

Guest Registration Form

8:30 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 baptism by immersion if you have not previously experienced it)
- ◆ Statement of previous Christian faith (and baptism by immersion, if not previously experienced)
- ◆ Watchcare—your membership is retained in a previous church, but full fellowship is extended to you by HRBC

Sermon Notes
"Finishing What We Start"
Matthew 2:1-12

Question for Reflection:
 What are your "unfinished masterpieces"?

Biblical Principle: The Christian life is a matter of perseverance.

Application: Trust God to help you finish well.

Upcoming Sermons

January 13 "Imitatio Christi" Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

January 20 "If Jesus..." John 2:1-11

January 27 "Playing Our Part" Luke 4:14-21, Cor. 12:12-31

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.
- Worship Care is available for infants through pre-Kindergarten in the Children's Building during both Sunday morning worship services.
- Children may borrow Worship Helps from the cart outside the worship area. Please return items following the worship service.
- Should you need assistance of any kind during the worship service, please feel free to call upon the ushers.
- We use gluten-free bread as we celebrate the Lord's Supper.

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

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OUR PURPOSE

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

January 6, 2019
11:00 am
EPIPHANY

Prelude	"Be Thou My Vision"	arr. Bohnhorst
Welcome to Worshipers		Matthew Hensley
Call to Worship 253	"Doxology"	Ken
* Hymn 89	"O Come, All Ye Faithful"	Wade
* Invocation		Phillip Brown
Introduction of Aaron and Lauryn Everic		Elliot Gibbs
Scripture Lesson	Isaiah 60:1-6	Jack Flowers
Pastoral Prayer		Bob Lee
* Hymn 113	"We Three Kings of Orient Are"	Hopkins
* Offertory Prayer		Aaron Everic
Offertory Anthem	"At the Table"	Martin
	Chancel Choir	
Children's Message		Amanda Lott, Children
	First Grade Bible Presentation	
Message	Finishing What We Start	Bob Lee
	Matthew 2:1-12	
Celebration of the Lord's Supper		Pastor, Congregation
* Hymn 117	"As With Gladness Men of Old"	Dix
Celebration of Decisions		
Go with God		Staff
Staff Anniversary Recognition		Bob Lee
	Karen Upson - 4 years	
* Benediction		Bob Lee
* Response 252	"Gloria Patri"	Greatorex
* Postlude	"Blessed Assurance"	Knapp
		* Congregation Standing

Practices for the Church on Mission—Begins this Wednesday!

Oftentimes we put the doing ahead of listening to where God is already at work. In our 2019 lecture series, learn how being present to God in the people and places around us is the first step in changing the world. The series will feature dynamic speakers on Wednesday, January 9, 16, 23, and 30 from 6:15-7:30 pm. This will be a special time of learning from gifted practitioners. See you there!

Guest Services Greeter Training

If you serve in any capacity that puts you in contact with guests, we want you to be a part of our yearly Guest Services training! While that includes all our members, we are specifically inviting Sunday School Greeters, Worship Greeters, Ushers, Family Welcome Desk/Worship Care Captains, and the Security Team to participate on Sunday evening, January 27 at 4:30 pm.

Are You Ready for Some Football?

Join the fun at Buffalo Wild Wings in Westchester Commons on Saturday, January 12 for the NFL Divisional Playoffs. The first game begins at 4:35pm. Bring a friend and enjoy good food and fellowship as we watch the game. Please visit our Facebook page to sign up. You may also call the church office. All are welcome!

Family Movie Night

1. Put on your PJs. 2. Gather your sleeping bag, blanket, or soccer chair to sit on. 3. Arrive at HRBC at 5:00 pm on Sunday, January 20 to eat pizza, watch a great movie, and consume large quantities of free popcorn. Pizza starts at 5:00 pm; *Ferdinand* starts at 6:00 pm. The fun starts when you arrive!

Karen Upson Anniversary

Join us in prayers of thanksgiving for the four years Karen Upson has served as our financial assistant. Please let Karen know how much we appreciate her faithful, gentle, steady leadership and presence!

Welcome to Aaron and Lauryn

After many months of meetings, surveys, and prayerful discernment, we are thrilled that Aaron Everic has responded to the unanimous call to serve as our new Associate Pastor for Student Ministries. Aaron started on January 1 and we welcome Lauryn and Aaron to the HRBC family! We are glad you're here!

Weekend On Call Pastor

In case of emergency, hospitalization, or other crisis over a weekend, one of our pastors serves as the "on call" pastor. Going forward, you will be able to reach the on call pastor on a dedicated phone line by calling **804-489-9436**. Each Sunday, the following week's on call pastor will be listed in the worship bulletin. Should you get the voice mail, please leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible. We hope this is a helpful tool in our pastoral care ministry.

