Last year, after a several year hiatus, we resurrected the Thanksgiving service at River Road Church. We invited our friends from Quiocasin Baptist Church to join us for this worship service and Rev. Dr. Theodore Brown, Quiocasin’s pastor, delivered a stirring sermon on the true meaning of gratitude.

I am pleased to announce that we will again have a Thanksgiving worship service on Monday, November 25, at 7:00 pm. This year, our friends at Quiocasin have invited us to worship in their sanctuary at 9011 Quiocasin Road and they have graciously invited me to preach. What’s more, some River Road musicians will have a special part in the service, too.

I am grateful that our church has nurtured a relationship with Quiocasin Baptist Church. As theirs is a predominantly African-American church, and ours is a predominantly Anglo church, worshiping together gives us an opportunity to live out our belief that Christ calls us to be one. Moreover, our joint worship serves as a testimony to this broken world that Christ’s love brings us together.

I hope you’ll make plans now to attend this service as we lift our hearts to God in gratitude and celebration of all God is doing in our church, in our world, and in our lives. Thanks be to God!

BY DANIEL GLAZE

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**A Veterans Day Celebration & Luncheon**

Monday, November 11
11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall

For all who have generously served the people of our country, we are hosting a luncheon celebration. Some of our preschoolers will begin this special event by welcoming you with song and little something special. Lunch will be enjoyed together, with a devotional time by Retired Army Chaplain, Rev. Todd Combee following. Rev. Combee is a local pastor and is the Director of Chaplain Services for the Baptist General Association of Virginia (BGAV). Rev. Paul Honaker will play some patriotic favorites on the keyboard and we just might tap a toe or sing along. Join us as we recognize the meaning of this day and give thanks for veterans.

Lunch will include soup, sandwich, beverage, and dessert. The cost of lunch is $9 per person (cash or check to RRCB w/veterans lunch in the memo).

Reservations are required. RSVP by calling the church office or filling out the form online at rrcb.org/vetlunch.

Choose one in each category:

**Soups**
- Baked Potato
- Turkey Chili
- Creamy Tomato

**Sandwiches**
- Ham & Swiss
- Almond Chicken Salad
- Mediterranean Veggie
Children & Youth Events
• November 1-3: Youth Fall Retreat
• November 9: Preschool Fun Morning
• November 16: Youth Dinner & Trivia Night

First Sunday Food Share
Sunday, November 3
River Road Church has a long history of working in many capacities with our three Baptist Centers: Church Hill, Oregon Hill, and South Richmond. On the first Sunday of each month, you are invited to bring a bag of food for the Centers and place it in one of the green grocery carts in the Upper or Lower Commons. To best serve our centers and their communities, the center directors are requesting smaller-sized products.

Suggested Shopping List:
• cans of vegetables and fruit
• cans of soup and canned entrées (example: Spaghettios)
• cans of meat: small cans of tuna, chicken
• cans of pork and beans or other beans
• boxed macaroni and cheese
• packages of powdered milk
• boxes of cereal
• rice and dry pasta
• peanut butter and jelly

Men’s Fellowship Breakfast
Tuesday, November 5
7:00 a.m., Reception Room
All men are invited for breakfast, fellowship, and partnership in prayer. Please make a reservation by calling the church office.

FIXERS
Thursdays, November 7 & 21
8:00 a.m., Reception Room
The FIXERS (Frequently Ingenious, eXtremely Energetic, Righteous Servants) are dedicated to keeping our beautiful church facility in top working order. The FIXERS meet for breakfast and fellowship, then break into teams and work on projects around the church. Please contact Daniel Ingram (804-288-1131) if you can make it.

Here’s a test:
• Do you know what a weed looks like in a mulch bed?
• Do you know which end of a screwdriver to hold?
• Does holding a broom not intimidate you?
• Do you like free breakfast?

If you answered “yes” to one or more of these questions, you are qualified to join the FIXERS! Even if you didn’t answer “yes” to any of the questions, you’re still qualified to join the group. Men and women of all ages are encouraged to come. (As you can tell, our standards are not very high.)

Men’s Group: The Huddle
Wednesdays, 8:00 a.m., Reception Room
The Huddle is a small group of men who minister to each other, make a plan to bring their lives together on a regular basis, and keep faith in that plan and each other. For more information, please contact Bill Thurston (804-514-3360).

Yoga, 5:45-7:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 7 in Assembly Room
Mondays, November 11 & 18 in LC #102
Hatha Yoga is a gentle form of stretching exercise that offers many health advantages. Darcie Anderson is our instructor. There is a $10 fee for each class you attend. Beginners and newcomers are most welcome.

FLO Luncheon (For Ladies Only, 50+, Single Again, Just Single, and Caregivers)
Friday, November 8
12:00 p.m., Tarrant’s West
RSVP to Jean Ellis (jean782carter@verizon.net or 804-272-7672) and let her know if you would like to carpool.

Take a Night to Reconnect
Date Night for Couples
Friday, November 8
6:30-9:00 p.m.
Couples will gather at church and receive some fun and interesting questions for your discussion during the evening. During this November date night, questions will focus on your shared past and story. After we welcome you, provide your questions, and open in prayer, you are free to go. Each couple may spend the time wherever they choose. Take a walk, eat out, go to a favorite spot... enjoy some time talking together.

