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Mr. & Mrs. Joseph H. Newcomb
Margaret Gillette Newton
(Continued inside)
10:30 P.M. CHORAL PRELUDE

Selections from
Handel's Messiah

Sinfonia

Recitative: Comfort ye, my people

Comfort ye, comfort ye my people, saith your God.
Speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem, and cry unto her,
that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned.
The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness,
Prepare ye the way of the Lord,
make straight in the desert a highway for our God. – Isaiah 40:1-3

Air: Every valley shall be exalted

Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill made low:
the crooked straight, and the rough places plain. – Isaiah 40:4

Chorus: And the glory of the Lord

And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together,
for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it. – Isaiah 40:5

Recitative: Behold, a virgin shall conceive

Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son,
and shall call his name Emmanuel, God with us. – Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23

Air and Chorus: O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion

O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion, get thee up into the high mountain;
O thou that tellest good tidings to Jerusalem,
lift up thy voice with strength; lift it up, be not afraid;
say unto the cities of Judah, Behold your God!
Arise, shine; for thy light is come,
and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee. – Isaiah 40:9; 60:1

Chorus: For unto us a child is born

For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given:
and the government shall be upon his shoulder:
and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, the Mighty God,
the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace. – Isaiah 9:6

Aria: Rejoice greatly

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Sion,
Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem,
behold, thy King cometh unto thee.
He is the righteous Saviour.
And he shall speak peace unto the heathen. – Zechariah 9:9-10

Recitative: There were shepherds abiding in the fields

There were shepherds abiding in the field,
keeping watch over their flock by night.
And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord
shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. – Luke 2:8, 9

And the angel said unto them, Fear not:
for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.
For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour,
which is Christ the Lord. – Luke 2:10, 11

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host
praising God, and saying, – Luke 2:13

Chorus: Glory to God

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace on earth, good will toward men. – Luke 2:14
WORSHIP TODAY

The flowers at the Altar are given to the Glory of God and in memory of
Douglas W. Connor

The garlands in the church today are given to the Glory of God in memory of
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DECEMBER 24 CHRISTMAS EVE

4:00 P.M. FAMILY CHRISTMAS EUCHARIST
Preacher: The Reverend Randolph Marshall Hollerith
Celebrant: The Reverend Carmen Germino
Deacon: The Reverend Ann Dieterle
Assisting Priests: The Reverend Alex Riffee, The Reverend Caroline Parkinson
Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Michael Lantz, Judy Johnson, Cathy McPherson, Barry Scott, and Stacy Brinkley
Lectors: Eliza Hollerith, Elizabeth Jennings
Acolytes: Team 5: Tucker Brown, Team Captain; Margaret Brown, Caroline Jordan, Mason Jordan, Ned Tazewell, Jack Trigg, Mac Ukrop, and Ned Ukrop; Margy Brown, Adult Leader; Margy Brown and Norvell Whitaker, Acolyte Masters
Musicians: Cherub Choir, Children’s Choir
Music Director: Dr. Mark Whitmire
Organist: W. Thomas Cunningham, Jr.
“Venite adoremus”
Soloists: Anne Mason Ruth, Ian Townsend, Joseph Ascoli, Ashleigh Ward
Piano: Jeanne Lapierre; Violin: Brian Lapierre
“Shepherds Awake!”
Bells: Anne Gamble Jennings, Catherine Row, Samuel Menk
Violin: Brian Lapierre
“Twas in the Moon of Wintertime”
Bells: Jeanne Lapierre, Brian Lapierre
Drum: Ian Townsend
Advent Wreath: Randolph, Clare, Randolph and Baxter Trow
Ushers Team 3: John Lewis, Team Leader; Willson Craigie, Matt Harper, Brett Hayes, Dave Irvin, Scott Kulp, Monty McFadden, Jay Patton, Barry Scott, and Elizabeth Ware
Team 4: Harry Moore, Team Leader; Ferd Baruch, Jim Cosby, Brad Gray, Jay Jennings, Ed Jewett, Tim Messier, Scott Ukrop, Jay West, and Murray Wright; Harry Turton, Chief Usher
Video Squad: Bennette Burks

