

## Genesis 12:10—13:4<sup>NASB</sup>

Now there was a famine in the land; so Abram went down to Egypt to sojourn there, for the famine was severe in the land. It came about when he came near to Egypt, that he said to Sarai his wife, "See now, I know that you are a beautiful woman; and when the Egyptians see you, they will say, 'This is his wife'; and they will kill me, but they will let you live. Please say that you are my sister so that it may go well with me because of you, and that I may live on account of you."

It came about when Abram came into Egypt, the Egyptians saw that the woman was very beautiful. Pharaoh's officials saw her and praised her to Pharaoh; and the woman was taken into Pharaoh's house. Therefore he treated Abram well for her sake; and gave him sheep and oxen and donkeys and male and female servants and female donkeys and camels.

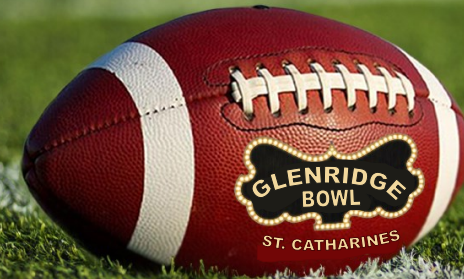
But the LORD struck Pharaoh and his house with great plagues because of Sarai, Abram's wife. Then Pharaoh called Abram and said, "What is this you have done to me? Why did you not tell me that she was your wife? Why did you say, 'She is my sister,' so that I took her for my wife? Now then, here is your wife, take her and go."

Pharaoh commanded *his* men concerning him; and they escorted him away, with his wife and all that belonged to him.

So Abram went up from Egypt to the Negev, he and his wife and all that belonged to him, and Lot with him.

Now Abram was very rich in livestock, in silver and in gold. He went on his journeys from the Negev as far as Bethel, to the place where his tent had been at the beginning, between Bethel and Ai, to the place of the altar which he had made there formerly; and there Abram called on the name of the LORD.

# THE BIG GAME 2023 VIEWING PARTY



**Next Sunday — 5:30pm**  
**Open to all GBC Folks**

Game on the big screen \* Door Prizes  
Make Your Own Taco \* Eat in the gym  
Devotional at Half Time  
We provide Meat & Shells  
Everyone else provides condiments and sides  
Family-friendly Social Event

## 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.  
(Parents must present their 'check-in' sticker when picking up kids.)

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.



**Truth for Teens - Ozzie's Pantry**  
**(Located beside the church mailboxes)**  
**February** – individually packed snacks like granola bars, fruit cups, etc.

Your donations are used by **Rick and Heather** to help them extend their hospitality, love and assistance to at-risk youth as they mentor and teach them. (Currently 25 young men and 10 women)

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**Jews for Jesus** – After Laura Barron visited us in November she thanked us for our prayers and faithful support! You may remember that she works primarily with the Haredi and she sends a link for a digital prayer guide:

<https://jewsforjesus.org/praying-for-the-haredim>.

You can also check out –

How I became a Jew for Jesus: <https://youtu.be/lwE25hti30A>

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**DID YOU KNOW?** You can find links to the websites of the Missions we support, directly from our own church website. Select 'Missions' under the 'Ministries' tab. Then click on the 'Window' symbol under the photo of the Missionaries.

You can stay abreast of prayer and ministry needs,



Glenridge Bible Church's  
**"Mission of the Month"**  
**for February**

Please remember to pray for,  
 and encourage

**Matt Lindo**

*Serving with Inter-varsity*

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

Today	10:00am	Communion Service with Pastor Bobby
	6:00pm	Family Volleyball Night
Monday	7:00pm	Prayer Meeting (in Fireside Room)
Tuesday	7:30pm	Dove Worship Team Practise
Wednesday	1:00pm	Ministry Team Meeting
	6:15pm	AWANA
	6:45pm	Prayer Meeting (Board Room)
Saturday	8:00am	Men's Prayer Fellowship (Prayer Room)
	1:00pm	Townhall Ministry Meeting
Next Sunday	10:00am	Worship Service with Pastor Bobby
	5:30pm	SuperBowl Taco Night

