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May 22, 2013

Summer Fun

NEW OCCASIONS TEACH NEW DUTIES

In his brilliant organ accompaniment for *The Mark of Zorro*, Tom Trenney employed a number of recognizable tunes. Some of those came from popular culture, and some came from the hymnody of the church. That's a natural thing since Tom Trenney is the Minister of Music at First-Plymouth United Church of Christ in Lincoln, Nebraska. One of the included hymn tunes is named *Ton-Y-Botel*: Welsh for *Tune in a Bottle*. If that tune name doesn't start you humming, the first line of the text that's most often associated with it is *Once to every man and nation*. It's a heavy, minor key tune that expresses the power of the Christian faith in the difficult decisions of life. Another line in that hymn text is the source of this article's title: *New Occasions Teach New Duties*. This particular line from the hymn text has been running through my mind lately... ever since I heard the news that Willow Creek Community Church has purchased 12 acres in The Glen and is planning to build a 75,000 square foot church facility there.

Now Willow Creek Community Church will not be new to Glenview. It has had a satellite site on Waukegan Road for several years. But this new facility will certainly raise its prominence and influence in our community. And this news has created some buzz at the Glenview Community Church. Several of you have told me that Willow Creek is coming...and you've told me with a sense of uncertainty and concern for what this news will mean for us...for this first established and homegrown community church in Glenview.

Twelve or so years ago a new hospital stormed onto the healthcare scene in Green Bay, Wisconsin. Up to that time Green Bay had been served by three hospitals. But Aurora Healthcare (Wisconsin's largest em-

ployer) saw an opportunity and built a new hospital. The three established hospitals were shaken and afraid. But, in the end, the challenge that Aurora's advent brought to the other three hospitals made them better. In the words of the hymn: *New occasions teach new duties*.

A new occasion is coming to Glenview in the form of the Willow Creek Community Church. Is that a threat to the Glenview Community Church? Perhaps. But I firmly believe that it is also a great opportunity for GCC, and I am energized by the challenge. Willow Creek Community Church is not like us. The heart and soul of our mission is to serve God as we minister to all of God's children. Our goal is not to create a community separate from the town square that strives to meet all of its members' needs. Instead, we are determined to live in the world and make a difference in it. We are committed to the town square – to the complex challenges and opportunities of our diverse society – and to offering to that beautiful diversity of humanity the overwhelming love of our God who embraces the whole world and offers us the possibility of a healed and healing humanity in the person and passion of Jesus. You know the words: *No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!*

Yet there is so much we can learn from Willow Creek. We can learn from their enthusiasm. We can learn from their commitment. We can learn from their focus and clarity of mission. And we can learn from the greatness of their vision. How will we rise to this challenge...to this opportunity? How will we more intentionally engage this community and invite others to experience the life of faith at GCC? How will we prepare and improve our extensive and well-used facil-

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WORSHIP SERVICES

MAY 26, 2013

TRINITY SUNDAY

10:00 a.m. *Worship*

Scripture:

Romans 5:1-5

John 16:12-15

Sermon:

"A Love Transfusion"

Rev. Dr. Chuck Mize

JUNE 2, 2013

COMMUNION

10:00 a.m. *Worship*

Scripture:

1 Kings 18:20-21, 30-39

Galatians 1:1-12

Sermon:

"What's Next?"

Elizabeth Hartung-Ciccolini

Seminarian

JUNE 9, 2013

10:00 a.m. *Worship*

Scripture:

Psalms 146

1 Kings 17:8-24

Sermon:

"Creating a Space for Blessing"

Rev. Dr. Pam Keckler



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ity so that it can be more welcoming and can better support our ministries? What ministries will we initiate and strengthen to serve God and meet the needs of God's children today? And, perhaps most difficult of all, what ministries have run their course? Remember, *New occasions teach new duties*. Willow Creek is coming! Just now that news leaves me with more questions than it does answers. Perhaps it's that way for you as well. But I do believe that this is an opportunity that God has given us. And I am convinced that now is the time to roll up our sleeves and get to work. Yes, *New occasions teach new duties*. Let's learn together and claim our future that is as bright and boundless as is God's love. See you in church!

Chuck Mize

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, October 13 will be the official installation of Rev. Dr. Chuck Mize as our new minister! Please join us for this special afternoon service as we mark this new chapter in the life of Glenview Community Church.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The Glenview Community Church's Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 28, 2013, at 7:00 p.m. in the Mayflower Room. The purpose of the meeting will be to receive nominations and elect the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and board members and to receive the annual reports of the leadership.