6:00 P.M. FESTIVAL CHRISTMAS EUCHARIST, RITE II
Preacher: The Reverend Randolph Marshall Hollerith
Celebrant: The Reverend Ann Dieterle
Deacon: The Reverend Carmen Germino
Assisting Priest: The Reverend Alex Riffee
Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Margie Gray, Heather Barber
Lectors: Fran McDermott and Bill Hassett
Acolytes Team 6: Landon Kemp and Page Kemp, Team Captains; Addie Locke, Grace Locke, Margaret Smith, Kate Surgner, and Reeves Surgner; Helen Kemp, Adult Leader; Margy Brown and Norvell Whitaker, Acolyte Masters
Musicians: West Gallery Choir, Youth Choir
Organist and Choir Director: Virginia Ewing Whitmire
Music Director: Dr. Mark Whitmire
Advent Wreath: Christy, Alex, and Addie Eliades and Michael Lantz
Ushers: Team 6: Scott Fitzgerald, Team Leader; Brink Brinkley, Stacy Brinkley, Katie Evans, Ron Evans, Paige Fitzgerald, Denny Fox, Mary Fox, Bill Gregory, and Clinker Moss; Justin Moyer, Chief Usher
Video Squad: Matt Harper
11:00 P.M. FESTIVAL HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Preacher: The Reverend Randolph Marshall Hollerith
Celebrant: The Reverend Alex Riffel
Deacon: The Reverend Ann Dieterle
Assisting Priest: The Reverend Carmen Germino
Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Smokey Sizemore Crews, James Henry
Lectors: Brewster Rawls and Charol Shakeshaft
Acolytes Team 7: Charlie Whitaker, Team Captain; Robert Booth, Caroline Goggins, Ravenel Harrigan, Sarah Whitaker, Douglas Williamson, and Thomas Williamson; Norvell Whitaker, Adult Leader; Margy Brown and Norvell Whitaker, Acolyte Masters
Musicians: Parish Choir
Organist: Virginia Ewing Whitmire
“Silent Night”
   Soloist: Jeanne Lapiere
   Strings: Susanna Klein, Violin (soloist) Linda Anderson, Violin
            Molly Sharp, Viola Dana McComb, Cello
Ushers Team 7: Wyn Brown, Team Leader; Mary Lee Allen, Hugh Fain, Kathie Hoffmann, Emily Steele McKinney, Judy Philpott, Tyler Sauer, and Cameron Frey Scaly; Justin Moyer, Chief Usher
Video Squad: Dave Johnson
Altar Guild Group I: Mrs. Ronald W. Odom, Group Leader; Mrs. William H. Booker, Mrs. O. Christian Bredrup, Jr., Mrs. John M. Daniel III, Miss Corinne Davis, Mrs. Frank B. Miller, and Mrs. Barry K. Scott; Mrs. Edwin B. Meade, Altar Guild Chair

DECEMBER 25 CHRISTMAS DAY

10:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

Preacher and Celebrant: The Reverend Carmen Germino
Lay Eucharistic Minister: Heather Barber
Organist: Virginia Ewing Whitmire

Poinsettia Tributes (continued from front)

William Brockenbrough Newton
Rosie & Meade Norman
Frank Carter Norvell
Joanne Briton Norvell
Mary Woodruff Norvell
Evelyn & Jesse Odom
Carl R. Orenskey
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Mrs. Mary Palmer
Betsy & Jimmy Parkinson
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Mr. & Mrs. John B. Sanford, Jr.
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Mary Warren & H. Hudnall Ware, Jr.
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Edward Talmage West, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. E. Otto Williams, Sr.
Susanne C. Williams
Mr. & Mrs. Fred A. Wills
Eddie & Kathleen Winkl
Mrs. Arthur Terlink Wyker
“O sing unto God with the voice of melody.” ~Psalm 47:1

Dr. Mark A. Whitmire, Music Director
Virginia Ewing Whitmire, Organist

4:00 P.M. SERVICE

Venite Adoremus is my arrangement of the well-known 19th-century carol. It is a macaronic carol — meaning that it combines Latin and English, as does “Angels we have heard on high,” for example.

’Twas in the Moon of Wintertime (or Huron Carol) is a Canadian carol written in 1643 by Jean de Brébeuf, a Jesuit missionary at Sainte-Marie among the Hurons in Canada. Brébeuf wrote the lyrics in the native language of the Huron people. The song’s original Huron title is Jesous Ahatonhia (“Jesus, he is born”). The melody is based on a traditional French folk song, Une Jeune Pucelle (“A Young Maid”). The English lyrics were written in 1926 by Jesse Edgar Middleton. The carol uses native imagery in place of the traditional Nativity story: Jesus is born in a “lodge of broken bark,” and wrapped in a “robe of rabbit skin.” He is surrounded by hunters instead of shepherds, and the Magi are portrayed as “chiefs from afar” that bring him “fox and beaver pelts” instead of the more familiar gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

CHERUB CHOIR
Cherub Choir Mothers: Anne Marie Elles, Elizabeth Harvard
Accompanist: Jeanne Lapierre

1st YEAR – Alex Aghdami, Charlie Aghdami, Frances Beazley, Sarah Alicia Chay, Julianne Eckstein, Wills Erda, Chloe Holloway, Ashley McFadden, Mac Montague, Rory Notley, Austin Nunnelly, Margaret Nunnelly, Catherine Pollard, Julia Pollard, Olivia Sibley, Drew Sherrod, Powell Sherrod, Addison Starling, Thomas Strickler, Gabrielle Strickler, Hadley Turton
2nd YEAR – Andrew Ascoli, Drew Davis, Thomas Disharoon, Katherine Elles, Will Elles, Elisabeth Eckstein, Anne Hubard, Drew Kidwell, George Kulp, Muriel Lewis, Tommy Roberts, Betsy Tinsley, Marla Van Deusen, Aiden Ward, George Wilt
4th YEAR – Holden Woodward, Kathryn Archer Woodward

