



# WELCOME TO HUNTINGTON MENNONITE CHURCH

785 Harpersville Rd. Newport News, VA 23601  
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.

Vol 48 No 52

December 30, 2018

## **Gathering**

Prelude

Opening Song “Praise Him Moon and Stars” c/o Samantha Luck

Welcome Casey DeYoung

Praise and Worship c/o Samantha Luck

Lighting of Advent Candle Samantha Luck

Call to Worship Casey DeYoung

## **Engaging**

Children’s Time (for all ages) Anna Janzen

Congregational Prayer Pastor Howard Miller

Receiving Tithes and Offerings Casey DeYoung

*(Passing of Friendship Registries & Guest Cards)*

Focus Song: c/o Samantha Luck

“Bind Us Together”

Scripture: Colossians 3:12-17 Laura Hill

Message: “God’s Love Revealed” Pastor Howard Miller

## **Sending**

Song of Response: c/o Samantha Luck

“I Sing the Mighty Power of God” HWB 46

Closing Prayer Pastor Howard Miller

*Gloria, in Excelsis Deo*

Postlude Samantha Luck

## **TODAY**

Nursery – Theresa Clark

Adult Sunday school

Bible Study Class – Young Jesus at the temple Luke 2:21-51

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

Young Adult Lunch after service

## ***THIS WEEK***

**Tues, Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2019**

Happy New Year!

**Wed, Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019**

10:00 a.m. Prayer Time at HMC

**Thur, Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019:**

7:00 p.m. Chime Choir Meeting

**Sat, Jan 5<sup>th</sup> 2019**

7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast

**Sun, Jan 6<sup>th</sup> 2019**

9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

10:45 a.m. Message—Howard Miller

Communion service at Huntington Mennonite Church

## ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

**Jan 7<sup>th</sup> 2019:** 6:30 p.m. HMC Leadership Council Meeting

**Jan 8<sup>th</sup> 2019:** 6:30 p.m. HMC is hosting Eastern District of Virginia Conference

**Jan 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> 2019:** PORT at St Jerome's Catholic Church

**Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019:** 6:00 p.m. Pizza Night at Schiedel's

**Jan 19<sup>th</sup> 2019:** 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Comforter Knotting for MCC at

Williamsburg Mennonite Church

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

**The Huntington Mennonite Chime Choir will have its first meeting on Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019.**

**Next Sunday, the 6<sup>th</sup>, will be a communion service here at HMC.**

**Jan 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019: PORT at St. Jerome's Catholic Church**, 116 Denbigh Blvd Newport News, VA. We could really use your help volunteering. Please see the sign-up sheet located on the bulletin board under Outreach.

**Comforter knotting for MCC will be held at Williamsburg Mennonite Church (WMC), Saturday, January 19 from 9:00 to 3:00.** We would love to have at least one comforter top from each congregation, but providing one is not necessary to participate. If you are bringing comforter tops, please bring the backing, batting, small scissors and thread for tying.

Lunch will be provided by WMC so please RSVP by January 13 to Lavonne Lehman: DLLehman@davevon.us or by text or call to (540) 810-2754.

**Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019: 6:00 p.m. Pizza Night at Dianna Schiedel's.** Please bring a snack to share.

**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 – \$ N/A**

**Offering YTD – \$ N/A**

**December 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Love Fund \$ N/A

**Budget YTD – \$ N/A**

**Worship – 51**

**Huntington Church Staff:**

Secretary Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. –1:00 p.m.

Howard Miller, Pastor hmcpastor785@gmail.com 540-471-9526

(Cell phone and texts preferred - email will continue to be used)

Dianna Schiedel, Pastoral Associate

dianna.schiedel@gmail.com 757-849-2251

Samantha Luck, Music Director luckstudios@cox.net 757-817-6532

Steven Albang, Church Secretary hmcsecretary785@gmail.com 757-595-6889

**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