

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

How did you find us? _____

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

"Jesus: Familiar with the Human Experience"
Mark 11:1-11; 15:1-39

A reading for Holy Week:

"Jesus prepares to enter Jerusalem. He will enter majestically, hearing cries of 'Hosanna in the highest!' His sights are set on what he must do; his intentions are faithful to God, who sustains him. Soon the crowds will disperse, to be replaced by tormentors. Adulation will cease, and he will be faced with betrayal. Humiliation and obedience lead to death so that life may abound to God's glory." - Rev. James Kirk, from *When We Gather: A Book of Prayers for Worship*

My Notes:

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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Jeff Parker, Pianist

OUR PURPOSE

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

March 25, 2018

11:00 am

PALM SUNDAY

Prelude	"Open the Gates of the Temple"	arr. Smith
Welcome to Worshipers		Matthew Hensley
Call to Worship	"Rejoice!" Easter Choir	McDonald
* Hymn 126 Invocation	"All Glory, Laud and Honor"	Neale Kate Honeycutt
FPU Testimony		Amy Rawls
Scripture Lesson Pastoral Prayer	Philippians 2:5-11	Olivia Cottrell Bob Lee
Children's Message		Amanda Lott, Children
* Hymn 130 * Offertory Prayer Offertory Anthem	"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" "That's Where Love Will Find Me"	Threlfall Phillip Brown McDonald
Message	Jesus: Familiar with the Human Experience Mark 11:1-11; 15:1-39	Bob Lee
* Hymn 456	"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"	Dorsey
Celebration of Decisions		
Sabbatical Information		Bob Lee
Go with God		Staff
* Benediction		Bob Lee
* Response 39 (stz.1)	"Rejoice, ye Pure in Heart"	Plumptre
* Postlude	"Power in the Blood"	arr. White

* Congregation Standing

Upcoming Sermons:

April 1 Easter Sunday: "The More of the Easter Story" Mark 16:1-8

April 8 "What Makes the Church Community Different?" Acts 4:32-35

Welcome to Holy Week

Today is Palm Sunday, the day we remember our Savior's Triumphant entry into Jerusalem. It is also the last day to order **Easter flowers** for the Sanctuary. Tomorrow reservations are due at noon for the **Maundy Thursday** meal. We are asking for a \$2 donation per person (children **included**) for the Passover Seder Meal/Service. The Maundy Thursday event will take place in the gym at 6:00 pm. Please return on **Good Friday** at 6:00 pm in the sanctuary for a Service of Tenebrae (darkness and shadows). This very moving time of worship will center on the seriousness of Jesus' sacrifice to save the world. And finally please come on the day of days, when Jesus triumphed over sin and death - **Easter Sunday!** Worship will take place at both 9:00 and 11:00 am. Don't forget to bring cut flowers for the courtyard cross.

Endowment Luncheon (save the date)

There will be an informational luncheon on April 22 after 11am worship to learn more about the new HRBC Endowment. Please save the date! The free lunch is from Joe's Inn. No reservation is needed.

Gordon Mote in Concert at HRBC - Free!

Join us Sunday, April 15 at 6:00 pm for Dove and Grammy Award nominee Gordon Mote. The doors will open by 5:30 pm. Invite a friend and come and enjoy an evening of worship and Christian music.

Leadership Substitutes for Phillip while on Sabbatical

Michelle Graham - Chancel Choir & Late Worship; **Rachel Greenwood** - Chancel Choir & Late Worship (1 Sunday), King's Kids Musical along with Meagan Abell, Sharron Abell and Barry Lloyd; **Ashley Huffman** - piano for Early Worship along with AsOne Praise Band, piano for Late Worship (1 Sunday); **Joan Maples** - United Praise Youth Choir along with Rachel Greenwood, Matt Richardson, Bill Broyles, Lindsay Pickral and Sharron Abell; **Stephen Tayman and Bill Broyles** - College Spring Retreat along with Lisa Brown and the College Ministry Team.

Caritas Returns April 7-14

Stop by the registration table in the commons to find out how you can participate in one of the most fun and meaningful weeks at HRBC! Or register at www.hrbcrichmond.org/my-hrbc.

