

**Guest Registration Form**

9:00 am

11:00 am

Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Neighborhood \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Names of all family members:  
\*Please include ages of children

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How did you find us? \_\_\_\_\_

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Check all that apply:

- I am a first time guest
- I am a returning guest
- I am a guest of \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to know how to become a Christian
- I would like to know more about church membership and baptism
- I would like to connect with a small group bible study
- I would like to meet with someone for prayer
- I would like more information on the ministries of the church

*Please detach this form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the Welcome Center in the narthex.*

Are you interested in becoming a member of HRBC? If you wish, someone from the church staff will gladly discuss with you several options for membership prior to your public decision:

- ◆ Profession of Christian faith and baptism
- ◆ Transfer of membership from another congregation (this will include believer's baptism if you have not previously experienced it)
- ◆ Statement of previous Christian faith (and believer's baptism, if not previously experienced)
- ◆ Watchcare—your membership is retained in a previous church, but full fellowship is extended to you by HRBC

**Sermon Notes**

“Recognizing Jesus”  
Luke 2:22-40

In 2018, what unexpected place or person might God show up?

How will you prepare to recognize God?

In what ways does the church allow you to fulfill your baptismal vows of loving, encouraging, and supporting one another?

**Upcoming Sermons:**

- **Jan. 7** “Beginnings”  
Genesis 1:1-5
- **Jan. 14** “Awaken” 1  
Samuel 3:1-10
- **Jan. 21** “Call and Response”  
Mark 1:14-20
- **Jan. 28** “The Power of Your Story”  
Psalm 111
- **Feb. 4** “The WORK of Prayer”  
Mark 1:29-39

**A Word of Welcome to our Guests...**

We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us today! The following information will be helpful to you:

- Water fountains and rest rooms with diaper changing facilities are conveniently located in the main lobby.
- Monitors for the hearing impaired are available upon request from the ushers.
- If you have not done so previously, please fill out the Guest Registration Form on the interior flap of this bulletin and place it in the offering plate.
- Extended Teaching Care is available for infants through pre-Kindergarten in the Children's Building during both Sunday morning worship services.
- Children may borrow a Worship Bag from the rack outside the worship area. Please return the bag following the worship service.
- Should you need assistance of any kind during the worship service, please feel free to call upon the ushers.

You are invited to meet members of the ministerial staff in the foyer following the service.

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**December 31, 2017**  
**11:00 am**  
**CHRISTMASTIDE**

Prelude	“New Year’s Carol”	arr. Macklin
Welcome to Worshipers		Phillip Brown
Call to Worship 94 (stz.1)	“Angels from the Realms of Glory”	Montgomery
* Hymn 96	“Good Christian Men, Rejoice”	Neale
* Invocation		Phillip Brown
Scripture Lesson	Luke 2:22-40	Jordan Eggleston
Pastoral Prayer		Matthew Hensley
* Hymn 100	“Angels We Have Heard on High”	Traditional
Offertory Prayer		Matthew Hensley
Offertory	“What Child is This?” Phillip and Lissa Brown, duet	Dix
Message	<b>Recognizing Jesus</b>	Matthew Hensley
* Hymn 95	“Go, Tell It On the Mountain”	Work
Celebration of Decisions		
Go with God		Phillip Brown
* Benediction		Matthew Hensley
* Response 85	“Emmanuel”	McGee
* Postlude	“Another Year is Dawning”	arr. McDonald

\* Congregation Standing

**OUR PURPOSE**

*Worshiping, Loving, Growing, Serving  
in the name of Jesus Christ*

