

# Truth for Teens - Ozzie's Pantry (Located beside the church mailboxes)

Donations for April—Canned Meat (tuna, chicken 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)

GBC is sponsoring DiscipleLand families that want to send kids to AGAPE VALLEY this year for a 1 week camp. Registrations opened online at midnight on April 15, 2023. GBC Families can register their kids and GBC will reimburse the cost of registration. So far, GBC has sponsored 19 children, either in part or in whole to attend camp this year.

Bas Janssen will be here with us, Lord willing, and will lead our service on Sunday, June 11th, 2023. Be sure to come and hear of the wonderful things Bas and Anadel have been able to do with God's help in China as independent missionaries.

Our "Bas Baskets" are out this week for anyone wishing to make a non-receiptable, love gift to help support Bas and Anadel in their work in Hong Kong.

We are once again participating in Niagara Life Centre's Coin Drive fundraiser. Coin banks will be available for Mother's Day in May, and will be received on Father's Day in June.

Every little bit helps and can add up to a great support for this valuable ministry.

Glenridge Bible Church's

"Mission of the Month" for May

Please remember to pray for, and encourage Rita Makubuya

serving with
Niagara Life Centre

THIS WEEK AT G.B.C 10:00am Communion Service with Pastor Bobby Today 6:30pm Henley Concert with Arthur Mennonite Fellowship Youth Choir 6:30pm Monday Prayer Meeting (in Fireside Room) Wednesday 6:45pm Prayer Meeting (Fireside Room) Saturday 8:00am Men's Prayer Fellowship (Prayer Room) Next Sunday 10:00am Worship Service with Pastor Bobby

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- May 7<sup>th</sup>: Henley Concert with Arthur Mennonite Fellowship Youth Choir
- May 17<sup>th</sup>: Ladies Ministry Luncheon (see bulletin for details)
- May 17<sup>th</sup>: AWANA Debrief BBQ—for all Leaders and Listeners @ Haleks' @ 6pm
- May 19<sup>th</sup>: Youth Lazer Tag—Joint event with Scottlea Gospel Chapel
- May 28<sup>th</sup>: Outdoor Worship Service with Potluck Lunch (tentative)
- **June 11**<sup>th</sup>: Special Guest Speaker: Bas Janssen
- June 11<sup>th</sup>: Henley Concert with The Torchmen Quartet



# 1 Corinthians 15: 35-58<sub>NASB</sub>

But someone will say, "How are the dead raised? And with what kind of body do they come?" You fool! That which you sow does not come to life unless it dies; and that which you sow, you do not sow the body which is to be, but a bare grain, perhaps of wheat or of something else. But God gives it a body just as He wished, and to each of the seeds a body of its own.

All flesh is not the same flesh, but there is one *flesh* of men, and another flesh of beasts, and another flesh of birds, and another of fish. There are also heavenly bodies and earthly bodies, but the glory of the heavenly is one, and the *glory* of the earthly is another. There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars; for star differs from star in glory.

So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown a perishable *body*, it is raised an imperishable *body*; it is sown in dishonor, it is raised in glory; it is sown in weakness, it is raised in power; it is sown a natural body, it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual *body*. So also it is written, "The first MAN, Adam, BECAME A LIVING SOUL." The last Adam *became* a life-giving spirit.

However, the spiritual is not first, but the natural; then the spiritual. The first man is from the earth, earthy; the second man is from heaven. As is the earthy, so also are those who are earthy; and as is the heavenly, so also are those who are heavenly. Just as we have borne the image of the earthy, we will also bear the image of the heavenly.

Now I say this, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. Behold, I tell you a mystery; we will not all sleep, but we will all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet; for the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. For this perishable must put on the imperishable, and this mortal must put on immortality.

But when this perishable will have put on the imperishable, and this mortal will have put on immortality, then will come about the saying that is written, "DEATH IS SWALLOWED UP in victory. O DEATH, WHERE IS YOUR VICTORY? O DEATH, WHERE IS YOUR STING?" The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law; but thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not *in* vain in the Lord.

### **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.)

For those with fussy infants, we have a quiet room at the back of the sanctuary, ideal for nursing, changing, or settling fussy little ones.

