

## THIS WEEK AT GLORIA DEI

### Sunday, September 1, 2019 – Communion at All Services

8:00 am Traditional Service – Chapel  
9:30 am Contemporary Service – Sanctuary  
11:11 am Traditional Service – Sanctuary

### Monday, September 2, 2019 – Office Closed

5:30 pm Social Skills Class – Stage Room  
7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 208 – Christian Fellowship Hall  
7:00 pm Endowment Board Meeting – Conference Room

### Tuesday, September 3, 2019

5:30 pm Community Meal – Christian Fellowship Hall  
7:00 pm Growing in Grace – Zabor Room  
7:30 pm AIAnon – Small Group Room or Conference Room

### Wednesday, September 4, 2019

7:00 pm Adult Children of Alcoholics – Conference Room

### Thursday, September 5, 2019

10:00 am Women's Club of Huntingdon Valley – Sacred Grounds  
7:00 pm Gender & Orientation Support Group – Library Lounge Study  
7:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous – Small Group Room

### Friday, September 6, 2019

12:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous – Sacred Grounds

### Saturday, September 7, 2019

8:00 am Debtors Anonymous – Sacred Grounds  
9:30 am AI-Anon Group – Zabor Room  
5:00 pm Lay-led Communion Service - Chapel

### Sunday, September 8, 2019

8:00 am Traditional Service – Chapel  
9:30 am Contemporary Service – Sanctuary  
11:11 am Traditional Service – Sanctuary

#### Readings for Next Week

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:15-20  
Psalm 1  
Second Reading: Philemon 1-21

#### GIVE



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or via mail



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## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship in the Chapel  
9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary  
11:11 a.m. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary  
5:00 p.m. Lay-Led Communion Service the first and third  
Saturday of the month in the Chapel.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanks to everyone that took time to wish me well on my retirement from the office here at Gloria Dei this past Sunday. It was very heartwarming and so appreciated—Joan MacGregor.

Do you have a love for children? A passion for God's word? Like to have fun and laugh a lot? Join us and become a **Sunday School teacher**. Commitment can be 1 Sunday a month or 4. Classes start Sunday, September 22. If you are interested, please email Dana Harrison at [kidsandfamily@gloriadei.com](mailto:kidsandfamily@gloriadei.com).

Pastor Karyn is looking for people to help during worship services. If you are interested in reading scripture, leading prayer, or assisting with communion, please let us know. Also, we are looking for people who want to serve on the Welcome Team. Sign up sheets for both opportunities are at the back of the Sanctuary, outside the Chapel, and in the Library Lounge.

**Lunch and Learn** returns Friday, September 20 at noon. Join us for a presentation by Detective Joseph Rovnan on Active Shooter Preparedness. Bring your sandwich, we'll provide beverages and dessert. Sign up sheets are outside the Chapel, at the back of the Sanctuary, and in the Library Lounge. Deadline to sign up is Sunday, September 15.

**Generations**, our new intergenerational program, kicks off on Friday, September 27 at 6:00 p.m. Join us for a potluck meal and entertainment provided by Glenn Miller and his big one-man band. Sign up sheets are out side the Chapel, at the back of the Sanctuary, and in the Library Lounge. This will be an evening of food, fellowship, and fun for all ages!

**The Hospitality Team** is meeting in the Library Lounge Sunday, September 8 between the 9:30 and 11:11 a.m. services. If you are interested in helping with the Fall Kickoff and other events throughout the year, join us!

The **Fall Kickoff** is Sunday, September 15. We'll have one combined service at 10:00 a.m. followed by a cookout lunch provided by the hospitality team. It will be a fun filled day with backpack blessings, lawn games, a bounce house, and a cookie baking contest. To RSVP, please call the church office or sign up on one of the sheets at the back of the Sanctuary, outside the Chapel, or in the Library Lounge.

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# GLORIA DEI CHURCH

LOVE ALL, SERVE ALL, IN JESUS' NAME

## SUMMER SERMON SERIES

### FAITH QUESTIONS



**September 1, 2019**

Order of Worship for  
8:00, 9:30, and 11:11 a.m. services

We are a community committed to:

Living in **prayerful** ways.

