

PLEASE NOTE: Names on the prayer list will be taken off after two weeks unless there has been a change or a family member asks to keep their name on the list. To add or remove a name, please Email: gumcprayerchain01@gmail.com or Phone: 717-653-4717 (leave a message on the answering machine with the information). **For updates to be printed, the office must receive them no later than 12 noon on Friday.**

**LET US REMEMBER WITH PRAYERS AND CARDS:** (Week of 5-5-24)

- **FRANK BARBER** – brother-in-law of Carole Bubacz; having serious health issues, congestive heart failure, fluid in lungs and around the heart. Carole's sister Janice was Frank's wife; she was on our Prayer List a number of times and passed away on March 17, 2024.
- **JOANIE MILLER** – Sue Kopp's sister-in-law; diagnosed with stage 4 sarcoidosis which is not cancer but a serious lung condition. She also has COVID again and pneumonia. Please keep her in your prayers, she is very weak and on oxygen.
- **IRIS ROCKEY** – is doing great, off all medications, back to school. Praise God!
- **ANASTASIA RUIZ** – granddaughter of Sue & Dave Kopp; her third eye surgery on April 30th to remove the stitches in her cornea and to clean off the lens of her right eye was successful. We are praying for complete healing and that she will have her sight returned to her eye.

**HOMEBOUND PERSON OF THE WEEK:** Irene Dennis is the homebound member of Glossbrenner featured this week. Take a moment to drop a note or card in the mail to let Irene know we are thinking about her. Irene is a resident at Hamilton Arms, Lancaster; please send correspondence to:

c/o Sandy Waltz  
2148 Sheri Lane  
Mount Joy, PA 17552

#### **ONGOING**

- **UKRAINE & ISRAEL**
- Persecuted Church
- Gale Breneisen, Karen Elslager, Deb Kennedy, Mindy Neideigh, Linda Reheard
- Homebound Members: Joyce Baker, Irene Dennis, Karen Elslager, Frank Geib, June Hostetter, MaryAnn Miller, Gerald Ney, Betty Ober, Judy Orey, Romaine Showalter, Vivian Yingst
- Elected officials
- **STAFF & ALL THEIR LOVED ONES** – for spiritual protection; if Satan can't reach the person, he will attack their family.
- **NEW PASTOR** – pray for the new pastor, Heather Hammel, who will be starting in July.



“STOP  
MAKING MY FATHER'S  
HOUSE A MARKETPLACE!”

JOHN 2:16, NRSV

**May 5, 2024**

**GLOSSBRENNER CHURCH**

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**MAY 5, 2024 – Happy Hour is 10:00 A.M.  
6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Welcome, sisters and brothers, to Christian fellowship and to worship this day! Let us bless the Lord with our praise!

*“\*” in the bulletin indicates that you should rise if you are able.*

**GREETINGS, JOYS & CONCERNS** Barb Thompson  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE** – Bell Choir “Lord of the Dance” arr. Jason Krug

**\* CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

**People: To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever.**

Leader: Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God,

**People: let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.**

**\* INVOCATION**

**\* HYMN** “Crown Him With Many Crowns”.....No. 327

**OPENING PRAYER (Unison): Lord of Life, submitting to death, you conquered the grave. By being lifted on a cross you draw all people to you. By being raised from the dead you restored to humanity all that we had lost through sin. Throughout these fifty days of Easter, we proclaim the marvelous mystery of death and resurrection. For all praise is yours, now and throughout eternity. Amen.**

**\* HYMN** “Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know”.....No. 163

**PASTORAL PRAYER - LORD’S PRAYER (unison)**

**PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY** “The King of Love My Shepherd Is” arr. D. Wood

**\* DOXOLOGY**.....No. 95

**\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**CHILDREN DISMISSED FOR THEIR CHURCH**

*All Children (Preschool age through 8<sup>th</sup> grade) will be dismissed.*

**GOSPEL READING**

John 2:13-22

**MESSAGE** – Jeff Engroff

“Modern Money Changers”

