



DECEMBER 9, 2015

TRUST IN THE PROMISE

Advent means waiting. My Depression-era parents focused far more on needs than they did desires. For them, money was for necessities, not luxuries. So I couldn't believe it when Dad took me with him to Kramer Electric and bought a second television! It was a black and white, 19 inch Westinghouse portable with rabbit ears and a rolling chrome stand! In the mid 60's, it was the epitome of luxury. And it was **Instant On**. No more would we wait several minutes for a dim picture to swell into full brightness. The picture on this TV was at its peak in seconds...as long as Dad didn't unplug it because the **Instant On** feature used up too much electricity! Waiting... taking a number...queuing up are all major challenges for us in our **Instant On** culture. Early one morning a few weeks ago I ordered an item from **Amazon.com**. My purchase arrived that same afternoon. I was amazed...and thrilled. Yet some things take time. There are some things for which we must wait. So it is with the promise of God's love and justice, with God's healing and peace. These things come according to God's time, not ours. So we must wait. But this waiting for God's advent isn't a passive impatience of sitting on our hands. It's the active process of preparing for God's coming by doing the work of love and justice, of healing and peace...knowing full well that our work will never be done until God brings these gifts to completion. So we wait: actively, faithfully, persistently. **Yes, Advent means waiting.**

Advent means anticipation. In his timeless song **Greyhound**, Harry Chapin's timeless words are these: **It's the goin', not the gettin' there, that's good.** Anticipation means trusting that God will fulfill the promise of love in our humanity, and that trusting the promise is enough. **The Serenity Prayer** is universally known and widely

used by 12 step groups. Written originally by UCC theologian Reinhold Niebuhr, our popular version alters Niebuhr's original words. And it leaves out the last two thirds of the prayer! Here is that two thirds:

*Living one day at a time,
enjoying one moment at a time,
accepting hardship as a pathway to peace,
taking, as Jesus did, this sinful world as it
is, not as I would have it,
trusting that You will make all things right
if I surrender to Your will,
so that I may be reasonably
happy in this life,
and supremely happy with
You forever in the next.*

Yes, anticipation **is trusting that God will make all things right if we surrender to God's will.** And that is enough. We don't have to experience the full reality of God's promise. We simply have to surrender to God's will and trust that the promise will be fulfilled. **Yes, Advent means anticipation.**

And advent means persistence. Love must be shared, every day. Justice must be advocated for, and done, every day. Mercy must be our consistent response to malevolence, every day. And doing these things must always be about excelling in the privilege, not resenting our obligation. When I first arrived at Union Church in Green Bay I was thrust into the role of co-officiating a wedding. My pastoral partner in this matrimonial task was another UCC minister. He sent me a copy of his wedding ceremony. As I read it, I quickly found a mistake. The last phrase of the vows read like this: **...as long as we both shall love (not ...as long as we both shall live).** I called him and told him about the mistake. "It's no mistake," he said. "We can't expect people to promise

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WORSHIP SERVICES

DECEMBER 13, 2015

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT: Joy

10:00 a.m.

Scripture:
Philippians 4:4-7
Luke 3:1-18

Sermon:
Rev. Dr. Chuck Mize
Turn Around, Look at Me!

DECEMBER 20, 2015

FOUR SUNDAY OF ADVENT: MARY
10:00 a.m.

Scripture:
Luke 1:26-38, 46-55

Sermon:
Rev. Dr. Chuck Mize
Magnifying the Lord

DECEMBER 24, 2015

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

3:00 PM Christmas Eve Worship for All Ages, Intergenerational and Primary Choirs, and Jazz.

5:30 PM A Reflective Christmas Eve Worship, Carols, Communion and Candlelight. Music by The Pilgrim Wind Ensemble.

9:00 PM Candlelight Christmas Eve Worship, Carols, Candlelight. Music by The Chancel Choir.

