

# Welcome to Glen Mar Church!

We're glad you are here. You will find the following information helpful:

**Attendance Folders** are handed out at the beginning of each service. If you are a first-time visitor, please fill in your address & phone number, so that we might send you greetings from our congregation. Visit the Welcome Center just outside of the Spirit Center for a small gift and information about Glen Mar.

**Fellowship Time** is in The Gathering Place between services.

**Children's Worship Bags** are at the back of the church to use during worship. Please return them after the service. Ask the ushers for assistance.

**Prayer Concerns/Quick Response Cards** are in the blue attendance folders. If you have prayer concerns you'd like added to our Prayer Chain, please fill out a card and drop it in the offering plate. This card can also be used to sign up for any of our ongoing activities or to make suggestions.

**Communion** is celebrated on the first Sunday of each month at each worship service. All who follow Christ are invited to participate. Blessed Communion kits are available to take to those unable to attend worship. Ask a pastor for assistance.

**Hearing-Assistance Devices and Large-Print Hymnals** are available. Ask ushers for assistance.

**Questions?** Our Welcome Center attendants will be glad to assist you.

## Holy Week and Easter Services

**Palm Sunday** - Saturday, March 24, 5:00 p.m. and Sunday, March 25, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

**Maundy Thursday, March 29, 7:30 p.m.**

**Good Friday, March 30, 7:30 p.m.**

### Easter Services

**Saturday, March 30, 5:00 p.m.**

**Sunday, April 1, 6:30 a.m. Sunrise, 8:00 & 9:30 a.m.**

**Spirited Traditional, 11:00 Contemporary Praise Service**

**Blood Pressure Screening** - today in the ELC kitchen behind the church reception office on the main level.

**Could you not watch with me one hour?** The 40-hour prayer vigil begins at 2:00 p.m. on Good Friday (March 30) and concludes at 5:00 a.m. on Easter morning. Are you willing to devote one hour to prayer? Locations will be reserved at Glen Mar during its open hours, including a labyrinth in room 145 and quiet spaces in room 159 and the Chapel. You may also choose to pray anywhere and anyhow you feel led. Sign up for one or more spots in The Gathering Place. *Is there something that you would like lifted in prayer?* Submit requests to [marti.windram@glenmarumc.org](mailto:marti.windram@glenmarumc.org) or place them in the offering plate.

**Easter Flowers - last day to order!** Help beautify the Spirit Center with lilies, hydrangeas, or azaleas from Homestead Gardens. Cost is \$20 per plant and envelopes are available in The Gathering Place. *Order deadline will be March 18! Questions?* [Laura.dreibelbis@glenmarumc.org](mailto:Laura.dreibelbis@glenmarumc.org).

**Soup'r Sundae & Silent Auction Sunday, March 18, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** at **Wilde Lake High School** Glen Mar and Bethany UMC will jointly sponsor this fundraiser for Grassroots Crisis Intervention of Howard County. This family-friendly event features all-you-can-eat soup and ice cream sundaes, plus a silent auction which will accept bids for gift cards and more than 100 themed baskets. **Soup'r Sundae & Silent Auction is TODAY.** Bring your friends and neighbors for a fun time! Tickets are on sale at the door.

**Boy Scout Troop 874 spring mulch sale through March 29** Two-cubic-foot bags double shredded hard brown - \$4.15/bag. Two-cubic-foot bags dyed black double shredded - \$5.15/bag. Order online at [www.Troop874.com](http://www.Troop874.com) by March 29. Orders will not be accepted after that date or if quota has been met so order early. Pick up on April 14 (free local home delivery offered for minimum 10 bag order).

**Glen Mar's turn @ Rt. 1 Day Resource Center Saturday, March 24 11:45 a.m. - 2 p. m.** One of 50 churches supporting this Grassroots outreach, Glen Mar provides lunch the 4th Saturday of every month. To contribute to the potluck menu or help serve on site, RSVP on Glen Mar's Rt. 1 "Mission Ministries" web site or directly to [tinyurl.com/gmumcrt1drc](http://tinyurl.com/gmumcrt1drc).

**Conversation Circle #2**, March 27, 7:00 - 8:45 p.m. A countywide effort to bring the community together for courageous and difficult conversations about race. Circles meet the fourth Tuesday monthly through May 22, at six Howard County places of worship including Glen Mar. To register or learn more, go to [HoCoRaceConversations.eventbrite.com](http://HoCoRaceConversations.eventbrite.com).

