



Hayes Barton
Baptist Church

OCTOBER 4, 2026

HAPPENINGS

TOGETHER IN MISSIONS, MINISTRY, AND FELLOWSHIP



For the next two weeks, Did You Know? will offer several random trivia and facts about Hayes Barton.

- On August 3, 1948, the Diaconate voted to eliminate the use of a hyphen in the name Hayes Barton. Surprisingly, for many years the large sign in front of the 1966 building once again included the hyphen.
- The December 1965 Newsletter requested all members and friends of HBBC living outside the City of Raleigh to notify the Church of their ZIP code since mail after Jan 1, 1966, required it.
- From November 1966 to August 1978, the shutters in the Sanctuary remained closed for all services. Dr. T. L. Cashwell questioned this practice, stating, "Closed shutters gave the impression that we were trying to shut out the world... Do we go for clean windows and open shutters in the Sanctuary?"

NEWCOMERS' MEET AND GREET

IN-PERSON | Today following worship in the Parlor

Are you new to HBBC? Are you looking for a church? Would you like to meet our ministers and some of our members? Members of the Membership Growth Committee will serve as your host, and our ministers will stop by for this informal time. There is no need to register; just show up.

HOMECOMING WEEKEND

Join us a special time to reconnect, celebrate, and fellowship together! Enjoy an exciting weekend filled with something for everyone. Bring your family, invite a friend, and make memories with us as we celebrate 100 years of HBBC! Register for all events at hbbc.org/registration by Sunday, November 1.

Homecoming Basketball Reunion and Hot Dog Dinner

**IN-PERSON | Friday, November 6
from 6:00-8:30 PM in the FLC-Gym and the Large Youth Room**

Basketball Pictures Needed - As we move towards Homecoming Weekend, we are trying to collect pictures of our HBBC basketball teams and players for the Basketball Reunion on Friday, November 6. If you have pictures, please send them to Susan Hailey (susanjhailey@gmail.com).

Homecoming Dinner and Dance

**IN-PERSON | Saturday, November 7
from 5:30-8:30 PM in the FLC-Gym**

Sunday Celebration

**IN-PERSON | Sunday, November 8
9:45 AM Sunday school, 11:00 AM worship, followed by lunch**

HOST A TRUNK

**IN-PERSON | Wednesday, October 28
from 5:30-7:00 PM**

Volunteers are needed to host a trunk during our Trunk or Treat! Trunk hosts are responsible for decorating their trunks and providing a simple game or activity. You can work together with a friend, small group, or your Sunday School class. Please sign up at hbbc.org/hbbc-kids and include your trunk theme in the comments. Thank you for helping to make this a special night for our children and families!

SHARE YOUR FAITH STORY

We need your faith story. Our church wouldn't be complete without YOU and God's work in your life. If you aren't sure where to start, use the suggested starters to guide you in putting your story together. Stories should be 600 words or less and emailed to 100FaithStories@hbbc.org. If you have any questions or difficulty submitting your story, please get in touch with Kristen Muse (919-645-6722 or kmuse@hbbc.org). Remember, your story doesn't have to be your faith journey, but a moment of faith that you'd like to share. Your story might be an inspiration to another person. Stories can be posted with first name and last initial, just your initials, or anonymously. Let us know how you want your story to be shared when you submit it.

PLANNING FOR EVERY SEASON

Each season of our lives requires rethinking issues and circumstances.

In conjunction with Aging in Place, we will host a panel discussion open to all ages. The cost of the event is \$5 per person. Snacks will be provided. Reserve your spot today at hbbc.org/registration.

HEALTH AT HOME

**IN-PERSON | Sunday, October 11
from 5:00-6:30 PM in Hailey Hall**

A conversation centered on in-home support, long-term care insurance, and modification options/strategies to help individuals remain safe, independent, and comfortable wherever they call home. This session will explore home care, hospice v. palliative care, respite care, and home safety. Whether you're currently caregiving or planning ahead, you'll leave with practical information and trusted resources to help navigate the journey with confidence. Contact Kristen Muse (kmuse@hbbc.org) if you need the Zoom link.

YOUNG WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

IN-PERSON | Various Wednesdays at 6:30 PM in Room 200

If you are looking for a place to connect with other young women (under 35), build community, and study the Bible, this might be the place for you. We will meet twice a month during the remainder of 2026—September 23, October 7 and 14, November 4 and 18, and December 2. Jane Lyon and Kristen Muse will facilitate the group. We'll begin by looking at the stories of various women in the Bible. Email Kristen (kmuse@hbhc.org) if you have any questions.