Childcare is available, by request, for $5 per child. Please pick up your child by 9:00.

Sign up at rrcb.org/datenight to let us know if you will attend and whether or not you will need childcare.

Youth Sunday Nights
November 10
• 4:45: River Road Camerata
• 5:00: Youth Choir
• 5:45: Youth Snack Supper
• 6:15: Youth Program

November 17
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Historical Hallmark
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Evening Bridge
Tuesday, November 12
7:30 p.m., LC #102
Anyone who likes to play bridge is invited to join us. Contact Kitty or George Davis (804-285-9782) for more information.

Catch Your Breath Brunch
Saturday, November 23
9:00-11:00 a.m., The Colonies Clubhouse
River Road ladies you're invited, before the holidays, for a Catch Your Breath Brunch. Bring a covered dish to share. We will enjoy a wonderful meal and friendship, pausing for a few thoughtful moments and a deep breath. RSVP at rrcb.org/ladiesbrunch.
E. Carl Freeman Concert Series

All Saints’ Sunday Worship
River Road Chancel Choir with Orchestra
Sunday, November 3, 2019
11:00 a.m., Sanctuary
Franz Schubert — Mass in G major

Seraph Brass
Sunday, November 24, 2019
2:30 p.m., Sanctuary
America’s dynamic brass ensemble drawing from a roster of America’s top female brass players.
FREE tickets available at rrcb.org/eventbrite

Christmas Choral Concert
River Road Chancel Choir with Brass, Harp, and Organ
Sunday, December 8, 2019
7:30 p.m., Sanctuary
Christmas with American Composers
including works by Pinkham, Lauridsen, and Stroope

Harpsichord Recital
Jory Vinikour
Sunday, March 15, 2020
2:30 p.m., Sanctuary
More about this internationally acclaimed harpsichordist at joryvinikour.com

Organ Recital
Marilyn Brattskar (Oslo, Norway)
Sunday, March 29, 2020
2:30 p.m., Sanctuary
Dr. Brattskar is Cantor (Music Director) at the 13,000-member Holmen Church in Asker, Norway.

Vocal Recital
John Tibbetts, baritone
Raymond Chenault, piano
Sunday, May 17, 2020
2:30 p.m., Sanctuary
Broadway, Spirituals, and More!
More about John Tibbetts at operajohn.co

Spring Choral Concert
River Road Chancel Choir with Orchestra
Sunday, June 7, 2020
7:00 p.m., Sanctuary
Franz Schubert — Mass in A flat major

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Happy Birthday!

November 1
Nancy Bailey
Camden Koskinen

November 2
Micah Breckenridge
Paula Mercer
Jim Wilson

November 3
Chris McGee
Aimee Wester

November 4
Hill Almond
Brenda Bass
Joyce Parker
Ron Tamagni

November 5
David Harris

November 6
Kathy Fowler
Caroline Lynch

November 7
Carolyn Camden
Isabella Cloe
Laurie Gray
Donna Tyler

November 8
George Davis
Paul Thompson

November 9
Melanie Butterworth
Mary Lynn Byrd

November 10
Richard Cloe
Carolyn Hartz
Dan Stevens

November 11
Marguerite Bostic
Sandra Briggs
James Jante
Steve Larson
Peggy Marr
Pat Schools
Marilyne Sheppard
Ann Wilson
Richard Wood

November 12
Carol Decker
Susan Ryan
Allison Story
John Zukowsky

November 13
Loretta Albertis
Ashley Glaze
Susan Halloran
Diane Shoemake
Janet Spencer
Dottie Williams

November 14
Alexander Knerr
Evan Knerr
Jan Taylor

November 15
Richard Stodard
Buddy Sumner

November 16
Elizabeth Cruickshanks
Ellen Gwathmey
Barry Harmon
Debbie Stodard
Buddy Sumner

November 17
Raj Chatterjea
Susan Gwathmey
Oliver Merritt

November 18
Lee Bradley
Pat Huband
Mynra Shirah
Dick Strauss

November 19
Karen Cothran
Pat Dickinson
Marty Halloran

November 20
Levonene Cousins
Meghan Zukowsky

November 21
Molly Bacigal
Townsend Sexton
Bea Tyler

November 22
William Sheppard
Martha Younger

November 23
Mary Lee and Tom Starke – 16 years

November 24
Tom Arrington
Chris Booth
Libby Collier
Sandra Marshall
Jon Williams

November 25
Laura Lee Chandler

November 26
Mike Price
Ella Grace Ryan
Lucille Strauss

November 27
Mary Collier
Audrey Harris
Susan Phillips

November 28
Bill Stanton

November 29
Barbara Holdren
Randy Horne
Pat Powell

November 30
Jessica Baker

Happy Anniversary!

November 1
Linda and Ron Benton – 50 years

November 3
Page and Ted Kral – 12 years
Joany and Rick Scherer – 12 years

November 5
Charlotte and Jim Ladd – 42 years

November 9
Beth and Tim Clingenpeel – 6 years
Betty and Gene Damon – 56 years

November 14
Casey and Bo Hawthorne – 13 years

November 15
Mary Lee and Tom Starke – 16 years

November 23
Carolyn and Al Whitley – 54 years

November 25
Betsy and Steve Lowery – 41 years

November 27
Sharon and John Wake – 43 years