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anything for a lifetime anymore!" Yet God's promise to us is for forever. God never gives up on us. God never lets us go. Indeed, God is the definition of persistence. **Yes, Advent means persistence.**

In a few days we will again celebrate Christmas...the day God gave Creation the perfect and most precious gift. Christ is born in Bethlehem! Yet, if we **Trust in the Promise**, Christmas will always be Advent...Christmas will always be **waiting, anticipation and persistence**. Christmas will always be rejoicing at Jesus' birth even as we expect the coming of Christ and His kingdom of life and peace for all peoples.

So, this Christmas, don't let go of Advent! Keep waiting. Keep anticipating. Keep on keeping on! Trust in God's promise of life and love, of healing and hope. And discover the joy of supporting Glenview Community Church in its patient, persistent, promise-filled Message, Ministries and Mission that make Christ real and do Christ's work in our world today. See you in church!

Chuck Mize

CHRISTMAS EVE AT GCC

Because of shifting attendance patterns, we are experimenting with the time of our late Christmas Eve Service this year. Many churches (including GCC) have experienced a decline in attendance at the 11:00 p.m. services. In response to this trend, we are moving the late service up by two hours, to 9:00 p.m. We are trying this earlier hour this year to see if it is a better time for more people. We will also offer our 3:00 p.m. intergenerational service and our 5:30 p.m. service with communion. Thank you for your patience and understanding! If you'd like to discuss this change, please feel free to contact me at 847-724-2210, x 222.

Chuck Mize

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5:30 PM A Reflective Christmas Eve Worship, Carols, Communion and Candle light. Music by The Pilgrim Wind Ensemble.

9:00 PM Candlelight Christmas Eve Worship, Carols, Candlelight. Music by The Chancel Choir.

Trust in the Promise

STEWARDSHIP 2016: TRUST IN THE PROMISE

Last Sunday **GCC celebrated its most beloved and enduring tradition**. The children, youth and adults of the church presented **The Nativity**, the 64th annual version of our Christmas Pageant. Starring roles were taken by high schoolers who portrayed the Virgin Mary (Sitting and Dancing), Joseph, the Angel Gabriel, the Three Kings, Roman soldiers, Walking (White) and Tableau (Blue) angels. Younger children performed the roles of shepherds, the centurion, the inn keeper, the stable owner, the page, the Zum Galis, and children of many nations. Choirs, soloists, instrumentalists, our music staff, sound people, lighting technicians, makeup artists and untold numbers of volunteers played their parts in sharing with the congregation and community what has become for many of us **the official beginning of the Christmas season**. Dr. Mize appeared as the Ancient Shepherd who foretold the coming of the Messiah. And CJ Sultz had a successful debut as our new Pageant Director.

Another tradition we celebrate at Glenview Community Church is one of welcome, generosity, caring and love for those in our church family, our community and even those in the wider world who are unknown to us, but whose needs we know very well. During this **Advent season of hope**, peace, joy and love, as we prepare to open our hearts to receive God's gift of the Christ child, we are reminded of **God's promise of a future with hope for all God's people**.

One of the ways we can share God's promise is by committing our resources to sustain and grow the **Message, Ministries and Mission** of Glenview Community Church. Our target for 2016 is \$1.2 million. **We need the commitment of everyone in our church community to make our stretch goal become reality**. If your pledge is in, **THANK YOU!** If not, **please prayerfully consider how you can share God's grace-filled promise, "For lo, I am with you always."** Be grateful. Be generous. **Do it TODAY!**

Advent Blessings from Your Stewardship Board

YOU ARE INVITED!

You are invited to attend a presentation to discuss the needs, future plans, and proposed capital campaign for the Message, Ministries and Mission of the Glenview Community Church. At these small gatherings you will see how the 20 Patterns, problems/solutions, presented to the congregation by **The Kubala Washatko Architects (TKWA)** on August 30, are evolving into a master plan. Each presentation will last about an hour where remarks and discussion will be informal. No financial commitments or gifts will be asked for at these meetings. Child care will be provided.

