EBC 2026 Theme

Walk Together Children”

Ephesians 4:3-6,15,16



CANDLE OF HOPE

SCRIPTURE READINGS

JEREMIAH 33:10-18
LUKE 1:67-80

Our Weekly Bible Study Lesson

Wednesday

December 6, 2026

7:00 – 8:00 PM

Zoom Interactive Webinar Information

Webinar ID: 822 9816 5670

Passcode: 213679

OR

Conference Call Information

Dial:(301)-715-8592 or (309)-205-3325

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EBC
Poinsettia Sunday
December 6, 2026
Please bring a Poinsettia in memory or honor of a loved one.
All Poinsettia will be distributed on Dec. 20.
Thank You


EBC
Holiday
Pop-Up Market
Sunday, December 6th
Immediately after
Worship Service.
Please Support our
entrepreneurs!

EBC's Annual Candlelight Service of Remembrance



Sunday, December 13th @ 2:00 p.m.

If you have names of loved ones that you would like to be included in the service, please drop them in the box provided, on the table outside the sanctuary.

Please Join Us!


"Yes We Can"
Please bring canned goods during any worship service.

EBC Healthcare Ministry

Self-Pay Exercise Classes



have resumed on the **4th Saturday** of the month.

Please stay tuned for more information.

Walking Challenge



You can walk solo, with a pet or companion, etc., or create a team (men vs women, seniors vs youth, etc.).

Let's keep it moving!!

Record your steps daily and email them to Eleanor Woodson @ Ehwmotary@gmail.com

on or before Thursday of each week by 4 pm.

This information will be recorded/posted weekly.

2026 EBC Mid-Day Senior Bible Study

In-Person

14476 Scotchtown Rd.

Beaverdam, VA

December 21, 2026

Please Join Us!



Attention

Please provide **ALL** announcements to Valerie Derricott on, or before **4:00 PM** on

Thursday.

THANK YOU

for your consideration!

Ebenezer Baptist Church
Media Ministry
is looking for you

Opportunities

- Sound & Production
- Websites
- Photography
- Social Media



Come Join EBC's Media Ministry

See any Media Team member if interested

Feed More City of Richmond Food Pantry List – Available in the Lobby

Feed More City of Richmond Food Pantry List

Name	Address	Phone Number	Schedule	Supported Languages	Notes
A Better Day Than Yesterday	2807 Hull St, Richmond, VA	(804) 299-1932	3rd Wednesday: 2:00pm-4:00pm	English	No eligibility requirement
All Nations Harvest Food Pantry	4103 Monument Ave, Richmond, VA	(804) 471-3713	Every Tuesday: 11:00am-2:00pm	English	No eligibility requirement
Antioch Baptist Church Food Pantry	1384 New Market Road, Richmond, VA, 23231	(804) 263-2807	2nd and 4th Saturday: 7:00am-9:00am	English	No eligibility requirement
Apostolic Faith Church	3801 Chamberlayne Ave, Richmond, VA	(804) 329-5600	3rd Sunday: 12:30pm-1:30pm	English	No eligibility requirement
Atlantic Outreach Group Inc	2421 Westwood Ave Suite G, Richmond, VA	(804) 308-2648	By Appointment	English	No eligibility requirement
Belmont Community Resource Services	3510 Broad Rock Blvd, Richmond, VA	(804) 868-8434	Every Friday: 9:00am-12:30pm	English, French, Spanish	No eligibility requirement
Bringing God's Word To Life / P.B. Academy	4823 Bryce Ln, Richmond, VA	(804) 232-0491	Every Friday (3:00pm-4:00pm) and Sunday (1:00pm-3:00pm)	English	No eligibility requirement
Broad Rock Baptist Church	5106 Walmsley Blvd, Richmond, VA	(804) 276-2740	Every Wednesday: 12:30pm-1:30pm	English	No eligibility requirement
CAPUP North Food Pantry	1021 Oliver Hill Way, Richmond, VA	(804) 788-0050	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday: 10:00am-1:00pm	English	No eligibility requirement
Centenary United Methodist Church Soup Kitchen	411 E Grace St, Richmond, VA	(804) 648-8319	Every Friday: 10:30am-12:00pm	English	No eligibility requirement
Central Baptist Church	1500 Courthouse Rd, Richmond, VA	(804) 794-8055	Every Saturday: 8:30am-10:00am	English	No eligibility requirement
Chesterfield Food Bank Outreach Center – Beulah Elementary	5441 Beulah Rd. Richmond, VA 23237	(804) 414-8885	1st Saturday: 10:00am	English, Spanish	Visitors must meet eligibility requirements