EQUIPPING WOMEN LUNCHEON

IN-PERSON | Wednesday, October 28 at 12:00 PM at Carolina Country Club

Search Raleigh invites you to join us for a special luncheon to strengthen Christian women as they engage with non-Christians and initiate conversations about faith. In our time together, you will:

- Be inspired by Billie Redmond, who has been building relationships with non-Christians for 15 years
- Discover the value of the 'one' and the barriers to faith Search has identified over 50 years
- Be equipped with free resources to answer the hard questions about God

Sign up at search-womens-lunch.paperform.co.

WOMEN AND MEN'S MISSIONS GATHERING

IN-PERSON | Thursday, October 22 at 6:00 PM in Hailey Hall

Sometimes it's better together! All men and women are invited to join us for a joint missions meeting for a good meal, music, fellowship, and a message from Janine Maxwell, co-founder of Heart for Africa. Heart for Africa is a ministry supported by the Ledford Fund that is home to Project Canaan, a home for children in the tiny kingdom of Eswatini, Africa.

Come hear the miraculous story of how one person's inspiration, faith, and dedication are changing a nation of people with little hope. Find out how God set in motion an unbelievable movement that is rescuing children from death's door to a life filled with promise. See God's hand at work through the vision of these dedicated people. Sign up at hbhc.org/registration or on the HBBC app. The cost is \$8 per person, and you can pay in person with cash, credit card, or check. You can also call the church office to sign up. Make your reservation by Monday, October 19.

WOMEN'S MONTHLY BIBLE STUDY

HYBRID | Second Tuesday of the month at 10:45 AM

We will gather for a time of Bible study and conversation. We are an easy, friendly, and welcoming group. Our meditation is Bible-based. You don't need a book, just your own Bible, and there is no homework! We pray that you will be uplifted and inspired by our time together. Marsha Hutzler leads the group each month. If you have any questions or need the Zoom link, contact Kristen Muse (kmuse@hbhc.org or 919-645-6722).

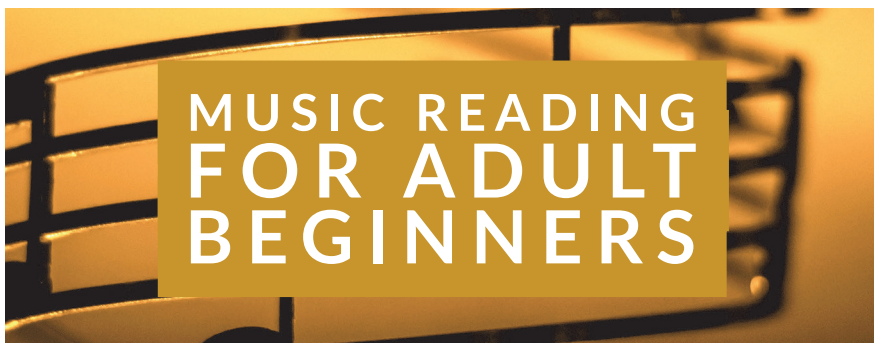
WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

IN-PERSON | Sundays at 6:00 PM in Room 200

Join us for a 7-week study using Angie Smith's "Seamless." "Seamless" covers the people, places, and promises of the Bible, tying them together into the greater story of Scripture. You'll gain an overarching understanding of the fundamental layout and meaning of God's Word. Each week features daily homework that will be used as the group gathers to watch a video, discuss weekly findings, and discuss how the Old Testament and New Testament connect. Sign up at hbhc.org/registration to be a part of this small group discussion. Materials cost \$20 and should be paid for at the time of registration. Jenny Wells will be facilitating the group. If you have any questions, please contact Kristen Muse (kmuse@hbhc.org or 919-645-6722).

52-WEEK JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE

One of our goals during the centennial year is for it to be a season of spiritual growth for all of our members and friends. So we are challenging everyone to join us in reading through the entire Bible in 2026. This week's readings are days 281 through 287. We also have the daily Scriptures on the HBBC App.



MUSIC READING FOR ADULT BEGINNERS

Have you always wondered what those notes in the hymnal mean, or maybe why, in a song, some sounds are held longer than others? If so, this class on learning to read music is for you! Jennie Vance, retired professor from Meredith College, will be teaching an 8-session class from Tuesday, October 13-Tuesday, November 24. **Registration ends Tuesday, October 6.** See our webpage for more information hbhc.org/school-of-music or contact Lisa Moxley (lmoxley@hbhc.org).

