

Worship & Study Today

LIFECENTER – 8:30 A.M.

Praise & Worship (Contemporary) Mosaic

From the Word Pastor Gary Venden

Isaiah 8-9: "Waiting for the Dawn"

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES – 10:00 A.M.

Adult Lesson QuarterlySanctuary Front Right & Left
and Room A

Visitors' Class (Kevin Marti).....Sanctuary Rear

"Foundations" (Pastor Gary Venden)Side Room C

LiFExperiment (Young Adults)Sanctuary Front Left

Choir (TLC) Class (Lesson Quarterly)Choir Room

"Life Matters"Chapel

EN ESPANOL – 9:00 A.M.

Lecciones para adultosSalón #1

SANCTUARY WORSHIP – 11:15 A.M.

Welcome to Worship Marilynn Venden

Lamb's Offering & Announcements

*Giving & Thanksgiving Susan Robbins

Invitation to Praise Marilynn Venden

Invitation to Prayer Screen

Prayer Susan Robbins

Response Screen

From the Word Pastor Gary Venden

Isaiah 8-9: "Waiting for the Dawn"

Closing Blessing *The Lord Bless You & Keep You*

**Glendale Church Budget; all unmarked offering goes to Glendale Church Budget*

CHAPEL WORSHIP – 11:15 A.M.

Casual – Contemporary – Praise & Worship

Parents: Check out "Quiet Bags" for your children ages 2-5 and 6-9 at the Lobby counter before the 8:30 and 11:15 Worship Services. Please return bags immediately following the service.

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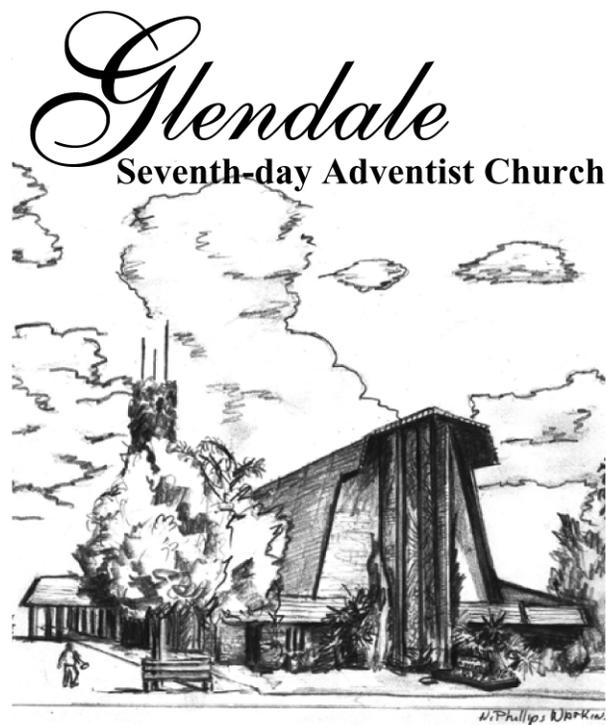
MINISTRY SERVICES

- Helping Hands (members helping members):
Susan Robbins623-435-1044
- Music Ministry (adult, kid's, & bell choirs):
Dennis Marsollier623-322-9546
- Children's Ministry: Delrose Egwu623-846-3896
- Adventurers / Eager Beavers / Little Lambs / Baby Birds
(club for kids, ages 2-9): Ugonna Woods602-793-1704
- Pathfinders (club for kids, ages 10-16):
Michael Surovec623-792-8073
- The LiFExperiment (Young Adults):
John-Mark & Alison Steubing623-583-1071
- Chapel Ministry: Junior & Lynette Garcia602-687-3527
- Men's Ministry: Mario Manzo623-249-9140
- Women's Ministry: Annie Leon Guerrero623-707-3412
- Youth Ministry: Daniel Medina602-526-7325

ON DUTY TODAY

- Elder in Charge*: Susan Robbins602-989-2010
- Deacon Team Leaders: King Moore & Francisco Gonzalez
- LiFcenter Praise & Worship Team:
Marilynn Venden & Mosaic
- Sanctuary Praise & Worship Leader: Marilynn Venden
- Chapel Praise & Worship Team: Risen

**Elder on call December 21-27, 2013*



*"The Place of
Grace & Truth"*

December 21, 2013

WELCOME! We're glad you decided to join us for one or more of our services today.

Classes for the entire family begin at 10:00; *clase en español para adultos comienza a las 9:00*. Ushers will direct you to the appropriate locations.

As a courtesy to others, please turn all pagers and/or phones off or to silent mode during services.

SERVICIOS EN ESPANOL – La Escuela Sabática comienza a las 9:00 a.m. en el salón #1 y termine a las 11:05. Tenemos radios de traducción para el servicio de 11:15 a.m. Los puede recoger en la mesa de la entrada. Para más información sobre otros programas en español, debe comunicar con Estrella Gonzalez, 623-986-5945.

Sunset today: 5:29 p.m.

Sunset next Friday: 5:33 p.m.

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING TODAY...

