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On February 10-12, our youth and their adult leaders will be participating in "Disciple Now," a weekend of worship, Bible study, fellowship, and fun! This "at home" retreat is always a great time for those involved. The participants will stay in host homes and meet at the church for evening meals and worship on Friday and Saturday. There will be Bible study times at the host homes and group times of service, fun, and recreation on Saturday afternoon.

Dana Jorgenson will return as the worship leader. He has led at Impact Virginia camps and retreats at Eagle Eyrie Baptist assembly. With the theme of "The Walk," participants will focus on their daily journey with Christ after accepting Him into their hearts. They will learn what it means to live a Christ-driven life, and why it's important to develop a daily walk with Jesus.

Please be in prayer for our students and their leaders as they prepare their hearts and minds for this important time of learning and spiritual growth.

#### CONGRATULATIONS TO...

Brian and Daniela Gilbert who are the proud parents of Benjamin Hale Gilbert born Wednesday, January 25 at Henrico Doctor's Hospital. The proud grandparents are Jean and Carroll Gilbert.

#### Staff Anniversary

Congratulations to Laura Cooper who celebrated her first anniversary as Administrative Assistant for Ministries at DBC on Wednesday, February 1. Thank you for energetic, faithful, and creative ministry!

#### WORDS OF GRATITUDE...

for the church's expressions of love and concern have been received from:

John and Sharon Click



The Golden Tones resumed rehearsals on Thursday, February 2.

**Thursdays, 9:30 - 10:30 AM**  
**Choir Room**

Please come and join us as we make a joyful noise to the Lord!



## 2012 Worship Flowers

The 2012 Flower Calendar is displayed in the Church Office. If you would like to give flowers for a worship service in honor or memory of a loved one, please stop by the office and place your name beside the date of your choice, or contact Diane Sox at [dsox@DBCRichmond.org](mailto:dsox@DBCRichmond.org) or 740-7238 (x34).

#### Upcoming Available Dates:

February 12  
February 26  
March 4  
March 11  
March 18



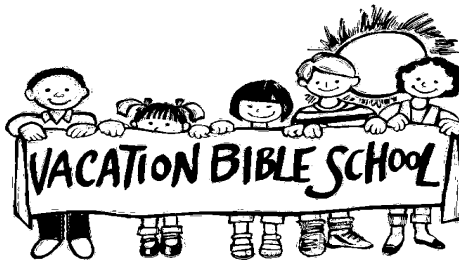
# JOY

Journey of Years

Club

**Thursday, February 9**  
**10:30 AM, Bryant Hall**

Our special Valentine's program this month features our own Eddie Cox, and his wife, Debbie. Come, bring a friend, enjoy the music, and then "feast" on the traditional Valentine's Luncheon provided by Virginia Cannon.



## VBS 2012 ... GET READY!

Vacation Bible School is an amazing outreach event for our church and an exciting way to witness to our children!

What can you do during the month of February to prepare? Mark your calendars for **June 25 - 29**, and prayerfully consider sharing your faith in Christ by volunteering.

There are many opportunities to help! For more information or to volunteer, please contact Janice Banks at [jbanks@DBCRichmond.org](mailto:jbanks@DBCRichmond.org) or 740-7238 (x 28).

#### SUNDAY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE TOTALS

January 22 Sunday School	- 230
January 22 Worship	- 39 (8:30 AM)
	213 (11:00 AM)
January 29 Worship	- 42 (8:30 AM)
	219 (11:00 AM)



#### Welcome Guest Organist!

The Organist Search Committee and I are thrilled to announce that on Wednesday, February 8, the Chancel Choir will welcome David Hill of Lynchburg to DBC for several weeks of ministry in Wednesday rehearsals and both Sunday morning worship hours.

David holds a BS degree in Piano/ Music Education from Radford University, a Master of Church Music degree from Southern Seminary, and a Master of Music degree in Collaborative Piano Performance from Shenandoah University, and is currently Staff Accompanist at Lynchburg College.

Having recently concluded an Interim Organist position near his home, David has graciously agreed to experience the bi-weekly commute and some of our worship experiences while considering accepting the organist position here.

Help is needed! - While David and his wife, Carol (a bi-vocational minister of music and soprano voice faculty member at Liberty University), have some family in Ashland and Chester, he has asked if any DBC member might allow him a place to sleep on Saturday evening after he practices at the church - NO meals required - just a place to lay his head. Please let me know ASAP if there are any housing opportunities like this among our people.

I trust you will take the time to introduce yourself to David when he arrives and make him feel most welcomed among us! I believe you'll enjoy his gentle spirit and fine musicianship, seasoned by a highly diverse educational training and ministerial career that included Carol and his serving as IMB missionaries in Brazil for many years.

David Schwoebel, Minister of Music



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