This notice constitutes the official call to meeting. All members of the church are urged to be present.

IN SYMPATHY

Please remember in prayer Janice Hawk and family, daughter of Elizabeth Dinsmore who passed away on May 8, 2013, at the age of 91 in Oklahoma. Below is her daughter's information.

Janice Hawk
8435 North 170th East Avenue
Owasso, OK 74055

(918) 272-4196

NAME BADGE ORDER

The Membership Board will be placing an order very soon for GCC name badges. If you would like to order one, there is a signup list on the visitors' tables in the Narthex or the West Entrance and in the church office. You can also send a request by email to Susan Mann, akiteman@aol.com. First time badges will be provided. If you are requesting a replacement, a donation of \$5.00 would be appreciated to offset the cost and can be dropped off in the office. The deadline for requests is May 26. Thank you for being part of this effort to become better acquainted with members of our church family.

GCC SURVEY

HAVE YOU TAKEN THE INTERESTS AND EXPERTISE SURVEY YET?

It only takes about 5 minutes of your time to complete the Interests and Expertise Survey which will help GCC develop and support desired programming and provide appropriate volunteer opportunities. Those of you on the "GCC News You Can Use" email list have already received the link to the survey. You may also access the survey directly from the home page of the GCC website by clicking on Survey. There are also paper copies of the survey available in the Narthex. Please take a few minutes to give us your input.

Thank you from the Planning Committee of the Executive Board.



GCC YOGA

Both Monday evening and Thursday morning yoga classes are on sabbatical this summer. See you in September!

WE CARE

The "We Care" committee, a part of the Pastoral Care Board, is looking for volunteers who would be interested in filling occasional requests from church members to transport the person to a medical appointment, respite-care, emergency cooking or other services. If you are interested in occasionally helping with these requests, please contact Sue Hoffmann at susan.hoff@comcast.net or call (847)998-0164.

MYRA LORIS LECTURE

Myra Loris will complete her lecture series on Chicago on Wednesday June 12 beginning with dessert at 7:00 p.m. Ms. Loris will begin at 7:30 p.m. and speak for an hour.

JUNE 12

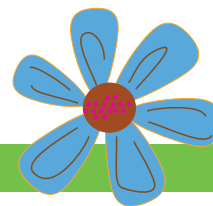
"RICHARD J. DALEY and the CITY THAT WORKS," looks at some of the greatest weaknesses and strengths of the Mayor who became synonymous with the city of Chicago, including the 1968 Democratic National Convention.

TICKETS

\$15 for the lecture at the door or by calling Sandy Bradbury (847-729-9365). Chapters 3, 8 and 9 of the Glenview Community Church Women's Association, are sponsors of the program. All proceeds will benefit social service agencies.

COMMON GROUND

Mysteries of the Mississippi is the title of our next presentation in our Common Ground/Adult Education series. Please join us on Friday, May 24 at 7:00 p.m. in the Founders Room. Nancy Tuchman and Jim Kenney will discuss what Mark Twain called "the body of the nation". This journey of discovery will focus on the ecology of this complex riverine system. Along the way, Nancy & Jim will touch on some of the most important human interactions on the "Big Muddy". It is a fascinating blend of history and science on America's big river. Refreshments will be served and a \$10 donation will be appreciated to support these programs.





SIMPLE GIFTS CONCERT SERIES PRESENTS

To honor the men and women of the military who have served our country both here and abroad, the 6th annual Memorial Day concert "God Bless America—For Those Who Gave Their All" featuring The Navy Band Great Lakes Wind Ensemble will be presented on Sunday, May 26th, at 4:00 p.m. The concert is FREE and open to the public and we invite all people of the community to honor the brave men and women who have given their lives in service to this country. Bring your family, friends and neighbors and remember those who have served. Part of the Simple Gifts concert series. For information call (847)724-2210.

FAITH IN ACTION (FIAT)

Faith in Action Team has many opportunities for church members and friends to contribute their time, expertise and passion to stand for policies that promote peace and justice in our communities. Here are some events that will take place in the near future.

JUNE 15 AT 9:00 AM - NOON
COMMUNITY RENEWAL SOCIETY
Summer Leadership Council Meeting
 Unity Temple, Oak Park

Not just for current leaders, this is a good place to learn skills to build power and influence for social justice, find out what has been accomplished and still needs work. For more information please contact Betsy Martin Betsywisemartin@att.net.

OCTOBER 5 AT 9:00 AM. - NOON
COMMUNITY RENEWAL SOCIETY
ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP ASSEMBLY
 Location TBD. Worship and learn how to take action for social justice. For more information please contact Nancy Mullarkey Mullarkeyn@hotmail.com.

