| 4) | Contact the office and we'll arrange for someone to pick it up from your home mailbox (to minimize contact) |
| Also, anyone who would like to have numbered offering envelopes, or a mailbox here at the church, please contact the office at: 905.937.1326 or GlenridgeBC@gmail.com and we'll have them ready for when our services resume | |
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Recommended:

For home viewing, the Elders of Glenridge Bible Church recommend the following:

"Living Truth" (People's Church) On YES TV at 9:00am on Sundays

"Let My People Think" with Ravi Zacharias on YES TV at 9:30am on Sundays

"Turning Point" with Dr. David Jeremiah on YES TV at 11:30am on Sundays

For home reading, Pastor Bobby recommends the following:

"1 Thessalonians" by the Apostle Paul

"A Book to Die For" by William J. McRae

"Honesty, Morality and Conscience" by Jerry White

The Board of Glenridge Bible Church will continue to base decisions on services and ministries at GBS on the guidelines provided by Niagara Public Health and the Ontario Ministry of Health.

As we are in a situation of not meeting together corporately, please forward any names/phone numbers etc, of members or attendees of our church that are either new, or are not online, to the office. We want to make sure that nobody is left out when it comes to communications from the Board, Office, or Pastor Bobby.

Family (and Personal) Discipleship Resources

So many excellent resources are available for the teaching and training of both parents and children. In fact, many of these resources provide beneficial teaching and encouragement whether you have children or not! I encourage you to do some exploring!

Podcasts:

Ambleside Flourish Podcast (available online at <u>www.amblesideflourish.com</u> or through your favourite podcast app). In particular, check out the 4 part series called "Bringing Up Joyful Children" given by Bill St. Cyr. This is particularly relevant for these days of 'being together.' Highly recommended listening!

Other notable teaching series on this podcast are:

The Pursuit of Maturity Parenting in a Digital Age

At Home with Sally Podcast (available online at <u>www.sallyclarkson.com</u> or through your favourite podcast app). Sally Clarkson provides such encouragement and solid Biblical teaching through her podcast. There are close to 400 episodes so you won't run out of listening material! Maybe start with her most recent episodes and then explore to find topics that appeal to you.

Family Devotionals/Bible Teaching:

Right Now Media. Right now media is like Netflix for video Bible studies, family devotionals, and children's programs. Normally Right Now Media is only available through a church subscription. However, given our circumstances, they have made a limited number of programs available for free to anyone who wants to access them. You will need to make an account, but it is free. Go to <u>www.rightnowmedia.org</u> and click on the orange banner at the top of the page.

Keys for Kids Radio. Keys for Kids has been around for a long time! This is always a free program. If you are looking for a daily devotional to listen to as a family, then this one may interest you. Stories are well told and Bible teaching is solid. Access it for free at <u>www.keysforkids.org</u>

Thank You for Praying

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, and faithful in prayer." Romans 12: 12

Notes of Praise:

- * Despite sever restrictions on how our church operates, our congregation has been very supportive and generous in its financial support. A special thanks goes to volunteers who have been picking up offerings from house-bound folks and delivering Mac & Cheese too!
- * Ernie Seeger has received an excellent prognosis after his surgery. Though he still has a surgery to remove the remaining cancer and put in a stent on April 1st, and the doctors still need to address an Aneurism, his doctors consider both issues to be 'negligible'. Ernie and Carolin thank everyone for their prayers and ask you to continue as go through these health concerns.
- * Charles and Tara Monteith's friend, Andrea, whom we've been praying for, is in remission. She will be undergoing radiation as additional treatment. Praise the Lord, and please continue to pray for Andrea.

Prayer Concerns:

- * Please continue to pray for those in our congregation suffering from on-going pain. Please pray for Emilia Pirc, Sue Furness, Ron and Lois Clattenburg, Jaqi Shennan, Rosalie Pankoff, Eleanor Leigh.
- * Please continue to pray for Otto Roman during his recovery and physio.
- * Sue Furness requests prayer for a friend, Amy (19y/o), suffering from terminal cancer. Please pray for comfort for both Amy and her family.
- * The Luchkanyns ask for continued prayer for their friends, Quin McColgan, suffering from cancer.

"With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be on the alert with all perseverance and petition for all the saints" Ephesians 6 : 18