



GLENRIDGE BIBLE CHURCH

Welcome to our
***Online* Easter Sunday Service**
April 12th, 2020

Pastor Bobby Halek
“The Shunned Saviour”

**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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He is despised and rejected by men, A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him. Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed.

Isaiah 53 : 3-5

Order of Service

As seen at:

<https://glenridgebiblechurch.org/sermon-archive/>

(Available Sunday morning at 9:00am)

Words of Welcome

Pastor Bobby

Opening Hymn

"He Lives" — Greater Vision

Praise & Offering Worship

"Then Came the Morning" — Ernie Haase & Signature Sound

"Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery" — Matt Boswell & Boyce College Choir

"Crown Him (Majesty)" — Passion Music feat. Chris Tomlin, Kari Jobe

Kids' Discipleland — Angela Kersten

Scripture Reading—Pastor Bobby

Matthew 27 : 15-31

Message - Pastor Bobby

"The Shunned Saviour"

Responsive Anthem

"Is He Worthy?" — Andrew Peterson

THIS WEEK AT G.B.C

Today Online Easter Service ‘with’ Pastor Bobby

Next Sunday Online Service ‘with’ Pastor Bobby

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 Offerings Sunday, March 15 th	\$ 1,775.00
General Offerings Sunday, March 22 nd	\$ 4,805.38
General Offerings Sunday, March 29 th	\$ 8,011.46
General Offerings Sunday, April 5 th	\$ 10,469.11

Weekly General Offerings required to meet 2020 Budget: \$ 6,821.27

2020 YTD General Offerings Budget: \$88,683.22

2020 YTD General Offerings Donations: \$77,407.36

God continues to bless our church through your tithes and offerings,
yes, even while we are unable to meet in person.

If you have offerings you’d like to donate, please remember
there are multiple options available.

- 1) You can donate online through our website at www.GlenridgeBibleChurch.org and click on the ‘Give’ tab at the top of the page. (You can use MasterCard or Visa)
- 2) You can drop your envelope in the mail slot at the front of the church (to the left of the main front doors)
- 3) You can mail your cheque in
- 4) Contact the office and we’ll arrange for someone to pick it up from your home mailbox (to minimize contact)

Also, anyone who would like to have numbered offering envelopes, or a mailbox here at the church, please contact the office at:
905.937.1326 or GlenridgeBC@gmail.com
and we’ll have them ready for when our services resume

Celebrating Easter at Home

Easter this year will look and feel different. But it is still Easter and still a wonderful celebration of our risen Saviour! Here are some ideas for ways to celebrate this season at home:

Easter Scavenger Hunt

There are many suggestions online or you can make up your own! You could do this inside your house or on a walk around your neighbourhood. You could do this alone or with your children. I like the one found here:

www.blessthismessplease.com/easter-scamenger-hunt-2/

Lenten Tea

This is a lovely idea for one of the more somber afternoons during Holy Week. Make it as simple or as fancy as you'd like!

https://alice.typepad.com/cottage_blessings/2006/03/a_lenten_tea.html?fbclid=IwAR0nYrdofbwPAwXuDwcN8qjDqlZnNGO2vD3Adcym50elRbOD9156KC85Wlc

A Christian Passover Supper

We have done this as a church family before. You could do it at home too! Here is a lovely and simple service, complete with menu ideas and recipes.

https://annvoskamp.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/03/A_Christian_Passover_Easter_Meal.pdf

Easter Surprise

A few days ahead of time, gather smooth stones. Decorate them at home with markers, paint, chalk markers, whatever you have. You could do simple Easter story drawings or decorate them like Easter eggs. Then go on a walk around your neighbourhood and "hide" the rocks for others to find. Spread the joy of the season!

See the links below for some inspiration:

<https://www.myjoyfilledlife.com/easter-story-stones/>

<https://theimaginationtree.com/easter-egg-pebble-craft/>

Update on Maureen Lemire

Maureen Lemire, our missionary to Honduras with AVANT Ministries Canada, is now home from Honduras due to the Covid-19 concerns.

She is still in quarantine until Tuesday, April 14th at the Holiday Inn Express.

Remember, she is in quarantine, so no visiting, but we're sure she'd enjoy talking to some of our church folks.

Heartfelt thanks to all who donated food and contributed to covering her costs while in quarantine.

Recommended:

**For home viewing, the Elders of
Glenridge Bible Church recommend the following:**

"Living Truth" (People's Church)

On YES TV at 9:00am on Sundays

"Let My People Think" with Ravi Zacharias

on YES TV at 9:30am on Sundays

"Turning Point" with Dr. David Jeremiah

on YES TV at 11:30am on Sundays

**For home reading, Pastor Bobby
recommends the following:**

"1 Thessalonians"

by the Apostle Paul

"A Book to Die For"

by William J. McRae

"Honesty, Morality and Conscience"

by Jerry White

The Board of Glenridge Bible Church will continue to base decisions on services and ministries at GBS on the guidelines provided by Niagara Public Health and the Ontario Ministry of Health.

As we are in a situation of not meeting together corporately, please forward any names/phone numbers etc, of members or attendees of our church that are either new, or are not online, to the office. We want to make sure that nobody is left out when it comes to communications from the Board, Office, or Pastor Bobby.

Thank You for Praying

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, and faithful in prayer."

Romans 12: 12

Notes of Praise:

- * Despite severe restrictions on how our church operates, our congregation has been very supportive and generous in its financial support. A special thanks goes to our volunteers who have been picking up offerings from house-bound folks and delivering Mac & Cheese and Meat Pies too!
- * Maureen Lemire is home from Honduras and in good health while in quarantine until Tuesday the 14th. Praise God she was able to make the trip successfully and has found accommodations too!
- * Ernie Seeger has received an excellent prognosis after his surgery. Though he still has a surgery to remove the remaining cancer and put in a stent after our lockdown mandate lifts, and the doctors still need to address an aneurism, his doctors consider both issues to be 'negligible'. Ernie and Carolin thank everyone for their prayers and ask you to continue as go through these health concerns.
- * Charles and Tara Monteith's friend, Andrea, whom we've been praying for, is in remission. She will be undergoing radiation as additional treatment. Praise the Lord, and please continue to pray for Andrea.

Prayer Concerns:

- * Please continue to pray for those in our congregation suffering from on-going pain. Please pray for Emilia Pirc, Sue Furness, Ron and Lois Clattenburg, Jaqi Shennan, Rosalie Pankoff, Eleanor Leigh.
- * Please continue to pray for Otto Roman during his recovery and physio.
- * Sue Furness requests prayer for a friend, Amy (19y/o), suffering from terminal cancer. Please pray for comfort for both Amy and her family.
- * The Luchkanyns ask for continued prayer for their friends, Quin

"With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be on the alert with all perseverance and petition for all the saints"

Ephesians 6 : 18