

Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church February 12, 2023 Large Print

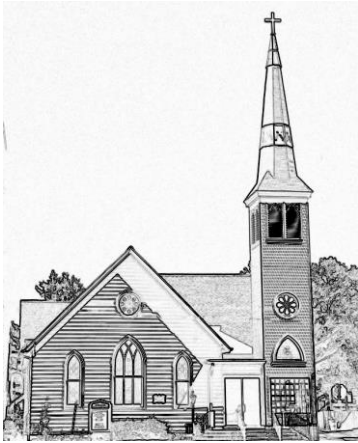
Onancock, VA

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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Welcome to worship! We are glad you joined us today. If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to join in the fellowship and ministry of this congregation. We look forward to seeing you again. Please fill out one of the visitor cards and drop it in the offering plate.

Prayer Concerns Carolyn Lin, Jo Penland, Eli Chen, Ginger Pruitt, James Hill, Wilma Motley, Margaret S. Joe K, Coralei Provenzano, Meg Adams

Ways to serve: host fellowship hour, read Scripture, acolyte, a signup sheet is available in the Grove room.

Flowers are in Honor of Brad and Patty Davis given by Judy Emery.

Coffee Hour-Rick Turner; Reader – Kate Baird

Communion dates for 2023 are: March 5, April 2, July 2, October 1, December 3, December 24 *Anyone is interested in serving on the Worship committee in the capacity of Communion Coordinator to please contact Megan Ames.*

Looking ahead.

Sunday Feb 19-Guitar service /pancake fellowship; CCYF Bowling in Pocomoke; Feb 22.-Ash Wednesday.

Every Wednesday March 1-29, 5:30-7 We will have Lenten suppers. The study is for all ages.

This Week:

Sunday school February 12&26 @9:45

Monday Madrigals 6pm

Tuesdays 5:30 Made with Love knitting/craft group

Thursdays Choir meets at 5.

Fridays Senior Exercise with Rhudy at 10:00.

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Staff, Elders & volunteers

Organist/Pianist-Mark Nuckols, Choir Director-Debbie Ryon, Videographer-Mike Gould, Nursery Worker-Mickey Palmer, Lead Usher-Suzanne Rogers, Clerk-Jennifer Stapleton Treasurer-George Heinrichs Elders:2025 Bill Baird, Patty Davis, Jennifer Stapleton, 2024 Ron May, Linda Arvidson, Meg Adams Class 2023 Megan Ames, Rick Turner, Marsh Ryon; NMPresChurch.org church

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

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

Choral Opening *Here in this place the new light is streaming; now is the darkness vanished away; see in this place our fears and our dreamings brought here to you in the light of this day. Gather us in, the lost, and forsaken; gather us in, the blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall awaken; we shall arise at the sound of our name.*

Call to Worship

Embrace once more the hope that only life in Jesus can offer.

We dare to believe that He is both light and love.

In the midst of so much confusion and despair, the Prince of Peace offers renewed life and joy and strength to overcome.

We trust in His unfailing kindness and mercy, believing that He will never leave us or forsake us, in this life or the life to come.

Opening Prayer

As we walk through this midwinter landscape, warm our hearts, Loving God, to cheer and sustain us and equip us to love and serve you. Fill us with your indescribable joy and make us channels of your peace to spread the love of Christ throughout the world. Turn our hearts once more to the One who taught us what it means to truly live and gives our lives meaning and purpose. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

*Opening Hymn

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

#466

Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts, cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Words of Assurance

***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.

Reading I Corinthians 13; I John 4: 7-12 Kate Baird

Anthem *Though I May Speak*

Sermon Love is Kind Rev. Steve Doan

*Hymn *What Wonderful Love Is This* #85

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 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* #356

*Benediction

Choral Benediction *God be with you till we meet again; loving counsels guide, uphold you, with a shepherd's care enfold you: God be with you till we meet again

Postlude