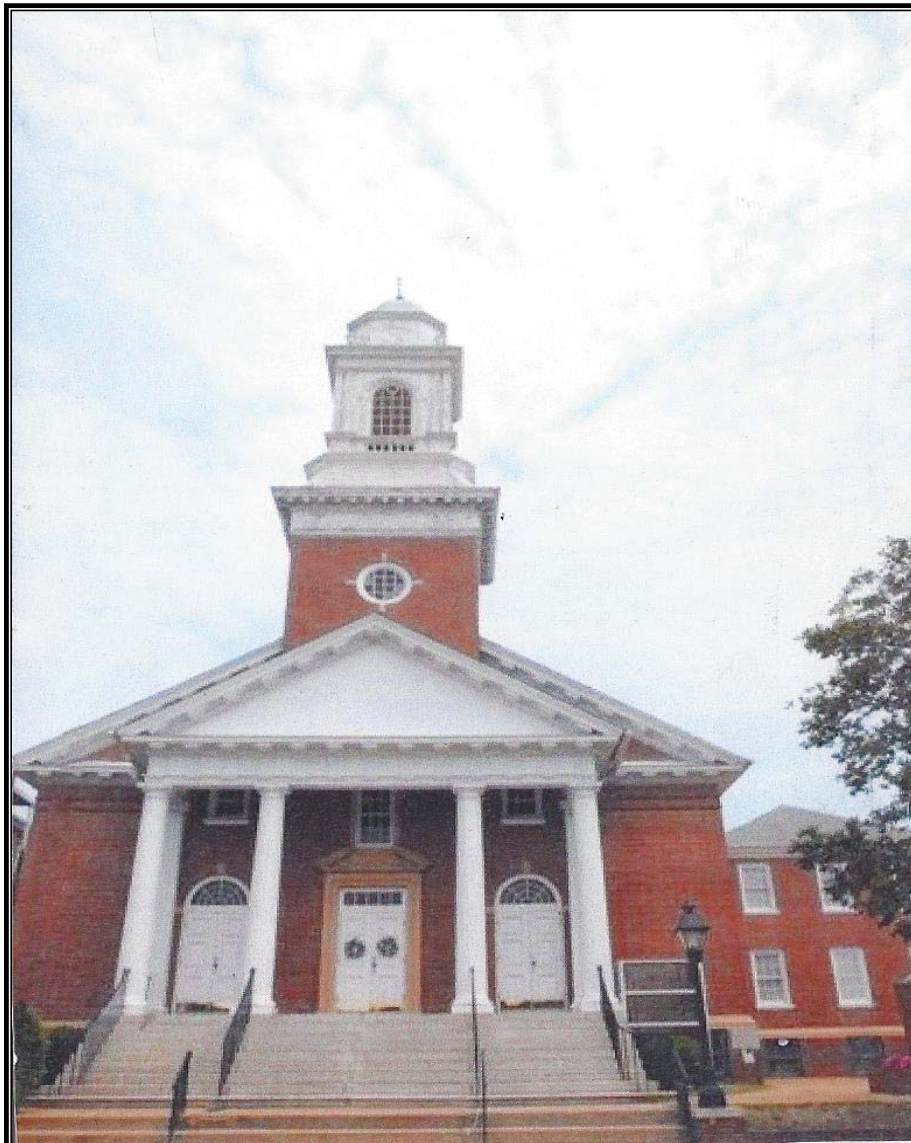


**SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE  
YOUTH SUNDAY**



*Riverview Baptist Church  
2604 Idlewood Avenue  
Richmond, VA 23220*

Rev. Dr. John E. Johnson, Jr.  
Interim Minister

May 5, 2024 – 11:00 A.M.

Sunday School 9:30 A. M.  
Phone (804) 353-6135 – Fax (804) 353-3370  
Conference Call (202) 926-1127 Access Code 572890

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Worship Leader

Audrey Anderson

The Praise and Worship

**“Magnify Him”**

Zolandria Friday, Director of Music  
Gerald Jackson, Assistant Accompanist  
Darlene Humphrey, Percussionist  
Will Anderson, Bassist

\*The Call to Worship and Mission Statement

Audrey Anderson

The Mission of Riverview Baptist Church is to become a loving,  
evangelistic church that seeks to glorify God through worship,  
ministry, Christian education, missions, fellowship, and stewardship.