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- \* **Tonight, 6:00pm:** Volleyball Fun Night — All ages
- \* **February 11, 1-4pm:** GBC Townhall Ministry Meeting for members and those interested in Ministry
- \* **February 12:** SuperBowl Taco Bar Night (All GBC folks welcome)
- \* **February 17:** Lazer Tag for youth and young-at-heart
- \* **February 19:** Henley Concert with Rescue Junction
- \* **February 20, 1-4pm:** DiscipleLand Open House at the Harders'
- \* **March 4:** Annual Congregational Meeting
- \* **March 26:** Henley Concert with Master's Four Quartet

**Our Fundraising Team is offering a limited supply of:**

**Roast Beef Meat Pies**

**\$5 each**

**400°F for 1 hour**



*Last year, the fundraising efforts went towards our new, bright, LED Parking Lot lights. This year, we're looking to earn funds to help purchase a water fountain/ bottle-filling station for the main level of the church. Thank you so much for your support!*

## Today at Glenridge Bible Church

*“Do not let your heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father’s house are many dwelling places; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you.*

*If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself, that where I am, there you may be also.*

*John 14 : 1-3*

### Order of Service

#### Announcements

#### Opening Hymn

#406 — “My Hope is in the Lord”

#### Key Verse & Invocational Prayer

#### Celebration Around the Lord’s Table

#### Opportunity to Worship Through Our Tithes and Offerings

#### Scripture Reading

*Genesis 12:10—13:4*

#### Message — Pastor Bobby Halek

*“Torah: The Father of Israel” Part 2  
“A Detour of Doubt”*

#### Responsive Hymn

#409 — “I Know Whom I Have Believed”

#### Benediction

### **From our Finance Committee:**

Fundraising.....	\$ 200.00
General Offering January 22, 2023.....	\$ 5,626.68
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.***

***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.***

***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.***

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

#### **Don’t forget:**

**Charitable Donation Receipts have been distributed to GBC mailboxes. If you don’t have your receipt, please see Juergen.**



**Attention ladies! GBC Ladies’ Ministry welcomes you all to our monthly luncheon.**

**This month we’ll be at  
Swiss Chalet  
Geneva St @ (Fairview Mall)  
on Wednesday, February 15th at noon.**

**Please sign up with Marion Sharp at the back of the sanctuary  
Or call Marion no later than Monday, February 13th  
to reserve a place, at 905.937.9548**

## Thank You for Praying

### Note of praise:

- \* George and Donna Warkentin thank everyone for their prayers. Donna's surgery was successful on Thursday and doctors say the prognosis is good. Please pray for a quick and steady recovery for Donna.

### Requests for Prayer

- \* Please pray for Bas and Anadel Jessen, serving in China. Anadel's tumour has grown again and is requiring more treatment. Please continue to pray for healing for Anadel.
- \* Mary Lockett is now at Ina Grafton Gage after experiencing many falls and disorientation and confusion. Please continue to pray for her niece, Debbie Harder and her brother as they navigate the complicated procedures required to govern her affairs, as she is having difficulties adjusting to the move.
- \* Carolin Seeger's mother is in the hospital with various health concerns. Please pray for Carolin, Ernie, and the family as they are trying to get her the care she needs.
- \* Carol-Dean Jeffries is slowly recovering from pain in her back, caused by small fractures in her spine. Please pray for healing.
- \* 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, and Carol-Dean Jeffries.

### Office Schedule

The office is reachable Monday-Friday, 8:30am—5:00pm.  
905.937.1326 or [GlenridgeBC@gmail.com](mailto: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 Communion Service this Lord's Day



**February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

*Pastor Bobby Halek*

*"Studies in Torah:*

*The Father of Israel—Part 2*

*A Detour of Doubt"*

*Genesis 12:10—13:4*

**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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