

WORSHIP GUIDE
FEBRUARY 23

Youth Sunday
**Powered
By God:**

**FINDING MEANING IN
LABOR AND LIFE**



Black History Month

WORSHIP GUIDE

RADCLIFFE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WE GATHER

Mr. Johnathan McGill

CALL TO WORSHIP

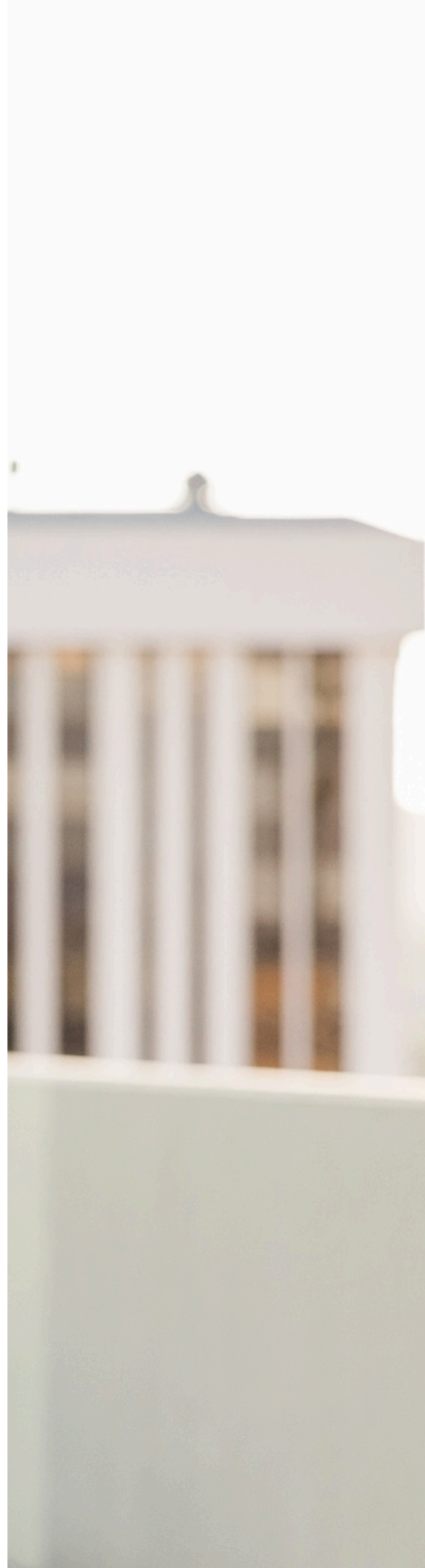
Hailey McGruder

Take delight in the Lord, who satisfies
the desires of your heart.

Commit your way to the Lord and trust
in God's actions.

Be still before the Lord and wait
patiently for God.

The Lord is our salvation and our
refuge in times of trouble.



PRAISE AND WORSHIP

The Every Sunday Choir

"Every Praise "

"Jireh"

CALL TO CONFESSION

Hailey McGruder

Jesus promised us that God is kind
even to the ungrateful and the wicked.
even to us.

Trusting in God's kindness and love,
let us confess our sin.



PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Hailey McGruder

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your ways or trusted your promises.

We love only those who love us; we show kindness only to those who are kind to us; we give only when we expect to receive.

Forgive us, Lord.

Fill our hearts with your selfless love. Change our lives by your matchless grace.

These things we pray through Christ our Savior.

Amen.



DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Pastor

Children of the Most High God,
through Jesus Christ our Lord we have
received grace in good measure-
spilling out and running over.
Thanks be to God.

Now go and live as Christ commands:
Be merciful, as God is merciful; do not
judge, and you will not be judged; do
not condemn, and you will not be
condemned; but forgive, and you will
be forgiven; give, and it will be given
to you.

Amen.



APOSTLES CREED

Samuel Analco-Perez
Congregation

I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL SONG

Congregation

“Lift Every Voice and Sing”

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Black History Moment

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ WELCOME/

Pastor

PRAYER REQUESTS/OFFERING

Pastor

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Rico Myers

Genesis 45:3-11, 15

Psalms 37:1-11, 39-40

1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50

Luke 6:27-38

INSPIRATIONAL

The Every Sunday Choir

“Holy Forever”

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER

Rico Myers

SERMON

Elder Cindy Dockett

“Powered by God: Finding Meaning in
Labor and Life”

INVITATION

The Every Sunday Choir

"Yes, I Have Decided To Follow Jesus"

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Pastor

COMMUNION HYMN

Congregation

CHARGE AND BLESSING

Pastor

POSTLUDE

Congregation

"I Need You To Survive"

HAILEY MCGRUDER

Hailey McGruder is 18 years old and a 12th grader at the Westminster School in Atlanta. She is on the Honor Roll, a National Honor Society inductee, a basketball cheerleader, a bible study leader for middle school girls, and a leader in various clubs and organizations at school, including Civil Dialogue, Black Affinity Group, and the Leadership Cohort. While at Westminster, she has taken advantage of various programs like traveling to Kenya, Africa for an exchange program, traveling to New York City through her participation in Model UN, tutoring underprivileged elementary students, and serving as a campus ambassador to incoming Westminster students and families. Since 2020, Hailey has developed a strong affinity for social justice issues and plans to pursue this interest in college next year by majoring in Political Science or Public Policy. This January, Hailey spent 3 weeks working at the capitol with Paramount, a political consulting group, where she learned about lobbying and political strategy. At Radcliffe, Hailey serves as the RAYs President, liturgist, acolyte, and usher over the years. In her spare time, Hailey likes performing service-oriented activities, babysitting, hanging out with friends, and listening to music.



