

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

**December 19, 2021 Fourth Sunday in Advent**

**Christmas Around the World**

\*Asterix is to stand in body or spirit. Bold print is congregational response.

Prelude & Welcome: Good morning! "Let us worship God!  
Announcements/celebrations/concerns

Choral Choir Opening      *Light of Hope*

Call to Worship  
We make our beginning in the name of the Father, who in love  
accepts us as his own children; in the name of the Son, who gave his  
life for us; and in the name of the Holy Spirit who filled us with love  
and faith. **Amen.**

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Opening Prayer  
**Lord of Love, you have created us and claimed us. We worship  
you today in the fullness of that love as we learn about the  
various ways we share this throughout the world. May we truly  
grasp the heighth, width and depth of the indescribable love of  
Jesus. Amen.**

\*Opening Hymn      *Angels We have Heard on High*      #23

Prayer of confession & Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer  
**God of Grace, we have been poor examples of love this season.  
Forgive our many sins against you and one another. Lord in your  
mercy hear our 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**

Offering/Offertory

\*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.

**Christmas Around the World**

**A Choral & Youth Program**

Introduction

Choir      *Angel Gabriel*

Germany

O Christmas Tree, O Christmas Tree  
How lovely are thy branches!  
O Christmas Tree, O Christmas Tree  
How lovely are thy branches!  
Your boughs so green in summertime,  
Stay bravely green in wintertime.  
O tannenbaum, O Christmas Tree  
How lovely are thy branches!

Choir      *A Star is Shining in the Night*

Mexico

Choir Duet      *Mary Did You Know?*

Netherlands

Jolly old St. Nicholas,  
Lean your ear this way!  
Don't you tell a single soul  
What I'm going to say.  
Christmas Eve is coming soon!  
Now, you dear old man.  
Whisper what you'll bring to me;  
Tell me, if you can.

Choir      *In the Bleak Midwinter*

Great Britain

Bethlehem      Return to where it started

Choir      *Welcome to Our World*

Choir      *Silent Night*

Benediction

\*Choral Choir Closing      *An Old Irish Blessing*

Postlude

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

**Prayer Concerns:** Carol Rush, Jo Penland, May family, Carolyn Lin, Walt Daniels, Marge & Mike Carpenter, Valerie Mears, Hank Arnold, Judy Emery, Becky Everhart, Brad Davis, Joe Valentine

**Cookie Exchange** today during fellowship hour.

**Fellowship hour** held in the Makemie room following worship .

**Choir-** practice Thursday at 5:45 pm

**Senior Exercise** Fridays at 10:00 A.M with Rhudy Naylor at NMPC

**Men's Group**-no December meeting

**Christmas Caroling 4:30** today at the Onancock gazebo followed by singing at the Commonwealth and selected homes. All are invited to Rick Turner's home for fellowship

**Christmas Eve Service** Friday December 24 @ 7 pm; @FMPC 11pm

**Combined service** w/ NMPC December 26, 2021 @ 11 am

**MANY THANKS TO OUR CHOIR DIRECTOR, CHOIR, YOUTH, PARENTS, A/V Director** for their participation and sharing of gifts for this morning's program.

CHOIR Bass & Tenor-Rick Turner, Terri Lynn Redmond,  
Meg Adams, Rhudy Naylor  
Alto-Diane Taylor, Joan May, Carrie Earthmanis  
Sopranos-Katie Klawitter, Debbie Ryon, Patty Davis,  
Jo Penland, Anne Barnes

YOUTH Christopher Ames, Carter Ames, Cooper Brock, Laura Chuquin-Naylor, Carter Klawiter, Andrew May, A.J. Nielsen, Gabe Nock, Skylar Stapleton, Logan Stapleton, Addison Stapleton, Amelia Stapleton, Everly Stapleton, Ellie Wessels, Elijah Wessels.

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Staff and Elders

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## Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church

Onancock, VA

### 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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