

GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST

NEWS & NOTES

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-November 23, 2021-

Involvement

Garry Evans



SUNDAY DECEMBER 5, 2021

Our Church wide potluck will take place the first Sunday on December 5th.

An abbreviated Sunday evening service will begin at 5:00.

Following the service will enjoy the potluck together. Please bring a 2-litter drink with your food.

(General rule of thumb - a dish that will feed your family and 1 more family).

We hope to see you at 5:00 on December 5th for the abbreviated service followed by the Church wide potluck!

Before We Cross the Jordan

For a while on Sunday evenings, we have devoted our lessons to the Pentateuch, the first five books of the Bible, or the books of Moses. This last Sunday was the final in that study, and I hope you've grown an appreciation for those books as well as the Old Testament in general. I wanted to make sure we studied them as an overview, not verse-by-verse.

As Moses and Israel stood in the land of Moab, they could see across the Jordan, in the distance, the city of Jericho. The moment they crossed the Jordan would be akin to Caesar crossing the Rubicon with his legions—there's no turning back. Before they went, however, Moses instructed a new generation of Israelites of the covenant that their fathers had entered with God.

Moses set the stage in Deuteronomy 1–11 with a speech reminding them of their recent past and who God was. Then, in chapters 12–26, he gave a collection of laws pertinent for Israel to keep as a part of God's covenant. Finally, in the final chapters (27–34), Moses gives his last speech and warns Israel of the consequences of disobedience. He also told them the blessings God will give if they are faithful. Then, as a conclusion, he implores Israel to choose life by keeping the covenant.

Expulsion from the Garden of Eden was humanity's punishment for sin. Centuries later, Israel's expulsion from the Promised Land is depicted as a death in Ezekiel 37. Israel's life would return once they returned to the Promised Land from exile (Ezekiel 37:14). This central theme is observable throughout Scripture—dwelling with God in Eden and Israel is life. Dwelling with God in heaven is life, and exile is death. Exile from God in heaven is the second death.

To ensure we live and do not die, we must choose life too. We must choose covenant faithfulness. By doing so, we are loving our God and our neighbor. All the laws Moses gave were to reflect these two great commands. The same still stands for us today—love God and our neighbor. We can never go wrong by doing these two commands. If faithful, we'll one day cross the Jordan to be with the Lord.

Steven

WORSHIP—Sunday AM: 9:00 Sunday PM: 6:00
CLASSES—Sunday AM: 10:15 Wednesday PM: 7:00
RADIO—Sunday AM: 9:00-10:00 Sunday PM: 6:00-7:00—WVHM FM 90.5
Sunday AM Rebroadcast: 11-12 — WTRT FM 88.1
DAILY RADIO—Monday-Friday 6:25 & 7:25 am—FM 90.5
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-THE GLENDALE FAMILY-

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THANKSGIVING MEAL: Thank you to everyone involved for making our Thanksgiving Meal a Wonderful Success!

Thank you Melissa Stark for planning Leigh

Thank you Melissa Stark for planning, Leigh Ann Grady for the amazing food, Cooking Team leaders for serving, and C20 (2nd Mile) for also helping with serving! Looking forward to our Christmas Party!

NOVEMBER 25th 2021: No Class (Holiday)

DECEMBER 2nd 2021: Regular Class at 10:30am (No meals at this time − Be looking for meals to return this spring) €



NOVEMBER 24^{th,} 2021: **NO CLASS** – Singing in Auditorium @ 7pm

<u>NOVEMBER 28^{th,} 2021</u>: <u>REGULAR C20</u> <u>CLASS @ 10am</u>

~LIBRARY ~ E. Bailey

Hymns of Thanksgiving #4

Fred Pratt Green (1903-2000) was one of the most prolific British hymn writers of the 20th century and his Thanksgiving hymn, **For The Fruit of All Creation**, written in 1970, quickly made its way into the Thanksgiving repertoire. It is usually sung to the Welsh hymn AR HYDY Y NOS which we recognize as ALL THROUGH THE NIGHT. Although not in our hymnal, Derek has led this one at Glendale on a few occasions.

Another 20th century Thanksgiving hymn which has become widely popular is Katherine Davis' **Let All Things Now Living – A Song of Thanksgiving.** Written in 1939, it is universally sung to the Welsh hymn tune, ASH GROVE. Again, it is not in our hymnal but well worth learning.

Davis (1892-1980) also wrote **The Little Drummer Boy** but maybe she can be forgiven for that!!!

YOUTH Jacob Vaughan

The young men will be leading the worship service this Sunday night. I encourage all of you to attend to see the amount of love and devotion that these young men have for God and one another as they direct us through worship.

The youth Christmas party will be coming up next month. Please be looking out for more details in the future. There will be games, food, and fun to be had for all those in attendance. May be a few competitions as well.

CYC signups have been posted on the bulletin board. We will leave on February 24th and return home on the 27th. It is held in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee. The cost to attend is \$150 which will **include all meals and entertainment** that the group attends. The only reason to bring money will be for any souvenirs or snacks while at the conference itself.

Breakfast with Santa will be on **December 4th** from **9:00 – 11:00**. Masks will be required while talking to Santa, so we don't spread germs or viruses to children around the world since Santa is in his traveling season.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICE

We will be singing in the auditorium this Wednesday night from 7-8. No Classes will meet.

"Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray"

Thank You Notes

I would like to thank you for the use of the church van to transport my mother to a much needed doctor appointment. And I would like to especially thank Dan and Jan Davis for arranging and providing the transport. When Murray Transit canceled our scheduled ride, Jan quickly made arrangements for us to use the church van.

On behalf of my mom, Gail Dunn, I would like to express our family's love and appreciation for the close connection you maintain with her. Please keep her in your prayers.

Amanda Childress

Thank you for the Kindnesses shown to us at the passing of my mother, Virginia Mathis.

We are especially grateful for your prayers on her behalf the last few weeks.

Rick and Lisa Spann and Family

Thank you to Matthew Morris and Matt Gingles for heading up our Pack the Pantry and to the congregation for all the food and money given. It is such a help to our community!

John Mahan

PACK THE PANTRY

Thanks to everyone who participated in donating food or money for Pack the Pantry. The total food given was 6,979 items and the total money was \$2193. Semper Fi Class won the class challenge for the most items donated.

LAKER & TIGER CHRISTMAS

We will be collecting money in the Commons this Sunday through December 12th to donate to the Calloway County and Murray Resource Centers to provide Christmas Assistance to children of Murray and Calloway County. We will not be shopping as we have in the past. The Resource Centers will be taking care of the families with money donated. Thank you to everyone who can help with this project!

SYMPATHY

We express the sympathy of the congregation to Austin Copeland and family on the death of his father, Austin Copeland, Sr. Visitation will be from 12-1:30 at Byrn Funeral Home and a graveside service at 2:00 at Maplewood Cemetery in Mayfield on Saturday, November 27th.

Also, remember Lisa Spann and family on the death of her mother, Virginia Mathis; and Jerome Dial and family on the death of his mother, Sandra Dial.

BABY MONEY GIFT

There will be a money gift collected this Sunday, November 28th during morning classes for Sawyer and Mandy Lawson and expected baby. See Kathy Coles if you would like to give at any other time.

Karen Bolls' Wednesday night class will have their Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 14th at 6PM at Karen's house, 1402 Oakhill Dr. Bring a dish and a \$10 gift.

	~ELDERS~	
Jeremy Bell	Johnny Bohannon	Brent Canter
Kenneth Cleaver David Ryan	Raymond Grady	Allen McKeel

	~DEACONS~	
Darrell Beane	Terry Bourland	Josh Bybee
Landon Clark	Gerald Coles	Tim Coles
Mike Cooper	Dan Davis	Jody DeWitt
Garry Evans	Andrew Falwell	Jacob Falwell
Joel Fisher	James Gibson	Matt Gingles
Seth Grogan	Chris Jones	Justin Hendrick
Ryan Houston	Derek Jones	Chad Lawson
John Mahan	Terry McCallon	Josh McKeel
Mike Orr	Shawn Simmons	Karl Smith
Jay Stark	Tim Stark	Kelly Starks
Rob Thompson	Stacey Underhill	Nicholas Weber
Daron Wilson		

~CARE TEAM LEADERS~

- 1. Jody Dewitt (combined 1, 3 & 5)
- 2. Dan Davis (combined 2 & 12)
- 3. Rick Spann (combined 6, 13 & 14)
- 4. Mike Orr (combined 7 & 20)
- 5. Karl Smith (combined 8 & 10)
- 6. Garry Evans (combined 11, 18 & 19)
- 7. Terry Bourland (combined 15, 16 & 17)

~SUNDAY SERVANTS~

11/28/2021

9:00 Morning Worship

Welcome/Announcements	Garry Evans
Song Service	Derek Jones
Opening Prayer	. Johnny Bohannon
Preside	Mike Forgey
Scripture Reading	
Scripture	Luke 1:5–7
Speaker	Steven Hunter
Sermon When God Has a	Plan for Your Kid
Closing Prayer	John Gallagher
NurseryConda Wil	lson, Emily Wilson
Greeters Ronnie Bazzel	l, Lagenia Bazzell,
Darrell Beane, Dana Beane,	Stacy Bell, Mary-
Peyton Bell	

Serve the Lord's Supper

South	North
Corey Underhill	Ernie Bailey
Stacey Underhill	Darrell Beane
Tyler Underhill	Jackson Bell
Zach Underhill	Terry Bourland
Jamey Armstrong	Keith Burks
Luke Armstrong	

Alternates: Dennis Blagg, Josh Bybee, Brent Canter, Doug Clark, Austin Copeland, Trace Johnson

11/28/2021

6:00 Evening Worship

Welcome/Announcem	nents Garry Evans	
Song ServiceTric	e Jones, Lawson Houston	
Opening Prayer	Kallen Hendrick	
Scripture Reading	Kamden Hendrick,	
	Trent Jones	
Scripture1,	John 3:18, Matt. 21:28-32	
Speaker	Jack Richey	
Closing Prayer Riley Milam		
Preside/PM Communion Jack Elmore		
Nursery Sherri Boyd, Kathy Coles		
GreetersJacee McKeel, Savannah Scott,		
Ellie Falwell, Emily	Dunn, Eve Stark, Leah	

Stark

Van Drivers:

Sunday AM – Scott Faulkner (270-627-1572) Sunday PM – Dan Davis (270-978-8505) Wednesday – Lance Harper (270-994-0385)