Sunday, January 6		
8:30 am	the Awakening Worship Service	Family Life Center
9:45 am	Bible Study for All Ages	
11:00 am	Classic Worship Service	Sanctuary
6:00 pm	New Life Arabic Church Prayer Group	122/123
6:15 pm	the Awakening Band Rehearsal	Family Life Center
	Youth Large Group	211
Monday, January 7		
10:00 am	Morningside Ministry	Morningside
5:00 pm	MDM Team Meeting	Conference Room
5:30 pm	Upward Basketball Practice	Family Life Center
7:00 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous	209
Tuesday, January 8		
9:45 am	Staff Chapel and Meeting	Conference Room
10:00 am	Dotty Shepard Mission Group Meeting	116/117
10:30 am	Morningside Ministry	Morningside
1:00 pm	Red Cross Blood Drive	MPR 2
Wednesday, January 9		
7:00 am	Commonwealth Prayer Breakfast	G.R. Convention Ctr
5:30 pm	HRBC Café	Family Life Center
6:00 pm	Preschool Music and Missions	C-101
	Extreme Kids Missions (K-5th grade)	C-206
6:15 pm	12:2 Youth Ministry Small Groups	211
	Winter Lecture Series	MPR 2
6:45 pm	King's Kids Choir	C-205
7:30 pm	European Wind Ensemble	Family Life Center
Thursday, January 10		
9:45 am	Men's Bible Study	120/121
5:30 pm	the Awakening Band Rehearsal	Family Life Center
6:30 pm	Thursday Life Community Group	Commons
7:30 pm	Families Anonymous	209
8:00 pm	Hope Fiends—Narcotics Anonymous	MPR 2
Friday, January 11		
10:00 am	American Sewing Guild	MPR 2
5:30 pm	Upward Basketball Practice	Family Life Center
Saturday, January 12		
9:00 am	Upward Basketball Games	Family Life Center
6:30 pm	New Life Arabic Church Bible Study & Worship	122/123

Sunday Bible Study Survey

In an effort to gain helpful feedback from our congregation regarding our Sunday morning Christian formation process, the Discipleship Team is asking everyone to complete a brief survey. These surveys can be found on the church web site and in the Milepost. There are paper copies available for those who prefer that format. Thank you in advance for helping us offer formative studies and experiences.

Worship Care Volunteers Today		Worship Care Volunteers January 13, 2018	
Colleen Bryant	George Pickral	Sue Hurley	Betty Cariello
Kristin Francisco	Carolyn Burdette	Amanda Lott	Sue Simon
Amanda Lott	Timothy Burdette	Susan Coleman	Ava Edwards
Heather Thornton	Sue Simon	Amy Rawls	George Morehead
Sue Robertson	Jay Burdette	Melanie Lee	Isabella Lee
Kevin Thornton		Carolyn Ward	

By the numbers... 12/30/18	
Bible Study	196
Morningside	27
Total	223
Advent Worship	267
Ministry of Giving through 12/30: (new fiscal year began 7/1/18)	
Weekly Budget Offering:	\$22,523
Receipts YTD:	\$538,862
Expenses YTD:	\$467,306
Prior Year YTD:	\$607,218

REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR FAMILY OF FAITH:

Doris Bradham	Cecile Miller
William Brown	Preston Minton
Betty Connell	Michaela Morris
Billy Dix	Ruth Mounce
Taylora Dunford	Lee Ann Perkins
Shirley Dunn	Katie Ralcewicz
Mark Dunn	Sandra Shelton
Christy Ford	Lois Simmons
Wesley Garrett	Ron Snead
June Grant	David Sowder
Marvin Gregory	Hugh Stevens
Marjorie Hetrick	Dot Thacker
Susan Johnson	Bobby Vann
Fay Lewis	Wayne Wilkerson
Gordon Malloch	Jean Wills
Richard Martin	Shirley Wilson
Mina McAllister	Denise Withers
Howard Mead	Kris Yearby
Sue Monks	

In rehab:
Dot Thacker—Laurels of Bon Air

In Memoriam
Paul Hite
12/17/1927—12/29/2018

Sympathy to:
Bee Hite on the death of her husband, Paul Hite, and to David and Kevin Hite on the death of their father.


Tanja Cottrell (Dave) and family, on the death of her father, Arthur Tracey.

Please tear off and place in the offering plate.

Submit online prayer requests and sign-up to receive a twice weekly prayer list in your inbox at hrbcrichmond.org/prayer-request/.

Prayer Requests
Please pray for

Weekend On Call Pastor
To reach the weekend on call pastor, call **804-489-9436**
January 11-13—Bob Lee



HRBC CAFE
SERVING DELICIOUS DINNERS FROM 5:30 - 6 PM FELLOWSHIP UNTIL 6:30 PM

Menu for January 9
Garden salad, herb roasted chicken, yellow rice pilaf, French beans with garlic, Italian bread/butter, blondies
Adult meals: \$7
Kids meals: \$4
Maximum family: \$24
Reservations are due by Monday, January 7 at noon either online or to the church office.