DALE ENRICO MYERS II

Dale Enrico Myers II (Rico) is a 14-year-old tech prodigy and innovator from Atlanta, Georgia, whose passion for coding and artificial intelligence has already carved an impressive path in the tech world. Born on September 30, 2009, Rico began his journey at the age of seven, teaching himself Python through the app Learn Python in 30 Days. His curiosity quickly led him to explore online IDEs like Replit, platforms such as SoloLearn, and countless YouTube tutorials, laying the foundation for a self-driven education in programming.

By age eight, Rico had transitioned to Roblox Studio, mastering LuaU and animation to create immersive games. His projects captivated audiences, with some attracting over 1,000 concurrent players—a testament to his blend of technical skill and creative vision. This early success not only honed his coding abilities but also ignited a love for bringing ideas to life through technology.





Rico's educational journey has been as dynamic as his technical pursuits. Homeschooled until 2020, he joined The Forest School Online during the pandemic, embracing its flexible, nature-inspired learning model. In 2024, he transitioned to in-person education at The Forest School, where he balances academic growth with hands-on experimentation in emerging technologies.

Currently, Rico is immersed in the fields of AI and machine learning, exploring neural networks, data analysis, and ethical AI development. His goal is to leverage these tools to solve real-world challenges, from optimizing everyday systems to advancing creative industries. Beyond code, Rico embodies the spirit of a lifelong learner—constantly tinkering, collaborating, and pushing the boundaries of what's possible.

With a relentless drive to innovate and a mindset shaped by years of self-directed learning, Rico Myers is not just a rising star in tech but a reminder that age is no barrier to impact.

SAMUEL ANALCO-PEREZ

My name is Samuel Analco-Perez and my birthdate is October 18, 2008. I was born in Atlanta, GA although my parents are originally from Mexico. I speak Spanish and English. I attend Frederick Douglass High School and I am in the 10th grade. I love to play soccer and other sports and games.

I am a proud member of Boy Scouts - Troop 290 chartered by the Men of Radcliffe at Radcliffe Presbyterian Church. As a scout, I have earned merit badges in cooking, swimming, hiking, and astrology. I participated in one long term and three short term camping nights and six service projects totaling over 250 hours. I attended High Adventure Camp at Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimarron, New Mexico for 10 days.

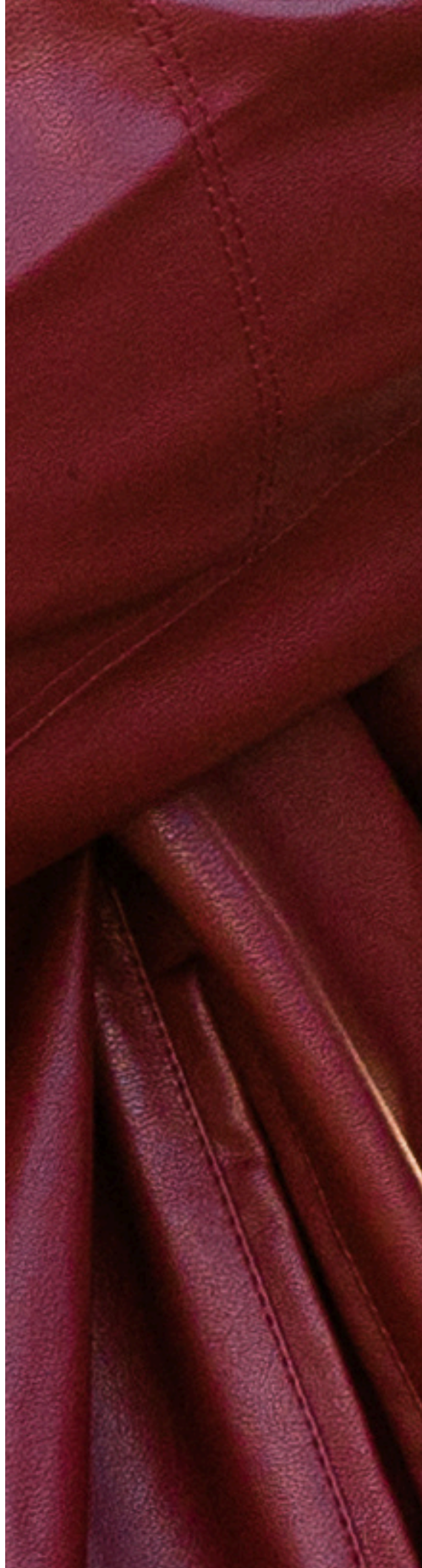
I first came to Radcliffe as a participant in the Summer Food Enrichment Program. Since then, I have participated in Vacation Bible School, sang in the Youth Ensemble Choir for Children's Sabbath, served as a youth usher, volunteered at the Hanging of the Green, attended Sunday Church School and visited the sick with Mr. and Mrs. Brown.



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