FOOD ON THE FIRST

The first Sunday of the month is coming! Hunger is here, in our community and nearby. Please remember to bring non-perishable food items to share with our hungry neighbors served by Northfield Township Food Pantry and Iglesia San Lucas, a UCC church in Chicago's Humboldt Park, founded in 1976 by Rev. Jorge Morales, with financial help from GCC. Each month, one of these pantries receives our donations. Financial contributions in an envelope marked for the Food Pantry are also welcome.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

We will honor you in worship on Sunday, June 2, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. Please wear your robe and meet in the Narthex right before the service.

UCC CONFERENCE

The Illinois Conference of the UCC will hold its annual meeting and celebration in Oak Brook on Friday and Saturday, June 14-15, 2013. If you would like to attend as either a delegate or visitor, please contact Rev. Keckler. For more information go to www.ilucc.org

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Please join me in expressing heartfelt thanks to the Sunday school teachers who graciously devoted their time and talents to guide our children in their faith journeys:

Shane Bill	Jodi Mahoney
Marcy Blackwelder	Pam MacPherson
Ted Blackwelder	Denise Morgan
Diane Christiansen	Karen Ornduff
Monica Donohue	Nicole Tomaszewski
Amy Downey	Kim Vandervee
Colleen MacKimm	Anne Wightman-Mondlock

Kudos to the puppet troupe who enriched our learning, led by:
 Jim and Carol Habel
 Bob and Connie Schiele
 Jim Shellard

Special thanks to Katelyn Ornduff who led the children in song.

You too can serve as a Sunday school teacher in the upcoming school year. No experience necessary. Full time, part time, and even one time positions are available.
Kathy Lifton

ATTENTION:

GCC SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN
 Please join us for GCC movie night, Friday, May 31 at 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. in the Founders Room. Enjoy EVAN ALMIGHTY (rated PG) and a nut free snack with fellow Sunday School students. Bring your own water bottle, comfy pillow and even a friend.

\$10 per child (\$25 per family max) all proceeds fund Rally Day festivities. Sponsored by Chapter 11.

CONFIRMATION 6TH GRADE

You will receive a registration form in the mail for Confirmation class next fall. Classes begin mid- September.

COMMUNITY YOUTH RETREAT

All new 7th and 8th graders will join the high school youth on Saturday/Sunday August 17-18 at Tower Hill. Details to follow.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT GCC

THUR	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 7:00 PM, Plymouth Rm	8:00 PM	AA Meeting, Parlor	
05/23	11:00 AM	Countdown to Fitness, Narthex	8:00 PM	Al-Anon, Rm 201	
	1:00 PM	Alzheimer's & Related Dementias Group, Narthex	SAT	9:00 AM	North Shore Choral Society Rehearsal, Sanctuary
	7:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary	06/01	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 1:00 PM, Plymouth Rm
FRI	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 1:00 PM, Plymouth Rm		9:00 AM	BSA 156 Camper Interviews, Mayflower Rm
05/24	7:00 PM	Common Ground, Founders Rm	SUN	10:00 AM	Worship, Sanctuary
	8:00 PM	Al-Anon, Rm 201	06/02	3:00 PM	North Shore Choral Society Concert, Sanctuary
	8:00 PM	AA Meeting, Parlor	MON	12:30 PM	Called to Care, Parlor
SAT	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 1:00 PM, Plymouth Rm	06/03		
05/25			TUE	11:30 AM	WA Chapter 8, Offsite
SUN	10:00 AM	Worship Service, Sanctuary	06/04		
05/26	4:00 PM	Simple Gifts Concert, "God Bless American", Sanctuary	WED	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 7:00 p.m., Plymouth Rm
MON		Memorial Day Weekend, Building Closed	06/05	7:00 PM	BSA 156 Troop Mtg., Gym
05/27				8:00 PM	Venture Crew, Gym
TUE	7:00 PM	Annual Congregational Mtg., Mayflower Rm			
05/28					
WED	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 1:00 PM, Plymouth Rm			
05/29	9:30 AM	Finding My Spirit, Library			
	7:00 PM	BSA 156 Troop Mtg., Gym			
	8:00 PM	Venture Crew, Rm 210			
THU	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 7:00 PM, Plymouth Rm			
05/30	11:00 AM	Countdown To Fitness, Founders Rm			
	6:45 PM	HOP Orientation, Mayflower Rm			
	7:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary			
FRI	9:00 AM	Resale Shop Open Until 1:00 PM, Plymouth Rm			
05/31	6:00 PM	North Shore Choral Society Rehearsal, Sanctuary			
	6:30 PM	Kids Movie Night, Founders Rm			

