



# WELCOME TO HUNTINGTON MENNONITE CHURCH

785 Harpersville Rd. Newport News, VA 23601

[www.huntingtonmennonite.org](http://www.huntingtonmennonite.org)

Tel 757-595-6889

**Our Mission:** *“In response to God’s call, we seek to embrace God and to rescue, rebuild, and release each person into full ministry as followers of Jesus Christ in the Kingdom of God.”*

**Gather for coffee & fellowship** 9:15 – 9:25 a.m.; 10:30-10:45 a.m.

**Grow through Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.

**Celebrate through Worship** 10:45 a.m.

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## ***Gathering***

**Prelude**

Samantha Luck

**Welcome**

Chris & Glenda Mosemann

**Praise and Worship**

c/o Samantha Luck

**Lighting of Advent Candle**

c/o Beth and Evangeline Aude

**Call to Worship**

Chris & Glenda Mosemann

## ***Engaging***

**Children's Time (for all ages)**

Anna Janzen

**Congregational Prayer**

Chris & Glenda Mosemann

**Receiving Tithes and Offerings**

Chris & Glenda Mosemann

*(Passing of Friendship Registries & Guest Cards)*

**Focus Song:**

c/o Samantha Luck

**“Infant Holy, Infant Lowly” HWB 206**

**Scripture: Luke 1:67-79**

Pam McCann

**Message: “Zechariah’s Song”**

Carl Aude

## ***Sending***

**Song of Response:**

c/o Samantha Luck

**“The First Noel” HWB 199**

**Closing Prayer**

Pastor Howard Miller

*Gloria, in Excelsis Deo*

**Postlude**

Samantha Luck

## ***TODAY***

**Nursery** – Theresa Clark

**Adult Sunday school**

**Bible Study Class** – Good News in a World of Darkness Luke 1-2

**Discussion Class** – *Knowing God's Will: Finding Guidance for Personal Decisions* (Classroom behind the pulpit)

Congregational lunch and meeting after worship service-All are welcome!

## ***THIS WEEK***

<b><u>Wed. 12<sup>th</sup></u></b>	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Time at HMC
<b><u>Tues. 11<sup>th</sup></u></b>	9:45 a.m.	FAITH Prayer at WRCS
	5:30 p.m.	5 Loaves Ministry
	7:00 p.m.	WRCS Grades 1-5 Christmas program
<b><u>Dec. 14<sup>th</sup></u></b>	7:00 p.m.	WRCS K, Pre-k, and younger Christmas program
<b><u>Sat. 15<sup>th</sup></u></b>	7:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast
	8:30 a.m.	Women's Fellowship Breakfast
	9:00 a.m.	Warwick River Christian School Craft Fair
<b><u>Sun. 16<sup>th</sup></u></b>	9:30 a.m.	Christmas Breakfast - No Sunday School
	10:45 a.m.	Message—Howard Miller

## ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

- Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>**: 7:00 p.m. Warwick River Christian School Grades 6-8 Christmas program (at Warwick River Mennonite Church Sanctuary)
- Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>**: 4:30 p.m. Providence Mennonite Church Candle Light Carol Service
- Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>**: 10:00 p.m. Warwick River MC Candlelight Christmas Eve Service
- Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019**: 7:00 p.m. Chime Choir Meeting
- Jan 8<sup>th</sup> 2019**: 6:30 p.m. HMC is hosting Eastern District of Virginia Conference
- Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 2019**: PORT at St Jerome's Catholic Church

## ***Announcements and Opportunities:***

**The Chime Choir will have its first meeting postponed until January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019.**

**Hi Ladies! Saturday, December 15th is our next Women's Fellowship Breakfast at Warwick Restaurant at 8:30 a.m. Hope to see you then!**

**Candle Light CAROL SERVICE:** 23 Dec @ 4:30 pm. Providence Mennonite Church, 13101 Warwick Blvd, NN 23602.

**Jan 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019: PORT at St Jerome's Catholic Church, 116 Denbigh Blvd Newport News, VA.**

**There are new Books in the Church Library!** Go check them out and get your reading on!

**For those who miss a Sunday service,** each sermon has been and will continue to be recorded and uploaded onto the Huntington website at <http://www.huntingtonmennonite.org/sermons/>

**Attendance/Offering:**

**Offering** – \$ 5261.00  
**Offering YTD** – \$ 71548.38

**December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Worship – 78**

**Love Fund** \$ 50.00  
**Budget YTD** – \$ 78796.85

**Huntington Church Staff:**

Secretary Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. –1:00 p.m.  
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**Huntington Mennonite Church Leadership Council:**

Co-Chairs –Pastor Howard Miller, Dianna Schiedel  
Embrace Elder – Anna Janzen Administration Elder – Danni Clark  
Rebuild Elder (Pastoral Care) – Rescue Elder – Russell DeYoung  
Rebuild Elder (Christian Education) – Carl Aude  
Release Elder – Karen Guisewite  
Pastoral Associate – Dianna Schiedel