



TABERNACLE

UNITED
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Christ
is
Risen!

*“Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again.”
Then they remember his words. ~Luke 24: 6 – 8, NRSV*

There are “two men in dazzling clothes” that greet the women at the Tomb of Jesus. Their words to them are also offered to us. The entire passage is wonderful to read. But that short phrase, “Remember His words,” say it all.

May I be so bold as to say you probably remember the words of Jesus when He foretells His Passion, Crucifixion, and Resurrection. Of course, the key question is if you *believe* these words. If you do, the are you grateful?

Our English word *gratitude* comes from the Latin, *grace*. The everlasting life offered through Jesus is a gift. There is nothing we can do to earn it and we certainly do not deserve such a marvelous present. So, thankfulness—gratitude—is to be offered for it, for Him.

But gratitude is more than just an expression. As with all the other spiritual disciplines in our Purple Theory series during Lent, regularly practicing gratitude will lead us to a more thankful life in general and a deeper relationship with Jesus in particular.

Plain and simple? This is what the Resurrection is all about. A gift received and a gift response. I like plain and I love simple. Let’s live with gratitude. Thanks, Jesus!

See you-all on Easter Sunday @ 9:15 am. There will be plenty of room to show gratitude!

Resurrection Blessings,

Pastor Glenn

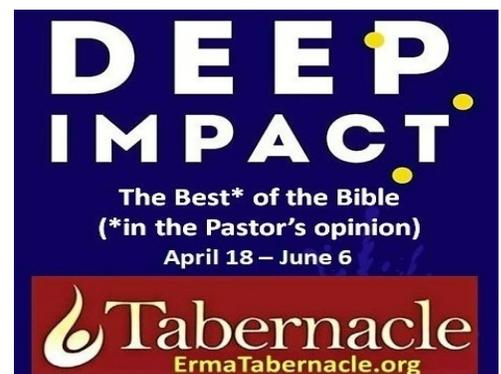
P.S. – I will be off from April 6-13. I will not be far just “disengaging” for a week. Please check out the announcement in the Torch regarding the next sermon series—Deep Impact, beginning April 18.

DEEP IMPACT - Spring 2021

You have a favorite movie, a favorite song, probably even a favorite flavor of ice cream. What is your favorite Bible verse? Maybe, like flavors of ice cream, you have more than one.

Pastor Glenn is going to act a bit “selfish” this Spring 2021 by offering a sermon series based on (most of) his favorite passages in the Bible. Experience the wide range and Deep Impact of God’s Word not just on PG’s life but also—the Lord willing—on *your* life as well.

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| April 18 | “God Just IS” | Exodus 3: 9 – 15 |
| April 25 | “In God You Trust” | Proverbs 3: 1 – 8 |
| May 2 | “Choose Wisely” | 1 Corinthians 15: 12 – 22 |
| May 9 | “Make Mother’s Day” | Luke 11: 11 – 17 |
| May 16 | “Isn’t It Obvious?” | Romans 1: 16 – 20 |
| May 23 | “Open-Heart Surgery” | Hebrews 4: 12 – 16 |
| May 30 | “Dogs Go To Heaven” | Mark 7: 24 – 30 |
| June 6 | “All Means ALL” | Philippians 2: 1 – 11 |



All are invited to experience these messages in-person on Sundays at 9:15 am in the Tabernacle Sanctuary or online via Facebook Live. Pastor Glenn will continue offering an online worship experience Sundays at 11:00 am also on Facebook as well as ZOOM. For all connection questions, please visit

www.ErmaTabernacle.org



Please be in prayer for those below, also remember in light of the current Covid pandemic, the extra challenges that we face from time to time... fear, anxiety, economic hardships, isolation, & many other stresses that are unique to the times we live in.

- Pastor Glenn & Family
- Jodi Cathrall
- John Dickinson
- Dawn Garretson
- Betty Wund
- Ralph Genovese
- Flo Magee
- Andrew Wund
- Lyndsey Bolton
- Betty Carlton
- Tandi Ankrum
- Tom Ankrum
- Jay Spurl
- Cathy Oney
- Cass Pascali
- Mr. Phil Breden, Sr.
- Buddy Halbruner
- Carol Cahill (friend of Paul Breden)
- Steve Brown
- Braden Brojakowski & family
- Ella Elliott
- Wil Kaufman: cancer treatments
- CW2 Ryan Pritchard, in Afghanistan
- Marilly Genovese: hip replacement and broken foot
- Debbie Lawless: shoulder replacement.

Those that live alone:

Doris Raker, Ella Elliott, Bob Jenkins, John Leo, Ernie Long, Alice Fuddy, Steve Brown and other friends & family who remain anonymous.

In Shut In & Convalescent Care

Wesley Manor: Shirley Rutherford, Shirley Halbruner
 Pitman Manor: Edna Dickinson

Prayer for those who have lost loved ones:

- Janis Halbruner & Family
- The Chinn Family
- Bill Stahl & family
- Elizabeth Bailey & Family
- Frank Cahill
- The Chinn Family
- Flo Magee and Family
- The family of Mary Mason
- Jackie Matkowski & Family
- The Gorsline Family
- The Still Family
- Brenda & Robert Church & Family

Daily Lenten Bible Readings

Week 7: Gratitude

- Sunday – Luke 24: 1-12; 52-53
- Monday – Psalm 118: 1-6, 29
- Tuesday – 2 Corinthians 1: 14-16
- Wednesday – 1 Thessalonians 5: 16-18
- Thursday – Psalm 103: 1-5
- Friday – Philippians 4: 4-6
- Saturday – Philippians 4: 12-13



Listen to the Service on your phone:

If you cannot use the internet, you may call-in to the 11am service and listen on your phone!

Call: (929) 205-6099 then give the Meeting ID: 981 176 2526

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Please MAIL all Tabernacle UMC Tithes/Offerings & Correspondence to the Church Treasurer at her home office: Margie Katity - 115 Aspen Drive, Swainton, NJ 08210
 Do not send mail to the [church mailbox](#)

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**Rev. Jack & Linda Howard
(Basic Blessings)**

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"We finished dying all the eggs,
so now we're decoratin'
Daddy's golf balls."

THE NEXT MISSION SUNDAY IS APRIL 11th

Wondering how you can help support Missions?

- Bring A Bag of Basics for Basic Blessings on April 11th.
- Sign up for the Family Promise Dinner Opportunity
- Support our Shared Ministry Missions Work
- Give an extra gift toward Missions
- Contact our Missions Coordinator, Chandi Ankrum for more ideas! Call (609) 972-7617 or email rrspecialties@comcast.net



Ways To Support Your Church

ShopRite Grocery Program: Are you a Shoprite customer? If you are, why not purchase Shop Rite grocery cards after today's service and 5% of your purchase will benefit Tabernacle!

Amazon Smile donates to Tabernacle UMC!

Most of us shop from Amazon at one time or another! If you register thru **AmazonSmile** and choose **Tabernacle United Methodist Church-Cape May** as your charity, the church will receive a quarterly check for a percentage of whatever you purchase! Then always log in thru AmazonSmile for the church to receive donations. This is a free and easy way that we can earn money for the church! *Sign up by entering: [Smile.Amazon.com](https://www.smile.amazon.com) on your internet browser address line & enter your regular Amazon ID and Password to register!*

Tabernacle Basic Blessings: A ministry of Tabernacle UMC which collects & distributes basic necessities that go unprovided by state funded programs. Items and donations made go toward the purchase of Basic Blessings stock. Distributions are held on the third Saturday each month at 10am at Tabernacle UMC. Pastor is available for counseling for those desiring spiritual help.



Easter Story

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