The Awareness / Education meetings will be held on:

1. **Sunday, December 13, 2015 at 11:15 a.m. in the Chapel**
2. **Sunday, January 3, 2016 at 11:15 a.m. in the Chapel**
3. **Sunday, January 10, 2016 at 11:15 a.m. in the Chapel**

Please RSVP to Susan Woodsome at 847-724-2210, ext. #225 or susan.woodsomes@gcucc.org to indicate which Awareness / Education meeting you will be attending. We look forward to your involvement in this exciting process!

The Capital Task Force

MUSIC AND MOVEMENT CLASSES – WINTER 2016

Are you looking for something for your younger child/children to do while the older child/children are in preschool, then then Music and Movement classes are for you. This is also a class where both your younger children can attend together no matter what their ages.

Our very own GCCNS music teacher, Debbie Berg, is offering Music and Movement classes beginning the week of January 4 for children ages 9 months – 4 years. Classes are offered on Tuesdays 9:15-10:00, 10:15-11:00 and Wednesdays 9:15-10:00, 10:15-11:00, and 11:15-12:00. Classes are mixed ages. Parents or caregivers are required to stay with the child/children. The winter session will last 10 weeks and end the week of March 22.

Registration forms can be found on the GCCNS website. Non GCC families are welcome as well, so share the information with your friends from play-groups, library story time, or neighbors. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Berg at debbieberg23@gmail.com.

LEGO AND GAME DRIVE TO BENEFIT ONWARD HOUSE IN JANUARY!

As you clean out the clutter after the holidays or are out shopping for some holiday deals, please consider supporting the GCC Women's Association Chapter 10 Lego and children's games drive in January to benefit the school-aged children's program at Onward House. Onward House serves lower income families and individuals in the community of Belmont Cragin, a neighborhood in west Chicago. The school-aged program specifically offers after school programs to children ages 5 through 12 to foster independence and to further enhance their academic potential. They are looking for new or gently used Lego sets and other age-appropriate games such as Monopoly, Headbanz, Connect 4, etc. Look for collection boxes, which will be out during the month of January. Please contact Tara Call at tarablinn@yahoo.com or Karen Monckton at karenmonckton@gmail.com with any questions.



LET'S MEET UP

First Thursdays: calling all adults 21 to 91+! Come out to Grandpa's on the first Thursday of each month to socialize and meet new people from GCC! Starts at 8:00 p.m. - look for our new sign! Whether you're 21, 41, 61 or 91+, you're sure to find someone to connect with! We hope to see you on **January 7, 2016**. Sponsored by the Fellowship Board.

HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT THE NEW CONSTRUCTIVE CONVERSATIONS MINISTRY?

What is it? A confidential process where members of the congregation can ask for help to resolve issues with one another.

Do we have a problem at GCC with conflict? If not, why do we need this ministry? Thankfully, this ministry was not created in response to a specific problem – GCC is a great place to be and we want to keep it that way! Think of this ministry as a tool to help maintain and strengthen the health of our community, like an inoculation you receive to prevent getting sick.

How does it work? Anyone can take advantage of this completely confidential process by contacting a member of the Constructive Conversations Ministry team (Cathy Ach, Leanne Drennan, Debby Fosdick, Kelly Golding, Gretchen Grad, Mary Ellen Johnson, Reverend Chuck Mize, Brad Smith, or C.J. Sultz) to get the tools to try to resolve the issue on their own or take advantage of a trained church facilitator for assistance.

What if I have questions? The Constructive Conversations Ministry team is available to address any questions, concerns, comments, etc., so please do not hesitate to reach out to any of them.

HANDS OF PEACE

Hands of Peace is excited to announce that applications for our Summer 2016 program are now available online. Applications are due by February 7, 2016. Our summer program dates are July 13 - August 1, 2016.

