HMC Worship in Sanctuary

Sunday School – 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship – 10:45 a.m.

Epiphany Sunday

January 7, 2024

How Will We Know?

Welcome and Announcements

Janelle Clark

Prelude Samantha Luck

Please use this time to prepare your heart and mind for worship

Call to Worship Janelle Clark

Leader: Arise, shine; for your light has come,

and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.

Nations shall come to your light,

and kings to the brightness of your dawn.

People: Lift up your eyes and look around;

They gather and come to you.

Group 1: You shall see and be radiant

Group 2: your heart shall thrill and rejoice

and proclaim the praise of the Lord.

Leader: The mystery of Christ has been revealed by the Spirit.

We have become fellow heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise of Christ through the

gospel.

People: We know this through faith in Christ.

May our lights shine!

All: Together we carry the light.

Gathering Songs: Samantha Luck

Morning Star, O Cheering Sight HWB 214
As With Gladness Men of Old HWB 218

Matthew 2:1-12 Janelle Clark

We Three Kings

Tithes and Offerings Janelle Clark
Offertory Samantha Luck

Focus Song: Samantha Luck

Holy God, We Praise Your Name VT 126

Scripture: Ephesians 3:1-12 Russell DeYoung

Sermon: How Will We Know...What We Know? Pastor Howard

Active Response Janelle Clark

Song of Response: Samantha Luck

I Love to Tell the Story VT 761

Benediction Pastor Howard

Postlude Samantha Luck

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 07: 9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship

Jan. 08: Eastern District Mtg @ Williamsburg Mennonite Church

6:30 pm Dinner and meeting

Jan. 09: 10:00 am Chat and Get-Together Time

11:00 am Staff Meeting via ZOOM

Jan. 11: 6:30 pm Leadership Council Meeting

Jan. 13: 7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

Jan. 14: 9:30 am Sunday School

10:45 am Worship (Sanctuary and ZOOM)

Feb. 03: 2024 Winter Delegate Assembly in Waynesboro. Guests are welcome. Registration is open. Virginiaconference.org/events

- *Continued prayers are requested for: Raymond Thompson's recovery from back surgery; Barb Hunt's recovery from rotator-cuff surgery; and Eric DeYoung's recovery from his biopsy and further treatment.
- *The Everence Stewardship Training program, "Freed Up," is a focus on Personal Finances from a Christian perspective. If interested, please contact Milton Janzen, HMC's Everence Advocate. (757-813-9355)
- * Mike and Edith Carr are scheduled to leave for Port Isabel, TX this morning until February 3. Mike will be crew leader and Edith will serve as a go-fer in getting supplies and delivering them to the worksite.
- *Pastor Howard will begin a sermon series on Prayer beginning next Sunday, January 14.

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Administration Elder - TBD

Spiritual Life Elder – Lewi Blosser

Outreach Elder—Russell DeYoung

Community Life Elder—Bruce Salsburg

Pastor—Howard Miller

Associate Pastor—Anna Janzen

Recording Secretary—TBD

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...Christ
Jesus our
Lord. In him
and through
faith in him
we may
approach
God with
freedom
and
confidence.

Eph. 3: 11 -12

Huntington Mennonite Church January 7, 2024

In response to God's call, we worship God, giving ourselves to God's work of liberating, reconciling, and equipping each person into full ministry as followers of Jesus Christ in the Kingdom of God.