**Lunch With the Pastors, Sunday, April 8, 12:15 - 2:00 p.m.** This informal gathering will provide more information about how to become more connected in the church, meet the pastors, ask questions, and learn the pathways to membership at Glen Mar. Childcare is available by request. RSVP to [laura.dreibelbis@glenmarumc.org](mailto:laura.dreibelbis@glenmarumc.org).

**Ready for warm weather?** Mark your calendar for the 7th annual Glen Mar Golf Classic on Monday, May 14 at Timbers at Troy. Shotgun start at 8:30 with lunch provided by George & Sally Dohner. Register for golf or to become a sponsor at [glenmargolfclassic.com](http://glenmargolfclassic.com). Sponsorships are available (\$250 buys a hole sponsorship) and Grassroots is eligible for matching gifts from employers. All proceeds go to Grassroots.

## Children and Family Ministries

**Margaret Lang**

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**Sunday Mornings for Kids 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.**

**Nursery** for children 5 weeks - three years old during all worship services held at Glen Mar. Located in the Early Learning Center Wing on the main level.

**Sprouts** are children in kindergarten and younger (preschool) during Sunday services at 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. Stop by the registration table at the entrance of the ELC Wing to complete a registration card.

**Pathfinders** (Elementary ages) meet Sunday morning at 9:30 downstairs in the kids' wing (yellow hallway).

Pathfinders can be dropped off in room 145 and picked up in their graded classroom. Stop by the welcome table at the bottom of the stairs to register.

**Kids' Worship** Sunday mornings during the 11:00 hour. Elementary-age kids attend with their families during the opening praise set in the Spirit Center and then are invited to attend their own Kids' Worship in the kids' wing downstairs in room 145. Enjoy hands-on learning and lots of fun. Pick up children in 145.

**Easter Egg Stravaganza Saturday, March 24, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.** Fun for the whole family! Face painting,

cookie decorations, crafts, animal farm, moon bounce, water balloon toss and much more. The egg hunt begins at 11:00 and is divided by age (crawlers/walkers, PK & K, 1st & 2nd grades, 3rd grades).

**Family Fellowship** Sunday morning family fellowship will be set up in the "well" for Cherub Choir parents and siblings and also after the 11:00 service for Kids' Worship parents.

## Vacation Bible School 2018

**VBS Dates July 9 - 13 and 16 - 20, 9:00 a.m. to noon**

Theme: Shipwrecked - Rescued by Jesus. Extended day options available for both sessions. *Online registration has begun, and is filling up fast!*

[www.glenmarumc.org](http://www.glenmarumc.org) and follow directions to VBS.

**VBS Youth Helpers** Interviews are this Sunday, March 18, between 10:45 - 12:30 for youth (presently in 7th grade and older) who want to be part of the volunteer team this summer. Stop by the welcome table at the bottom of the stairs to sign up.

**VBS - Your Trash is our Treasure** Help us make cool decorations, fun, crafts and a memory of a lifetime for the kids this summer. Please leave all donations downstairs in the VBS bin. Carpet tubes, large pieces of cardboard, wooden crates, boxes, thick nautical rope (will be returned), netting, clear plastic bottles - any size, clean with lids. Thanks!

## Middle School Youth

**Jen Rowell, [jen.rowell@glenmarumc.org](mailto:jen.rowell@glenmarumc.org)**

**High School Youth & Young Adults**

**Sean Danaher, [sean.danaher@glenmarumc.org](mailto:sean.danaher@glenmarumc.org)**

**Middle School Connect Sunday, March 18, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.** "Friend Like Jesus - Mary" Meet in the Spirit Center and bring \$3 for dinner.

**High School Connect Sunday, March 18, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.** "David - Fall." Meet in the Spirit Center and bring \$3 for dinner.

**30 Hour Famine** Turn in donations TODAY, March 18. Donate to Glen Mar's team at [www.30hourfamine.org](http://www.30hourfamine.org)  
**Cards for a Cause** If you ordered greeting cards from youth, please pick them up in the Youth Office.

**An important theme of the Lenten season is the humanity of Christ.** In Jesus, God became human and fully experience the wide range of emotions that we all encounter in life. A part of being human is the need for help from others when loss seems overwhelming. Consider having a trained Stephen Minister in your life. To find out more, talk to one of the pastors, email [stephenministry@glenmarumc.org](mailto:stephenministry@glenmarumc.org), or call 410.799.4028.