To learn more about being a HOP participant, an XL, or being a HOP host family, please visit the Hands of Peace website at www.handsofpeace.org

Please share this information with all your friends and family - everyone that is interested is encouraged to apply! HOP staff is already hard at work to make sure that another amazing summer program shapes the lives of our participants in miraculous ways. We look forward to seeing you all this summer!



SHARE THE GIFT OF LEARNING

Many adults need help with basic English reading, writing or speaking skills. Share the gift of learning! Call Oakton Community College at 847-635-1426. Required four-part training dates: January 7 and 12, 2016 and February 6 and 20, 2016.



FAIR TRADE PRODUCTS!

Looking for that perfect gift? Stop by our table December 13th during Fellowship to purchase Fair Trade Products! It will be the gift that gives again! With each purchase you will take home a gift from us as our way of saying THANK YOU! One person can make a difference!

STEPS ALONG THE SACRED JOURNEY ON RACE

The Faith In Action Team (FIAT) invites the congregation to join their **Sacred Journey On Race**. The following are opportunities to learn about, talk about, and do something about racism in our society.

JANUARY 18, 2016, 9:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.
Martin Luther King Day Faith in Action Assembly. Location to be announced.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Regular confirmation classes will be on December 13 and 20. Christmas break is December 27 and January 3. Confirmation classes will resume in 2016 on January 10.

PYF ON SUNDAYS

Each Sunday PYF meets in the Youth Room from 4:00 -6:00 p.m. to gather, learn, and grow together. This year's theme is **Narrate**. We will look at different ways stories are narrated each week in addition to the below activities.

DECEMBER 13

Christmas Candle Making! Bring an empty soup can. We will have some extras.

DECEMBER 20

Grab bag gift exchange. Please bring a wrapped gift to PYF. (\$15 or less)

JANUARY 3

PYF cooks and eats together.

JANUARY 10

Service Learning ... What's Next?

JANUARY 17

Final exam stress break - prayer vigil and junk food potluck.

JANUARY 31

Extreme Relays

PYF ON WEDNESDAYS (POW)

POW meets each Wednesday from 5:30-7:30 to work on service projects and learn about the movers and shakers of the Bible. Dinner is provided.



Please visit the **MISSION TREE** in the Narthex from December 1 thru December 14 and drop off your donations of new, adult sized cold weather items-gloves, hats, headbands, socks, etc. These items will be distributed through The Night Ministry, a long-time GCC partner agency. Also, please use the **MISSION TREE** as a drop point for **FOOD ON THE FIRST** donations in December. We will be collecting food until December 14 in an effort to stock the shelves of the pantry at San Lucas

UCC during this time of great need. When you make a donation, take a hand-made card or ornament (provided by Tom and Rosalie Amos) from the tree to display on your own tree as a reminder of your support.

BRING A TOUCH OF HOLIDAY CHEER TO OTHERS!

Volunteers are needed to help deliver Poinsettias after Christmas. This delivery is a wonderful way you can reach out to church members and friends who are ill or home-bound. It takes a little of your time, but means so much to those receiving the plant. You may pick up the poinsettia for delivery after the 9:00 p.m. service on Christmas Eve or the 10:00 a.m. service on December 27. If you are interested in helping or have any questions, please contact Sarah Koloms by email at koloms5@comcast.net. Thank you in advance for your service!!