Financial Peace University

Register for Financial Peace University (FPU) by visiting www.hrbcrichmond.org/my-hrbc. Led by Amy Rawls, FPU is a nine-week class that begins Wednesday April 11 at 6:00 pm. Cost for the class is \$109 per household. Contact the church for more information.

Sunday, March 25

9:00 am	CrossRoads Contemporary Worship	Sanctuary
9:45 am	Bible Study for All Ages	
11:00 am	Traditional Worship Service	Sanctuary
5:00 pm	United Praise Student Choir Rehearsal	Reber Music Suite
6:00 pm	Student Ministries Snack Supper	Family Life Center
6:30 pm	Student Ministries Large Group	210/211
	AsOne Praise Band Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Monday, March 26

10:00 am	Morningside Ministry	Morningside
6:30 pm	Boy Scouts Meeting, Pack 1825, Den 1	409
7:00 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous	209

Tuesday, March 27

9:45 am	Staff Meeting	Conference Room
10:30 am	Morningside Ministry	Morningside

Wednesday, March 28

7:30 pm	European Wind Ensemble	Family Life Center
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Thursday, March 29

9:45 am	Men's Bible Study	120/121
6:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Meal & Service	Family Life Center
7:30 pm	Families Anonymous	209

Friday, March 30

	CDC Closed for Good Friday	
6:00 pm	Good Friday Tenebrae Service	Sanctuary

Our Christian Identity

What does it mean to be a Christian? Does it have any meaning beyond what I profess? How does following Christ touch every part of my life? In this four-week study, seasoned Christians, new followers and seekers alike will gain much from a discussion of how profession of faith in Christ changes everything. The class will meet on the four Sundays after Easter - April 8,15, 22 and 29 - in room 104 during the Sunday School hour. For information, contact Matthew at matthew@hrbcrichmond.org

Summer Missions

There are two wonderful opportunities for folks of all ages this summer to learn, love and serve on mission. June 27-30 we will serve in Charlotte with Family Tree. July 14-21 we will serve in Owsley County, Kentucky. Both are family friendly. You can register now at www.hrbcrichmond.org/my-hrbc.

Worship Care Volunteers Today

Lesley Montgomery	Jane Lewis
Jodi Seitz	Vickie Lloyd
Taylor Early	Melanie Lloyd
Amy Rawls	Curtis Montgomery
Frankie Ashley	Sue Simon
Sherri Ryan	Abigail Montgomery

Worship Care Volunteers April 1, 2018

Caroline Johns	Andy Sasser
Jennie Raugh	Jason Huffman
Wilton Johns	Jake Raugh
Jill Raugh	Sue Simon
Jan Morehead	Ashley Huffman
Marianne Allen	Josh Raugh
Joan Boswell	

By the numbers...

3/18/18

Morningside	25
Bible Study	226
Total	251

Contemporary Worship	79
Traditional Worship	201
Total	280

Ministry of Giving through 3/18:

Weekly Budget Offering: \$16,331

Receipts Year to Date: \$206,074

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

OUR FAMILY OF FAITH:

Dempsey Bradley	Preston Minton
Allan Butler	Michaela Morris
Mary Candler	Ruth Mounce
Mark Dunn	Dora Mullins
Curtis Fyne	Linda Parson
Stewart Goff	Lee Ann Perkins
Charlie Hendricks	Gordon Price
Paul Hite	Katie Ralcewicz
Nancy Hubbard	Lois Simmons
M. A. Hutcheson	Ron Snead
Margaret Jamerson	Patty Spragg
Judy Labbee	Walter Taylor
Don Lee	Dot Thacker
Cecile Miller	John Whitley
Eric Millirons	Kris Yearby

In the Hospital:

Harold Gravatt—Memorial Regional Hospital

In Rehab:

Mike High—Laurels of Willow Creek
Gladys Graves—Laurels of Willow Creek



Wednesday Dinner will resume on April 11th

Be sure to register for our Maundy Thursday Seder-style meal by Monday, March 26.

Please tear off and place in the offering plate.

Prayer Requests

Please pray for

Sympathy to:

Lori Sealey-Patrick (Kevin) on the death of her mother, Beulah Sealey

Sue Monks, Sharon Broyles, and Lisa Brown, on the death of Sue's aunt and Sharon and Lisa's great-aunt.

Linda (Tuck) and Brenda (Nip) Pulliam on the death of their sister, Hazel Dale