\*The Morning Hymn

**“So Glad I’m Here”**

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The Scripture

Matthew 11:28-30

Jaiden Conner

The Morning Prayer

Mi’Kenzi Waters

The Choral Response

**“Forever My King/I Love You”**

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The Announcements

Deacon Sabrina Montague

The Welcome and Recognition of Visitors

Audrey Anderson

The Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory Music

**“Again and Again”**

\*The Doxology

Prayer

Response

The Sermonic Selection

**“Enter His Gates”**

The Sermon

**“Come To Me”**

Rev. Dr. LaVerne L. Briggs

\*The Invitation to Discipleship & Altar Call

**“Trust Me”**

\*The Closing Selection

**“Till We Gather Again”**

\*The Benediction

Rev. Dr. Briggs

\*Worshippers Stand

\*\*Worshippers Enter

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Office hours for Rev. Johnson

Tuesday: Appointment only; Wednesday and Thursday: 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Meeting of the Men's Fellowship following the Worship Service.

Riverview Ensemble Rehearsal – Monday, May 6 – 6:00 p.m.

Deacon Ministry Meeting – Monday, May 6 – 7:00 p.m.

Male Ensemble Rehearsal – Thursday, May 9 – 6:30 p.m.

Trustee Ministry Meeting – Saturday, May 11 – 10:00 a.m.

Due to the expiration of the emergency response for **COVID-19**, masks are now optional.

### **Hebrews 10:23**

**“Let us hold unwaveringly to the hope we  
profess, for he who promised is faithful.”**

**Prayer Partner Ministry**

### **The Christian Calendar**

Today is the Sixth Sunday of Easter. The color is WHITE. White symbolizes purity, holiness, and virtue, as well as respect and reverence. White is used for all high Holy Days and festival days of the Church Year.

Christian Education Ministry

As previously mentioned, you have an opportunity to rank the five candidates. The “Candidate Ranking Form” was emailed to you on Friday, May 3. Instructions were included within the form. Please complete and submit by Monday, May 6. Members of the committee will be available in the library immediately after church if assistance is needed in completing the ranking process. There is also contact information listed in the instructions should additional assistance be required. Thank you for your continued support.

Pastoral Search Committee

The Leader Development/Scholarship Fund Ministry is asking all high school graduating seniors and members who are receiving post secondary degrees or certificates to leave your name, email address and best contact number in the church office. You may also leave the information with Deaconess Baugh at (804) 513-5464 or [anewthing@verizon.net](mailto:anewthing@verizon.net). Please complete this task by June 5. Thank you!

**Be strong in the Lord! Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m. and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. each Wednesday  
Please join us at:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82618723381?pwd=YitVbThncGV0NHhCTmZxeUg3Mk9PQT09>

Or join by phone: 1-929-205-6099 or 1-301-715-8592

**Meeting ID: 826 1872 3381#**

**Participant ID: Press # Passcode: 441841#**

**Noonday Bible Study, each Wednesday; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.**  
**Conference Call (202) 926-1127 Access Code 572890**

**Need Prayer? Prayer Line: Monday & Friday, 6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m., Conference Call (202) 926-1127 Access Code 572890**

**Remember our Sick and Shut-Ins**

Margaret Carter – Westport Rehabilitation and Nursing Center – Rm. 104B

Etta Harvey - Home

Deaconess Jean Herbert - Home

Deacon Woodrow Jackson – Home

Ruth Redwood – Home

Carolyn Williams – Home

**SO GLAD I'M HERE**

So glad I'm here in Jesus' name;  
So glad I'm here in Jesus' name!  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I've come to praise His name,  
I've come to praise His name!

Pray while I'm here in Jesus' name;  
Pray while I'm here in Jesus' name!  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I've come to praise His name,  
I've come to praise His name!

Sing while I'm here in Jesus' name;  
Sing while I'm here in Jesus' name!  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I've come to praise His name,  
I've come to praise His name!

Shout while I'm here in Jesus' name;  
Shout while I'm here in Jesus' name!  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I don't know what you've come to do,  
I've come to praise His name,  
I've come to praise His name!

**TILL WE GATHER AGAIN**

Till we gather again, God be with you.  
Till we gather again, God be with you.  
May He give you His love,  
Give you His kindness,  
Keep you in perfect peace.  
God be with you till we gather again.