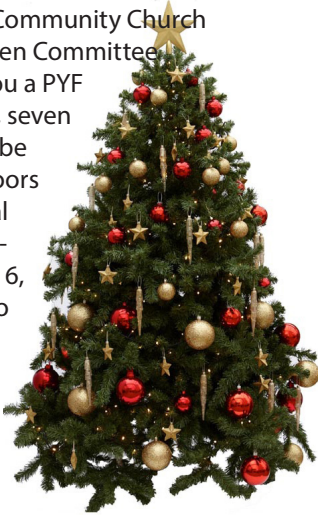
A Toy-ful Celebration



Bring your family to the **22nd Annual Toy-ful Celebration** concert at the Glenview Community Church on Saturday, December 19 at 7:00 p.m. Join the Chancel Choir, directed by Guillermo Muñoz Küster, and the Glenview Concert Band, under the direction of Greg Wojcik, for a festive evening of holiday music and fun. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.; Christmas carol sing along 6:45. This concert benefits the U.S. Marine Corps Reserves Toys for Tots program. The concert is free, but please bring an **unwrapped new toy** (or toys) to donate to the Marines to help make some child's Christmas morning a little brighter. Visit www.gccmusic.org or call the church office at 847-724-2210 for further details.

MEMORIAL GARDEN CHRISTMAS TREE

The Glenview Community Church Memorial Garden Committee again brings you a PYF Christmas Tree, seven feet tall. It will be standing outdoors in the Memorial Garden on Sunday, December 6, ready for you to use to remember someone you love, or several someones you love. The choice of ornament(s) is up to you; just bring your own "hanging device(s)". After the month of December, it will be removed, so please remove ornaments not later than January 4, 2016. Brought to you with love,



GCC Memorial Garden Committee

60 PLUS CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS!

Join other Seniors as we celebrate Christmas on Tuesday, December 15 from Noon-1:30 p.m. with lunch and program. Please RSVP to Rev. Dale Susan Edmonds, Congregational Care, at 847-724-2210, Ext. 230.

2015 YEAR END GIVING REMINDER

This is a reminder that in order for your year-end pledge gifts or donations to be reported as a 2015 charitable contribution, it must be received in the office by 12/31/2015 if delivered personally. If you are mailing your gift it must be postmarked by 12/31/2015 in order to be recorded as a 2015 gift. Any gifts received on or after 1/1/2016 must be recorded as a 2016 charitable contribution according to IRS tax code.

GCC BUILDING & OFFICE

The office and building will be closed on Monday, December 28 and will reopen on Tuesday, December 29.

KEEPING WATCH IN THE NIGHT

shepherds
keeping watch in the night,
close to the grassy slopes,
at home in the darkness,
a listening presence
in the midnight emptiness

shepherds
keeping watch in the night,
terrified by a voice not heard before,
not supposed to be there

shepherds
keeping watch in the night,
alarmed by powerful light,
up-ending their security
but they did not run away

*they stayed in the dark and listened,
stretched their ears to the unknown voice*

*and the voice said:
"do not be afraid.
stay in this dark place
and listen.*

*I have wonderful news:
the Hoped-for-One,
the Birthing you've longed for
in the depths of your soul,
has come, oh yes, has come...*

Joyce Rupp

THE KING'S JOURNEY

Please join us on January 10, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. for The Kings Journey. An original two-act opera with music by Bobbie McKay and Lyrics by Lew Musil and Bobbie McKay. Opera will feature GCC soloists. All are welcome!

YOGA WINTER SESSIONS



3 CLASSES:

Monday evenings, January 4, 11, 18,
7-8 p.m. in Room 201

Thursday mornings, January 7, 14, 21,
9-10 a.m. in the Narthex

Dress in comfortable clothes and bring a yoga mat.

To register, contact Kelly Golding by December 28
847-657-1314 kellygolding@comcast.net

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE!

At its October meeting, the Spiritual Council approved a statement concerning the campus of Glenview Community Church that brings several previously existing policies together in one statement. The only change in the long-standing policies extends the tobacco and tobacco product free zone from the building to the campus. The purpose of the statement is to protect the health and well-being of each person who visits our campus.

Glenview Community Church is a Christian community of acceptance and welcome for all God's people. Because we strive to make our campus (buildings and grounds) a place of sanctuary and safety for each person who comes here, our campus is:

Tobacco and tobacco product free

Alcohol, recreational drug and substance free

Weapon free including guns, rifles, knives, explosive devices and look-alikes.

Thank you for helping us to make the campus of Glenview Community Church a place of sanctuary and safety for all God's people.