**Giving back** because we have been blessed.

**Serving** others through mission.

Coming together to **worship** God.

Strengthening our **relationships**.

Asking questions and **continuously learning**.



**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
8:00 a.m. Chapel Worship

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Gathering Hymn #239** - *Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness*  
vs. 1,3, & 4

**Opening Prayer**

**Hymn #41** - *To God Be the Glory*

**Litany**

L: Gracious God, we come to feel your presence as we walk the ways of faithful discipleship.

**C: Help us to find our pathways to full and holy living.**

L: Living Lord, we come to challenge the preconceptions of success and wealth

**C: Help us to see your ways over the ways of the world.**

L: Loving God, teach us to be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ, God forgave us.

**C: Help us to see your ways over the ways of the world.**

L: Gracious God help us to see past our pride and to walk in all humility, humbleness and meekness.

**All: Help us to see Your ways over the ways of the world and to walk humbly in the Power of God's Holy Spirit. Amen and Amen**

**Statement of Faith** - *Inside front cover of hymnal*

**Hymn #436** - *O Master, Let me Walk With Thee*

**Scripture** - Selected Scripture

**Words to Live By** - "Faith Questions, Biblical Answers"  
Chris Schmer

**Prayer and the Lord's Prayer+**

**Holy Communion** - *Communion is open to all who seek a closer relationship with God and desire to have the presence of Jesus in their lives. We receive the bread and dip it into the juice for communion.*

**Words of Institution and Litany**

L: Hear us, O Christ, and breathe your Spirit upon us and upon this bread and cup.

**C: May they become for us your presence, vibrant with your life, given in love for us.**

L: And as the bread and cup which we now eat and drink are changed into us,

**C: May we be changed again into you, bone of your bone, flesh of your flesh, loving and caring in the world.**

L: So come to this table, for all are welcome!

**Church News**

**Offering & Closing Hymn #19** - *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

**+LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
9:30 a.m. Sanctuary Worship

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**\*Opening Song**

**\*Welcome, Check In, and Litany**

**\*Song**

**\*Statement of Faith**

**Holy Communion**

**Children's Message**

**Song**

**Scripture** - Selected Scripture

**Words to Live By** - "Faith Questions, Biblical Answers" Chris Schmer

**Prayer and the Lord's Prayer+**

**Offering Song**

**Church News**

**\*Sending Song**

**Blessing for the Week**

**\*Please Stand**

*This service is live streamed.*

We extend a warm WELCOME to all, especially those who are at Gloria Dei Church for the first time or who have returned after an absence. Please let us know if we can answer any questions or be helpful in any way. We're glad you're here!

NURSERY CARE is available for infants through 3 1/2 during the 9:30 & 11:11 a.m. services. If you would like to have your children stay with you during services in the Sanctuary, the Prayground is available for use. During the 9:30 service, children can leave after the children's message to work on a craft with an adult leader.

FELLOWSHIP TIME is in Sacred Grounds after each service. If you need directions, an usher will be happy to show you the way. Coffee and Pastries are available.

To share PRAYER CONCERNS, update contact information, or let us know about any important event in your life, please fill out a [connection card](#), which can be found in the front pocket of your pew.

We'd love for you to CHECK-IN on Facebook to let others know you're here. Open your Facebook app, tap on the "What's on your mind?" section, when the new window opens, tap on "check in." Your phone will list places with Gloria Dei Church as an option. Tap that and then share. Now others can see you share your community with others.

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
11:11 a.m. Sanctuary Worship

**Prelude**

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**\*Opening Hymn #66** - *To God Be the Glory*

**\*Litany**

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**\*Statement of Faith** - *Inside front cover of hymnal*

**Hymn #451** - *O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee*

**Scripture** - Selected Scriptures

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**Offertory and Offertory Hymn #496** - *He Hideth My Soul vs 1 & 2*

**Church News**

**\*Sending Hymn #9** - *Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him*

**Blessing for the Week**

**Postlude**

**\*Please rise in body or spirit**