

Scripture Reading — Genesis 41 : 14-42

Then Pharaoh sent and called for Joseph, and they hurriedly brought him out of the dungeon; and when he had shaved himself and changed his clothes, he came to Pharaoh. Pharaoh said to Joseph, “I have had a dream, but no one can interpret it; and I have heard it said about you, that when you hear a dream you can interpret it.” Joseph then answered Pharaoh, saying, “It is not in me; God will give Pharaoh a favorable answer.”

So Pharaoh spoke to Joseph, “In my dream, behold, I was standing on the bank of the Nile; and behold, seven cows, fat and sleek came up out of the Nile, and they grazed in the marsh grass. Lo, seven other cows came up after them, poor and very ugly and gaunt, such as I had never seen for ugliness in all the land of Egypt; and the lean and ugly cows ate up the first seven fat cows. Yet when they had devoured them, it could not be detected that they had devoured them, for they were just as ugly as before.

Then I awoke. I saw also in my dream, and behold, seven ears, full and good, came up on a single stalk; and lo, seven ears, withered, thin, and scorched by the east wind, sprouted up after them; and the thin ears swallowed the seven good ears. Then I told it to the magicians, but there was no one who could explain it to me.”

Now Joseph said to Pharaoh, “Pharaoh’s dreams are one and the same; God has told to Pharaoh what He is about to do. The seven good cows are seven years; and the seven good ears are seven years; the dreams are one and the same. The seven lean and ugly cows that came up after them are seven years, and the seven thin ears scorched by the east wind will be seven years of famine.

It is as I have spoken to Pharaoh: God has shown to

Pharaoh what He is about to do.

Behold, seven years of great abundance are coming in all the land of Egypt; and after them seven years of famine will come, and all the abundance will be forgotten in the land of Egypt, and the famine will ravage the land. So the abundance will be unknown in the land because of that subsequent famine; for it will be very severe. Now as for the repeating of the dream to Pharaoh twice, it means that the matter is determined by God, and God will quickly bring it about. Now let Pharaoh look for a man discerning and wise, and set him over the land of Egypt.

Let Pharaoh take action to appoint overseers in charge of the land, and let him exact a fifth of the produce of the land of Egypt in the seven years of abundance. Then let them gather all the food of these good years that are coming, and store up the grain for food in the cities under Pharaoh’s authority, and let them guard it. Let the food become as a reserve for the land for the seven years of famine which will occur in the land of Egypt, so that the land will not perish during the famine.”

Now the proposal seemed good to Pharaoh and to all his servants. Then Pharaoh said to his servants, “Can we find a man like this, in whom is a divine spirit?” So Pharaoh said to Joseph, “Since God has informed you of all this, there is no one so discerning and wise as you are.

You shall be over my house, and according to your command all my people shall do homage; only in the throne I will be greater than you.” Pharaoh said to Joseph, “See, I have set you over all the land of Egypt.”

Then Pharaoh took off his signet ring from his hand and put it on Joseph’s hand, and clothed him in garments of fine linen and put the gold necklace around his neck.



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

Donations for August—Toiletries

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)

Bas requests prayer for Anadel. She got her treatment for her tumour which is much smaller now and hopefully removable in the future. Please continue to pray for healing.

Bas has also supplied us with a number of tracts for Muslims entitled "Messiah — Who is the Messiah?" Please take 1 or 2 of these tools to share with Muslim neighbours or friends.

Christian Salvage Mission

Do you have any old Christian materials that you'd like to bless others with? Old magazines, books, music etc? We have a shelf at the back of the sanctuary (right next to Ozzie's Pantry) reserved for these types of donations. They will be collected regularly and brought to the Christian Salvage Mission to be of service to others and share God's love.

If you have any questions, please contact Albert Groothedde.



Glenridge Bible Church's
**"Missionary of the
Month" for August:**

Please remember to pray for,
and encourage

The Barron Family

serving with

Jews for Jesus Canada

Glenridge Bible Church's Ladies' Ministry presents

Monthly Luncheon

Wednesday, August 23 @ Noon

**Our luncheon this month
will be at The Innsville Inn**

**Located at
1143 Highway 8 in
Stoney Creek**

Directions:

Follow QEW towards Hamilton

Take exit 78 for Fifty Road

Turn left onto Fifty Road

Turn right onto Highway 8

**Please sign up with Marion Sharp at the back of
the sanctuary or call Marion no later than
Monday, August 21st to reserve a place, at
905.937.9548**



Believe it or not folks... As we enjoy the wonderful warm weather of summer, it's time to start planning for our fall Ministry schedule!

AWANA will be starting up again and we want to be prepared for the fun, exciting, impressionable young clubbers as we play, sing, and learn about God's Word!

Some key dates to remember:

August 23rd, 6:15pm — AWANA executive meeting for Directors (here at GBC)

August 30th, 6:30pm — AWANA leadership meeting for all volunteers (at the Haleks')

September 6th, 6:15pm — AWANA registration night (for families that didn't do it online)

September 13th, 6:15pm — First official AWANA night!

For those not volunteering with AWANA, please make it part of your regular prayer time to remember the leaders, teachers, and clubbers of this vital ministry that strives to reach young hearts with God's Gospel.

HENLEY

CHRISTIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL

presents



SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023
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



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WHAT MINISTRY
SOUNDS LIKE

**Glenridge Bible Church's
Men's Ministry presents**

Steak Nite & Turkey Shoot

Saturday, Sept. 30th @ 4:00pm



Men:
You'll get to cook your
own steak to perfection...

