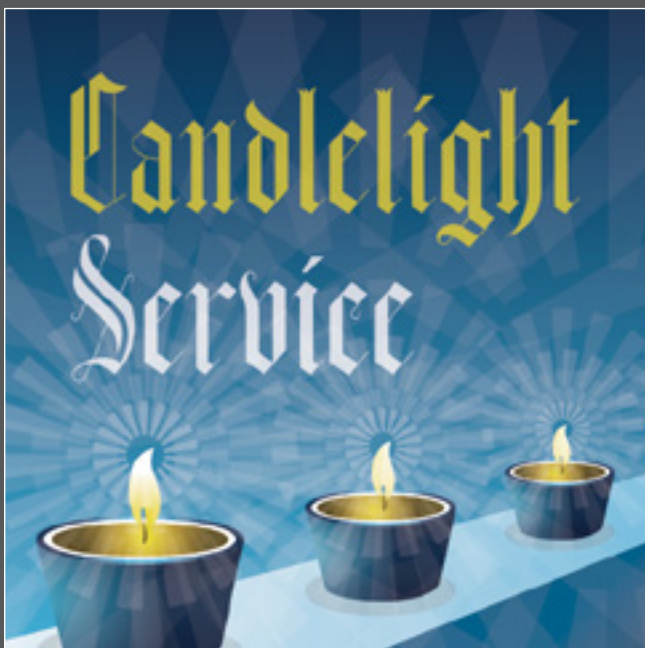


DECEMBER 2021 AT GLENKIRK 

JOURNEY

Experiences, Resources, and Classes to Help You Grow Closer to God



CALENDAR

- Dec 4 Betsy's Retirement Party
- Dec 5 Food Drive
- Dec 12 Homebuilders
- Dec 24 Christmas Eve Services

PRAYER & DEVOTIONALS

- Submit a prayer request or sign up for our prayer chain: GlenkirkChurch.org/news
- Download weekly devotional: GlenkirkChurch.org/devotions
- Join livestream and to view past sermons: GlenkirkChurch.org/sermons

COMMUNION

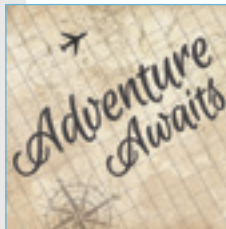
We will be celebrating Communion on **December 5**. Email at Info@GlenkirkChurch.org if you have any questions.

ALL CHURCH



New Sermon Series | 'Promises Kept' | November 28 - January 2, 2022
A six-week thematic sermon series during the seasons of Advent and Christmas that will focus on how the coming of Jesus fulfills six Old Testament promises

(Genesis 3:15; 12:1-3; 49:10; Isaiah 7:14; 2 Samuel 9:12-13; Hosea 11:1). This series will aim at strengthening our trust in God fulfilling his promises to us today. This series will focus on the *INVITE* part of Glenkirk's mission.



Betsy's Retirement Party | December 4 | 2:00pm (lunch) 3:00pm (program) | On Campus
You are invited to an afternoon of fellowship and fun as we celebrate Betsy and all of her accomplishments. Lunch will be served from 2:00pm-3:00pm;

programming begins at 3:00pm. We hope you will join us for this very special day!



Christmas Eve Family Service | 'Breakfast in Bethlehem' | December 24 | 10:00am
Wear your PJ's and join us for an outdoor interactive Christmas experience around our campus, complete with pancakes! Kids will get to learn about how life would have been in the town where Jesus was born.



Christmas Eve Candlelight Service | December 24 | 6:00pm & 8:00pm
Join us for a peaceful evening candlelight service on Christmas Eve. We will gather at 6:00pm and 8:00pm in the sanctuary and conclude each service with candlelit worship outdoors.

Food Drive | December 5 | 8:30am - 1:30pm
We are partnering with Shepherd's Pantry to host a food drive. Bring your donated items to the worship services or drop them off at the roundabout. Volunteers from Shepherd's Pantry will be present to collect all donated items.

Become Booklet
Why not prayerfully consider how God might be asking you to "become more fully devoted". Our Become booklet is designed to help you answer the question. PDF version available at GlenkirkChurch.org/news. Email us at Become@GlenkirkChurch.org for info.

ADULT MINISTRIES (Pastor Betsy Straeter)

Homebuilders | December 12 | 11:45am lunch | 12:30pm program
For parents of children ages infant through high school. Come for fellowship, encouragement, and to be equipped with tools to grow our families in truth and love. Lunch is provided on the field east of the playground. Programming begins at 12:30pm in the Event Center. Childcare and activities available for birth through high school. Register by emailing JHeller@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Threads of Joy | On Break
If you love to craft, sew, or knit, join us as we make items that bring comfort to those who are facing medical challenges. Email Info@GlenkirkChurch.org for info.

