



# BEHOLD

*I make all things new.*  
**Revelation 21:5**

GLENVIEW  
FIND YOUR COMMUNITY  
CHURCH

## **WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP TODAY**

Thank you for joining us for worship and fellowship today. We are blessed to have you with us and look forward to greeting you after worship.

## **FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN**

Each Sunday children 2 years and under meet and stay in Room 107. All other children begin the morning in the sanctuary with their families. Following the Minister's message for the children, they meet their teachers in the Narthex and proceed to the Youth Room for the day's lessons and activities. The children are now meeting all together in a one-room-schoolhouse setting. All school ages of children can be picked up after the service in the Youth Room. Teachers will put a sign on the door if the children are elsewhere, such as the gym or outside, at pick-up time. If you have questions, please contact Chris Calandra, Director of Children's Ministry, at [chris.calandra@gccucc.org](mailto:chris.calandra@gccucc.org).

## **INCLUSIVITY STATEMENT**

Glenview Community Church is an Open and Affirming Congregation of the United Church of Christ, accepting all who believe in God without regard to race, color, age, marital status, national origin, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, or physical ability. It is also a W.I.S.E. church of the United Church of Christ — welcoming, inclusive, supportive, and engaged with respect to persons facing mental health challenges, their families, and their caregivers.

## **HEARING DEVICES**

Hearing devices are available for your use. They are located in the Narthex. If you need assistance in locating them, please see an usher who will be able to assist you.

## **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Minister	Rev. Dr James Matarazzo
Lector	Sue Newberry
Minister for Music	Gary Wendt
Choir Director	Guillermo Muñoz Küster
Saxophone	Kevin Kizer
Flute	Sue Cunningham
Joyful Ringers	
Ambassadors	Ann Grant, Dina Tosh
Head Usher	Dave Tosh
Ushers	Debbie Berg, Beryl Bills, Ginny Hotaling, Laura O'Mera, Diane Silca, George Silca
Technical Engineer	Barry Nelson
Offering Steward	C.J. Stultz

## **MODERATOR**

Doug Morgan  
[moderator@gccucc.org](mailto:moderator@gccucc.org)

# Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost Veterans Sunday

12 November, 2023

## GATHER

### PRELUDE

*Salute to Our Military*

Valerie Stephenson

### \*HYMN

*With Pipes of Tin and Wood*  
(See Hymn Sheet)

GLENVIEW

*This hymn was commissioned by Glenview Community Church to celebrate the installation of the Buzard Organ in 1999.*

Soloist will sing through Verse 1, then:

Verse 1: All

Verse 2: All

Verse 3: Choir only

Verse 4: All

### ACT OF REMEMBRANCE *from "For the Fallen" (1914) by Laurence Binyon (1869-1943)*

**One:** They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning  
We will remember them.

**All:** We will remember them.  
*A moment of silence is kept.*

### THE KOHIMA EPITAPH *from a 1944 monument, Kohima War Cemetery, Nagaland, India*

**All:** When you go home tell them of us and say:  
For your tomorrow we gave our today.

### \*HYMN 338

*O Beautiful for Spacious Skies*

MATERNA

### WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

**One:** No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey,  
**All:** You are welcome here.

*Toys for Tots Mission Moment and Women's Association Highlight*

\* The asterisk indicates when to stand if possible.

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## \*GREETING ONE ANOTHER

*Please rise as able and greet one another in whatever way you are comfortable and share God's peace.*

## TIME WITH THE YOUNG

### LISTEN

**SCRIPTURE** Hosea 11:1-9

**ANTHEM** *Hallelujah! By and By* *arr. Mary McDonald*

**SERMON** *Not Giving Up* *Rev. Dr. Jim Matarazzo*

### RESPOND

**\*HYMN 44** *Like a Mother Who Has Borne Us* AUSTIN

### CALL TO PRAYER

One: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

One: May the peace of Christ dwell in your hearts.

All: **Christ is our peace, our light, and our hope.**

One: Let us pray.

### VETERANS DAY LITANY *from The Book of Worship for United States Forces (1974)*

One: Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth with all its chartered liberties. For all the wonder of our country's story:

All: **We give you thanks, O God.**

One: For leaders in nation and state, and for those who in days past and in these present times have labored for the commonwealth:

All: **We give you thanks, O God.**

One: For those who in all times and places have been true and brave, and in the world's common ways have lived upright lives and ministered to their fellows:

All: **We give you thanks, O God.**

One: For those who served their country in its hour of need, and especially for those who gave even their lives in that service:

All: **We give you thanks, O God.**

### A PRAYER FOR THOSE WHO CURRENTLY SERVE

**All: Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence**

wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen**

**CALL TO OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY**

*Eternal Father, Strong to Save*

*J.B. Dykes/W. Whiting  
(arr. Bryceson Treharne)*

**\*DOXOLOGY**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

OLD HUNDREDTH

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**\* HYMN**

*Our Call  
(See Hymn Sheet)*

OUR CALL

*This hymn was commissioned by Glenview Community Church to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the church in 2016.*

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

*"Invention" from Sonata 1 for Saxophone and Organ*

*Denis Bédard*



*Join us for Refreshments & Fellowship  
in the Upper Commons following the Postlude.*



**GENEROSITY CAMPAIGN:**

As of November 7, there are 147 pledges totaling \$563,754. The Generosity Campaign officially runs through November 12 in hopes of having a reliable basis for the budget for next year. This week, we will hear Tricia Melzer Swaydrak speak about the valued 30 year relationship Toys for Tots has had with Glenview Community Church. Think of all the good your pledge dollars can do for so many people in need. Please give from your heart and get your pledge in.

