



HAYESBARTON

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

October 4, 2026

9:00AM

Our vision is
*to become fully alive as
followers of Jesus Christ*

We seek to do this by
*choosing Christ, Community,
and Compassion*



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David Beam..... Lead Pastor
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WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

USHERS

Beau Cates, Phillip Rose,
Eric Skaggs

WORSHIP TECH TEAM

Tony Swartz, Kelly Donaldson,
Austin Bowling

LIGHTHOUSE BAND

Corey Ward, Dave Harrell,
Mike Rees

COMMUNION SERVERS

Lisa Sumner, Dianne Jones,
Elisabeth Dickinson, Terry Roper

WELCOME!

We're glad you're here! To learn more about Hayes Barton and getting involved, please contact Rev. Sarah Swandell (sswandell@hbumc.org).

Children of all ages are welcome to join us for worship. Nursery care is available. Ushers can assist you with seating and/or direct you to our nursery. If at any point you or your little one needs a break during the service, please feel free to step into the hallway behind Holroyd Hall. The service will be streaming there, so you can continue to join us comfortably.

Restrooms and water fountains are available in the hallway through the doors to the left of the stage.

Want to receive emails from Hayes Barton about upcoming Bible studies, events and other offerings? Email Stephen Aber (saber@hbumc.org)

To submit a confidential or shared prayer request to the clergy, please email prayer@hbumc.org.

LightHouse Worship

Welcome

Worship Songs

Battle Belongs
Great Are You Lord

Time with Young Disciples

Gospel Lesson

Luke 12:13-21

The word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Message

Red Letter Christians: Generosity

Pastor David

Prayers of the People

Offering

Please pass the attendance register.

Visitors, please share your contact information with us.

Thank you for your gifts; visit hbumc.org/give to give and pledge online.

Invitation to Table, Confession, Pardon, Passing of the Peace

The Great Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Worship Song

Crowns Down

Blessing and Sending Forth

PRAYER CONCERNS

To submit a confidential or shared prayer request to the clergy, please email prayer@hbumc.org.

PRAYER LIST

Zack Anstett
Dorothy Ashworth
Hayns Barringer
Linda & Ron Berra
Ann Bowers
Bill Collins
Robert Faircloth
Dick Fowler
Katherine Fox
Jo Garrett
Pat & Bud Gore
Dorsey Hawkins
Dale Hollar
Trish Holmes
Dianne Hudson
Jo Ann & Nevelle Jones
Chuck Kavcsak
Penny Link
Steve Motter
Chelle Porter
Our seminarian, Owen Ragsdale
Jim Riggins
Sue Robertson
Neil Rudolph
Susanne Stephenson
Theresa & Dick Stevens
Victoria Sullivan
Susan Ward
Dave Welsh
Jennifer Wlodarski

DEATHS

LaRose Williford, Mother of Tonya
Culpepper: September 29

ONGOING PRAYER CONCERNS

Our Government Leaders
Those Affected by
Natural Disasters
Our In-Crowd Members
We pray for peace and the end of conflict
around our world

OUR CHURCH LEADERS

Pastors David, Sarah,
Lindsey, Matt, and Claire
Our HBUMC Ministry Team
District Superintendent David Joyner
Bishop Connie Shelton



LIVING THE RED LETTER LIFE: 2027 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

As we celebrate 90 years of ministry, we give thanks for the generations of faithful people whose generosity has made our church's worship, discipleship, care, and outreach possible.

Our 2027 Stewardship theme, **Living the Red Letter Life**, invites us to put Jesus' words into action through love, generosity, compassion, and service. As we look toward the next chapter of Hayes Barton's ministry, every pledge helps us plan faithfully and continue sharing the love of Christ with our community and beyond.

COMMITMENT SUNDAY

Today, we invite you to make your 2027 pledge as we celebrate our history and look toward the years ahead. There are two ways to pledge.

Pledge online at **hbumc.org/give** or complete a Commitment Card, available in the Welcome Center this morning. During worship, you'll be invited to bring your Commitment Card forward as we offer our pledges together. If you've already pledged online, there is no need to complete a card.

Our 2027 goal is \$3,100,000. Every pledge helps us plan faithfully and carry Hayes Barton's ministry forward.

PLEDGE

Scan the QR code below.



HAYES BARTON HIGHLIGHTS

CHECK OUT THE NEW HBUMC.ORG

In our recent congregational survey, many of you told us that easier access to information and resources was important. One of the ways we're responding is with a completely new website, built to make it simpler to find what you need and stay connected to the life of the church. You'll still find us at hbumc.org, but the site has a new design, simpler navigation, and easier access to the things you use most. You'll also see we're now streaming each Sunday on YouTube! (no longer on Vimeo)

SERMON SERIES: RED LETTER CHRISTIANS

Red Letter Christians is an eight week journey through the teachings at the heart of Jesus' ministry. Each week, we'll explore one of the themes Jesus returned to most often: the Kingdom of God, discipleship, love and forgiveness, hope, money, prayer, service, and belonging. As we do, we'll discover that these teachings aren't just meant to be admired, but lived. Following Jesus is about more than believing the right things; it's about becoming the people Jesus calls us to be.

HUMBLE HEART BAZAAR

The Humble Heart Bazaar is celebrating 75 years of giving back to our community — a meaningful milestone that reflects generations of generosity, service, and fellowship through Hayes Barton United Methodist Women. Save these key dates below, visit our website to learn more, and follow along @humbleheartbazaar. hbumc.org/bazaar

Tuesday, Nov 10: Silent Auction Opens!

Tuesday, Nov 17: Corporate Lunch Delivery, Silent Auction, Bake Sale and Bazaar Marketplace

Wednesday, Nov 18: Signature Lunch, Silent Auction, Bake Sale and Bazaar Marketplace

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