



New Life

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF GLENSIDE

Sunday, February 11, 2018

Order of Worship, 9:00am & 10:45am

Today's worship leaders are Brianna Marsh and Hudson Marsh.

Prelude

King of Love

Call to Worship

Marc Davis, Associate Pastor

As It Is in Heaven

All I Have Is Christ/You Are My All in All

Better Than Life

Offering and Deacons' Offering

Devon Bradford,
Director of College Ministries

Announcements

Time of Greeting

Better Is One Day

Prayer for the Church

Marc Davis

Sermon

Marc Davis

A Kingdom More Than It Seems

Matthew 13:31-35, 44-46

(page 819; Children's Bible page 1179)

Communion

Jesus Paid It All

Lead Me to the Cross

Doxology

Benediction

Elders are available by the stage for prayer following both services.

Sermon Series:

Are You the One?: The Middle of Jesus' Ministry

Sundays, January 7—March 18

Feb. 18	Tragedy, Sorrow – and Back to Work (Mt. 14)	Marc Davis
Feb. 25	Did God Change His Mind About Eating Pork? (Mt. 15:1-28)	Mark Moser
Mar. 4	Why Did Jesus Insult this Woman? (Mt. 15:21-16:12)	Mark Moser
Mar. 11	This Is No Typical Community Builder (Mt. 16:13-28)	Mark Moser
Mar. 18	Suffering and Glory Are Coming (Mt. 16:24-17:13)	Mark Moser

Prayer Concerns

Pray for Bill and Sue Buckman's grandson, Will Buckman, as his monthly chemo treatments continue.

Pray for those from our congregation who are currently serving in the military:

Doga Baktir (Navy), Phil Caldwell (New Jersey Air National Guard), Thom Files (Marines), Shane Galbraith (Air Force), Natalie James (Army), Ben Schmidt (Marines),

Pray for those who have recently lost a loved one:

Sally Andrade (mother); Jill Page (step-father)

Pray for those who struggle with mental health issues.

Pray for strength for all care-givers.

Pray for those in our congregation who are out of work or underemployed.

Pray for those who suffer from chronic conditions:

Joan Almerini - fibromyalgia	Justin Hadley - fibromyalgia
Michael Barber - cerebral palsy	Mary Beth Hadley - fibromyalgia
Chris Bauer - seizures	Christina Haig - atypical teratoid rhabdoid tumor
Yvette Berrian - chronic back pain	Betty Harris - Marfan's Syndrome
Lynda Bigoney - breast and uterine cancer	Jill Page - colon and breast cancer
Benjamin Billings - Trisomy 21	Lynn Raysor - cancer
Jeremiah Black - spinal muscular atrophy	Bonnie Shane - fibromyalgia, asthma, occipital neuralgia
Susan Bolton - chronic pain	Ethan Steiger - congenital heart defect, aortic aneurysm
Miska Brown - breast cancer	Maggie Vescovich - cancer
Bill Buckman - dermatomyositis	Marcy White - vision problems, asthma, sleep disorder, severe arthritis (knees)
Karen Clark - chronic fatigue syndrome	Linda Zito - laryngopharyngeal reflux, back injury
Tori DeMoss - global developmental delay	
Susan Fogg - fibromyalgia, rheumatoid arthritis	
Peg Gerard - breast cancer	

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Community Connections

Join our Facebook Page:

"New Life Church in Glenside Facebook Page"
<http://facebook.com/newlifeglenside>

Pastors' Blog:

<http://journal.newlifeglenside.com/> or go to www.newlifeglenside.com and select BLOG in the upper right-hand corner of the home page.

New Life's Weekly E-News:

New Life's E-News provides you up-to-date information on what is going on in the church, and ways to get involved. If you would like to receive the weekly E-News, email Greg Raysor at graysor@newlifeglenside.com, or sign up yourself at <http://eepurl.com/hbCAY>

Deacons' Cell Phone:

If you have or know of a need or would like prayer, please call Dave Douds at 267-528-8637.

Meals Ministry:

If meals are needed, please contact February coordinator Rachel Reidenbach at 215-360-4708 or NewLifeMeals@gmail.com.

