

Our Mission

To listen to and walk with those in our broader community where they are, seeking to enter together more fully into the life of Christ.

Our Vision

By the grace of God we are striving for daily discipleship to Jesus in a community on shared mission

Visit our website – www.wmcva.org

If you are not already getting the weekly “WMC Newsnotes” emails (Sunday bulletins and brief announcements) and/or our Prayer Chain emails, send an email to: office@wmcva.org

WMC Leadership

Church office hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon Tuesday thru Friday. If you have questions, concerns, or compliments you may contact any of the following persons.

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**Williamsburg
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Church**

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**December 19, 2021
4th Sunday of Advent**

Worship

Sunday School 9:30 AM Worship 10:45 AM

We welcome each of you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and thank God for your presence here.

Prelude		MaryAnn Lee
Lighting of the Advent Candle and Call to Worship		Jim Strafalace
Opening Songs		The Trio Linda Paul, Lavonne Lehman, Hope Dillard
Children's Lesson	“The Most Important Thing”	MaryAnn Lee
Sharing and Prayer		
Scripture	Psalm 80:1-16	Mary Jo Evans
Sermon	Seeing God's Face	Zach Dey
Closing Song	“Joy to the world”	#318
Benediction		Zach Dey
Doxology	“Praise God from whom” (To the tune of O come, O come, Immanuel)	#119

Offerings are being collected in the basket by the foyer doors.

*Worship Leader: Jim Strafalace; Song Leader: Lavonne Lehman
Nursery: Alta Blosser & Mary Atkinson; Usher: Frank Vaughn*



Announcements

Next Sunday, December 26th, there will be NO Sunday School, however, a coffee and refreshment time will be held at 10 AM followed by the regular worship service at 10:45.

WMC's 2021 Christmas Project. You are invited to give to the **Christmas Offering** which will go to a Refugee Fund through First Mennonite Church in Richmond to help support an Afghan family, **and** to Virginia Mennonite Missions for their "A Church of Many Cultures" Campaign. Contributions will be accepted through next Sunday, December 26th. Make checks out to WMC with either "Refugee fund" or "VMM campaign" on the memo line. If you don't want to designate a specific project, write "Christmas" on the memo line. Thanks for reaching out to others in the name of Jesus.

We extend our love and sympathy to Heinz Plato on the death of his sister, Rita in Germany this past Monday, December 13th.

Church Directory Changes:

Harold Bergey: Email address changed to: bergeyjharold@gmail.com.
Ed Mooney: Address changed to: 131 Weaver Road, Williamsburg, VA 23185
Phone: 804-380-4476

Upcoming Happenings

January 2nd – Communion
January 11th – Church Council meeting



Pray

- Our church family: Randy Coblentz; Janet Pedersen
- Julie Birmingham, Melanie Plato's niece

Contact the church office if you wish to update a prayer concern for the bulletin. To activate the prayer chain during the week, call any of the elders.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthday		Anniversary	
Dec 21	Ethan Erbaugh		
Jan 1	MaryAnn Lee		No December anniversaries
Jan 2	Charlotte Ross		
Jan 8	Calab Austin	Jan 3	George & Mary Atkinson
Jan 10	Kathleen Kennedy	Jan 30	Max & Alta Blosser
Jan 24	Ray Nice		
Jan 28	Melanie Plato		

