### **Annual General Congregational Meeting**

Our Annual Congregational Meeting is currently scheduled for Saturday, March 5, 2022 at 7:30pm. Agenda, Previous Minutes, Financial Documents, and Annual Report will be ready for pickup in advance of the meeting so everyone can have a chance to read through them prior to the meeting.

#### **Proposed Slate of Directors**

As recommended by the Nominating Committee, the Board will be presenting the following members to the congregation at the AGM to be accepted to serve on the Board for 2022:

Larry Srigley (Elder—to serve a 2nd term)
Frank Peters (Elder—to serve a 2nd term)
Juergen Harder (Deacon—to serve a 2nd term)
Dennis James (Deacon—to serve a 2nd term)
George Warkentin (Director of Finance—to
serve a 1 year term)

We will have a newly updated Photo Directory coming in a few weeks. We need photos of some of our newer folks (and long-time holdouts) as well as contact information.

In the meantime, please make the following change to your existing directories:

Juergen & Debbie Harder 36 Elderwood Drive, St. Catharines, ON L2S 3E5

Phone numbers remain the same.



Glenridge Bible Church's

"Mission of the Month"

Please remember to pray for, and encourage, our GBC missionary.

Rita Makubuya serving with Niagara Life Centre

# **Scripture Reading - Daniel 8: 1-27 NASB**

In the third year of the reign of Belshazzar the king a vision appeared to me, Daniel, subsequent to the one which appeared to me previously. I looked in the vision, and while I was looking I was in the citadel of Susa, which is in the province of Elam; and I looked in the vision and I myself was beside the Ulai Canal. Then I lifted my eyes and looked, and behold, a ram which had two horns was standing in front of the canal. Now the two horns were long, but one was longer than the other, with the longer one coming up last. I saw the ram bu tting westward, northward, and southward, and no other beasts could stand before him nor was there anyone to rescue from his power, but he did as he pleased and magnified himself.

While I was observing, behold, a male goat was coming from the west over the surface of the whole earth without touching the ground; and the goat had a conspicuous horn between his eyes. He came up to the ram that had the two horns, which I had seen standing in front of the canal, and rushed at him in his mighty wrath. I saw him come beside the ram, and he was enraged at him; and he struck the ram and shattered his two horns, and the ram had no strength to withstand him. So he hurled him to the ground and trampled on him, and there was none to rescue the ram from his power.

Then the male goat magnified himself exceedingly. But as soon as he was mighty, the large horn was broken; and in its place there came up four conspicuous horns toward the four winds of heaven.

Out of one of them came forth a rather small horn which grew exceedingly great toward the south, toward the east, and toward the Beautiful Land. It grew up to the host of heaven and caused some of the host and some of the stars to fall to the earth, and it trampled them down. It even magnified itself to be equal with the Commander of the host; and it removed the regular sacrifice from Him, and the place of His sanctuary was thrown down. And on account of transgression the host will be given over to the horn along with the regular sacrifice; and it will fling truth to the ground and perform its will and prosper.

Then I heard a holy one speaking, and another holy one said to that particular one who was speaking, "How long will the vision about the regular sacrifice apply, while the transgression causes horror, so as to allow both the holy place and the host to be trampled?"

He said to me, "For 2,300 evenings and mornings; then the holy place will be properly restored."

When I, Daniel, had seen the vision, I sought to understand it; and behold, standing before me was one who looked like a man. And I heard the voice of a man between the banks of Ulai, and he called out and said, "Gabriel, give this man an understanding of the vision."

So he came near to where I was standing, and when he came I was frightened and fell on my face; but he said to me, "Son of man, understand that the vision pertains to the time of the end."

Now while he was talking with me, I sank into a deep sleep with my face to the ground; but he touched me and made me stand upright.

He said, "Behold, I am going to let you know what will occur at the final period of the indignation, for it pertains to the appointed time of the end.

The ram which you saw with the two horns represents the kings of Media and Persia.

The shaggy goat represents the kingdom of Greece, and the large horn that is between his eyes is the first king. The broken horn and the four horns that arose in its place represent four kingdoms which will arise from his nation, although not with his power.

"In the latter period of their rule, when the transgressors have run their course, a king will arise, insolent and skilled in intrigue. "His power will be mighty, but not by his own power, And he will destroy to an extraordinary degree and prosper and perform his will; he will destroy mighty men and the holy people. "And through his shrewdness he will cause deceit to succeed by his influence; And he will magnify himself in his heart, and he will destroy many while they are at ease. He will even oppose the Prince of princes, but he will be broken without human agency. "The vision of the evenings and mornings which has been told is true; but keep the vision secret, for it pertains to many days in the future."

Then I, Daniel, was exhausted and sick for days. Then I got up again and carried on the king's business; but I was astounded at the vision, and there was none to explain it.

## **Today at Glenridge Bible Church**

Remember the word that I said to you, 'A slave is not greater than his master.' If they persecuted Me, they will persecute you as well; if they followed My word, they will follow yours also.

