

Sunday, December 11th, 2022



Horse-drawn sleigh rides

4:30—6:20pm

(Hot Chocolate & Apple Cider too!)



CAROLING

(inside) at 6:30pm

Glenridge Semi-Potluck Christmas Banquet

Sunday, December 18th @ 6:00pm

Please register at the back of the Sanctuary
We need to know how many in your group,
and what you plan to bring to the banquet.

Menu

Main Course: (provided by GBC)

Roast Beef in gravy (from Antipastos),
Coffee, Tea, Water, and Juice

Side dishes and desserts: provided by those
attending the banquet.

*There is no cost for this event,
but we NEED firm reservations
to set up properly and avoid
wasting food.*

HEY KIDS! (and fun-loving grown-ups too!) Just for fun, this one-time page is dedicated to Pastor Bobby's favourite animal that he kept sneaking into his messages! The "Garage Sale of the Animal Kingdom" — the Duck-Billed Platypus!



How many of these facts did you know? Isn't it amazing how creative our God was when he made these little guys?

Their eyes, nose, and ears seal shut while swimming

One of only 2 mammals that lay eggs (called Monotremes.) The other is the Echidna.

Males have a venomous spur on each hind leg.

They don't have normal mammary glands. The females 'sweat' out milk that the babies lick up.

Baby Platypuses are called Puggles!

Lacking teeth, they scoop gravel into their mouth to grind their food.

They navigate with their bill, using electro-location. They sense the micro-electric pulses of their prey

They can hunt prey underwater for up to 10 minutes.

The webbing on their feet retracts on land to reveal claws!

They have thick, waterproof fur. How thick? Their fur is 15,000-20,000 hairs per square inch. (Humans are 800-1,290)

Their 'beaver' tail helps greatly in swimming and can store a small amount of fat for lean times.

They only eat food that breaks down easily on its own, so they don't have a stomach! This means they don't really store food and they have to eat up to 12 hours a day!

Scientists just discovered, in 2020, that Platypuses' fur is biofluorescent! Under a Blacklight, the fur glows bluish-green!

The females lay eggs via a cloaca (like a bird)

The Perplexing Platypus Promotes Plentiful Pondering amongst Pundits.

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CHRISTIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL

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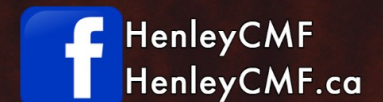
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2022
6:30PM

Glenridge Bible Church - 310 Scott Street, St. Catharines

No tickets or registration required!
Free-will offering will be taken.
Doors open at 5:30pm, Seating at 6:00pm
Fully Accessible Facility



GlenridgeBibleChurch.org
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WHAT MINISTRY
SOUNDS LIKE

Genesis 4 : 1-16 NASB

Now the man had relations with his wife Eve, and she conceived and gave birth to Cain, and she said, "I have gotten a manchild with the help of the Lord." Again, she gave birth to his brother Abel. And Abel was a keeper of flocks, but Cain was a tiller of the ground. So it came about in the course of time that Cain brought an offering to the Lord of the fruit of the ground. Abel, on his part also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of their fat portions. And the Lord had regard for Abel and for his offering; but for Cain and for his offering He had no regard.

So Cain became very angry and his countenance fell. Then the Lord said to Cain, "Why are you angry? And why has your countenance fallen? If you do well, will not your countenance be lifted up? And if you do not do well, sin is crouching at the door; and its desire is for you, but you must master it." Cain told Abel his brother. And it came about when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother and killed him.

Then the Lord said to Cain, "Where is Abel your brother?" And he said, "I do not know. Am I my brother's keeper?" He said, "What have you done? The voice of your brother's blood is crying to Me from the ground. Now you are cursed from the ground, which has opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood from your hand. When you cultivate the ground, it will no longer yield its strength to you; you will be a vagrant and a wanderer on the earth."

