

There Is More to Come

January = NOT my favorite month! Christmas is so big and celebratory; then we take down all the decorations and it's just over. Bleak skies and roller coaster weather until Spring.

But this year is different. And it is different because of church.

As we start the new year, I invite and encourage you to be here as much as you can to share in messages with a simple theme: There Is More to Come! Now is a time for RDBC to start looking ahead, anticipating who God may bring and what God may do to move us forward.

Our messages will focus on what WE can do to move forward in preparation for the next pastor to lead this wonderful group. No, it's not Christmas; but its a good reason to join us as we build joy for the future.

Pastor Tom



Adult Lunch

11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, January 8

Taco Reindo Mexican Restaurant

3310 Walhalla Hwy (Hwy 183), Six Mile

Thank you!

Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for making my birthday and Christmas season a time of celebration and joy. I'm so grateful for your visits, cards and gifts. It's been wonderful to see so many of my church family! I pray that you all will have a blessed Christmas and Happy New Year.

With Love,
Evelyn Hinton

Worship Schedule

January 5 Epiphany Sunday

Reading: Jeremiah 31:7, 10-13

Scripture: Matthew 2:1-12

Sermon: "Act 5, Scene 1: Action!"

January 12 Baptism of the Lord

Reading: Matthew 3:13-17

Scripture: Isaiah 43:1-7

Sermon: "A Call to All"

January 19

Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5

Scripture: John 2:1-11

Sermon: "We're Off to a CRAZY Start"

January 26

Reading: Nehemiah 8:5-10

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 11:1-11

Sermon: "Your God-given Niche"

Church Council Meeting

Sunday, January 5

5:00 p.m.



Offering Counters

Billy Galloway & Debbie Kelley
& Mason Zeigler

Ushers

Greg Kelley & Adam Kelley

Worship Leaders

Jan 5 Lily Zeigler

Jan 12 Whit Breazeale

Jan 19 Marisa Bardwell

Jan 26 Donna Barrett



Jan 17 Anne Galloway



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Mission Emphasis for January



*Canned Goods will be collected for the community from January 26 - February 9.

PRAY

*Please remember our schools with the following prayers.

Love

Scripture: "By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another"

John 13:35 (NIV).

Prayer: Father, may the students and staff of our schools experience Your love through the Christians they know in profound and authentic ways.

Truth

Scripture: "Buy the truth and do not sell it—wisdom, instruction and insight as well"

Proverbs 23:23 (NIV).

Prayer: Lord, release truth in our schools. Help students to rightly discern truth from falsehood.

January 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<u>REGULAR SCHEDULE</u> 9:00 am, Sunday School 10:00 am, Worship			<u>REGULAR SCHEDULE</u> 11:00 am, W.A.T.T. 6:00 pm Snack Supper 6:30 pm CC&A 6:30 Youth		<u>REGULAR SCHEDULE</u> 11:00 am RDBC Delivers Meals on Wheels	
			1 New Year's Day! No Activities Scheduled	2	3	4
5 5:00 p.m. Church Council Mtg	6  EPIPHANY	7 5:00 pm Deacons Meeting	8 Wednesday Activities Resume 11:30 a.m. Adult Lunch Taco Reindo, Six Mile	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20  Martin Luther King Jr. Day	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	 Winter

Looking Ahead
 Soup Fellowship (TBA in February)



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 With Jesus our example,
 Discipleship our goal,
 And love our action.*