

Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church Onancock, VA  
Katie Klawitter Music Director Rev Monica Gould pastor

July 18, 2021

\*Please stand if you are able. Bold print is congregational response.

Prelude & Welcome: Good morning! **Let us worship God!**

Choral Opening *Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here. Come bow before him now, with reverence and fear. In him no sin is found; we stand on holy ground. Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.*

*Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place. He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace. No work too hard for him; in faith receive from him. Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.*

Call to Worship

We will sing about the wonders of your love forever, O God!

**We will tell everyone we meet about your faithfulness to all generations!**

We will declare that your love stands firm,

**that your faithfulness is as enduring as the heavens above!**

Blessed are those who know you as their God,

**for they walk in the light of your presence!**

Opening Prayer

**We've gathered together in this place to offer you our worship and our thanksgiving; to declare to any who will listen that You are our God, and we are Your people.**

**May Your Spirit be at work among us as we worship, opening our eyes to the light of Your presence in this place, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

\*Opening Hymn God of the Sparrow #272  
Young Disciples

Call to confession *God is here. Trusting in God's grace, Let us confess our sufferings, our losses, our pain, our sins. Join me, as we pray together, saying,*

Prayer of Confession

**Lord, we confess that we are not as faithful as we hope to be. We really try to be honest, and caring, and disciplined. But, there are other things that take our attention and lure us away from you.**

**We are sorry for the idols we worship instead of you. We are sorry for taking you name in vain. Do not give up on us we pray.**

**Sustain us with your grace. Fill us with your Spirit. Encourage us with the joy of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Words of Assurance: *Friends, believe the good news of the gospel, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen!*

\**Gloria Patri* #579 **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end, amen. Amen.**

\*Affirmation of Faith **Apostle's Creed**

**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.**

Readings

Psalms 89:1-8; Judges 6:11-16

Sermon:

Keep Faith Alive

\*Hymn

God of Our Life

#275

Announcements

Offering/Offerory

\*Doxology **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

**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 debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen**

\*Hymn

How Firm a Foundation

#361

\*Benediction

\*Choral Closing: **Lord, dismiss us with Thy blessing; fill our hearts with joy and peace; Let us each, Thy love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace, O refresh us, O refresh us, traveling through this wilderness. #538**

Postlude

**Announcements:** Sunday worship 9:15 am at Francis Makemie  
11:00 am at Naomi Makemie

**Welcome Back-**We welcome our music director, Katie back as she returns from maternity leave. We are glad you are here.

**Prayer Concerns:** Carol Rush, Jo Penland, Andrew, Joan & Ron May, Carolyn Lin, Walt Daniels, Vanessa Rolle, Linda Arvidson

**Fellowship hour** in the Makemie Room after worship

**Session:** Elders' monthly meeting Monday 7/19 5:30 pm

**Mission:** School Supplies, Prayer focus, Quilt coloring Book, Food Bank

**Are you** gifted, talented, quiet, reserved, very shy, very outgoing, energetic (or not so), wondering how to connect, looking for an outlet to serve? [here are some opportunities:](#)

1. Bulletin layout and printing-4 hours a week
2. Website and Facebook management 2 hours a week
3. Teacher for VBS-one week a year. This year's needs- *Science, Bible Story, Music, group leaders, group assistants*, and others
4. Ushers/greeters for Sunday worship
5. Sunday school teacher for fall. Adult/Youth/Infants
6. Youth Leader and assistant
7. Building maintenance. Painting/yard work/organizing
8. Archive work/library work

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Staff and Elders

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Our Mission Statement

*"Do what is fair and just to your neighbor, be compassionate and loyal in your love, and don't take yourself too seriously—take God seriously."* Micah 6:8

Compassionate, Fair and Loyal

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