OWN A PIECE OF HAYES BARTON HISTORY

For nearly 60 years, the slate on our church roof has sheltered this congregation through worship, celebration, grief, and growth. When we replaced our roof, we saved some pieces to offer to members the chance to take a piece of that history home. The slate is available in three sizes. Each slate has one of four meaningful designs: the Church Logo, the Centennial Logo, the Image of the Church, or Dr. Hailey's Benediction. The slate can be pre-ordered at hbhc.org. Payment is due at the time of purchase. There are additional fees if you want your piece mailed to you. We will also have them available for purchase on Sunday mornings outside the church office.

ADULT MINISTRIES

activities & events **Ages 55 & Up**

ADULTS 55+ MONTHLY LUNCHEON

IN-PERSON | Sunday, October 25 at 12:00 PM in Hailey Hall

Join us following worship for a special visit from Ira David Wood III. He will be sharing with us the story behind how Dickens came to be. Prior to hearing from Ira David Wood III, we'll enjoy fried chicken, potato salad, green beans, rolls, and banana pudding. The cost is \$8 per person. Please RSVP at hbhc.org/registration or call Cathy Eller (919-833-4617) by Wednesday, October 21.

FIT OVER FIFTY

IN-PERSON | Mondays at 2:30 PM and Wednesdays at 1:30 PM in the Gym

Fit Over Fifty is a great way to get active. Dee Barron, the instructor, will continue to teach the class. This is a great option for those looking to get active with a fun and engaging exercise class geared toward those over 50. Non-members are welcome, so bring a friend! Contact Garrett Ferguson with any questions (gferguson@hbhc.org). Register at hbhc.org/registration.

PICKLEBALL

IN-PERSON | Thursdays from 6:30-8:00 PM in the Gym

Please sign up by noon on the prior Wednesday so we know how many courts we need to set up. Contact Garrett Ferguson (gferguson@hbhc.org) for more information.

FAMILY NIGHT

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We encourage you to consider making this a part of your weekly schedule as family night allows fellowship, music, study, prayer, and community

- 4:30 PM - Prayer in Community (Room 207)
- 5:00 PM - Dinner is served (reservations required by noon on Monday)
- 5:30 PM - Family Gym Time
- 6:00 PM - Preschool Missions
- 6:00 PM - Children's Music and Missions
- 6:00 PM - Youth Wednesday Nights
- 6:05 PM - Adult Gathering
- 6:30 PM - Young Women's Bible Study
- 7:05 PM - Chancel/Express Choir

PRAYER IN COMMUNITY

HYBRID | Wednesdays at 4:30 PM in Room 207

Begin Family Nights with a time of prayer with others. Join in a quiet time of reflection as we lift praises and prayers for our world. While we encourage in-person participation, a Zoom link will be available for those who need to attend virtually. Contact Kristen Muse (kmuse@hbhc.org or 919-645-6722) if you have any questions or would like the Zoom link.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

IN-PERSON | The first Tuesday of each month at 1:00 PM in the Parlor starting September 1

If you are interested in participating in a ministry that helps by giving comfort to those in need, you have found the ministry for you. Upon completion, members pray for the recipient of shawls. The blessed item is then delivered to someone in need of comfort and solace. If you do not know how to knit or crochet, we will help you get started. We have materials, and members who are willing to teach. If you have any questions, contact Joanne Hellwig (joanneciv@aol.com).

FAMILY NIGHT MEALS

IN-PERSON | Wednesdays at 5:00 PM in Hailey Hall

Join us on Wednesday evenings as we share food and fellowship. Make

your reservation starting Thursday, the week prior, at hbhc.org/registration or call Cathy Eller at (919)

833-4617. Reservations close on the Monday before at noon for the upcoming Wednesday. The cost is \$8 (adults), \$5 (children ages 3-12), and 2 and under are free, with a \$25 family maximum cost. Gluten-free meals are available upon reservation. Payment is in person via credit cards, checks, or cash.

Menu for Wednesday, October 7: Taco Bar

Reservations are due Monday, October 5 by 12:00 PM.



STONE SOUP SUPPER

IN-PERSON | Wednesday, November 4 from 5:00-8:00 PM at Talley Student Union

Warm up this fall by supporting a fundraiser featuring soups to benefit the mission of Urban Ministries of Wake County. Enjoy an evening of community, connection, and compassion to support our neighbors facing hunger, homelessness, and barriers to healthcare. The proceeds from the Stone Soup Supper help support basic human needs for food, shelter, and medicine. Get your tickets at bit.ly/stonesoupsupper2026.

PLANNING FOR EVERY SEASON

BUILDING THE RIGHT SUPPORT BEFORE YOU NEED IT

Sunday, October 11 from 5:00-6:30 PM in Hailey Hall

This session will explore the resources and services that help people remain independent at home, including home safety modifications, home care, respite care for family caregivers, medication management, hospice, and other community supports.

