

## Glenville Presbyterian solar panel dedication ceremony

On a beautiful Sunday afternoon in September, Glenville Presbyterian Church held a dedication service for its recently installed solar panels. The service was attended by 30 people and led by Pastor Karen Kinney (at center in photo at right), assisted by Robin Blakeman and Ed Thompson. It was especially meaningful because the dedication occurred on the same weekend as the September 20 Global Climate Strike, the largest day of action for climate justice ever.

The church's solar system is designed to provide most of the electric needs for the building, and it had been producing all the energy that was needed during the late summer months.

Congregations interested in solar power for their church can contact Glenville's Kayla Walsh ([mgilbe3@gmail.com](mailto:mgilbe3@gmail.com)) or Spencer's Brenda Wilson ([brendaterminiwilson@gmail.com](mailto:brendaterminiwilson@gmail.com)) to get information about their church's experiences. Individuals who want to work for climate justice can join the Sunrise Movement, which is planning another day of climate action on December 6 – when world leaders gather at the UN's annual climate conference, and young people across America will join a national Climate Strike to encourage elected officials to take action regarding the climate.



**LEFT:** Glenville Presbyterian Church members and guests participate in the solar panel dedication ceremony.

**BELOW:** Solar panels are seen on Glenville Presbyterian's front roof.

