#### **Prayers for:**

Rick Myers & family Ginger Hopkins & family David Fortier & family Family of John Rainwater Jim & Sandi Lee Hamilton George Puig Nick & Ann Bailey Frank & Marilyn Poysky

Gavin Morgan
Cary Brown
Kimber Hamilton's father, John
Karen Benedict

If you are requesting prayer or would like to join our prayer team, please email us at prayers@grandlakespc.org.

#### **Leading Worship Today**

Rev. Tyler Henderson - Pastor Christian De la Cruz - Director of Music Bev Wanner - Pianist GLPC Choir

Ushers today: Rob & Carrie Fore, Mark & Susan Hutson

#### **Our Offerings**

We have 2 easy ways to give to the ongoing ministry of GLPC:

- 1) Online via the GLPC app or grandlakespc.org
- 2) Cash or check in-person on Sunday mornings to mailed in

Budget Snapshot As of November 30th:

Total 2022 Budgeted Income: \$696,750.00

YTD Contributions: \$613,233.03

Amount remaining to meet 2022 goal: \$83,516.97

88% of Annual Budget Goal

#### **Contact Information**

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Grand Lakes Presbyterian church

# The Fourth Sunday of Advent LOVE December 18, 2022

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



The bulletin covers are illustrated by our GLPC kids!



# Welcome to Grand Lakes Presbyterian Church!

#### **Order of Worship**

**Musical Prelude** 

Bev Wanner

Welcome

Tyler Henderson

\*Call to Worship

(from Isaiah 9)

Leader: The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned.

People: For to us a child is born, to us a son is given,

Leader: And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,

Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace

People: Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no

end.

Leader: He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on

and forever.

People: The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this.

Leader: With loving hearts, let us praise the LORD our God!

\*Hymn

"O Come All Ye Faithful"

(#249 1, 2, 3)

**Advent Candle Lighting** 

\*Hymn

"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

(#250 vs. 1, 2, 3, 4)

Children's Lesson

(After the lesson kids may go to Children's Worship in Faith Express)

**Prayer of Praise & Confession** 

God of divine love, giver of all good gifts, we come before you as children in need of your wisdom and grace. Our fears and our hopes are braided together in the rhythm of daily life. Our visions of the future depend on our own hands and ability. Our expectations remain reasonable and within our control. Break into this tangle of fear and hope, bringing peace to our souls. Break into our vision of the future, returning us to your hands. Break into our expectations, awakening us with curiosity and wonder; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

**Assurance of Forgiveness** 

\*Gloria Patri

\*Hymn "

"Love Has Come"

(#256 vs.1, 2, 3)

Sermon Text

Isaiah 43:1-13

Sermon

"A Reason for Love"

Rev. Tyler Henderson

**A Time For Prayer** 

Offering Ourselves to God

"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"

GLPC Choir

\*Doxology

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving & Dedication

"Angels We Have Heard on High"

(#278 vs. 1, 2, 3)

\*Benediction

\*Choral Response

\* Please rise in body and/or spirit

#### **Sermon Notes**

| Date:        | Sermon Title: |  |
|--------------|---------------|--|
|              |               |  |
| Sermon Text: | Preaching:    |  |

# What's happen'n at GLPC?!

# **Christmas Eve Candlelight Service**



We hope that you will join us for our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 5:30pm!

# **Christmas Day At-Home Worship**



Since Christmas Day falls on a Sunday this year, we have decided to offer an at-home worship service. We felt like this would be a wonderful way to involve more of our members and hopefully reach more people! Join us virtually for worship and considering sharing the link for the service with others!



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### Children's Ministry

#### Children's Sunday School

K-5<sup>th</sup> grade Sunday School at 9:30am.



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

#### Children's Choir!

We are excited to continue our children's choir! We will resume January 8th at 10am!



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# Youth Ministry

Sunday School @ 9:30am

Sunday Night Youth Group 5:00pm-6:30pm

Meet in the Youth Room for a time of study &

fellowship. All Jr. High & High School students are encouraged to join us!



#### 2023 YOUTH WINTER RETREAT

January 13-15<sup>th</sup> - Registration is open for winter retreat! We are heading back to Surfside Beach, TX for a weekend spent in daily devotionals, small group discussions, playing games, and hanging out!

# Sign Up For Table for 8-ish!



We are gearing up for our next round of Table for 8ish! Connect with a

group of 8-9 people once a month for a meal and fellowship to create lasting friendships. Sign up at the church, through the website, or the GLPC app!





#### 🎄 GLPC Christmas Ornament Fundraiser! 🎄



We are selling new beautiful glass bulb GLPC ornaments well as ornaments from a previous year. Proceeds will support Presbyterian Children's Homes & Services. You can purchase them in the GLPC app, online, or at the table in the foyer!

New 2022 Ornament \$30



**Previous** Ornament \$5



#### - Giving Details -

As most of you know, we have changed our management system at the church. If you want online access to your giving history and more, please let the church office know!

2023 Giving Envelopes are available in the foyer across from the stairs.

It's not too late to make your 2023 commitments!



#### Chili Cook-Off!

Sunday, January 29th after 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!

#### Download the GLPC App!

- Watch our worship services
- Sign in to let us know you're ioining us for worship
- Submit prayer requests
- Give financially to the ministry of the church
- Sign up for events & share events with others
- Explore info about the church
- Access the Bible & MORE!