Perpetual Food Drive:

Urgent needs: Crackers & paper grocery bags

Place your donations in the cabinet by the Weldon Room. **CLOSED Feb. 18-24**

Food Cupboard Hours:

Mondays: 7-7:30pm for New Life families

Tuesdays: 6:00pm for the community

Thursdays: 1pm for seniors

New Life Nursery School:

Piper Fordham, Director

In session Sept.-June, M, T, Th, F: 9:30am-12pm

Extended Day: 12-2:30pm

For more info. or to schedule a tour, contact

Piper at 215-576-0783 or

NewLifeNurserySchool@gmail.com.

www.facebook.com/NewLifeNurserySchool

New Life Thrift Stores—two locations:

800 N. Easton Rd., Glenside, 215-886-8619

Open M-F: 9am-7pm; Sat.: 9am-6pm

67 Cheltenham Ave., Cheltenham, PA 19012

215-635-0820

Open M-F: 9am-6pm; Sat.: 9am-5pm

www.newlifethriftinc.org

Support Groups

New Creations Support Group—New Creations is a group walking together through the issues of "substance abuse"—whether alcohol, illegal drugs, or an improper use of prescription medication. We are looking at Scripture together, with a gospel perspective on the Twelve Steps, talking together about our lives, and praying. This group is for men and women and meets Monday evenings at 7:30 in the Junior High room upstairs. Contact John Timlin or Marc Davis (mdavis@newlifeglenside.com) for more info.

Men's Support Group—Do you struggle with pornography and other sexual sin patterns that you find difficult to control or overcome? Do you feel defeated? New Life wants to help you. A group meets to help men find freedom from sexual sin patterns and to grow in Christ. Contact Bill Buckman. You will find increasing strength and freedom in the gospel of Christ as you walk with other men in this journey.

Volunteers Needed

Food Cupboard Help Needed

The Food Cupboard is looking for volunteers to assist with unloading and sorting produce on Mondays at 1:00pm. This requires some lifting and generally takes about 1-1/2 hours or less, depending on how much produce we receive. If interested, please contact Bridget Franklin.

Housing Needed

Housing is needed for a single mom and three children. If you are willing to host, or have a lead on an inexpensive apartment, call or email the Deacon coordinator (deaconcrd@newlifeglenside.com) or call Diane Marsh (267-664-5532).

Facility Staff on Duty Today: Ed Spector

Please speak with him if you know of any facility issues this morning.

Today at New Life

Welcome to New Life. We are a community of those who follow Jesus and, like millions of other followers, we gather on the first day of the week every week to worship our risen Savior and King. We are so pleased you are with us today and hope you will join us again. **If you're new to New Life**, please sign the welcome pad when it is passed in your row, and provide some contact information so we can begin to get acquainted in the days ahead. We want to make it easy for you to find your way in our community, and to be part of smaller groups in the life of the church. Some of what goes on here is listed in this bulletin, and more information can be found at our information desk in the downstairs lobby and on our website: www.newlifeglenside.com. We hope you feel very welcome here.

BabyLife Nursery for infants and toddlers (ground floor, Room B06) is available during both services.

Communion Today

During both worship services today we will celebrate the Lord's Supper as a family. Gluten-free crackers are available during Communion for those with a gluten sensitivity. While the Elders distribute the bread to the congregation, the pastor will stand to the left of the stage with the tray of gluten-free crackers. Please come to the front left side at that point and he will serve you.

Prayers for Those Unable to Receive Communion

A prayer of persons searching for truth:

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and leads to the life you promise. Amen.

Prayer of belief:

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

AdultEd

9:00am

🎵 "O come let us adore Him" - Answering the Call to (Corporate) Worship

Sundays Jan. 7—Feb. 25, Library (lecture side) | Bruce Johnson

Jesus calls us to worship the Father "in Spirit and in Truth." But how is that possible and what does it look like? Join us in exploring how God's Word shapes our times of worship and how worship shapes *us*. Today's Class—Speaking the TRUTH in Worship ("Confession")
Next Sunday—Sharing the Song of Salvation

10:45am

Reading an Old Testament Story: Joseph

Sundays Jan. 7—Feb. 25, Library (lecture side) | Marc Davis and Libbie Groves

The Old Testament is full of historical narratives; but how do we read them today, devotionally, as a way of listening to God's voice? We will use the history of Joseph in Genesis 37—50 as a step into this kind of reading.