Bryce & Terry Adams  
Dave & Melissa Aki  
Janet Aldrich  
Tom & Karen Aldrich  
Marion Alexanian  
Mary Beth Amoruso  
Rosalie Amos  
Carolyn Ashbrook  
Paul & Lauren Bauerschmidt  
Jim & Pam Beavin  
Patsy Bell  
Doug & Debbie Berg  
Tim & Stacey Bernard  
Lloyd & Kathryn Bettis  
Justin & Shane Bill  
Bornia & Leisl Bonakdarpour-Jaberg  
Matt & Cathy Brackett  
Scott & Beth Brady  
G. William & Giselle Bretz  
Rich & Mary Buchanan  
Chris Calandra  
Mike & Tara Call  
M-J Carlson  
Bill & Heather Cooper  
Colin & Kathleen Crawford  
Linda Crowder  
Monty & Emily Davis  
William & Beverly Dawson  
Ann Deakyne  
Jim & Sally Dickey  
Bonnie Dohring  
Meredith Estes  
Warren & Judy Fellingham, Jr

Debby Fosdick  
Sandra Frantz  
Lucinda Fuller  
Phil Gartner & Amy Downey  
Sonja Gilliland  
Dick & Kate Gottfred  
Brian & Gretchen Grad  
Peter & Ann Grant  
Diane Guth  
Jim & Carol Habel  
Susie Hall  
Blanche Hanson  
Barry & Beth Herbert  
Sally Hicks  
Bob and Nancy Hinchsliff  
Dori Hirsch  
Doug & Nahreen Hively  
John & Susan Hoffmann  
Ginny Hotaling  
Larry & Jane Hund  
Sue Hunt  
Pat Hunt [Mary Patricia]  
Steve & Kristine Iida  
Stephen Isaacs & Cathy Shapiro  
Ed & Susan Jacobsen  
Marvin & Mary Ellen Johnson  
Kathie Johnson  
Gordon Jones  
Denny Jorgensen & Margaret Ludemann  
Pamela Keller  
Kevin Kizer & Katherine Hughes  
Steve & Melinda Krueger  
Mike & Barbara Lauesen  
Stephen Lindell  
Holly Little  
Sheryl Long  
Scott & Barb Lothian  
Ralph & Holly Love  
Wayne & Marguerite Lueptow  
Margaret Lutz  
Abigail Lutz  
Marvin Lutz  
Tom & Meg Macfadden  
G. John & Jane Marmet  
Betsy Martin  
James Matarazzo

Mike & Julie McBride  
Bobbie McKay  
Gill Mergl  
Maren Miller  
Terri Morgan  
Doug & Meredith Morgan  
Frank & Susan Morley  
Nancy Mullarkey  
June Mussay  
Daniel O'Brien & Karen Patterson-O'Brien  
Janet Odeshoo  
Linda Pedian & Thomas Perraud  
Mary Anne Peruchini  
David & Wendy Peters  
JoAnne Peters  
Barbara Pollak  
Joyce Pottinger  
Walter & Bridgett Prewett  
Bob & Beth Raebel  
Chris Rocap  
John Roth & Leanne Drennan  
Allan & Jill Ruter  
Mickey Safstrom  
Reinhard Sander & Julie Bretz  
Widick Schroeder  
Janet Schroeder  
Scott & Susan Schroll  
Donna Scott  
Debby Shellard  
George & Diane Silca  
Leslie Simon  
Brad Smith  
Scott & Christine Smith  
Amy Song  
Linda Spaulding  
Jason & Lumi Stutz  
Kit & CJ Sultz  
Tom & Sally Thuresson  
Kathy & Tad Tomita  
Bob & Allison Vevang  
Michael & Peggy Walters  
Kay Warskow  
Bruce & Kim Wedell  
Christopher & Amanda Wetterman  
Jim Yagelski

**POEM FOR THE WEEK** "High Flight" By John Gillespie Magee, Jr. (1922-1941)

Oh! I have slipped the surly bonds of Earth  
And danced the skies on laughter-silvered wings;  
Sunward I've climbed, and joined the tumbling mirth  
of sun-split clouds, — and done a hundred things  
You have not dreamed of — wheeled and soared and swung  
High in the sunlit silence. Hov'ring there,  
I've chased the shouting wind along, and flung  
My eager craft through footless halls of air ....  
Up, up the long, delirious, burning blue  
I've topped the wind-swept heights with easy grace  
Where never lark nor ever eagle flew —  
And, while with silent lifting mind I've trod  
The high untrespassed sanctity of space,  
Put out my hand, and touched the face of God.