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Additional Resources from Feed More:

Meals on Wheels Application - https://feedmore.org/meals-on-wheels/

-Seniors must be homebound and unable to prepare meals on their own and have no one in the home able to prepare meals for them.

Online Inquiry Form - https://feedmore.org/help-line/

-Feed More Helpline for Food Pantries - 804-237-8617, Monday to Friday, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

-SNAP Application Assistance

- 804-822-4114 – Dustin Parks, Community Benefits Outreach Coordinator

Agency locator - https://feedmore.org/store-locator/

-For neighbors to find food pantries in their area.

Additional Resources- https://feedmore.org/additional-resources/

-Our additional resource page where we will update new resources and organizations as partnerships are built

Benefits Assistance - https://feedmore.org/learn-more-about-snap/

WIC Supplemental Food Program - https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/wic/

Medicaid - https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/

Homeless Connection Line - https://www.homewardva.org/homeless-connection-line

- Housing Resource Line - https://pharva.com/the-housing-resource-line/

Find Help - https://findhelp.org/

- Find free or reduced-cost resources like food, housing, financial assistance, health care and more.

Virginia 2-1-1 - https://www.211virginia.org/consite/index.php

Food Bank Locator in Virginia - https://vafoodbanks.org/virginia-food-bank-locator/

Notes from the Pastor

Advent 2026 – Theme: ”The Light Still Shines” *The Light shines in the darkness and the darkness has never put it out! (John 1:5)* This Light exposes and challenges the spirit of death, defeat, and despair; and invites us all to the committed transformation of the people, places and perspectives where darkness seeks to reign. As we see and walk in the light, the joy of Christmas is real. Light your light of Christ and let it dispel the gloom and reveal the glory.

November 29 – Candle of Hope/Prophecy Candle – *Children and Youth Ministry* – “Let There Be Light”, Genesis 1:1-5

December 6 – Candle of Preparation/Bethlehem Candle – *Deaconate Ministry* – God Is! 1John 1:5-10/ Poinsettia Sunday & Pop-Up Market

December 13 – Candle of Joy/Shepard’s Candle – *Women’s Ministry* - Do You See What I See? Isaiah 9:2-3a/ Baby Dedication

December 20 – Candle of Love/Peace/Angel’s Candle – *Men’s Ministry* – O’ What A Night! Luke 2:8-11/ Meal Immediately Following Worship Service

December 20 – Afternoon Service: Candle of Light/Life/Candle of Christ – Pastoral Ministry – Let’s Get Lit! Matthew 6:14-16/ Presentations

December 21 – Mid-Day Senior Bibel Study 11:00 a.m. – Wake Up Everybody Matthew 1:18-24

December 27 – The Same Star! Matthew 2:9-13

SAVE THE DATE



REV. DR. JOHN W. KINNEY

50th Anniversary &
Retirement Celebration

MAY 14–16, 2027

Honoring Five Decades of Faithful Service

Formal Invitation to Follow. Location to be Announced.

EBC Members Only Portal

We invite all EBC members to sign-up for the EBC Members' Only Portal on our website myebcva.org.

