

THEIR PRAYER CAME UP TO HIS HOLY
DWELLING PLACE, EVEN UNTO HEAVEN.

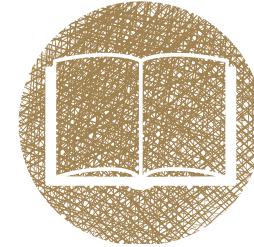
— 2 CHRONICLES 30:27 —

Prayer is the never-failing resort of the Christian in any case, in every plight. When you cannot use your sword, you may take to the weapon of all-prayer. Your powder may be damp, your bow-string may be relaxed, but the weapon of all-prayer need never be out of order. Leviathan laughs at the javelin, but he trembles at prayer. Sword and spear need furbishing, but prayer never rusts, and when we think it most blunt, it cuts the best. Prayer is an open door which none can shut. Devils may surround you on all sides, but the way upward is always open, and as long as that road is unobstructed, you will not fall into the enemy's hand. We can never be taken by blockade, escalade, mine, or storm, so long as heavenly succors can come down to us by Jacob's ladder to relieve us in the time of our necessities. Prayer is never out of season: in summer and in winter, its merchandise is precious. Prayer gains audience with heaven in the dead of night, in the midst of business, in the heat of noonday, in the shades of evening. In every condition, whether of poverty, or sickness, or obscurity, or slander, or doubt, your covenant God will welcome your prayer and answer it from His holy place. Nor is prayer ever futile. True prayer is evermore true power. You may not always get what you ask, but you shall always have your real wants supplied. When God does not answer His children according to the letter, He does so according to the spirit. If thou askest for coarse meal, wilt thou be angered because He gives thee the finest flour? If thou seekest bodily health, shouldst thou complain if instead thereof He makes thy sickness turn to the healing of spiritual maladies? Is it not better to have the cross sanctified than removed? This evening, my soul, forget not to offer thy petition and request, for the Lord is ready to grant thee thy desires.

Taken from C. H. Spurgeon's *Morning and Evening*

GLEN IRIS

BAPTIST CHURCH



BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER MEETING

"Even them will I bring to my holy
mountain, and make them joyful in my
house of prayer: their burnt offerings and
their sacrifices shall be accepted upon mine
altar; for mine house shall be called an
house of prayer for all people."

ISAIAH 56:7

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THE BIBLICAL PATTERN FOR PRAYER

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"Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may have free course, and be glorified, even as it is with you."

2 Thessalonians 3:1

CHURCH MINISTRIES

Missionaries Worldwide	Music Ministry
Glen Iris Baptist School	Bus Ministry
WGIB Radio (91.9 FM)	Youth Ministry
WQEM Radio (101.5 FM)	Special Needs Ministry
WAY Television (Channel 16)	Benevolence Ministry
Website (www.gleniris.net)	AWANA Youth Program
Gospel Outreach and Visitation	Young Adults Ministry

SUNDAY SCHOOL & CHILDREN'S CHURCH TEACHERS AND WORKERS

Leah Dickey and Kathi Lamb	Nursery Class (0-3 years old)
Josh and Ashley Wilson	Preschool Class (4-5 years old)
Laine Ferrill	First-Fifth Grade Class
Anthony and Anna Johnson	Sixth-Twelfth Grade Class
Jay and Carlie Babin	College and Career Class
Brian and Robin Babin	Couples' Class
Rob Ferrill	Men's Class
Brad McKinney	Auditorium Class (Sunday School of the Air)
Paul and Donna Hancock	Primary Church
Bart and Brooke Booth	Children's Church
Josh Wilson	Sunday School Superintendent

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Chad and Sandy Sellers

Redemption Outreach and the Collins Children's Homes, Nepal

- Please pray for the salvation of souls and the growth of saints and leaders.
- Pray for a vehicle for the ministry and good health while traveling.

CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER NEEDS

Health Needs

Janet Brock	David Foltz	Gayle Waits
Robert Crocker	Gloria Randolph	Buddy York
	Patsy Root	

Home/Nursing Home-Bound

John Chafin	Eldon Joslin	Bill Leon
Jackie Gullledge		Pearl Marcus

Special Requests

Angela Barlow - health needs
Suzanne (Youngblood) Tribble - tests for possible cancer

DEACONS

Johnny Brock	Anthony Johnson	Jerry Mays
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PRAYER MEETING TIMES

Wednesday	7:00 P.M. - Auditorium
Sunday	9:30 A.M. - School Library
	5:00 P.M. - Church Office

COLLEGE AND CAREER

Jeremiah Babin	Audrey Knowlton	Savannah Saruse
Candie Ferrill	Shayna Lightfoot	Anna Young
Clay Ferrill	Win Otamias	Sara Young