The sound from the service is also run in there, so you can still hear everything but at a baby-friendly volume.

We are currently looking for volunteers to supplement our Children's Ministry, namely Hall Monitors, Nursery Volunteers, and DiscipleLand Helpers.

Volunteers must be SafePlace-Trained (next session in August).

If you are at all interested in this ministry, please contact

Angela Kersten once she returns from vacation.

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

Chicken or Taco or Hamburger Meat Pies \$5 each — 400°F for 1 hour Mac & Cheese — 3 for \$10 — Heat & Eat

Please see Richard Biega for yours today!

So far this year, funds have gone to purchase a "hydration station" for the main level of the church. (GBC & CCS each paid half).

Thank you so much for your support!

Going forward, we are looking to add a drop ceiling to the remaining 2 portions of our lobby to improve lighting and reduce echo.

# **Today at Glenridge Bible Church**

"As for me, I know that my Redeemer lives,
And at the last He will take His stand on the earth.
"Even after my skin is destroyed, Yet from my flesh I shall see God;
Whom I myself shall behold, And whom my eyes will see and not
another. My heart faints within me!

Job 19: 25-27

# **Order of Service**

#### **Announcements**

#### **Opening Hymn**

#101—"His Name is Wonderful"

**Key Verse & Invocational Prayer** 

Celebration Around the Lord's Table

#### **Praise Hymns**

#554— "I'll Fly Away" #551 — "Soon and Very Soon"

# Opportunity to Worship Through Our Tithes and Offerings

#### **Scripture Reading**

1 Corinthians 15: 35-58

#### Message—Pastor Bobby Halek

The Resurrection and the Life—Part 4
"The Twinkling of an Eye"

#### **Responsive Hymn**

#239 "Jesus is Coming Again"

**Benediction** 

#### From our Finance Committee:

Fundraising\$	90.00
Coffee Fellowship\$	12.60
General Offering April 30, 2023\$	
Average weekly Offerings, 2023\$	5,918.44
General Offerings Budget 2023\$	6,596.24

A gentle request <u>not</u> to designate funds for missions.

Our missions support payments are made according to our annual budget.

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

If using this option, please ensure you put your slip in an offering envelope with your information so you'll be credited on your annual tax receipt. We also accept donations through the "give" tab on our website and through e-transfers sent to the church email address.

# **Attention ladies!**

GBC Ladies' Ministry welcomes you all to our monthly luncheon.

This month we'll be at Mr. Mike's Steakhouse 295 4th Avenue, St. Catharines on Wednesday, May 17th at noon.

Please sign up with Marion Sharp at the back of the sanctuary or call Marion no later than Monday, May 15th to reserve a place, at 905.937.9548

We are looking to plan a baptismal service soon.

Please be in prayer and self-evaluation to see if you are being prompted by the Holy Spirit to be baptized.

If you are interested in baptism, please contact Pastor Bobby.

# Thank You for Praying

#### **Requests for Prayer**

- \* Catherine Keating is awaiting placement in a facility for physiotherapy after her foot surgery, but has also contracted Covid-19 while in hospital. Please pray for Catherine as she mends.
- \* Eleanor Rogers is asking for prayer. Her eyesight has gotten even worse, and ironically, this causes horrific visions. Please pray that she will find a doctor that can actually treat her.
- \* Heather Moore thanks everyone for their prayers and continued support while recovering after suffering from a deep-vein embolism. She is still in significant pain and requires treatments.
- \* Dave Furness asks for prayer for his daughter, Ashley. She is getting treatment for an abnormal growth.
- \* Carolin Seeger's mother is awaiting further testing regarding her 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 continue to pray for healing.
- \* Helmut Harder is making incredible progress in healing and regaining strength in his legs. Praise God! Please continue to pray for recovery.
- \* Eleanor Leigh asks for prayer for her husband, Greg, for an aneurism which is growing and possible cancer in his kidney. Please pray for healing and a return to faith and also pray regarding for Eleanor's 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, Catherine Keating, 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
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



May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Pastor Bobby Halek

"The Resurrection and the Life" Part 3

The Authority of the Son of God

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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