Cain said to the Lord, "My punishment is too great to bear! Behold, You have driven me this day from the face of the ground; and from Your face I will be hidden, and I will be a vagrant and a wanderer on the earth, and whoever finds me will kill me."

So the Lord said to him, "Therefore whoever kills Cain, vengeance will be taken on him sevenfold." And the Lord appointed a sign for Cain, so that no one finding him would slay him.

Then Cain went out from the presence of the Lord, and settled in the land of Nod, east of Eden.

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CHRISTMAS with the CRUTCHFIELDS



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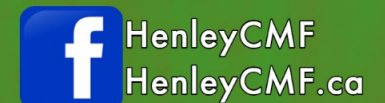
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Truth for Teens - **Ozzie's Pantry**
November – Protein: Peanut Butter,
 Canned Meat/Fish

Your Donations are used by **Rick and Heather** to extend their hospitality, love and assistance to at-risk youth as Rick mentors and teaches them using Ozzie's Garage

 Bas, Anadel and Eric are staying with her parents in the Philippines until Nov. 18 while Bas applies for a 3-month visitor's visa to return to his work in Hong Kong. **PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY** for this situation

 Recently, Maureen and Jewell were privileged to attend the Intervarsity Fellowship night of prayer and encouragement. We were inspired by lessons and testimony given by staff and students. We hope to arrange for a reporting visit from Tanner and Matt in the new year.

 The recent **Niagara Life Centre** Silent Auction and Banquet was very well attended and much enjoyed by many from our congregation. *If you hurry*, you might still be able to participate in their **Adopt-a-Family this Christmas** by donating a Gift Card to be used to bless clients and families in need. 905-934-0021 or admin@niagaralifecentre.ca

Exciting News – Next Sunday Laura Barron of Jews for Jesus will be with us. We look forward to this opportunity to hear a presentation of the Gospel in the Jewish Feasts, as well as a Missions update. Plan to stay for coffee and talk to Laura.



Glenridge Bible Church's "Mission of the Month" for November

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

Andrew & Laura Barron
serving with Jews for Jesus

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Find details for many of these events in the bulletin.

- * **Tonight at 6:30pm** Henley Concert: "Surrendered"
- * **Tuesday, November 15th, 2022** Special Board Meeting
- * **November 20th, 2022** Missions Sunday with Jews for Jesus
- * **November 24, 2022** Regular Board Meeting
- * **November 26, 2022:** Ladies' Christmas Tea
- * **December 4, 2022:** Henley Christmas Concert: The Crutchfields
- * **December 11th:** Old Fashioned Christmas Carol-Sing
- * **December 18th:** Christmas Banquet (Semi-Potluck)
- * **December 24th:** Christmas Eve Service
- * **December 25th:** Christmas Day Service
- * **December 31st:** New Year's Eve Family Fun Night

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 November 6, 2022.....	\$ 7,763.50
Gift in memorium for Fred Gucker.....	\$ 100.00
Fundraising.....	\$ 55.00
Average Weekly Offerings 2022.....	\$ 6,153.19
Weekly Offerings Budget 2022	\$ 6,601.24

A gentle request not to designate funds for missions. Our missions support payments are made in accordance with our annual budget.



Our shoeboxes are starting to come in for packing and shipping! If you haven't already taken one, remember collection week starts tomorrow! There's still a bit of last-minute time to complete one!

Shoebox Collection schedule will be

Monday November 14th	Tuesday November 15th	Wednesday November 16th	Thursday November 17th	Friday November 18th	Saturday November 19th	Sunday November 20th
10am-12pm	2-4pm	CLOSED	10am-12pm	2-4pm	9am-12pm	2-4pm
			7-8pm			

Today at Glenridge Bible Church

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. For by it the men of old gained approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things which are visible. By faith Abel offered to God a better sacrifice than Cain, through which he obtained the testimony that he was righteous, God testifying about his gifts, and through faith, though he is dead, he still speaks.