...and test your paintball
target-shooting to earn
raffle tickets for a turkey!



**Come, enjoy this time of food,
fellowship, and a guest speaker.**

**This event is open to men, ages 12+
Tickets are \$25.00 per person
Event held at Glenridge Bible Church
@ 310 Scott Street, St. Catharines
Any questions? Please call 905.351.2608
Or see Rick Winker, Mark Yap, or Stan Piggott**

THIS WEEK AT G.B.C

<u>Today</u>	10:00am	Communion Service with Pastor Bobby
	6:30pm	Henley Concert with GloryWay Quartet
<u>Monday</u>	6:30pm	Prayer Meeting (Fireside Room)
<u>Wednesday</u>	6:30pm	Prayer Meeting (Fireside Room)
	8:00pm	Ensemble Practice (Sanctuary)
<u>Next Sunday</u>	10:00am	Worship Service with Pastor Bobby

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events

- **Tonight:** Henley Concert with Gloryway Quartet
- **August 23rd:** AWANA Directors Meeting
- **August 30th:** AWANA Leaders/Volunteers Meeting
- **September 6th:** AWANA Registration Night
- **September 13th:** First Night of AWANA
- **September 17th:** Henley Concert with Common Bond Quartet
- **September 30th:** Men's Ministry Steak Night and "Turkey Shoot"

From The Board re: Our Sanctuary

As we gather each Sunday to worship here at GBC, we feel it is important to remember where we are and why we're here. In an effort to facilitate a worshipful atmosphere and control noise from the lobby, we will be closing our sanctuary doors at 10min. prior to the service.

We are also asking parents to stop their children from playing in our gym area by 9:45am (15 minutes prior to our service).

There is time after our service for children to play in the gym, and for socializing in our Fireside Room with our Coffee Fellowship.

Today at Glenridge Bible Church

*Commit your way to the Lord, Trust also in Him, and He will do it.
He will bring forth your righteousness as the light and your judgment
as the noonday. Rest in the Lord and wait patiently for Him; do not
fret because of him who prospers in his way, because of the man
who carries out wicked schemes.*

Psalms 37 : 5-7

Order of Service

Announcements

Opening Hymn

#345 — "Blessed Assurance"

Invocational Prayer

Praise Hymn

#213 — "Because He Lives"

Celebration Around the Lord's Table

Opportunity to Worship Through Our Tithes and Offerings

DiscipleLand Segment

Scripture Reading

Genesis 41 : 14-42

Message—Pastor Bobby Halek

"Studies in Torah: The Rise of Joseph"

Responsive Hymn

#350 — "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Benediction

From our Finance Committee:

Fundraising.....	\$ 60.00
Coffee Fellowship.....	\$ 11.85
HVAC Project Donations, July 30, 2023.....	\$ 3,500.00
General Offering July 30, 2023.....	\$ 7,060.72
Average weekly Offerings, 2023.....	\$ 5,616.93
General Offerings Budget 2023.....	\$ 6,860.40

*If you wish to make a donation to the HVAC replacement
project beyond your regular tithing, please designate it on
your envelope or when donating online.*

Total HVAC project:	\$ 39,206.96
Budget Capital funds to be used:	\$ 9,801.74
Additional HVAC donations received:	\$ 11,600.00
Balance of project remaining:	\$ 17,805.22

Want to experience joy? Put your priorities in life in this order:

Jesus

Others

Yourself

And He said to him, "YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND.' This is the great and foremost commandment. The second is like it, 'YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF.' On these two commandments depend the whole Law and the Prophets."

Matthew 22 : 37-40



Our Fundraising Team has a limited supply of:

**Apple Pies & Chicken Meat Pies
\$5 each — 400°F for 1 hour**

***Funds raised, YTD, are \$3,267.55!!!
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.***

Thank You for Praying

Requests for Prayer

- * Heather Moore has been transferred to Port Colbourne for physiotherapy after her leg/knee injury. It is extremely painful. Please pray for Heather and for a quick recovery.
- * Margaret Demers is at home after spending over a week in the hospital after suffering a heart attack. Please pray for healing and recovery.
- * Helmut Harder is at this time, pain free in his leg and abdomen, but again weakened by forced inactivity. Please pray for healing for Helmut and peace for Margot as he recovers.
- * Please pray for Don Munson. Don has been a faithful friend of GBC for a number of years. Don has been diagnosed with Mesothelioma. He is also undergoing procedure(s) to mitigate the fluid buildup around his lungs. Please continue to pray for Don, his family, and his doctors.
- * Catherine Keating is recovering from her surgery and hospital stay. Please continue to pray for healing and Catherine extends her thanks to everyone for praying.
- * Eleanor Rogers is asking for prayer. Her eyesight has gotten even worse, and ironically, this causes horrific visions. She has now looking, again for a doctor as her previous one declined to take new patients.
- * Dave Furness asks for prayer for his daughter, Ashley. She is getting treatment for an abnormal growth.
- * Carol-Dean Jeffries is slowly recovering from pain in her back, caused by small fractures in her spine. Please continue to pray for healing.
- * 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. Please 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 Gucker, 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 normally 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.



GLENRIDGE BIBLE CHURCH

Welcome to our Communion Service this Lord's Day



August 6th, 2023

Pastor Bobby Halek

Studies in Torah: part ∞

"The Rise of Joseph"

Genesis 41 : 14-42

**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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