



# WELCOME TO HUNTINGTON MENNONITE CHURCH

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**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
Call to Worship	Marcia Robertson
Peace Prayer	John Kreider
Praise and Worship	Amy & Eric DeYoung

## *Engaging*

Congregational Prayer	Pastor Howard Miller
Receiving Tithes and Offerings	Marcia Robertson
<i>(Passing of Friendship Registries &amp; Guest Cards)</i>	
Theme Song:	Amy & Eric DeYoung
“O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts”	
Scripture: Colossians 1:15-23	Evonne Showalter
Message: “Jesus the Savior”	Pastor Howard Miller
Song of Response:	Amy & Eric DeYoung
“Mighty to Save”	

## *Sending*

Benediction	Pastor Howard Miller
Sending Song:	Amy & Eric DeYoung
“Praise God from Whom” HWB 119	
Postlude	Samantha Luck

## *TODAY*

Nursery – Beth Aude

Adult Sunday school

**Bible Study Class** – Jesus begins ministry in Galilee Luke 4:31-44 (Sanctuary)

**Discussion Class** – *Knowing God’s Will: Finding Guidance for Personal Decisions* (Room behind the Fellowship Hall)

**Join in our Souper Bowl of Caring collection of money and food staples today**, after the worship service as you leave the Sanctuary. All contributions of money and food will go to Five Loaves, a local food program.

### **Fellowship Meal Picture Party**

Today alongside our fellowship meal, we're asking everyone who wishes to be included in the directory to please review and update their existing information or provide new information. New pictures will also be taken during this time.

If you brought a photo, it may be placed in the basket in the fellowship room.

### ***THIS WEEK***

<b><u>Wed. 6<sup>th</sup></u></b>	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Time at HMC
	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study with Pastor Howard
<b><u>Thurs. 7<sup>th</sup></u></b>	11:00 a.m.	Bible Study with Pastor Howard
<b><u>Sat. 9<sup>th</sup></u></b>	7:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast
<b><u>Sun. 10<sup>th</sup></u></b>	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages
	10:45 a.m.	Message—Pastor Howard Miller

### ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

**February 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>** Bible Study with Pastor Howard

**February 19<sup>th</sup>** Youth to Five Loaves. See Dianna Schiedel

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

**The Worship Committee is asking that announcements be given to the worship leader ahead of worship.** We believe this will expedite the service and bring clarity to our announcements. Thank You!

### **Pastor Howard's Schedule**

Monday: Sermon Prep

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday: 9:00-12:30: at HMC

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoon/evenings: Flex time for visits, evangelism, study and meetings

Thursday evening: Travel to Fishersville

Sunday: Travel to Newport News; worship; visits

Please remember that a pastor's schedule can change with a phone call, but these are the general hours I intend to keep. It is my intention to be available at church and for home or hospital visits. Please do not assume that I am too busy to meet as I want to be available as needs emerge. Also, I respond most quickly to phone calls and texts. Let's continue to pray for each other.

**This week Pastor Howard will begin a Bible Study looking at the meaning of baptism in the New Testament.** Important verses we will look at include Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 2:38; Acts 19:5-6; I Peter 3:21-22; and I Corinthians 12:12-14.

We will meet Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. and Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. each week of the month of February.

**Fine Arts Expo - Tuesday, Feb 19, 5:30-7 pm at Warwick River Christian School.** Take this opportunity to see WRCS first-hand - meet the teachers and staff, view the students' artwork displayed in the hallways and hear the students perform in the Music Room. This Open House is for everyone! Please invite your friends and neighbors!

**EVERENCE – Finance and debt counseling** – Many of us or our family members encounter life situations that may require financial or debt counseling. Everence sponsors free financial counseling. This service is confidential, at no cost, and provides reliable, values-based financial advice. Contact Alice Hedgepeth, HMC's Everence Advocate, for information.

**Attendance/Offering:**

**January 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Worship – 72**

**Offering – \$ 3361.09**

**Offering YTD – \$ 93,940.06**

**Budget YTD – \$ 123,823.62**

**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