Hebrews 11 : 1-4

Order of Service

Announcements

Opening Hymn

#399 "Higher Ground"

Key Verse & Invocational Prayer

Praise Hymn

#506 "I Will Sing of My Redeemer"

Opportunity to Worship Through Tithes and Offerings

Video: "Who You Say I Am"

DiscipleLand Segment

Operation Christmas Child

Scripture Reading

Genesis 4 : 1-16

Message — Pastor Bobby Halek

"Studies in Torah: The Inheritance of Sin"

Responsive Hymn

#438 "Cleanse Me"

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT G.B.C

<u>Today</u>	10:00am	Worship Service with Pastor Bobby
	6:30pm	Henley Concert: "Surrendered"
<u>Monday</u>	7:00pm	Prayer Meeting (in Fireside Room)
<u>Tuesday</u>	7:45pm	Special Board Meeting
<u>Wednesday</u>	6:15pm	AWANA
	6:30pm	Bible Study & Prayer Meeting (in Board Room)
<u>Saturday</u>	8:00am	Men's Prayer Fellowship (Prayer Room)
<u>Next Sunday</u>	10:00am	Missions Service with Jews for Jesus



Ladies' Ministry

We are very excited to announce an upcoming
Ladies' Christmas Tea!

Location: Glenridge Bible Church

Date: Saturday, November 26th, 2022

Time: 11:00am

Cost: \$20 per person

Special Music, and a dramatic portrayal of Eve by Judy Grier will take place in our main auditorium and we'll move to the gymnasium for Tea, Coffee, Sandwiches, Veggies, Fruit, and Desserts

You can register and pay for this event with Marion Sharp at the table at the back of the sanctuary, or you can call her at 905.937.9548

Final date to register is Today

Our Fundraising Team is offering

Personal Apple Pies!

\$5 each or 3 for \$10

450° for 10 min, then 350° for 25 min

or

Ground Beef Meat Pies!

\$5 each

375° for 1 hour

Thank You for Praying

Please pray for those suffering loss.

- * While Ursula Savoie was in California for her nephew's funeral, she received word from her sister, Susan, that Susan's husband had passed away. Please pray for Ursula and her whole family for peace and comfort in this time.
- * We have a number of other 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.

Requests for Prayer

- * Carol-Dean Jeffries is still suffering extreme pain in her back, with x-rays showing some small fractures in her spine. Please pray for healing for Carol-Dean and wisdom for her doctors in providing her medical care.
- * Helmut Harder has recovered from his infection and his foot is mostly healed. Please pray for continued healing and for strength to return to his legs so he is able to stand and transfer easier to a wheelchair.
- * Eleanor asks for prayer for her husband, Greg, for an aneurism and also requests prayer regarding her son's liver disease and a return to faith.

Please pray for those with chronic pain or illness:

- * Emilia Pirc, Sue Furness, Dave Furness, Jim Arthur, Lois and Ron Clattenburg, Jaqi Shennan, Rosalie Pankoff, Eleanor Leigh, Bev Williams, Helmut Harder, Hilda Glucker, Mildred Levaire, Hugh and Eleanor Rogers, Mary Lockett, Toni Goodliff

Office Schedule

The office is reachable Monday-Friday, 8:30am—5:00pm.
905.937.1326 or GlenridgeBC@gmail.com

Pastor Bobby is available to meet in the office from
Tuesday to Friday, 9:30am—4:00pm

We request that visits are done by appointment so we can ensure we have set aside time to meet your needs.

Please relay your message(s) through the church office by phone during office hours, or by email or voicemail after hours.



GLENRIDGE BIBLE CHURCH

Welcome to our Worship Service this Lord's Day

THE TORAH
חמשה חומשי תורה



November 13th, 2022

Pastor Bobby

Studies in Torah:

The Inheritance of Sin

Genesis 4 : 1-16

**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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