BROADCASTER DEADLINES AND PUBLICATIONS 2016

DEADLINE DATE	PUBLICATION DATE	SPECIAL INSERT	ENVELOPE DATE
January 6	January 13		
January 20	January 27		
February 3	February 10	Lenten Calendar	
February 17	February 24		
March 2	March 9		One Great Hour of Sharing
March 16	March 23		
April 6	April 13		
April 20	April 27		
May 4	May 11		
May 18	May 25		
June 1	June 8		
July 6	July 13		
August 24	August 31		
September 7	September 14		Neighbors In Need
September 21	September 28		
October 5	October 12		
October 19	October 26		
November 2	November 9		
November 16	November 23		Thanksgiving
December 7	December 14		Christmas

BROADCASTER DEADLINES & GUIDELINES

Please submit your articles by 9:00 a.m. , Wednesday one week prior to the publication date to Tania McCarthy tania.mccarthy@gccucc.org.

Keep articles brief to 80 words - no all caps - no centering - no underlining. Your article will run one publication, unless dictated by the church bylaws for church business.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT GCC

Event Time Event Name Primary Location

Thursday, 10 December 2015

8:30 AM to 10:30 AM	Yoga Classes	Narthex
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	BSA 156 - Court of Honor	Mayflower
7:30 PM to 9:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, 11 December 2015

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM	Pickleball	Gym
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	Cub Scout Arrow of Light	Mayflower
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	GCC Adult Volleyball	Gym
8:00 PM to 9:00 PM	AA MEETING	Parlor
8:00 PM to 9:00 PM	AL-ANON	Library

Saturday, 12 December 2015

8:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Mens Open Gym	Gym
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room

Sunday, 13 December 2015

8:00 AM to 9:30 AM	Stewardship Board Meeting	Founders
8:30 AM to 10:00 AM	Confirmation Classes	Plymouth Room
9:15 AM to 9:45 AM	Primary Choir Rehearsal	Room 201
10:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Church School Children Meet in Sanctuary	SanctuaryM
10:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Glenview Community Church Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 AM to 11:30 AM	Fellowship and Refreshments	Mayflower
11:15 AM to 12:15 PM	Awareness & Education Informational Presentation	Chapel
11:15 AM to 12:30 PM	Leadership Committee Meeting	Parlor
11:16 AM to 12:30 PM	Family Fun and Pizza	Mayflower Room A
11:30 AM to 12:30 PM	Joyful Ringers Rehearsal	Bell Room
4:00 PM to 6:00 PM	PYF	Youth Room
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM	Voices/Intergenerational Choir	Room 201

Monday, 14 December 2015

9:30 AM to 11:00 AM	Spirit Group	Library
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM	Patrol Leader Meetings	Founders
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM	Yoga Classes	Room 201
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	Finance Board Meeting	Room 210
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	HOP Meeting	Room 32
7:00 PM to 9:30 PM	Spiritual Council Meeting	Mayflower

Tuesday, 15 December 2015

9:15 AM to 10:00 AM	Music and Movement	Cradle/Toddler Room
10:15 AM to 11:00 AM	Music and Movement	Cradle/Toddler Room
12:00 PM to 1:30 PM	60 Plus Luncheon	Mayflower

Wednesday, 16 December 2015

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
9:15 AM to 10:00 AM	Music and Movement	Cradle/Toddler Room
10:15 AM to 11:00 AM	Music and Movement	Cradle/Toddler Room
11:00 AM to 11:45 AM	Music and Movement	Cradle/Toddler Room
3:00 PM to 4:30 PM	Bible Study	Parlor
4:00 PM to 5:15 PM	FISH	Mayflower
5:30 PM to 8:00 PM	POW / 87 Club	Mayflower
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	HOP Meeting	Founders

Thursday, 17 December 2015

8:30 AM to 10:30 AM	Yoga Classes	Narthex
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	BSA 156 Meetings	Mayflower
7:30 PM to 9:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, 18 December 2015