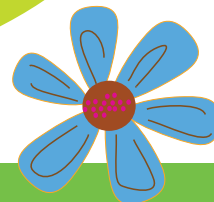
THE NEXT DEADLINE FOR THE BROADCASTER IS MAY 29, 2013 AT 9:00 AM



Resale Shop Sale Days

The Resale Shop will be starting our semi-annual sale. We will have weekly progression discounts until our last day Saturday, June 8th which is 90% off whatever merchandise is left but don't wait until then. Stop by often to take advantage of some really great items at really great prices. We will also be open on Thursdays until 7:00 p.m. on May 30 and June 6.

We are still putting out new items everyday and remember the money raised is distributed to the Women Association's social service projects.



**MISSION OUTREACH BOARD
2013 BENEVOLENT ALLOCATIONS**

	2013	2012	% Change
Income from Pledges	\$ 78,887.00		
Non-Discretionary Allocations			
40% to Our Church's Wider Mission	\$ 31,554.80		
8% to Chicago Theological Seminary	\$ 6,310.96		
Income from Chicago Community Trust	\$ 14,351.00		
Available for Discretionary Allocations	\$ 55,372.24		
1 A Just Harvest/Northside Power	2,000	2,000	0%
2 Wesley Day Care	1,600	2,000	-20%
3 Journey from PADS to Hope	1,600	2,000	-20%
4 Onward House	1,600	2,000	-20%
5 Rebuilding Together	2,500	2,500	0%
6 Connections for the Homeless	2,000	2,500	-20%
7 Good News Partners	2,000	2,500	-20%
8 The Night Ministry	2,000	2,500	-20%
9 ARISE	2,000	2,500	-20%
10 Josselyn Center	2,000	2,500	-20%
11 La Casa Norte	2,400	3,000	-20%
12 LEAP	1,000	3,000	-67%
13 Back Bay Mission	2,400	3,000	-20%
14 Community Renewal Society	2,400	3,000	-20%
15 Interfaith House	2,400	3,000	-20%
16 Northside Housing	-	2,500	-100%
17 San Lucas UCC	2,800	3,500	-20%
18 Refugee One	3,000	3,500	-14%
19 New Foundation Center	2,800	3,500	-20%
20 Helping Hands	1,000	1,000	0%
21 Northfield Food Pantry	1,000	1,000	0%
22 By the Hand Club	2,000	2,500	-20%
23 Hands of Peace	5,500	7,000	-21%
24 Glenview/Northbrook Youth Services	2,800	3,500	-20%
25 Matanya's Hope	1,500	1,000	50%
26 Global Support Mission	500	500	0%
27 Cornerstone	2,000	1,000	100%
28 Iglesia Unida Berwyn (legal clinic)	500	-	New
Total Discretionary Allocations	<u>\$ 55,300</u>	<u>\$ 68,500</u>	-19%

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OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Friday
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

PASTORS

Rev. Dr. Charles E. Mize, *Senior Pastor*
Rev. Dr. Pamela Keckler, *Pastor*

MINISTRY STAFF:

Kathy Lifton, *Children's Ministry*
Elizabeth Hartung-Ciccolini, *Youth Ministry*
Marilyn Belleau, *RN, Health Ministry*
Gary Wendt, *Music Ministry and Organist*
Stephen Blackwelder, *Adult Choir*
Debby Shellard, *Children's Choirs*
Marcia Kiraly, *GCC Nursery School*
Martha Fergus, *Resale Shop*

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF

Tania McCarthy, *Office*
Susan Woodsome, *Office*
Dale Wittenberg, *Business Manager*
Jennifer Helgren, *Facility Manager*
Krzysztof Leson, *Facility*
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COMMUNITY CONCERTS AT GCC

SUNDAY,
MAY 26
4:00 PM

God Bless America

For Those Who Gave Their All

A free concert for the community to honor the men and women of the military who served our country and paid the ultimate price so that ALL may live free.

SUNDAY,
JUNE 2
3:00 PM
TICKETED
EVENT

North Shore Choral Society – An Afternoon at the Opera

Join Peter and Kathleen van de Graaff for a thrilling performance of opera music! You'll hear some of the most beloved opera choruses and solos, accompanied by full orchestra. Julia Davids, Conductor.

General admission at the door: Regular \$25, Senior \$22, Student \$15. Reduced price tickets online at www.northshorechoral.org or call the NSCS ticket number: 773-956-8400.