Small Groups
Interested in facilitating a small group or interested in joining one? Email Jenn at JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Adult Sunday School | 'Clear View of the Birth of Jesus' | Sundays | 10:45am | Room 22 & Zoom
As we prepare for the holidays, join us for a special series. We will be looking at the birth of Jesus through a Middle Eastern lens that provides context to the Christmas story. Pastor Betsy will be leading this video series. Email Info@GlenkirkChurch.org to join.

Stretch & Balance Class - Adults 60+ | Virtual
Safe & light exercises led by a certified health instructor at no charge. For more info, contact Info@GlenkirkChurch.org.

MEN'S MINISTRIES (Darren Richer)

Men's Small Groups | Meeting Virtually
Our groups meet on various days and times in the morning and evening. To find a group that fits you and your schedule, please email Men@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Men's Event | 'The Gameplan' | February 5 | 4:00pm - 7:00pm
Save the date as Glenkirk's Men's Ministry prepares to kick off the new year with food, games, and a special guest speaker! Come as you are and bring a friend. More details to follow soon.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES (Pastor Betsy Straeter) Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @WomenOfGlenkirk

Women's Bible Study | "Kingdom of God" | Wednesdays | 9:30am
Join us Wednesday mornings as we study the Kingdom of God and why it is important to our Christian life. We will discuss the teachings of Jesus, what the Kingdom of God is, and how we can participate in bringing the Kingdom of God. To register, please visit GlenkirkChurch.org/women.

CHILDREN MINISTRIES (Amber Flores)

Follow us on Instagram! [@GlenkirkKids](https://www.instagram.com/GlenkirkKids)

AWANA Clubs | Wednesdays | 6:30pm
Children ages 3 years-5th grade are welcome to join us each week as we learn more about the Bible, how to show the love of Jesus to others, and have some fun! For more info, contact AFlores@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Sunday School - 9:00am & 10:45am

KidMin (1st - 5th Grade)
In-person Sunday School has reopened for grades 1st - 5th at both 9:00am and 10:45am! Email AFlores@GlenkirkChurch.org for more info, or visit GlenkirkChurch.org/elementary.

Early Childhood (2 Years Old - Kindergarten)
In-person Sunday School has reopened at both 9:00am and 10:45am! For more info, please email EBraun@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Nursery (Newborns and Toddlers)
Our loving volunteers are ready to care for your little ones while you attend Sunday services or classes. In the event that a parent is needed, the parent's cell phone will receive a text message.

ENGAGE - STUDENTS (Josh Linden)

Follow us on Instagram! [@GlenkirkStudents](https://www.instagram.com/GlenkirkStudents)

ENGAGE Sunday | Sundays | 10:45am | Gathering Place | On Campus
Middle school and high school students gather in person for worship on Sundays. Our current series, "Focus", discusses topics on faith, identity, freedom, and hope.

ENGAGE Midweek | Wednesdays | 6:30pm | Gathering Place | On Campus
Join us for worship and word each week! Open to Middle School and High School students.

High School Winter Retreat | February 18 - 21
Mark your calendars for High School Winter Retreat, February 18 - 21! We will spend the extended President's Day weekend in fellowship and fun together. Signs ups and more info coming soon!

CARE & SUPPORT MINISTRIES (Jenn DeGraw)

GriefShare | Tuesdays | 7:00pm - 8:30pm |
Gathering Place & Zoom

GriefShare is a caring group which will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving experience alone. Register online at GlenkirkChurch.org/griefshare.

Lay Counseling

Counseling is available when life gets tough or in times of crisis. Premarital counseling is also available. For info, please contact LayCounseling@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Meal Ministry

We have an ongoing ministry in which we provide meals for those who have a need due to illness or a new baby. Please contact Jenn at JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Glenkirk Cares

If you could help with transportation or meals for an individual with cancer or the family of an individual with cancer, contact Jenn at JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org. Glenkirk Cares seeks to help the patient and family while providing support and sharing the gospel.

Deacons

Deacons are available to help with financial assistance or meals during a time of illness or hospitalization. Please contact Jenn at JDegraw@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Compassionate Care

We seek to meet the physical, emotional, and mental needs of people as a way of sharing Christ's love. If you or someone you know is in need, please contact Andrea Messinger at AMessinger@GlenkirkChurch.org.

Living Stones | Meeting Virtually

For family and friends of gay individuals. For more info, please call Living Stones at 626-963-6683.

Ray of Sunshine (Chronic pain, illness)

Info: djemiddleton-access@msn.com

Alcoholics Anonymous | On Break

Al-Anon for Women | On Break

Narcotics Anonymous

Thursdays | 8:00pm | Room 22

CONNECTIONS (Jenn DeGraw)

Want to Find an Area to Volunteer?

Stop by the Connection Center following the services and talk with our connection team.

FINANCIAL NEED

Financial Information Available Online

We thank you for your continued financial support during these turbulent financial times. For a detailed look at our financials, visit GlenkirkChurch.org/give.

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OUR SUNDAY SERVICES:

GlenkirkChurch.org/sermon

9:00AM | INDOORS & ONLINE

10:45AM | INDOORS & ONLINE

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