

**Department of Historical Resources
Commonwealth of Virginia
A Dedication and Unveiling Ceremony the DHR Marker of
“The Dissenters Glebe of Rev. Samuel Davies 1751-1759”
on the occasion of his “Birthday 301 on Route 301”
at 2:00 pm. on November 3, 2024
at New Hanover Presbyterian Church**

(order of events in the church sanctuary)

Invocation Dr. Evans White, Pastor,
Providence Baptist Church, Aylett, Va.

Welcome Mr. Dave Fuller, President,
Historic Polegreen Church Board

Mrs. Christy Presseau, Ruling Elder
and host on behalf of The Session and
New Hanover Presbyterian Church

Dr. Jennifer Loux, DHR
Highway Marker Program Manager

Recognition and Appreciation of Our Honored Guests

Mr. Art Taylor, a former president of the
Hanover County Historical Society and a
2024 recipient of “The Patrick Henry
Leadership Award”

Introduction by Mrs. Amber Hawkins, chair of the “Hanover
250 Committee”

Mrs. Anne Geddy Cross,
author of “*The Dissenters Glebe,*”
Hanover County Historical Society Bulletin,
(Volume 69, Winter 2003)

A Tribute to The Rev. Samuel Davies (on his 301st birthday)

Mr. Bob Giles, Vice President,
Historic Polegreen Church Foundation Board

Closing Remarks

Tommy Nance, author,
***America's Forerunner, (Story of
America's Most Unheralded Hero,
The Rev. Samuel Davies of Virginia)***

A Prayer in Benediction

The Rev. Susan Steinberg, Pastor
Providence Presbyterian Church
in Gum Springs, Virginia and a successor to
its first Pastor, The Rev. Samuel Davies

A "Happy Birthday Reception"

in honor of Rev. Samuel Davies (November 3, 1723-February 4, 1761)

Hanover Hall at the south end of our building

"The Unveiling"

Birthday 301 on Rt. 301 (at the marker)

"Lord, I Want To Be a Christian"

"Lord, I want to be a Christian, in-a-my heart"

"Lord, I want to be more loving, in-a-my heart"

"Lord, I want to be more holy, in-a-my heart"

"Lord, I want to be like Jesus, in-a-my heart"