



# Worship

January 12, 2025 | 11 am

HAYESBARTON

## GATHERING AND PRAISE

WELCOME

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Mark Rostick

PRELUDE

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

We come today to remember.

**We come to remember Jesus' baptism and ours with thanksgiving**

We come today to remember.

**The day that the heavens opened, when the Holy Spirit's dove rested on Jesus and a heavenly voice declared God's pleasure.**

We come today to remember.

**That the One greater than John, greater than all of us is coming again.**

We come to worship and give thanks that we are known, and loved, and precious in God's sight.

**Let us worship the Lord!**

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

Hymn #64

\*OPENING PRAYER

God of grace and glory,  
you call us with your voice of flame  
to be your people, faithful and courageous.

As your beloved Son  
embraced his mission in the waters of baptism,  
inspire us with the fire of your Spirit  
to join in his transforming work.

We ask this in the name of our Savior Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.

## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 43:1-7

NRSV

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you, and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Cush and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight and honored and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life.

Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth—everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

\*GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

NRSV

As the people were filled with expectation and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water, but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the strap of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

Now when all the people were baptized and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

SERMON

*Into the Water*

Pastor David

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

\*RESPONSE HYMN

*Baptized in Water*

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PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND FOR THE WORLD

*To submit a confidential or shared prayer request to the clergy, please email [prayer@hbumc.org](mailto:prayer@hbumc.org).*

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*Please pass the attendance register. Visitors, please share your contact information.*

To offer your tithes and offerings, visit **[hbumc.org/give](http://hbumc.org/give)**  
or mail checks to: HBUMC, 2209 Fairview Rd, Raleigh NC 27608.

OFFERTORY

*Come to the Water*  
Chamber Choir

arr. Jack Schrader

O let all who thirst, let them come to the water  
And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord without money without price  
Why should u pay the price except for the Lord

And let all who seek, let them come to the water  
And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord without money without strife  
Why should you spend your life except for the Lord

And let all who toil, let them come to the water  
And let all who are weary, let them come to the Lord all who labor without rest  
How can your soul find rest except for the Lord

And let all the poor, let them come to the water  
Let the ones who are laden, let them come to the Lord  
Bring the children without might, easy the load and light

\*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Hymn #94

## **SENDING FORTH**

\*CLOSING HYMN

*Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters*

Hymn #605

\*BENEDICTION AND CHIMES

POSTLUDE

\*Stand as you are able. CCLI License # 2367044

## **WELCOME TO HAYES BARTON!**

Our congregation exists so that all of God's people can come alive in God's kingdom. We seek to do this through worship, formation, and serving in our community and beyond. If you would like to learn more about our congregation and ways to connect, please contact Amy Piland, at [apiland@hbumc.org](mailto:apiland@hbumc.org). To submit a confidential or shared prayer request to the clergy, please email [prayer@hbumc.org](mailto:prayer@hbumc.org).

## **PRAYER CONCERNS & WORSHIP LEADERS**

### **DEATHS**

Betty Angell  
Mary Long Jarrell,  
mother of Jennie Hayman

### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Zack Anstett  
Dorothy Ashworth  
The Bingham Family  
Bill Collins  
Laura Deprill  
Judie Edwards  
Reggie Edwards  
Doug Gill  
Steve Gill  
Mary Lou Goodrich  
Pat & Bud Gore  
Gilbert Hay  
Boo Lambeth  
Tony Lambeth  
Becky Perry  
Jim Riggins

Gladys Rose  
Nancy Stamey  
Theresa & Dick Stevens  
Gini Tharrington  
Nick Wagner  
Our Government Leaders  
Those Affected by Natural Disasters  
Our In-Crowd Members  
Peace in Palestine, Israel, Haiti, and  
Ukraine  
Hurricane Helene Recovery

### **OUR CHURCH LEADERS**

Pastors David, Molly, Laura,  
Sarah, and Schylar  
District Superintendent Chris Brady  
Bishop Connie Shelton

### **THE CHANCEL FLOWERS**

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Faye Eury and Faith Young Eury, loving wife and daughter of Lynn Eury, and also in honor of Beth Davis and Leigh Vette by Lynn Eury.