John 15 : 20

## **Modified Order of Service**

#### **Call to Worship**

#483 — "Lead On, Oh King Eternal"

#### **Key Verse & Prayer**

**Praise & Worship** — *Dove* 

"Lord I Lift Your Name on High" "The Name of the Lord" "Days of Elijah"

#### **DiscipleLand Segment**

#### **Scripture Reading**

Daniel 8: 1-27

Message — Pastor Bobby Halek
"And Now We Present to You: 1

"And Now, We Present to You: The Future"

**Video** — "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow"

**Benediction** 

A reminder that masks are required, unless medically exempt, while not seated in the Sanctuary.

Please maintain social distancing as much as possible.

#### Giving...

"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 Offering February 13, 2022\$	5,923.00
Average Weekly Offerings 2022\$	5,130.13
Weekly Offerings Budget 2021\$	6,802.76

In response to the desire to mitigate handling shared objects, instead of passing an offering plate around the congregation, we have a 'retiral offering' following our services as people leave. Our offering plates are located at the exits at the back of the Sanctuary.

#### THIS WEEK AT G.B.C

Today 10:00am Worship Service with Pastor Bobby

Monday 7:00pm Prayer Meeting

Wednesday 6:15pm AWANA

6:30pm Prayer Meeting

Saturday 8:00am Men's Prayer Fellowship

Next Sunday 10:00am Worship Service with Pastor Bobby

Please call, or email the office if you have any questions.

# **Membership Info Meeting**

For those interested in GBC Membership, we have forms to fill out. Please see Juergen after the service for a copy. We also have a membership meeting to be scheduled for Saturday, Feb 26 @ 10am. This is not a congregational meeting, but rather a meeting for those interested in membership, or simply want to know more about Glenridge Bible Church.

Glenridge Bible Church is excited to offer a Sunday School program called DiscipleLand for older children and a staffed nursery for each Sunday Morning service.

(These programs are not offered on the first Sunday of each month (Family Sundays), however, the nursery is available for parents to take their infants to 'get the wiggles out.'

Children must be registered at the desk in the lobby to participate in DiscipleLand or the nursery.

Please email *AngelaJantzi@hotmail.com* to stay informed of upcoming events and program scheduling.

Additionally, for parents with infants, there is a quiet room available at the back of the sanctuary for nursing, changing, or simply fussing babies. Sound is piped in so you can still hear the service at a baby-friendly volume.

## Thank You for Praying

#### Please pray for those suffering loss.

We have a number of our GBC folks that have experienced the loss of a loved one or friend. Please lift them up corporately for peace and comfort in their time of loss.

- \* Please remember a friend of GBC and husband of Joanne VanVliet, Arnold VanVliet. He is still recovering in the hospital after weeks of induced coma to promote healing. He is still a long way from fully recovered from blood clots, small strokes and medical issues. Please lift Arnold up in prayer for healing.
- \* Dave Furness thanks everyone for their prayers during his illness.
- \* Ursula Savoie reports that her nephew, Jesse Penner's tumours are 'stable'. Their growth is slowing and the family is taking this as a good sign. He is still fighting and needs prayer. The family thanks everyone for their prayers.
- \* Quin McColgan, (friend of the Luchkanyns) fighting cancer. His kidney is now failing and they are ceasing chemotherapy.
- \* Helmut Harder is in Shaver Hospital for physiotherapy. He is very grateful for everyone's prayers and is in much better spirits.
- \* Dennis and Linda James are both recovering from illness and Linda suffered a fall on Jan 3rd, suffering from a brain bleed. Please pray for healing for this couple.
- \* Some from our congregation may remember a former attendee, Kent Earle. Kent is in the hospital after a series of strokes. He is currently paralyzed on his right side. Please pray for Kent and his brother Kevin in this difficult time.
- \* Hugh and Eleanor Rogers both request prayer as they have been waiting for months to see specialists and still don't have appointments.
- \* Gilles Groleau's daughter, Chantal's father-in-law Pierre. Fighting cancer.
- \* Eleanor Leigh's son, has been diagnosed with kidney cancer. They are looking to burn it out. He had a procedure date of December 21. Please pray for healing, and also for a return to faith.
- \* Toni Goodliff requests continued prayer for healing as she is now facing chemotherapy and radiation therapy for lung cancer.
- \* Debbie Harder requests prayer for God to intercede and deliver her from the struggle she's been fighting for over a year now.

#### Please pray for those with chronic pain or illness:

\* Emilia Pirc, Sue Furness, Dave Furness, Jim Arthur, Ron and Lois Clattenburg, Jaqi Shennan, Rosalie Pankoff, Eleanor Leigh, Bev Williams, Helmut Harder, Fred and Hilda Glucker, Ed Martin, Mildred Levair, Hugh and Eleanor Rogers, Mary Lockett, Margaret Jukes.



# **GLENRIDGE BIBLE CHURCH**

# Welcome to our Worship Service this Lord's Day



February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Pastor Bobby Halek "And Now, We Present to You: The Future" Daniel 8 : 1-27

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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