Missions

Truth for Teens - Ozzie's Pantry

PLEASE NOTE NEW LOCATION – Ozzie's Pantry has been moved to the shelves on the left side of the church mailboxes.

<u>December</u> – Warm socks, winter hats, gloves/mitts – adult sized During this winter weather, these Donations are particularly useful to **Rick and Heather** helping them extend their hospitality, love and assistance to at-risk youth as they mentor and teach them.

Please pray for the 25 young men and 10 women whom the Osbournes are currently ministering to If you wish to pray more specifically for their needs, information is available on the Missions table

Please pray for all our missionaries, their families, and their co-workers as they share the real meaning of Christmas and pray also for those who respond to their message.

Next Sunday is our opportunity to give a cash "love offering" (non-receiptable) to support Bas and Anadel, independent missionaries serving in Hong Kong



"Mission of the Month"

for December

Please remember to pray for, and encourage

Bas and Anadel Janssen Independent Missionaries to China

From our Finance Committee:

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 December 18, 2022\$	5,480.00
Fundraising\$	130.00
Average Weekly Offerings 2022\$	6,302.87
Weekly Offerings Budget 2022\$	6,601.24

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

In case some are wondering on how to give to GBC, as always, we have offering envelopes available, many have numbered envelopes so they don't have to enter their information each time. If you are interested in a set of envelopes for 2023 (and don't already have numbered envelopes), please see Juergen after the service.

For those with numbered envelopes, your 2023 set have been placed in your church mailbox at the back of the sanctuary. Please make sure you only take your own. Our vast sorting and distribution team is made up of fallible humans and its possible a box or two may be in the wrong mailbox. Double-checking couldn't hurt.

We also have a debit machine opposite the new office area if you wish to donate using debit or credit cards.

We also accept donations through the "give" tab on our website.

NEW since we've had a number of requests, we are now set up to accept e-transfers sent to the church email address.

<u>Charitable Donation Receipts will be issued in the new year,</u> <u>once we have all the information compiled.</u>



* FUN MUSIC PLAYING * MINI-TOURNAMENTS * NO POLITICS!

Bounce House / Slide

Designated times for really young ones, (maybe not best for senior citizens)

Jacob's Ladder Test your balance, skill, and agility

Skeeball

Just like at the arcade!

Cornhole Beanbag toss to test your aim!

Table Tennis

Ping Pong by any other name

Arts & Crafts Center

Creativity can come alive with all sorts of materials

Mini-Putt

Small, fun, indoor course

Board Games

Mini chess tournament anyone?

Open Gym Time

Play, eat, socialize, laugh at people falling off Jacob's Ladder! Come celebrate our church community and participate however uou like!

NO GRINCHES ALLOWED!

FOOD

PIZZA & DRINKS **PROVIDED**

Please bring along snacks to share!

4:30PM-7:30PM

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **December 31:** New Year's Eve Family Fun Night (4:30pm-7:30pm)
- January 1: Communion Worship Service with Pastor Bobby
- January 22: Henley Concert with Vessels of Honour
- **February 11**: GBC Townhall Ministry Meeting for members (details to follow)
- February 19: Henley Concert with Rescue Junction
- March 26: Henley Concert with Master's Four Quartet



Today at Glenridge Bible Church

Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, a virgin will be with child and bear a son, and she will call His name Immanuel.

Isaiah 7:14



Order of Service

Announcements



Key Verse & Invocational Prayer

Special Music — *Juergen Harder*

Opportunity to Worship Through our Tithes and Offerings

"Angels from the Realms of Glory"

Praise Hymn

#151 "Good Christians All Rejoice"

Message — DiscipleLand Presentation "What's So Special?"

Responsive Hymn

#132 "Angels We Have Heard On High"

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT G.B.C		
<u>Today</u>	10:00am	Christmas Day Service with Pastor Bobby
<u>Monday</u>		Church Office closed for Stat Holiday
	7:00pm	Prayer Meeting (in Fireside Room)
<u>Tuesday</u>		Church Office closed for Stat Holiday
<u>Wednesday</u>		Prayer Meeting cancelled this week
<u>Saturday</u>	8:00am	Men's Prayer Fellowship (Prayer Room)
	4:30pm	Family Fun Fair & Fellowship
Next Sunday	10:00am	New Year's Day Communion Service

Children's Ministry

Glenridge Bible Church offers a Sunday School program called DiscipleLand for older children and a staffed nursery for each Sunday Morning service. (DiscipleLand is not offered on the first Sunday of each month (Family Sundays), however, the nursery is available.

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.

Our AWANA Boys and Girls Club is currently on Christmas break and will be resuming on January 11, 2023

Our Fundraising Team is still offering A limited supply of:



Chicken Meat Pies! \$5 each 400° for 1 hour

Mac & Cheese! 3 for \$10 Just Heat & Eat!

Thank You for Praying

Please pray for those suffering loss.

* We have a number of 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

- * Linda James was taken to the hospital this past Thursday after another fall. Please pray for Linda and for Dennis as they
- * Mary Lockett is in the hospital after experiencing many falls and Disorientation and confusion. She will be in the hospital for possibly another week for observation. Please pray for Mary and her niece Debbie Harder as Debbie and her brother Mike attempt to get her the care and help she needs.
- * Carol-Dean Jeffries is still suffering pain in her back, with x-rays showing some small fractures in her spine. Please pray for healing for Carol-Dean and a quick recovery.
- * Please continue to pray for Helmut Harder for healing and strength to return to his legs so he can transition easier to a wheelchair
- * Eleanor Leigh 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 Levair, 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 Christmas Day Service this Lord's Day



December 25th, 2022
DiscipleLand Presentation
"What's So Special?"

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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