### **USHERS**

Frank Brown, Captain,  
Lars Bostrom, Tom Graves, Henry Jones,  
Ben Thompson, David Welsh

### **GREETERS**

Dennis Poteat, Ruth Glisson

### **CRUCIFER**

Charley Monsees

### **MUSIC**

Mike Trexler,  
Director of Creative Arts  
Stephen Aber, Organist



# The 2025 application for HBUMC Outreach grants is now open!

Through our annual HBUMC Outreach grants, our church provides tens of thousands of dollars to local nonprofits working to alleviate poverty in our community. We need your help to make sure our application reaches far and wide! If you are connected to a Wake County nonprofit that meets our grant requirements and may be interested in applying, please pass along the application in early January. All submissions are due Feb. 15. Please direct questions to Lindsey Nugent at [lnugent@hbumc.org](mailto:lnugent@hbumc.org) or Rachel Pedersen at [rach919@protonmail.com](mailto:rach919@protonmail.com).

Scan to learn more and share application.



## Stephen Ministry at HBUMC

**Stephen Ministers** are individuals in our congregation skilled in caring for those facing challenges in their lives. They have undergone extensive training to develop and nurture their caring skills. **Stephen Ministers exist to walk alongside anyone in our congregation in need of support during a difficult season, providing confidential, no-cost support.**

Learn more at [hbumc.org/support](https://hbumc.org/support).

## See You Wednesday Night for Dinner

Our next meal on January 15, will be a taco bar including chicken, beef, or veggie tacos with all the toppings (lettuce, cheese, pico, sour cream, jalapenos), rice, beans and chips. Gluten-free tortilla shells available. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$6 for kids.

Deadline to RSVP for dinner is Monday, January 13. Sign up at [hbumc.org/signs](https://hbumc.org/signs) or scan the qr code.



We are still working toward meeting our stewardship goal for the coming year. If you haven't filled out your pledge card, you can go to [hbumc.org/stewardship](https://hbumc.org/stewardship) or scan the QR code. We have physical cards available at the front desk as well. Even if you are set up for automatic drafts and don't plan to alter your giving for 2025, we still need your pledge card in order to properly budget for the amount you plan to give. If your automatic draft has an end date and you plan to continue into 2025, please make sure to adjust that date to ensure your giving continues seamlessly. **Your pledge helps us plan and steward resources effectively, and we are deeply grateful for your continued generosity!**

## Youth-led Sunday Worship

February 2 at 8:30, 9:00, & 11:00 am

There is a place for everyone to participate in this exuberant morning of worship! Youth interested in offering a musical piece and seniors interested in sharing during the sermon time, please reach out to Pastor Schylar at [sferguson@hbumc.org](mailto:sferguson@hbumc.org). For all other roles, sign up at [hbumc.org/signups](https://hbumc.org/signups).

Worship walk-through will be Saturday, February 1 from 3-4:30PM.



## Youth Chili Cook-off Fundraiser

supporting Youth Service Trips  
Sunday, February 2, 5:00-6:30PM

Tickets are \$10 for children/\$15 for adults and include:

- a bowl of veggie or meat chili with chips, salad, and dessert
- a tasting spoon & note card for ranking chili contest entries
- 3 tickets to cast your vote(s) for your favorite chili entries
- a Bingo card

Additional votes & Bingo cards are available by donation at the event. **All ticket reservations will close on January 31.**

The youth will be stirring up their own chili to be served at the Cook-off and quarts of chili will be available for pre-sale at \$10/quart. **Pre-orders for chili quarts will close January 28.** We are also looking for chili contest participants! Sign up to participate, register for dinner, order chili quarts, and volunteer at [hbumc.org/signups](https://hbumc.org/signups).



SAVE THE DATE

TOGETHER IN FAITH:

*an Evening for Women with*  
**SHAUNA NIEQUIST**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2025  
6:00 - 8:15 P.M.

WHITE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Registration is live! Visit [hbumc.org/signups](https://hbumc.org/signups) or scan the QR code.

Tickets are \$65 per person.



## New Member Class Begins Feb. 2

Anyone interested in membership at HBUMC is invited to join the Winter New Member class. The new member class is separated into four parts: Feb 2, 9, 12, and 19. Please plan to attend all sessions. Childcare is provided during these classes.

We will welcome new members during worship on February 23. **Contact [apiland@hbumc.org](mailto:apiland@hbumc.org) to sign up.**