**\* HYMN** “Forth in Thy Name, O Lord” .....No. 438

**\* BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

“Now God Be Praised”

arr. H. Willan

**CHURCH WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS**

ACOLYTE: Caige Cole  
CHILDREN & YOUTH DIRECTOR: Jessica Rockey  
GREETERS: Doug & Hazel Hackley  
LITURGIST: Barb Thompson  
MONEY COUNTERS: Sue Kopp, Deb & Vaughn Nissley, Carol Rorabaugh  
MUSIC DIRECTOR: Justine Madonna  
NURSERY: Mabz Smith, Debbie Nissley  
ORGANIST: Loine Bert  
OUTSIDE GREETERS: Ron Blechinger, Joe Davis  
SOUND, LIGHT & MEDIA: Dave Eichler, Mark Myers, Andy Ober, Chad Ober, Ken Ober  
HEAD USHER: Vaughn Nissley  
USHERS: Aaron Binkley, Kathy Binkley, Marcia Brooks, Bonnie Engle

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK (5-5-24 to 5-12-24)**

Today: 9:15 am FROG Café – Fellowship Time  
9:45 am Prayer in Chapel  
10:00 am Worship Service-Live, Livestreamed & Recorded  
11:15 am Sunday School  
Monday: 6:30 pm 2030 Group  
Tuesday: 6:45 pm Senior High & Beyond Youth Group  
Wednesday: No Bell Choir practice  
No Choir practice  
Thursday: 6:00 pm Praise Band practice  
7:00 pm Youngins 6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth Group  
Next Sunday: 9:15 am FROG Café – Fellowship Time  
10:00 am Worship Service – Ascension Sunday  
Mother’s Day-Praise Band-Food Bank Sunday  
11:15 am Sunday School

## RECURRING ANNOUNCEMENTS

**REGISTRATION:** All who are present please take a moment to sign the attendance registration pad and pass it to the person next to you.

**FROG (Fully Rely On God) CAFÉ:** From 9:15 a.m. to just before church starts, come and fellowship. Enjoy a cup of coffee, tea or hot chocolate.

**PRAYER IN THE CHAPEL:** Join us at 9:45 a.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month to pray for the worship service.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES:** There are classes for all ages. The Preschool class (2 years old – Kindergarten) meets in Room #3; Children in 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> grade (“Praying Pigs”) meet in Room #2. “Praying Turtles” (5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade) class meets in Room #4 (next to the FROG Café). The Young Adult “Ignite” class meets in the Youth Room. The All Stars meet in Room #1 (across from the Nursery); the Koinonia class meets in the Parlor.

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** If you have any prayer requests, please fill out the “Prayer Request” sheet placed in the registration pad folders and place it in the “Prayer Request” box on the table in the lobby. Extra sheets are available beside the box.

**GREETING CARD MINISTRY:** If you know of someone who is in the hospital, recently lost a loved one, or would appreciate receiving a card from us, please call Betty Robinson at 717-366-4549.

**GROCERY GIFT CARDS** for Giant and Weis are available to purchase in the FROG Café Sunday mornings before and after the worship service.

**HERSHEY PARK VOLUNTEER SHIFTS** are available. The hourly rate of \$8.00 goes to the church; volunteers receive tickets. Contact Betty Robinson for information: 717-366-4549 or [blrmrj@comcast.net](mailto:blrmrj@comcast.net)

**YARD SALE COORDINATOR NEEDED:** We are looking for someone to coordinate the Yard Sale. Contact EmmaJane Davis at 717-685-1476.

Attendance for April 28, 2024

In-person Worship:	115
Livestream views:	19
YouTube views:	51
Sunday school:	58

**Worship Passionately.  
Love Extravagantly.  
Witness Boldly.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS – 5/5/24**

### GUEST PASTOR

Again, we extend a warm welcome to Jeff Engroff who is “filling the pulpit” this morning. Jeff is Director of Children & Youth at Lampeter UMC and also Director of Youth & Outreach at St. Mark’s UMC. Thank you, Jeff, for sharing your ministry with us today. We appreciate it very much!

### MOTHER’S DAY – MAY 12, 2024

The Commission on Worship is planning to have pictures of mothers, grandmothers, etc. projected on the screen for Mother’s Day. If you have any pictures you would like to share, please email them to [obbye123@gmail.com](mailto:obbye123@gmail.com) or [mupsu@comcast.net](mailto:mupsu@comcast.net) or drop them off in the church office **NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, MAY 8.**

### FOOD BANK SUNDAY

Next Sunday, May 12, is Food Bank Sunday. Please bring your non-perishable food donations and place them in the cart in the narthex. Thank you for your continued support.

### VBS MEETING

Join us in the Sanctuary for a brief meeting about VBS right after the worship service on Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup>. See how you can be part of our biggest community outreach of the year! If you can’t attend the meeting but want to be a part of VBS, please contact Jess Rockey .