**Summer Mission Trips** Youth currently in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade and older are eligible to go on a mission trip this summer. *West Virginia* - current 12<sup>th</sup> graders and collegians, June 3-9, \$300/person. *Hurley #1* - 8<sup>th</sup> grade and older, June 24-30, \$400/person. *Hurley #2* - 8<sup>th</sup> grade and older, July 1-7, \$400/person. *Baltimore Mission Camp* - 6<sup>th</sup> grade and older, July 23-27, \$125/person. Costs include all housing, meals, materials and a T-shirt. D.C. Adults are needed for all of these trips as well. Please contact D.C. Veale for information, [dc.veale@glenmarumc.org](mailto:dc.veale@glenmarumc.org).

**Joys & Concerns - Prayers & cards welcomed**  
**Congratulations** - Paul & Dorothy Crawford on their 64th wedding anniversary, 8125E Yellow Pine Dr., EC 20143

**Scheduled for surgery**, Ron Stevens, 4812 Woodshire Garth, EC 21043

## Cancer Treatment

- Katie Kirk, 907 Lord Granville Dr., Moorhead City, NC 28557

## Sunday, 03/18

8:00a Traditional Worship Service - SC  
8:30 Voices of Praise - 126  
9:00 Blood Pressure Screening - ELC Kitchen  
9:30 Spirited Traditional Worship Service - SC  
— Additional Worship Seating - Chapel  
— Adult Sunday School - 144  
— Sunday Morning Small Group - 159  
— Nursery 2-year-olds - 255  
— "Sprouts!" 3 yrs. - Kindergarten - 244/249/251/255  
— Pathfinders - Elementary - 145/146/149/150/153  
— Bible in a Nutshell, 6th/7th grade 125/126  
— Rooted - HS Youth - YL/121/122  
— Confirmation Class - 123  
10:45 Cherub Choir - 125  
— Joyful Noise Rehearsal - 126  
11:00 Praise Worship Service - SC  
— "Sprouts!" - 3 yrs. old - Kindergarten - 249/251  
— Kids' Worship - Elementary - 145/147/153  
12:15p VBS Leadership Team - 144  
12:30 Cho Shim Korean Church - 145  
5:00 "Connect" Youth Group YL  
— Youth Parents Study, Boundaries with Teens - 145

**Monday, 03/19** Early Learning Center 7a - 6p

6:00p Men's Covenant Group - Chapel/153

7:00 XS Men's Group - 159

— Covenant Ringers - 111 A/B

— Mission Board - 121

— XYAG Bible Study - 144

**Tuesday, 03/20** Early Learning Center 7a - 6p

7:00a Early Morning Men's Group - OS

9:30 Christian Believer - 121

11:30 Lunch Bunch - LGP

4:00p "The Hub" Sub Group - 144

6:00 Post-College Small Group - 122

6:30 Echoes of Joy 111A/B

7:00 Disciple Fast Track - 146

— Tuesday Night Basketball - SC

8:00 Alcoholics Anonymous - 123

**Wednesday, 03/21** Early Learning Center 7a - 6p

6:30a Early Bird Group - GP

9:30 Wednesday Morning Bible Study

6:30 11:00 Band Rehearsal - SC

7:00 Christian Life

— Leadership Board - 121

7:15 Assorted Nuts - 124

**Thursday, 03/22** Early Learning Center 7a - 6p

9:00a Thursday AM Bible Study - LGP/145

— Thursday AM Book Group - 144

10:30 Disciple Fast Track - 121

3:00p Dancing Needles - 144

6:30p Lower Level Design/Historical Team - 159

7:00p Good Friday Cantata Dress Rehearsal - SC

— Gals in Faith Together - 144

7:15 Boy Scout Troop 874 - SC/LL

**Friday, 03/23** Early Learning Center 7a - 6p

6:00p Girls Scouts Babysitter Class - 145

6:45p Glen Mar Bowling League - OS

## Saturday, 03/24

10:00a Easter Egg Stravaganza - LL/Outdoors

10:30 Why Not Toastmasters - 145

3:30 Saturday Evening Band Rehearsal - SC

5:00 Saturday Evening Worship - SC

5:30 POPs 2 - YL

Cold Weather Shelter - March 12 - 19 - YL - **Please avoid walking through the Youth Lounge area.**

**LL** - Lower-level classrooms, **SC** - Spirit Center

**YL** - Youth Lounge **OS** - Offsite **LGP** - Lower Gathering Place

**PKL** - Parking Lot **UGP** - Upper Gathering Place

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### Interim Lead Pastor

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