KidsLife Sunday School

9:00am Service - Elementary-aged children meet for worship in Room 111 at the start of the service. Please pick up your children at the end of the service.

10:45am Service - Your elementary-aged children will worship with you in the sanctuary. There will be a slide on the screen telling you when children are dismissed to Room 111.

KidsLife Preschool, 9am: Bumble Bees (ages 2 & young 3) - Room B10 (ground floor)
Grasshoppers (older 3, 4 & 5) - Room B11 (ground floor)

KidsLife Preschool, 10:45am: Bumble Bees (ages 2 & young 3) - Room B10 (ground floor)
Grasshoppers (older 3, 4 & 5) - Room B11 (ground floor)

KidsLife Elementary, 9am: Kindergarten/1st/2nd - Room 109/110 (1st floor)
3rd/4th/5th grades - Room 111 (1st floor)

KidsLife Elementary, 10:45am: K/1st/2nd grades - Room 109/110 (1st floor)
3rd/4th grades - Room 111 (1st floor) (5th graders are welcome but are encouraged to attend the service.)

CollegeLife—9:00am, Room 108

College Life has unique challenges and opportunities, and we want to help wherever we can. Various topics. Led by Phil Monroe. philip.g.monroe@gmail.com

StudentLife - 9:00am

Sunday School: Sr. High (no class today due to the retreat); Jr. High (grades 6th-8th – 2nd Fl.)

Congregational Life

Spaghetti Luncheon—Today, 12:30pm

Join us in the Fellowship Hall after the second service for a delicious spaghetti and meatball lunch prepared by our KidsLife team. Funds raised will be used to support our KidsLife Clubs camping trips. Cost: \$5/person; \$25 maximum/family. Gluten-free pasta and meatballs will be available.

All-Church Prayer Meeting—Tonight, 7:00-8:30pm

Let's gather together in the Fellowship Hall to seek the Lord's presence and blessing on our church, community, and world. Christ's kingdom moves forward as his people pray!

The Week Ahead

Monday, 2/12

8:00am: Justice Prayer Meeting
7:00pm: Food Cupboard
7:30pm: New Creations Meeting

Tuesday, 2/13

No Tuesday Morning Fellowship
10:30am: Staff Meeting
6:15pm: Food Cupboard
7:00pm: ESL Classes
7:00pm: The Life Course
7:00pm: No Distinctions Group Meeting

Wednesday, 2/14

9:30am: Women's Bible Study
7:00pm: Women's Bible Study
7:00pm: KidsLife Clubs

Thursday, 2/15

1:00pm: Food Cupboard
6:30pm: Women's Discipleship Groups
7:00pm: ESL Classes
7:00pm: Knot Just Knitters

Highlights

Building Renovations

As announced last Sunday the Elders have approved moving forward with a significant repair, upgrade and expansion of our building. If you have questions or want clarification, please contact one of the people on the Planning Committee: Clint Files, Scott Dirksen, Mark Moser, Bob Lyon, Ken Wilson, or Greg Raysor. For a recap of the announcement go to: http://digioh.com/em/6641/150529/z86t3qap3e?demail=*|EMAIL|*

Pursuing Deeper Racial Unity—Seminar at Arcadia University, Thursday, Feb. 15, 7:30pm

All are welcome to come to this special event sponsored by the Arcadia Christian Fellowship. Michael Thornhill, Director of Cross-Cultural Ministry for CCO Campus Ministry, will be leading us through the discipline of lament and a night of worship as we cry out to God and turn toward Jesus in hope. "Cross-cultural ministry is important to me because all of Scripture is cross cultural," says Michael. "Since Adam and Eve in Genesis, the Bible gives us innumerable, archived accounts of cross-cultural experiences for us to learn from. I want to cultivate a community of wounded healers, teaching learners, and authentic believers who seek to work for unity in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ." Join us in Arcadia's Castle Dining Room. Questions? Contact Devon Bradford at dbradford@newlifeglenside.com.

