

This Week at Ravensworth

Sunday, September 4

9:30am Preschool Childcare Opens
9:45am Breakfast & Fall Faith Formation Updates
11am Worship, Sanctuary & Livestream
6:45pm Philippians Class, Zoom

Monday, September 5

Office Closed for Labor Day

Tuesday, September 6

First day of school for PDO children
10:30am Bible Study, Zoom
7:30pm Powerless Parents, Fellowship Rm

Wednesday, September 7

10:30am Prayer Group, Zoom
7pm Deacon Commission, Zoom
7pm Choir Rehearsal at RBC

Thursday, September 8

5pm Annandale Food Site

Friday, September 9

11am Aging with Spirit, Fellowship Rm & Zoom

Saturday, September 10

4pm Gum Springs Museum tour & potluck at Campbell home

Sunday, September 11

9:30am Preschool Childcare Opens
9:30am Moore Class, Rm 133 & Zoom
9:30am Friendship Class, Rm 134
9:45am Youth Group in Annex
9:45am Genesis Class, Rm 132 & Zoom
9:45am Parent's Circle, RBC Back Patio
9:45am RBC Kids, Upstairs Classroom
11am Preschool & K Sunday School, Rm. 125
11am Worship, Sanctuary & Livestream
12pm Congregational Conversation, Sanctuary & Zoom
5pm Education Commission, Zoom
6:45pm Philippians Class, Zoom

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Ravensworth

BAPTIST CHURCH

An inclusive and welcoming Christian community where expressing the love of God to all people is central to our worship, study, and service.
"Love one another as I have loved you." John 15:12

Ordinary Time 11am, Indoor & Livestream, September 4, 2022

Storytelling 101

Once Upon a Time

September 4 at 11am

Sanctuary+livestream
ravensworthbaptist.org

The Worship of God

"O God, you are my God, I seek you, my soul thirsts for you."
Psalm 63:1

Chiming of the Hour Phil Carpenter

Prelude *Antiphon V* MARCEL DUPRÉ
Carol Sikkelee, Organ

***Hymn No. 633** *Lead On, O Cloud of Presence* LANCASHIRE

***Call to Worship** Sylvia Campbell

We rejoice and praise your holy name today, O Lord,

Because you keep us on the path of love.

We give thanks because your story gives us hope,

And we reflect on your call on our lives.

You are the source of deep love and hope,

And our spirits are refreshed in your presence!

Let us worship God!

***Morning Prayer** Sylvia Campbell

Words of Welcome Leah Davis

Hope Stories Sylvia Campbell

Hymn No. 450 *God the Spirit, Guide, and Guardian* HYFRYDOL

Lesson from the Prophets Jeremiah 18:1-11 Sylvia Campbell

Quiet Time

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer Leah Davis

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Special Music *Jesu, Good Above All Other* HELMUT WALCHA
Carol Sikkelee, Organ

***Lesson from the Gospels** Luke 14:25-35 Leah Davis
Leader: This is the Gospel of Christ.
People: Thanks be to God!

***Sung Response No. 47** *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDRETH

Sermon *Storytelling 101: Once Upon a Time* Leah Davis

Invitation to Give & Serve Sylvia Campbell

*During the hymn, the ushers will come forward and pass the offering plates.
You are invited to give in the offering plate or to continue to give in the way that best suits you.*

Hymn No. 606 *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending* NETTLETON

Benediction Leah Davis

Postlude *Now Thank We All Our God* BACH
Carol Sikkelee, Organ

* You are invited to rise in body or spirit.

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Giving on the Go



SCAN ME

To Our Visitors: We are grateful that you've decided to worship with us today. Please scan this QR code or fill out a welcome card at our welcome table to share your information (name, email, etc.) so we can keep you up to date on what's going on at RBC. We would love to help you get connected to our ministries and faith formation small groups. If you have any questions about RBC, please send Pastor Leah an email. She'd love to get to know you and answer any questions. (leah@ravensworthbaptist.org)