

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

April 3, 2022 Fifth Sunday in Lent

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

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements/celebrations/concerns

Choral Opening *Teach Us the Wisdom of God*

Call to Worship

We come to God today bringing our praise and our worship.

God has restored us and filled our lives with laughter and joy.

Our hearts are filled with assurance as we enter God's dwelling place.

We worship Jesus and believe the promise he is always with us.

Congregation & choir: *Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love him; Spirit of love, come, give us the mind of Jesus, teach us the wisdom of God.*

Opening Prayer

We come to you Heavenly Father to offer our prayers and praise. May our lives be renewed by the love of Jesus and our faith be strengthened by your Word. We seek to be faithful even in our doubts. Grant us in this hour the assurance of your presence and your salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Opening Hymn *Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!* #138

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

O Father, who seeks to provide us with our eternal home, we have cursed you, sinned against you, rejected you, and hidden from you. We are so fearful of what is to come that we spin around anxiously and lay our lives to waste. We cannot fathom a God who provides us with everlasting grace, so we mock the God who claims us through Jesus his Son. Help us this day to believe. Help us to trust the very words of Jesus

who said, "I am the way, the truth and the life." Return us to the path that leads to life. 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.

Anthem *The Upper Room*

Readings Psalm 126; John 14:1-7

Sermon Jesus said, "I AM the Way, the Truth, and the Life"

*Hymn *Jesus Loves Me!* #304

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

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.**

*Hymn *Lift High the Cross* #371

*Benediction

Choral Benediction *The Lord Bless You and Keep You*

Postlude

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

Prayer Concerns Carolyn Lin, Walt Daniels, Jo Penland, Judy Emery, Brad Davis, Eli Chen, Patty McCullough, Ginger Pruitt, George Bryan, Mark White, Michelle Fitzgerald, Nancy Drew

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

Ecumenical Lent Worship @ FMPC Wednesday April 6 12 noon

Very special Care Givers workshop at NMPC at 12 noon Wednesday April 6 given by the Commonwealth Senior Living-please share this news and event with others. RSVP 757-710-2435

Explore the Shore at Barrier Island Center **Thursday April 7. 10-12.** Sign up requested. This is a great opportunity for people to become friends while learning a few things about where they live. Please rsvp to Monica

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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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