Friday, 2/16

6:00am: Men's Prayer Meeting
5:30pm: Sr. High Feed the Homeless and Game Night
6:30pm: Jr. High Night
7:00pm: Date Night

Saturday, 2/17

6:30am: Men's Ministry
7:00am: Women's Prayer

Sunday, 2/18

7:50am: Prayer Meeting
9:00am: Worship Service; Sunday School
10:45am: Worship Service; Sunday School
5:30pm: Youth Easton & TPP Mission Trips Meeting
7:00pm: Sr. High D-Groups

Coming Soon

BabyLife Nursery—Help Needed

We are growing! BabyLife is bursting at the seams during our 10:45am Sunday service. We need a few new volunteers to help care for our littlest ones. Please consider coming on board and helping 2x's a month. Senior High students welcome! Adults 18 years or older will need to obtain clearances. Contact Amy Lewis with interest!
alewis@newlifeglenside.com

No Distinction Group for Racial Reconciliation—Tuesday, February 13, 7:00pm

Meetings are on the second Tuesday of each month at Jim and Robin Ingalls' home. Contact Robin for more info. Join us as we discern, pray and begin to implement together Galatians 3:26-29 so that we best express the love of Jesus to all ethnic and minority groups here and in our broader community.

Trivia Night with Timmy D—Saturday, February 24, 6:00-8:30pm

Gather your team (6-10 people), pick a team theme, and bring food and drink for your team to share. No team? No problem. We will put together a team for you. Please sign up in advance (see today's bulletin insert) on Sundays, Feb. 11 or 18. Volunteers are needed for set up and clean up. Questions? Want to volunteer to help? Please contact Nancy Bower at nbower@newlifeglenside.com. Cost: \$5/person in advance, \$10/person at the door. Childcare will be provided as a fundraiser for our Youth Missions Team.

GriefShare—Begins Thursday, March 1 at New Life Dresher, 7:00-9:00pm

If you or someone you know has lost a loved one to death, the journey of grief can be very painful, one you need not travel alone. GriefShare is a 13-week grief support group. The weekly sessions include a video presentation about the grief process, small group discussion, and a workbook for use with the video and personal study. Pre-registration is required and there is a one-time fee of \$15.00 for the workbook. For more information or to register, please contact Maureen Joos at 215-280-1703 or mgjoos@gmail.com.

Save the Date! Annual New Life Women's Weekend—May 4-6

Sing a New Song: Encountering God in the Psalms

Plan now to join your New Life sisters for a weekend away at Harvey Cedars Bible Conference. Based on her recently-released book, *Sing a New Song: A Woman's Guide to the Psalms*, speaker Lydia Brownback will guide us through several Psalms, helping us to see the amazing things God reveals about himself in each one. Lydia is the author of several books and speaks at women's conferences worldwide. She previously served as writer in residence for Alistair Begg and was producer of *The Bible Study Hour* radio program with James Montgomery Boice. Brochures are available in the Lower Lobby and outside the Office.

Can you host one or two Chinese pastors in May?

In 2017 Pastors Mark Moser and Dave White and Elder Jim Spaulding visited Shanghai, at the invitation of Ray Zheng and Vincent Lin. This May, 15 Chinese pastors come our way! The visiting pastors will be here May 14-24, 2018. Would you be willing to host one or two Chinese pastors? This will most likely be 10-11 nights, and your responsibilities are likely to include a daily breakfast and a few evening dinners. Lunches and most dinners will be provided elsewhere, as will transportation. Some of the pastors will not be able to speak English, and we will be creating plans to aid them and the host family in communication. We really need a number of New Life homes to participate! Please prayerfully consider. If interested, contact Pastor Mark Moser. mmoser@newlifeglenside.com

Winter Weather Advisory

During the winter months, if on a given Sunday it is snowing or the conditions are extremely icy, and you're wondering if New Life church services will be cancelled, postponed or combined into one service, we will alert you in the following four ways:

1. We will post a Weather Advisory button on the right-hand side of the New Life website homepage, with an explanation regarding the Sunday Services.
2. You will be emailed information about the change in Sunday Services.
3. We will leave a message on the church's voicemail.
4. You will be texted if you gave the church permission to do so last winter. If you would like to be added to the text list, contact Greg Raysor at graysor@newlifeglenside.com.

All four alerts will be posted by 8am. If we have not posted any of these alerts, assume that Sunday Services will be held at the normal times.