

HMC Worship in Sanctuary
Sunday School – 9:30 am Sunday Worship – 10:45 am
February 18, 2024

Prelude	Samantha Luck
Welcome and Announcements	Janelle Clark
Gathering Songs:	*Praise Team
To God Be the Glory	HWB 102
I Know Not Why God's Wondrous	HWB 338
God is Here Among Us	HWB 16
Call to Worship	Janelle Clark
Time of Reflection	Samantha Luck
Confession	Janelle Clark
Offering	Janelle Clark
Offertory	Samantha Luck
Congregational Prayer	Pastor Howard Miller
Focus Song	*Praise Team
Spirit of God! Descend	HWB 502
Scripture Mark 1:9-15	Samantha Luck
Sermon:	Pastor Howard Miller
Song of Response:	*Praise Team
I Bind My Heart This Tide	HWB 411
Benediction	Pastor Howard Miller
Postlude	Samantha Luck

*Praise Team includes Heidi Bane and Wendy Brunk

UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb. 18: 9:30 am Sunday School Adults: Jesus promises the Holy Spirit
John 16:5-16

10:45 am Worship (Sanctuary and ZOOM)

Feb. 20: ~~10:00 am Chat Time @ HMC Canceled~~

11:00 am Staff meeting via ZOOM

Feb. 21: 6:45 pm "*The Jesus I Never Knew*" Book study

Feb. 23: 7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

Due to recent health concerns, Anna Janzen is taking a paid leave of absence from her church responsibilities. Thank you for your continued prayers for her and for Milton.

The Leadership Council will meet each Monday at 12:30 p.m. for the next 6 weeks for a time of prayer for current and future concerns.

Volunteers are still needed for kitchen duty to serve coffee and snacks between 9:00 and 10:30 on Sunday mornings. There is a sign-up sheet on the refrigerator in the kitchen.

Beginning on February 21 we will begin a Wednesday evening book study using Philip Yancey's book, *The Jesus I Never Knew*. Yancey peels back the westernized pictures of the sweet Jesus and presents the Jesus who taught and lived the way of the kingdom of God. This book promises to shake our preconceived ideas of Jesus. We will begin each evening at 6:45. **Please let Pastor Howard know** if you plan to attend so a book can be ordered for you.

The **Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center** is inviting **EVERYONE** to their 40th anniversary event, Celebrate Camp! The event will be **Saturday March 23** from **7:00 to 9:00** at LifePointe Christian Church, 8841 Richmond Rd, Toano, VA 23168. Dessert and snacks will be served from 7:00 to 7:30 and the celebration program will follow. Please join us. Bring the whole family, bring some friends! **Please RSVP** to Bob Briscoe, wrcr@wrcr.info or call 757-566-2256.

PRAYER PRAISES AND REQUESTS:

- Praise God for the many gifts of love we have experienced through family and friends as we continue to love in His name. Take time to let someone you love know how much they mean to you.

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Secretary's Office Hours: Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. –1:00 p.m.

Heidi Bane, Church Treasurer

Huntington Mennonite Church Leadership Council:

Chair – Dianna Schiedel
Administration Elder – Clayton Blosser
Spiritual Life Elder – Lewi Blosser
Outreach Elder—Russell DeYoung
Community Life Elder—Bruce Salsburg
Pastor—Howard Miller
Recording Secretary—Pastor Howard

CHRIST AMONG US

Repent and Believe



Huntington Mennonite Church

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Our journey toward God leads us on a path. We may stray from time to time, but God is always with us, gently guiding us back. This week's symbol, a cloth, represents our journey.

The bowl in the center of the path to remind us of how God wants to fill us. The roundness of the bowl reminds us of God's never-ending love for each person.