



GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS & NOTES

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In Acts chapter 1, the apostles, after having lived through a tumultuous month and a half, stand and watch Jesus ascend into heaven. Beginning with the arrest of Jesus, they experience, fear, devastation, loss, heartbreak, disbelief, hope, excitement, joy, and likely many other emotions. As they see Jesus return to the Father they stand looking into heaven and two men in white apparel appear to them and say, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven” (Ac 1:11). I can remember several times in my life when I was standing idly and someone had to say to me, “What are you doing? Get to work!” When I read Acts 1:11 I am reminded that many times I waste time when the Father has work for me to do. You probably remember Jesus telling His disciples, in John 4:35, “lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for harvest!.” The disciples had thought that harvest time was still 4 months away. Jesus tells them the time to work is now. So I ask myself, “what am I doing?” Am I standing around loafing while the Father has work in the field? Am I so concerned with my own business, that I neglect the work of the Master? I need to remember each day that Jesus is going to return in the same way that the apostles saw Him ascend. There is much to do until that day comes, and although it is easy to get wrapped up in life here, that day is surely approaching.

Seth

The Earliest Bible Translations

The Old Testament was originally written in Hebrew, with some portions appearing in Aramiac—specifically in Daniel and Ezra. The oldest copies of the Old Testament were discovered around the Dead Sea and are known as the Dead Sea Scrolls, dating to the third–second centuries BC. Before this discovery in the twentieth century, the oldest copy of the Old Testament was a Masoretic Text dated to AD 1008–09 (Leningrad Codex). The original Hebrew Bible contained only consonants, but between AD 500 and 700, Jewish scribes known as Masoretes produced copies in which they added vowel markings to preserve pronunciation. This is the standard authoritative text used in synagogues and by Catholics and Protestants as the source text for their Old Testament translations.

In the third century BC, seventy (or seventy-two) rabbis translated the Old Testament into Greek. This is the earliest translation of the Hebrew Bible and is often called the Septuagint, or LXX—referring to the seventy who translated it. We don’t know what copies they translated from, but it includes second-century BC fragments of Leviticus and Deuteronomy. This is stated because the LXX has variants that differ from the Masoretic text. For example, Jeremiah 27:19–22:

Septuagint (NETS) 19 ... Even some of the remaining vessels 20 which the king of Babylon did not take when he exiled Jeconiah from Jerusalem, shall enter into Babylon, says the Lord.

Hebrew Bible (NRSV) 19 ... and the rest of the vessels that are left in this city 20 which King Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon did not take away when he took into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon King Jeconiah son of Jehoiakim of Judah, and all the nobles of Judah and Jerusalem—21 thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel, concerning the vessels left in the house of the Lord, in the house of the king of Judah, and in Jerusalem: 22 They shall be carried to Babylon, and there they shall stay, until the day when I give attention to them, says the Lord. Then I will bring them up and restore them to this place.

I prefer to think of these differences—like how we read the Synoptic Gospels—as variations rather than contradictions. Many differences exist between the LXX and the Hebrew Bible. The LXX was the basis for the Old Latin, Coptic (Egyptian), Ethiopic, Armenian, Georgian, Slavonic, and part of the Arabic translations.

–*Steven*

WORSHIP—Sunday AM: 9:00 Sunday PM: 6:00

CLASSES—Sunday AM: 10:15 Wednesday PM: 6:30

RADIO—Sunday AM: 9:00-10:00 Sunday PM: 6:00-7:00—WVHM FM 89.7

DAILY RADIO—Monday-Friday 6:25 & 7:25 am—FM 89.7

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THE GLENDALE FAMILY-

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COLLEGE & YOUNG-N-HEARTS



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SEPTEMBER 10th, 2026 - Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am.

SEPTEMBER 17th, 2026 - Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am.



SEPTEMBER 9th, 2026 - C20 Class @ 6:30pm.
Topic: **Eph 4: Proactive Mind... 4 Characteristics of the Old Self.** Please invite a friend to join us 😊

SEPTEMBER 13th, 2026 - C20 Led Worship Service @ HAZEL Church of Christ. Caden Crutchfield will be preaching. Van leaves @ 9:40

SEPTEMBER 17th, 2026 - C20 Devo @ my house @ 6:30pm. We will have a meal and split devotionals. **GIRLS DEVO / GUYS DEVO**

Library *E. Bailey*

"God In Three Persons"

In any list of the best Christian hymns ever written, "Holy, Holy, Holy" is invariably at or very near the top. Reginald Heber's lyrics together with John Dykes' tune, NICAEA can be found in almost any hymnal.

Emperor Constantine was largely responsible for convening what we now call the Council of Nicaea in 325 in what is now modern-day Turkey.

One of the lasting results of this event was the formalized doctrine of the trinity. Thus, the tune name that the world knows today.

For some unknown reason, some of the hymnbooks that were widely used among Churches of Christ in the 19th century chose not to use the trinitarian wording and that practice continues to this day in some of our books. Jorgenson used "God over all" While the Gospel Advocate books used "God In Three Persons Blessed Trinity." As many folks in these parts grew up on the Gospel Advocate books, this accounts for the fact that the paperless hymnal wording seems strange, indeed.

Dear hymnal editors: It's not nice to confuse Ernie!!

YOUTH

Jacob Vaughan

The next **family devotional** will be held here at the church on **September 27th** immediately following evening services. A meal will be provided. We will continue our series into "The Forgotten" lessons and characters of the bible. Our keynote speaker will be Daniel Harper.

The Ladies Transform conference will take place September 11-13. If you signed up for the event please make sure you are still able to attend as the tickets and lodging have already been acquired.