1. Once approved you will receive an email from Floyd Booker.
2. Follow instructions & create password.
3. Return to EBC website and select member only portal.
4. You should see a drop down arrow allowing you to enter portal.

Thank You!

Tithes and Offerings

The 3 ways to submit your tithes and offerings:

- **Online by accessing the "Give Online" tab on our website/myebcva.org**
- **Texting the word "Give" to 804.835.5405 and follow the prompts:**

OR

- **Mail to: Ebenezer Baptist Church**
- **P.O. Box 85, Montpelier, VA 23192-0085**

We Care Ministry & Intercessory

PRAYER REQUEST

If you want to receive a word of encouragement or prayer, or if you know of someone that needs a word of encouragement or prayer, please send your request to the contact section of the church website myebcva.org, or call the church (804-883-5525) and leave message on voicemail.

Sunday Worship and Bible Study

Sunday Morning @ 10:00 AM EST

Facebook Live

https://www.facebook.com/ebcbeaverdam

Zoom Interactive Webinar Information

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Richmond Alumnae Chapter and
Henrico County Alumnae Chapter

Present

BEYOND THE DIAGNOSIS



Black Women, HIV & the Power of Our Stories

A WORLD AIDS DAY CONVERSATION

Featuring Screening of Short Film "90 Days",
Expert Perspectives & Community Dialogue

VIRTUAL | **TUESDAY DECEMBER 1, 2026** | **7:30 PM ET**



Nathan Hale Williams, "90 Days"
Emmy Nominated Filmmaker



Renee Beaman, Founder/Board Chair
Beautiful Gate Outreach Center



Tangy Major, Activist



Adyam Redea-Woodson, Director
HIV and Hepatitis Prevention
Virginia Department of Health

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PILGRIM JOURNEY BAPTIST CHURCH
Presents.....



Amtrak Vacation to Charleston, South Carolina

August 3 - 6, 2027 (Four days – Three Nights)

Day 1 - Depart Amtrak Staples Mill Station. Enjoy the train ride to Charleston, SC where you will be staying at the Holiday Inn Charleston – Riverview that overlooks the Ashley River. The Holiday Inn Charleston Riverview hotel provides guests with great amenities such as an outdoor pool, newly renovated Fitness Center, and an on-site Harborview Restaurant and Lounge that is located on the top floor of the hotel. You are sure to enjoy the spectacular panoramic views of the Charleston cityscape and harbor.

Day 2 - Enjoy your day on your own viewing Charleston's amazing history, restaurants, and shops. The hotel offers free shuttle service to the historic Downtown Charleston area for your comfort and convenience. Stroll along avenues lined with antebellum mansions and well-preserved churches. Explore museums, plantations and colorful gardens. Tour packages may be purchased at a minimal cost to attractions such as South Carolina Aquarium, Fort Sumter, Magnolia Plantation and Gardens, Charleston City Market, or the USS Yorktown.

Day 3 - Enjoy the Charleston "See It All" Historic City Tour. This is a 90-minute comprehensive trolley tour of the historic area. You'll see many homes, churches and gardens while learning about the history of Charleston. The remainder of the day will be for your relaxation and leisure.

Day 4 – Travel Home

This package includes: Transportation; hotel accommodation for three nights, 1 trolley tour.

Per Person Price:

Single - $882 (includes $79 trip protection–future travel credit); Single - $922 (includes $119 trip protection plus–cash refund); $803 (without trip protection)

Double - $652 (includes $79 trip protection–future travel credit); $692 (includes $119 trip protection plus-cash refund); $572 (without trip protection)

Absolute Deadline for Deposit – August 23, 2026
Single Deposit per person - $442
Double Deposit per person - $339

Absolute Deadline for Final Payment – May 23, 2027
Make Checks payable to: Pilgrim Journey Baptist Church

For more information, please contact:
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The Women's Ministry of PJBC is sponsoring an Amtrak Vacation Tour to Charleston, SC and would love for you to join them.

August 3-6, 2027