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December 14, 2025

The Third Sunday of Advent
JOY



We are glad you are here to
worship God with us!

The flowers are given by Carol Greene in
loving memory of Geoffrey Greene.





Order of Worship

*"This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!"
Psalm 118:24*

Musical Prelude

Bev Wanner & Ella Henderson

Welcome & Time of Greeting

Rev. Tyler Henderson

Advent Candle Lighting & Call to Worship

GLPC Kids

Leader: O sing to the LORD a new song for he has done marvelous things; he has revealed his steadfast love and faithfulness.

People: All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth,

People: Break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

Leader: Make a joyful noise before the King, our LORD. Let us sing our praise to God!

***Hymn** *"Joy to the World"*

(#270 vs. 1, 2, 3)

Prayer of Praise & Confession

**"Heavenly Father, Gracious Savior, Holy Spirit of light and life,
we gather this Advent season to sing your praise with joyous songs.
We have come to worship you and learn to live in your joy. We gather to
rest in you and to be remade in Christ our Lord. We have come together
to grow in our love for you, for you have first loved us. Your great love
leads us to confess to you the things that do not belong in us, the
attitudes and acts that have been harmful to us, to others, and to you.**

**Help us to know the joy of your all-sufficient grace,
through the love of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord."**

(A time is given for a silent personal confession.)

Assurance of Forgiveness

***Gloria Patri**

Scripture Text John 10:7-10

Sermon *"Jesus Came to Bring Joy"*

Rev. Tyler Henderson

***Hymn** *"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"*

(#90 vs. 1, 2, 4)

Sacrament of Baptism

*William Kelly Irwin
Child of Sam & Meg Irwin*

Offering of Thanksgiving

"Born on Christmas Day"

GLPC Kids Choir

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

***Doxology**

***Hymn** *"Go Tell It On The Mountain"*

(#258 vs. 1, 2, 3)

***Benediction**

***Choral Response**

** Please rise in body and/or spirit*

Ushers: Alyssa & Carter Kuban, Steve & Linda Utterback, Maureen Woodruff

Prayers for:

Family of Vicky Braquet
JD Woods
Brett Marshall

Jim & Sandi Lee Hamilton
Sylvia Dannhaus
Don & Minna Farmer

Bill Swierc
Dennis Kirtland
Clarann McCoy

*If you have a prayer request or would like to join our prayer team,
please email prayers@grandlakespc.org.*

Worship Flowers

If you are interested in purchasing flowers for worship services in celebration, honor, or memory of someone or something, please sign up in the binder on the volunteer desk!



Other ways to give:

- **Stocks:** You can avoid capital gains tax by transferring appreciated stock to the church as part of your giving. Upon transfer, the church liquidates the stocks and applies the cash to the operating budget.
- **IRA Giving:** For those old enough to withdraw from an IRA account, have your financial institution transfer cash to the church's account at Fidelity Investments.



2025 Stewardship Snapshot

Total 2025 Budgeted Contributions:	\$688,257
YTD Income as of November 30:	\$659,768
Amount remaining to meet 2025 goal:	\$28,489
96% of Annual Goal	

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What's happen'n at GLPC?!



New Member Meeting

January 11 - following worship

This is an open invitation to all interested in joining or who simply wish to know more about GLPC. We will gather upstairs in Room 209.



Chili Cook-Off!

Jan 25th - following worship

If it's chilly in the air, there are few things better than chili in the belly! Sign up to let us know if you would like to enter your potentially award-winning chili or if you want to bring a side dish!

Children's Ministry

Children's Sunday School

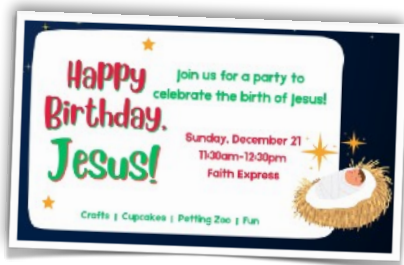
K-5th grade Sunday School at 9:30 & 10:30am

Sunday Morning Childcare

Childcare is available for children ages 5 years old & younger.

Children's Choir

We meets each Sunday at 10am in Faith Express. We hope all kids can join us!



Birthday Party for Jesus!

Sunday, December 21st

11:30am-12:30pm in Faith Express

Join us for a party to celebrate the birth of Jesus!

Youth Ministry

Youth Bible Study, Sundays 5:00-6:30pm

All Jr. & Sr. High Youth are welcome to join us for Bible study, fellowship, and fun!

Upcoming Calendar:

Dec. 14 - Christmas Party!

Dec. 21 & 28 - No Youth Group

Jan. 4 - PJ's & Cocoa Night

Youth Winter Retreat!

February 13-16

For any and all Middle & High School students... We are taking advantage of a 3-day weekend to travel to Mo-Ranch Presbyterian Camp! We love our retreats as they are incredible opportunities to grow in faith and fellowship!

Early Registration (by Jan. 12): \$250

Late Registration (by Feb. 2): \$300



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GLPC Christmas Ornaments!

You can purchase them in the GLPC app, online, or at the table in the foyer!

Glass Bulb: \$20



Ceramic: \$5



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