Family Retreat will take place at WKYC October 16th – 18th. Tyler Wunderlich will be our speaker again this year as he did an outstanding job last year. A sign up will be placed on the youth board for you and your family to sign up. I hope to see you all there.

Fall retreat will take place November 13th – 15th at WKYC. Bob will be coming back again this year to help us grow in our understanding of the Lord. A sign up will be posted at a later date.

BACKPACK PROGRAM

We are collecting the following items for this year's **BACKPACK PROGRAM**: Pop Tarts, Cheese Crackers, Rice Krispie Treats, Nutri-Grain Bars, Granola Bars and Fruit Snacks. We are also collecting items for the middle schoolers this year that include canned Chef Boyardee, Ramen Noodles and Fruit Cups. As always, no nuts or peanut butter. Thank You!!

'Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray'

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who sent me birthday wishes for my 80th birthday with calls, texts and cards. It made my day more special. We are blessed to have such a wonderful church family.

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Guinn Jones

I want to say THANK YOU to my Glendale Family for the many texts, calls, gifts and Birthday wishes. I appreciate each of them. May God Bless each of you.

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Marilyn Thornton

Glendale Road Church of Christ

Ladies' Day

September 19th, 9:15 AM

with Jennifer Stubblefield speaking
Please RSVP for lunch to 270-753-3714,
text Jeanne at 270-293-0933 or email
jeanneu@glendaleroadchurch.org

BY THIS FRIDAY,

September 11th
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Glendale Road Church of Christ  
Daughters of Dorcas & Young Men Training

**SAVE THE DATE**

SEPT. 13  
SEPTEMBER 20  
SEPTEMBER 27  
OCTOBER 18  
OCTOBER 25  
NOVEMBER 1  
NOVEMBER 8  
NOVEMBER 15  
NOVEMBER 22-  
LITTLE  
LADIES' DAY @ 5  
BOYS LEAD SERVICES  
@ 6

All boys and girls ages 3+ are invited to  
participate each Sunday night listed  
above beginning at 5:00.

## SYMPATHY

We express the sympathy of the congregation to Ann Looney and family on the death of her husband, Bill Looney; to Debbie Gallagher and Jeanette Suiter and family on the death of their brother and brother-in-law, Larry Suiter; and to the family of JoLee Clark.

## WEDDING SHOWER

There will be a wedding shower for Corey Underhill and Nikki Evers this Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 1-2:30 in the multipurpose room. They are registered at Amazon and Five Psalm Co. Please bring your favorite recipe to the shower or put it in the money gift envelope. See Hannah Stark or Patricia Ward if you would like to give a money gift before then (Venmo will be available).

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Ladie's Bible Class will meet on Tuesday, September 15th at 10:30 in the east multipurpose room. They will be on pages 45-52 in Becky Blackmon's book "Do You See ME?" All ladies are invited to attend!

~ELDERS~

Darrell Beane
Brent Canter
Derek Jones

Jeremy Bell
Andrew Falwell
Allen McKeel

Johnny Bohannon
Raymond Grady

~DEACONS~

Terry Bourland
Tim Coles
Jody DeWitt
James Gibson
Chris Jones
Chad Lawson
Josh McKeel
Jay Stark
Rob Thompson
Daron Wilson

Josh Bybee
Mike Cooper
Jacob Falwell
Matt Gingles
Justin Hendrick
John Mahan
Mike Orr
Tim Stark
Stacey Underhill

Landon Clark
Dan Davis
Joel Fisher
Seth Grogan
Ryan Houston
Terry McCallon
Shawn Simmons
Kelly Starks
Nicholas Weber

~CARE TEAM LEADERS~

Jody Dewitt – Care Team 1
Dan Davis – Care Team 2
Jerry Stark – Care Team 3
Mike Orr – Care Team 4
Chuck Adams – Care Team 5
Buddy Bybee – Care Team 6
Terry Bourland – Care Team 7

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~SUNDAY SERVANTS~

9/6/2026

9:00 Morning Worship

Welcome/Announcements Seth Grogan
Song Service Derek Jones
Opening Prayer Corey Underhill
Preside Ernie Bailey
Scripture Reading Josh Bybee
Scripture 2 Corinthians 12:2-4
Speaker Steven Hunter
Sermon Three Heavens?
Closing Prayer Allen McKeel
Nursery Jessica Morris, Suzanna Pigg
Greeters Peggy Smith, Bobby Spiceland,
Rose Spiceland, Peggy Shoemaker, Freda Steely,
Dana Scarbrough

Serve the Lord's Supper

South	North
Zac Boardman	John Gore
C.J. Dial.....	Lucas Gore
Bobby Fike	Mason Gore
Mike Forgey	Zack Grogan
Vernon Gantt	Clay Grogan
Kade Gibson.....	Seth Grogan

Alternates: Raymond Grady, Jake Hance, Daniel Harper, Tim Hayman, Billy Joe Hendon, Justin Hendrick

6:00 Evening Worship

Welcome/Announcements Seth Grogan
Song Service Derek Jones
Opening Prayer Keith York
Scripture Reading James Gibson
Scripture Psalm 81:1
Speaker Steven Hunter
Sermon SINGING NIGHT
Preside Jay Paul Herndon
Closing Prayer Jeremy McKeel
Nursery Linda McCallon, Rylee McCallon
Greeters Donna Starks, Glen Starks,
Marilyn Starks, Kelly Starks, Kim Starks

Van Drivers:

Sunday AM – Terry McCallon (270-293-2720)
Sunday PM – Corey Underhill (270-293-1165)
Wednesday – Kenny Burks (270-227-0679)