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM	Pickleball	Gym
8:00 PM to 9:00 PM	AA MEETING	Parlor
8:00 PM to 9:00 PM	AL-ANON	Library

Saturday, 19 December 2015

8:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Mens Open Gym	Gym
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	Toys for Tots Concert	Sanctuary

Sunday, 20 December 2015

8:30 AM to 10:00 AM	Confirmation Classes	Plymouth Room
10:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Church School Children Meet in Sanctuary	SanctuaryM
10:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Glenview Community Church Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Fellowship and Refreshments	Mayflower

Event Time Event Name Primary Location

11:15 AM to 12:15 PM	Membership Board Meeting	Parlor
11:30 AM to 12:30 PM	Joyful Ringers Rehearsal	Bell Room
4:00 PM to 6:00 PM	PYF	Youth Room

Monday, 21 December 2015

6:30 PM to 8:00 PM	Cub Scouts	Gym
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Thursday, 24 December 2015

3:00 PM to 4:00 PM	Glenview Community Church Christmas Eve Service	Sanctuary
5:30 PM to 6:30 PM	Glenview Community Church Christmas Eve Service	Sanctuary
9:00 PM to 10:00 PM	Glenview Community Church Christmas Eve Service	Sanctuary

Friday, 25 December 2015

8:00 AM to 9:00 PM	Church Closed - Merry Christmas!	Sanctuary
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Saturday, 26 December 2015

8:00 AM to 8:30 PM	Church Closed - Christmas Holiday	Sanctuary
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Sunday, 27 December 2015

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Glenview Community Church Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Fellowship and Refreshments	Mayflower

Monday, 28 December 2015

8:00 AM to 9:00 PM	Church Closed - Merry Christmas!	Sanctuary
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Friday, 01 January 2016

8:00 AM to 9:00 PM	Church Closed - Happy New Year!	Sanctuary
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Saturday, 02 January 2016

8:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Mens Open Gym	Gym
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Sunday, 03 January 2016

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM	Glenview Community Church Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Fellowship and Refreshments	Mayflower
11:15 AM to 12:15 PM	Awareness & Education Informational Presentation	Chapel
4:00 PM to 6:00 PM	PYF	Youth Room

Monday, 04 January 2016

12:00 PM to 1:30 PM	Called to Care	Founders
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	BSA 156 Committee Mtgs	Founders
7:30 PM to 8:30 PM	Childrens Board Meeting	Youth Room

Wednesday, 06 January 2016

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM	GCCNS Board Meetings	Parlor
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
3:00 PM to 4:30 PM	Bible Study	Parlor
4:00 PM to 5:15 PM	FISH	Mayflower
5:30 PM to 6:45 PM	GCC Community Dinner	Mayflower
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM	Faith In Action/Adult Ed	Chapel

Thursday, 07 January 2016

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	BSA 156 Meetings	Mayflower
7:30 PM to 9:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, 08 January 2016

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM	Pickleball	Gym
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	GCC Adult Volleyball	Gym
8:00 PM to 9:00 PM	AA MEETING	Parlor
8:00 PM to 9:00 PM	AL-ANON	Library

Saturday, 09 January 2016

8:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Mens Open Gym	Gym
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Resale Shop Open	Plymouth Room

Sunday, 10 January 2016

8:00 AM to 9:30 AM	Stewardship Board Meeting	Founders
8:30 AM to 10:00 AM	Confirmation Classes	Plymouth Room
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11:30 AM to 12:30 PM	Joyful Ringers Rehearsal	Bell Room
4:00 PM to 6:00 PM	PYF	Youth Room
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM	Voices of GCC	Room 201
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	A King's Journey - An Opera in Two Acts	Sanctuary

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PONDERING IN SILENCE...



Ring the bells that still can ring,
Forget your perfect offering.
There is a crack in everything.
That's how the light gets in.

----*Leonard Cohen*