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

If you notice something in **MAY** that the trustees should take care of, contact Dick Ryder at 717-653-8603. Many thanks to Wayne Kauffman for his faithful service during April.

**THE UPPER ROOM** for **MAY and JUNE 2024** is available in the lobby/narthex. Free to you!

**CARING HANDS & HEARTS  
MARK YOUR CALENDAR  
NOVEMBER 2, 2024**

November sounds like a long time from now but preparations are underway for Caring Hands & Hearts' biggest fundraiser of 2024. A dinner and auction will be held on the evening of **Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>**. It will be an evening of good food and lots of fun bidding on some special items for yourself or Christmas gifts for others. Donations of new or handcrafted items, theme baskets, gift cards, or like-new collectibles will be greatly appreciated and accepted at a later date for the auction. We will not be accepting used items for this event. Watch for further details of this event in future editions of the Herald and Sunday bulletins.

**ALTAR FLOWERS FOR 2024**

Are you interested in "sharing" a Sunday with someone else and placing the second vase on the altar? **October 13** is available to place **ONE** vase. If you want to place the second vase, please call the office or sign up on the flower calendar. There are quite a few Sundays open to place flowers in the church. Check the flower calendar for dates available. If you want **SILK FLOWERS WRITE "SILK" NEXT TO YOUR NAME**, and fill out a "Reservations for Altar Flowers" form (info and prices are on this form) and place it in the "completed forms" envelope, or call the church office at 717-653-5683.

*Thank You!*

*Blessings to those who participated in the National Day of Prayer on May 2. We had 20 people come to the Chapel to offer prayers throughout the day.*

*Mark Rorabaugh, Lay Leader*

*Thank You!*

*A special "Thank You" to those who attended our Congregational Dinner on April 27. The food was awesome. All had a great time in Christian Fellowship. Thank you to those who volunteered to lift up Glossbrenner in prayer. Also, there was a lot of chatter at each table as we laid out a vision for Glossbrenner. Copies of the results are in the mailbox of those who attended.*

*Transition Leadership Team*

**NEW WEBSITE /EMAILS!**

We have a new website: <http://www.glossbrenner.net>  
Also, the staff email accounts have been updated. Please add these to your contacts and start using the new email; the old accounts will be shut down at the end of June. Check your Spam/Junk folders if you are not receiving emails from the following people:

Lisa Ober	<a href="mailto:lisa@glossbrenner.net">lisa@glossbrenner.net</a>
Justine Madonna	<a href="mailto:justine@glossbrenner.net">justine@glossbrenner.net</a>
Jess Rockey	<a href="mailto:rockey@glossbrenner.net">rockey@glossbrenner.net</a>
Jackie Roberts	<a href="mailto:jackier@glossbrenner.net">jackier@glossbrenner.net</a>

Church Office Hours: Tuesday through Friday – 10 AM to 2 PM  
Church Office - 717-653-5683 - Email: [jackier@glossbrenner.net](mailto:jackier@glossbrenner.net)  
(Jackie's Cell Phone: 717-413-5787)

**NEW WEB SITE:** <http://www.glossbrenner.net>

Jessica Rockey, Children & Youth Director  
Cell Phone: 717-517-4967 - Email: [rockey@glossbrenner.net](mailto:rockey@glossbrenner.net)

Justine Madonna, Music Director  
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Desireé Whitcraft, Sexton  
Cell Phone: 717-330-4559 – Email: [desireewhitcraft903@gmail.com](mailto:desireewhitcraft903@gmail.com)

**TO ACTIVATE GLOSSBRENNER'S PRAYER CHAIN**  
Email: [gumcprayerchain01@gmail.com](mailto:gumcprayerchain01@gmail.com) or Phone: 717-653-4717 (Leave a message on the answering machine with the information.)

Greeting Card Ministry: Betty Robinson – 717-366-4549



## SPRING IS HERE!

### LANDSCAPE MEMORIALS/HONORARIUMS

Please help us to beautify the lawns and grounds surrounding our church. Glossbrenner family and friends can help with this project by making a donation in honor or memory of loved ones. The money collected will be used for mulch, flowers, etc. If you are interested in giving a donation, please fill out the tear sheet below and place it in the offering plate. On Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup> (Memorial Day Sunday) the names of those who have been memorialized or honored will be included in the bulletin. Deadline is May 22<sup>nd</sup>.



### LANDSCAPE MEMORIALS/HONORARIUMS

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DONATION AMOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_

IN HONOR OF: \_\_\_\_\_

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