

Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church February 23, 2025 Large Print

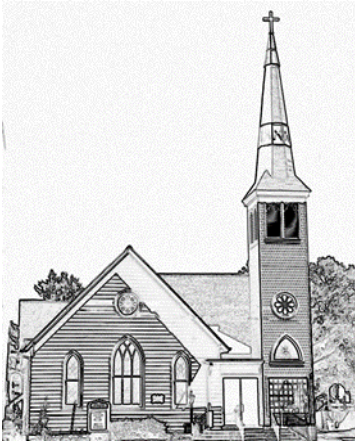
Onancock, VA

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 John Adams, Andrew May, Linda Wilson, Johnson Chen, Tom Nielsen, baby Rowan, Pastor Transitional Team, Robin Sexaur, John Hill

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Class of 2025

Bill Baird
Patty Davis
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Elders

Class of 2026

Kate Baird
Suzanne Rogers
Judd Everhart

Class of 2027

Megan Ames
Anne Barnes
Rick Turner

Presbyterian Women

Moderator – Anne Barnes
Vice Moderator – Kate Baird
Treasurer – Joan May
Secretary – Jennifer Stapleton

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

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Choir Choral Opening

Call to Worship

We come, those who seek to trust in God.

We commit ourselves to do as Jesus would do for those around us.

We come, waiting patiently for God to speak.

We will be still, listening for God's words of hope, of peace.

Opening Prayer

You are our heart's desire, who chooses grace over grudges, who provides rather than withholding, who creates community with us rather than standing isolated from us. God in Community, Holy in One, you are for whom we wait patiently, we worship you today and forever, Amen.

*Opening Hymn

How Firm a Foundation

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Prayer of Confession

In this season of light, we find ourselves wandering the shadows of the world. In this time when we focus on Jesus' ministry of healing, we hold tight to all those emotions – hatred, fear, worry – which continue to damage us. Forgive us, God, for trusting in promises which are short-lived. You have sent Jesus before us so that, as we follow him, we might travel from that far country of fear and doubt to that better country of resurrection life. Amen.

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.**

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| Reading | Psalm 37:1-11; Luke 6:27-38 | Anne Barnes |
| Anthem | <i>Grace</i> | |
| Sermon | Tools for the Road of Faith | Rev. Monica Gould |
| *Hymn | <i>Though I May Speak</i> | #335 |

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.

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| *Hymn | <i>We are One in the Spirit</i> | insert |
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*Benediction

*Choral Benediction

Postlude



This Week: February 23rd - March 2nd:

- Sunday 02/23: Sunday School
- Tuesday 02/25: Yoga @ 5:45-6:45 pm
- Wednesday 02/26: Choir practice @ 5:30 pm, Potluck and movie @ 5:30 pm – *Princess Bride*
- 02/28: Men's Group meeting @ 9:00 am

Upcoming Events:

- 03/02: Communion Sunday
- 03/03: Presbyterian Women @ 11:30 am
- 03/05: Ash Wednesday service @ 7:00 pm

- Today's flowers are given by Suzanne Rogers, wishing a Happy Birthday to Hank, Stacie, Katie, and Logan.
- Thank you to Anne Barnes for being our reader today.
- Thank you to The Davis Family for hosting coffee hour today.



Here is our QR code for online giving to our church. This is a really easy way to send in your offering even when you're not in church.

Love one
♥ ANOTHER ♥
as I have
LOVED
you
-JOHN 15:12