



Redemption Hill is committed to making disciples of all nations, and together, during the past year, we have supported missionaries Brandon and Arielle Whitt in Hamburg Germany, church planting efforts in Japan, in addition to local efforts such as the Youth Life Foundation of Richmond, and the East End Pregnancy Center (you can see a list of all the local efforts we support financially at <https://rhc.to/locmiss>). As we approach the end of the year, we are partnering together in a special offering for missions. For the month of December, please consider a one time gift to support global and local missions efforts. You can do so at <http://rhc.to/givingfire>. Simply click the "Christmas Missions Offering 2018" dropdown menu, or make your check payable to Redemption Hill Church with "Christmas Missions Offering" in the memo line. This Advent season, let's come together and graciously give to the greatest cause of all: seeing Jesus' name proclaimed across Richmond and the world.



We believe baptism is intended for those who have received the saving benefits of Christ's atoning work, and become his disciple. Therefore, in obedience to Christ's command, and as a public testimony of their faith, a believer should be baptized in water in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Join us Sunday, December 16th, at 3:00 p.m., at Aqua-Tots in the West End, as we baptize people and celebrate the transforming grace and power of the gospel in people's lives. If you would like to be baptized, fill out the connection card and circle "Baptism," or drop Tim Abbott an email at tim@redemptionhill.com. For more information, and to Register, go to <http://rhc.to/decbapt18>.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

December 24th

Join us Monday, December 24th, at 6:00 p.m., at The 400, as we gather to celebrate, sing, read, and respond to the good news of Immanuel, God with us. RSVP and more info at <http://rhc.to/theeve18>.



RH SYNC

January 13th

New around here? Join us beginning Sunday, January 13th, as we help you sync up with Redemption Hill. For the next four weeks, we want to talk about the things that are important to us, as well as answer any questions you may have. Register and more info at <http://rhc.to/jansynchol>.



December

Schedule

As the end of the year approaches, our regular gathering schedule will be interrupted some as we juggle the holiday closure schedule here at Holton Elementary. Here is what Sunday mornings will look like for the rest of December:

- **December 16th** - normal 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. services
- **December 23rd** - ONE service at 9:00 a.m.
- **December 30th** - ONE service at 10:00 a.m. at The 400 (400 West 32nd Street)

Giving at

Redemption Hill



On Tuesday, January 1st, 2019, Redemption Hill Church will be switching our online and text Giving platform to [Planning Center Giving](#). Till the end of the year, we will continue to use Giving Fire as you give regularly, cheerfully, and sacrificially. Here are the ways you can give:

- **Place** in the metal boxes located in the back & sides;
- **Mail** using postage paid envelopes next to the boxes;
- **Text** any donation amount to (804) 681.3700;
- **Give** online at <http://rhc.to/givingfire>.

Space for Reflection

Engage with the preached message. Take notes.



December 9, 2018

today's rhythm

For the month of December, join us at 10:30 a.m. in the cafeteria for coffee, pastries, fruit, and more! Come meet people you haven't met before, and catch up with those you do know.



God Calls His People to Worship

Song: Once in Royal David's City

Call to Worship: Luke 1:68-73

Songs: O Come All Ye Faithful, Joy Joy

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon: Galatians 4:4-7

Song: Let Us Adore

God Speaks to His People Through His Word



Title: Philippians

Text: Philippians 4:2-3

Speaker: Tim Abbott

God Strengthens His People At His Table

A gluten-free option is available near the communion table.

God's People Respond in Grateful Praise

Song: Stricken Smitten and Afflicted, God Made Low

God Sends His People Into the World

Benediction: Luke 1:74-75

Prayer for Those Searching for Truth: Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Help me not to be scared off by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is convincing and that leads to the life you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief: Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared confess, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

Need Prayer?

Let us know how the pastors can be praying for you. Text your prayer request to (804) 410.4455, or send an email to prayer@redemptionhill.org.

New Here?

New with us today? Pick up a **Blue Folder** from the New Here table in the foyer, or connect with us online at <http://rhc.to/rhconnect>.

Community Bible Reading

12.10 | Zech. 5 & Mt. 15 **12.13** | Zech. 8 & Mt. 18
12.11 | Zech. 6 & Mt. 16 **12.14** | Zech. 9 & Mt. 19
12.12 | Zech. 7 & Mt. 17 **12.15** | Psalm 147

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Enjoy Grace.