Come for Prayer (Open to Everyone) ...8:00 a.m.Prayer Room
LIFecenter (Contemporary Worship) ...8:30 a.m.Sanctuary
Kid's Choir Practice9:00 a.m.Room 6
Hand Bell Choir Practice9:00 a.m.GAA Music Room
Escuela Sabática Española.....9:00 a.m.Salón 1
Sabbath School (Adults & Children)....10:00 a.m.See Below
Sanctuary (Traditional) Worship11:15 a.m.Sanctuary
Chapel (Contemporary) Worship.....11:15 a.m.Chapel
Pathfinder Bible Experience2:30 p.m.Chapel
Christmas Concert*4:00 & 7:00 p.m.Sanctuary

Sabbath School: See "Worship & Study Today" for locations of adult classes; children's classes are along north & south hallways

*More information in announcements, at right

...AND IN THE COMING WEEK

MONDAY

Glenview Christmas Break – No School
Bulletin Deadline*9:00 a.m.Church Office

TUESDAY

Church Office Closed
Glenview Christmas Break – No School

WEDNESDAY

Merry Christmas! Church Office Closed
Glenview Christmas Break – No School

THURSDAY

Church Office Closed
Glenview Christmas Break – No School

FRIDAY

Church Office Closed
Glenview Christmas Break – No School

*See details in announcements, at right

Additional information and events are listed at right

CHURCH CALENDAR ONLINE

A current and complete calendar of Glendale Church events and activities is available to everyone on the Church Web-site: glendale.azsda.org. Questions? Call Patty at the Church Office, 623-934-3295.

PAY YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS ONLINE

Pay your tithes and offerings online at our Church Web-site (glendale.azsda.org). Questions? Call Treasurer Mike Wood, 602-418-5928.

On non-irrigation Sabbaths, the GAA field is open for overflow parking. Please leave "prime" parking-lot spots for visitors and the mobility-impaired.

Announcements

WELCOME, VISITORS! – Visitors, we're glad you're here! We hope you are blessed by your experience at the Glendale Church today. *Members:* There is no After Church Café today, so invite a visitor home for lunch, and bring them back for the concert! The Café returns next week. (Next Churchwide Potluck is *January 11*. No foods that require cooking or heating, please.)

"OH NIGHT DIVINE" – Come celebrate the true meaning of the season with the Glendale Choirs & Orchestra today at 4:00 and 7:00 p.m. And come early, as seats (and the parking lot) fill up quickly. The GAA Field will be open for overflow parking.

REGISTER TODAY FOR "BREAKING FREE" CLASS – Open to both women and men, a new "Breaking Free" class (based on Beth Moore's videos and study guide) will begin Sabbath, January 18. Books must be pre-ordered, so sign up *today* at the Lobby counter. Questions? Contact Annie, 623-707-3412.

LAST DAY TO R.S.V.P. FOR THE "BIG EVENT"! – If you haven't turned in your R.S.V.P. for Patty & Myles' wedding reception, please do so *today*! No R.S.V.P. is necessary for the ceremony—to which everyone is invited—but Patty needs a count for the reception. Forms are on the Lobby counter, next to the basket.

ORDER TAMALES / HELP FAMILIES IN THE PHILIPPINES – To order your fresh, handmade Costa Rican chicken or vegan tamales, call Carlos Lorenzo at 623-326-0290 or message The LiFExperiment on Facebook. Cost is \$2.50/each or \$25/dozen, and all funds raised will go to help families in the Philippines who were affected by the recent typhoon.

BREAK IN FOOD DISTRIBUTION – Community Services workers are taking a well-earned break for Christmas and New Year's. There will be no Wednesday food distribution on December 25 or

January 1. The service resumes on Wednesday, January 8, when our members who need food are asked to come 3:15–4:15 p.m. and distribution will be open to the public 4:45–5:30 p.m.

2013 TITHE & OFFERING DEADLINE – If you wish to receive a tax credit for your 2013 tithes and offerings, they must be received by Treasurer Mike Wood or one of his assistants no later than next Sabbath, December 28.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY WELLNESS WORKSHOP – Find out how to avoid hip fractures and osteoporosis and learn some natural anti-aging remedies to use at home. Sunday, January 5, at 10:00 a.m., at the Paradise Valley Church, 2727 E. Cactus Rd., Phoenix. For more information: Dorothy Aycocok, 602-973-9255.

ARIZONA SCHOLARSHIP TAX CREDITS – To donate a portion of your 2013 Arizona state income tax to worthy students at either Glenview or Thunderbird, tax credit forms and checks must be mailed to the Conference Office (see address on form). *Please do not turn them in with your offering or leave them at Church.*

2014 DEVOTIONAL BOOKS ARE HERE – Great Christmas gifts! Order forms and envelopes are on the Lobby counter, along with samples of the books available, English *y español*. Your order will be delivered to the Church as soon as it is processed at the ABC.

MOSAIC CDs – Another terrific Christmas gift—and there's still time! *Mosaic* and *Mosaic 2* feature great praise and worship songs by our own Mosaic Worship Band. To purchase, contact Diana Wagner, 623-582-3190 / dianawagner@cox.net.

EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINE NEXT WEEK – The Church Office will be closed December 24–January 2. Please be sure all announcements for the December 28 bulletin are given to Patty Giambra (glendalechurch@glendaleazsda.org / 623-934-3295) by 9:00 a.m. *Monday, December 23.*



God grant you the light in Christmas, which is faith;
The warmth of Christmas, which is love;
The radiance of Christmas, which is purity;
The righteousness of Christmas, which is justice;
The belief in Christmas, which is truth;
The all of Christmas, which is Christ.

Wilda English

"Don't be afraid. I'm here to announce a great and joyful event that is meant for everybody, worldwide: A Savior has just been born in David's town, a Savior who is Messiah and Master. This is what you're to look for: a baby wrapped in a blanket and lying in a manger."

Luke 2:10-12 (The Message)