Reserve your spot today on the church app or at hbhc.org/registration.

YOST BIBLE STUDY

HYBRID | Tuesdays at 7:30 AM in Room 106

Our early-rising men gather to study various books of the Bible or topics throughout the year. Each person helps to facilitate the discussion throughout the year. If you want to learn more or join, please contact David Mobley (mobley.jdavid@gmail.com).

SIGN THE CENTENNIAL CHARTER

During 2026, we are inviting our members to follow in their footsteps by signing our Centennial Charter. The charter will be available to sign on the second Sunday of each month following worship in Hailey Hall. We encourage member families to have their names listed together. Families can also come during the week to Carla's office and sign together. For members who need us to come to you, please contact Jeff Pethel (919-645-6731).

YOGA FOR PARKINSONS

IN-PERSON | Thursdays at 10 AM in Room 104

Yoga helps to improve functional mobility, promote better balance, lessen gait disturbances, and lessen motor symptoms. No experience is necessary, and classes are modified for your ability. The class is free. Sign up at parkinsonassociation.org/yoga-with-shannon. The class is hosted through Parkinson Association of the Carolinas.



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MONDAY NIGHT PRAYER MEETING

VIRTUAL | Mondays at 7:00 PM

Join the Koinonia Sunday School class and others to pray virtually each Monday night. This is simply a time to pray for others and the world. Church issues and politics are not discussed; instead, the time is devoted to prayer. If you are interested, email or text Chris and Gayle Spurlock (919-889-9771 or gaylespurlock@gmail.com) to get the link.

WOMEN'S STRENGTH CLASS

IN-PERSON | Saturdays from 8:30-9:30 AM in the Gym

Women's Strength Class is designed for all fitness levels and ages! Led by local trainer Judy Stewart. We will perform strength training, stretching, gentle plyometric training, and lots of core work. The cost is \$60 for the three-month class or a \$10 drop-in fee. Please contact Garrett Ferguson (gferguson@hbhc.org) with any questions. Sign up at hbhc.org/registration.

COFFEE, TALK, PAINT

IN-PERSON | Tuesdays from 10:00 AM-noon in FLC-201

Join with others as you work on your own masterpiece. No experience is necessary. Bring your supplies and enjoy a time of fellowship as you paints. For additional information, contact Michael Hining (mjhining@gmail.com).

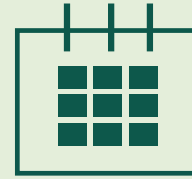
HOMEcoming WEEKEND

Basketball Reunion
Friday, November 6
from 6:00-8:30 PM

Dinner and Dance
Saturday, November 7
from 5:30-8:30 PM

Centennial Sunday
Sunday School, Worship, and Lunch
Sunday, November 8

Register at hbhc.org/registration.



THIS WEEK AT HBBC

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 9:45 AM Membership Matters
- 11:00 AM Morning Worship and Communion
- 11:15 AM Children's Church
- 12:00 PM Newcomers' Meet and Greet
- 12:30 PM Grace Church for All Nations
- 5:00 PM Alphabells
- 6:00 PM Adult Handbell Rehearsal
- 6:00 PM Sunday Night Youth
- 6:00 PM Women's Bible Study: Seamless

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

- 9:30 AM Beginning MahJong
- 10:30 AM AA Early Risers
- 12:00 PM AA-By the Book
- 2:30 PM Fit Over Fifty

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

- 7:30 AM Yost Men's Breakfast
- 10:00 AM Coffee, Talk, and Paint
- 10:00 AM Ministers' Meeting
- 10:00 AM Senior Games
- 12:00 PM AA: 12&12@12
- 1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry
- 6:00 PM Homecoming Dance Subcommittee Meeting
- 6:00 PM Navigating Griefland
- 7:00 PM Youth Council Meeting
- 7:30 PM Basketball Fellowship

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

- 10:30 AM Al Anon Meeting (Rm. 204)
- 10:30 AM AA Early Risers Meeting
- 1:30 PM Fit Over Fifty
- 3:00 PM Pastoral Care Ad Hoc Committee Meeting
- 3:30 PM Four in Accord Women's Prayer Group
- 4:00 PM Canyon Spirit Trip Meeting
- 4:30 PM Prayer in Community
- 5:00 PM Family Night Meal
- 6:00 PM Preschool Missions
- 6:00 PM Children's Music and Missions
- 6:00 PM Youth Midweek Gathering and Bible Study
- 6:05 PM Adult Gathering
- 7:05 PM Chancel Choir/Choir Express
- 7:30 PM Basketball Fellowship