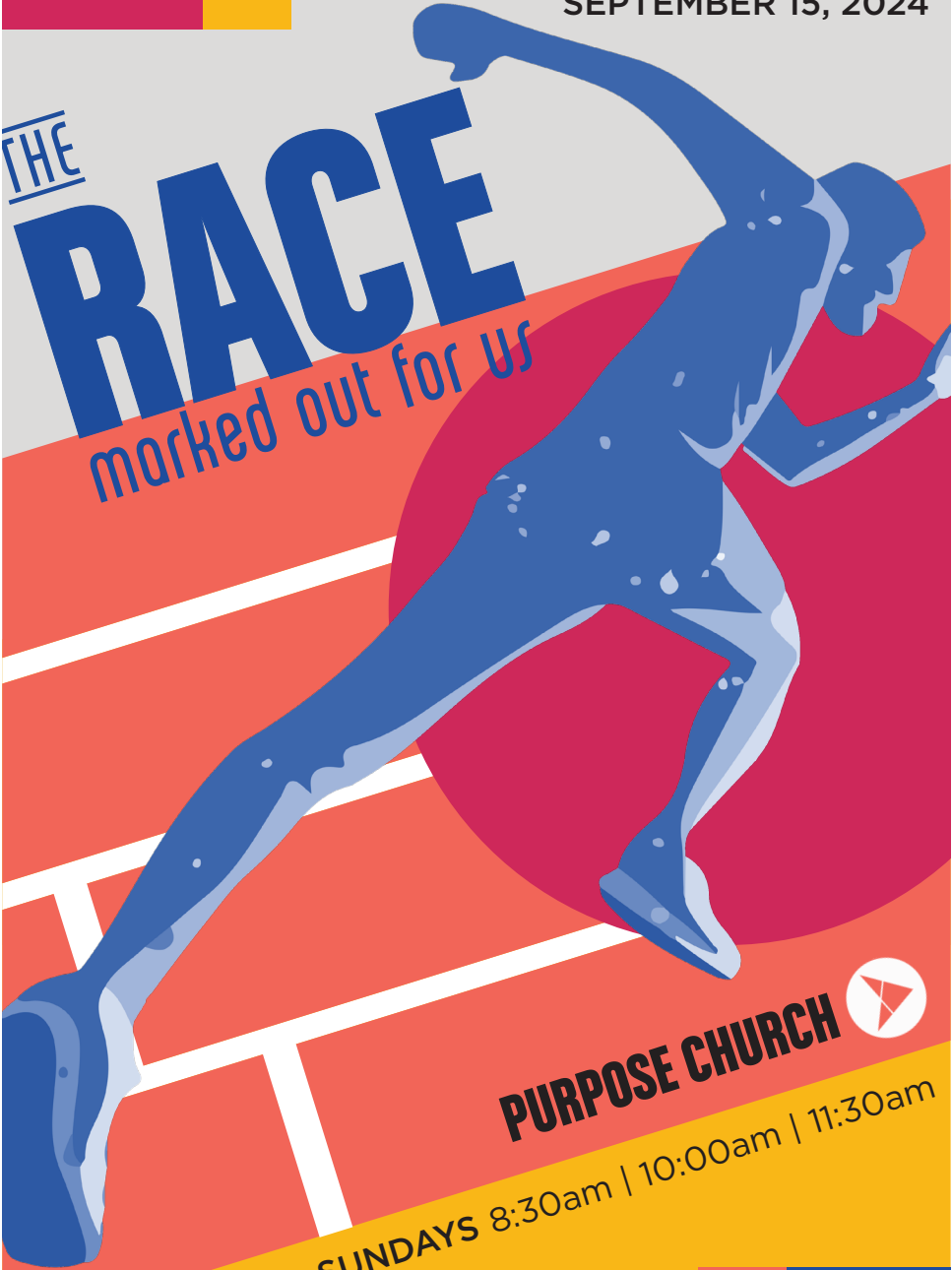




SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

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PURPOSE CHURCH



SUNDAYS 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am

WELCOME TO PURPOSE CHURCH!

Are you new to Purpose Church?

We are so glad you are here! We want to meet you, answer any questions you might have, and help you get connected. Come to the Connect Center located in the Lobby after the service to meet our friendly team and pick up a free gift!

NEXT STEPS AT PURPOSE

We believe every person has a *next step* to take. We are here to help you discover and take yours.

Have you decided to follow Jesus?
Do you want to get baptized?
Do you need hope, healing and support?
Are you looking for meaningful community?

Head to: purposechurch.com/nextsteps



BETTER TOGETHER

JOIN A LIFE GROUP

What if you were truly known by others, growing in the knowledge of the Word of God, and experiencing the power of prayer and service in community? That is our hope for you. That is experiencing a **GROUP WITH PURPOSE**.

Groups kick off the week of September 15 and we have groups available for every age and stage. Our new curriculum, Practicing the Way, is a great place to start whether you have been following Jesus for a long time or are new in your faith. Head to purposechurch.com/groups or our Church Center App to find a group that works for you!

PRAYER

We would love to pray with you! Please stop by the prayer room after the service or submit a prayer request online.
purposechurch.com/prayer

GIVING

We believe that generous people transform the world! Offering boxes are available in the lobby on Sundays or you can give online.
purposechurch.com/give

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THE NINE MARKS OF A HIGH-IMPACT CHURCH

First sermon at our church: August 8, 1993
September 15, 2024 / Pastor Glenn Gunderson

1. **Discovering your spiritual gifts and putting them into _____.**

Romans 12:4-8

2. **Avoiding the _____ of “gift-centricity.”**

1 Corinthians 12:17-21

3. **Blending the _____ and the _____.**

Matthew 13:52

4. **Discerning the _____ between a 1 Timothy 3 and a Romans 14 issue.**

5. **Making _____ a real priority.**

Luke 15

6. **Making _____ a real priority.**

1 Chronicles 4:9-10

7. **An _____ of vulnerability and openness.**

James 5:16

8. **A willingness to take _____ risks.**

Ecclesiastes 11:1

9. **A humble reliance upon God in _____.**

1 Peter 5:6

REFLECT + DISCUSS:

1. Which of these 9 “marks” do you think that our church has done well on over the past 31 years and into the present?
2. Which of these 9 need improvement in the future?
3. Which of these 9 do you personally do well on?
4. Which of these 9 in your life need work with the help of the Holy Spirit in the days ahead?

RETIREMENT CELEBRATIONS

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE:

- SEPT. 8 | Glenn's 7 Favorite Movie Clips
SEPT. 15 | Glenn's First Sermon as Lead Pastor
SEPT. 22 | Glenn's Last Sermon as Lead Pastor
SEPT. 29 | Retirement Celebration Sunday

RETIREMENT EVENTS:

- SAT, SEPT. 21 | Women's Celebration Brunch for Kimberly (10am-12pm)*
SUN, SEPT. 22 | Retirement Blessings: Honoring the Gundersons (3-5pm)
SAT, SEPT. 28 | Men's Warrior Breakfast with Glenn (8-10am)

**Registration required for select events at purposechurch.com/retirement*

Fill in the blanks: action, dangers, old, new, difference, outreach, growth, atmosphere, reasonable, prayer