CHILDREN’S CHOIR
Children’s Choir Mothers: Robin Jager, Debbie Krey
Accompanist: Jeanne Lapierre

1st YEAR – Olivia Aghdami, Beckett Foster, Molly Jager, Libbie Krey, James Kulp, Catherine Row, Sarah Townsend, Margaret White, Elizabeth Woodward
2nd YEAR – Stas Barber, Hannah Clark, Ellie Duffey, Gabi Holloway, Molly Jager, Grace Kinder, William McDermott, Samuel Menk, Anne Mason Ruth
4th YEAR – Liza Hopper, Ashleigh Ward

6:00 P.M. SERVICE

What sweeter music was written by the English composer John Rutter (b. 1945) for the Choir of King’s College, Cambridge. The text is by the English poet and clergyman Robert Herrick (1591-1674). Herrick attended St John’s College, Cambridge, graduating in 1617. He took holy orders in 1623, and in 1629 became vicar of Dean Prior in Devonshire. In 1647, in the wake of the English Civil War, he was driven from his vicarage for refusing to agree to the demands of the Protestant reformers. When King Charles II was restored to the throne in 1660, Herrick returned as vicar. He wrote over 2,500 poems, and was described by the Victorian poet Charles Swinburne as “the greatest song writer ever born of English race.” Shepherd’s Pipe Carol was also composed by John Rutter, both words and music.

Christmas-Tide was written by Bob Chilcott (b. 1955). Chilcott was a chorister and choral scholar at King’s College, Cambridge, and for 12 years was a member of
The King’s Singers. Since 1997 he has worked as a full-time composer and has written a wide variety of choral music, including a significant amount of music for young choirs.

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10:30 P.M. CHORAL PRELUDE AND 11:00 P.M. SERVICE

*Messiah* is the most successful and best known of Handel’s oratorios. It was composed in 24 days in August and September of 1741. The first performance was at a concert given to benefit local charities in Dublin, Ireland on April 13, 1742, with Handel himself conducting. It was not until two years later that *Messiah* premiered in London, where, surprisingly, it was not considered a success. It was only when it was revived in 1750 for a charitable performance in the chapel of Thomas Coram’s Foundling Hospital that it received widespread praise. Thereafter, Handel presented *Messiah* every year. The entire first section of *Messiah* deals with prophecy concerning the advent of the Messiah and the birth and life of Jesus; and the first five numbers are based on texts from the 40th chapter of Isaiah.

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August 21, 2011

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For the sick and in need: especially William Dudley Allen, Catherine Babin, Charlotte Baxter, Franklin Bell, William Blake, Cynthia Buchanan, Ella Campbell, Deo Chichester, Don Cromer, Helen Delgiudice, Rachel Ferris, Jean Hand Hawa, Gary Jones, Jack Nystrom, Jennifer Osborne, Tommy Pearson, Liza Pope, Duke Singleton, Eddie Williams, and Mary

For the transformation of metropolitan Richmond: for the care and protection of infants, children, and young people; for an end to child abuse; for healthy relationships between children and their parents; and for the intimate knowledge that each one is a beloved child of God

For those serving in the military: especially Alexander Gilmer Almond, Sean Breit-Rupe, Adam Burch, Charles Walker Bush, John Dendinger, Nicole Edgerton, Sidney Ann Gilhool, Timothy Gilhool, and Tyler MacEachern

For the newly born and all who celebrate their birthday this week: especially Sue Williams, Rob Scoggins, Taylor Shepherd, Amanda Roberts, Brandon von Puschendorf, who celebrate their birthday on Christmas Eve, and Peggy Christian, Marshall Acuff, Julie Williams, Pat Swift, Shannon Jackson, Meg Stott, and Marla Schowalter, who celebrate their birthday on Christmas Day

For those who have died: especially Jamie Fitzgerald, and Jeffrey, Corinne, Jackson and Meriwether Buckalew

ANNUAL GIVING 2011

“Bless, O Lord, these gifts to our use and us to thy service.”

– The Book of Common Prayer, page 855

As we present gifts to our families and friends, we experience the joy of giving; we receive delight in seeing the happiness in those we love. Studies have shown that those who give money away or spend it on others – no matter what the amount – are happier than those who used it for themselves. We are blessed to be a part of the St. James’s family and fortunate to have the opportunity to give back in gratitude for God’s gifts to us. By making our financial pledges and contributing our time and talents, we are living out God’s desire for us to Love and Serve God and Neighbor. We are doing what we, in His image, are made to do.

OUR LIVES ARE BLESSED BY GOD
NOW BE A BLESSING TO OTHERS

Children’s Center Offering Tonight

Christmas Eve is one of two days during the year our vestry has designated the loose plate offerings for the St. James’s Children’s Center. All undesignated contributions in the offering plates at the 4:00 p.m. service are given directly to the Children’s Center. Additional gifts from our parishioners, grants from the church budget and ECW, and our in-kind gifts of space, supplies, utilities and time of church staff make the Children’s Center the largest outreach ministry of St. James’s. From every dollar you pledge to St. James’s, a portion goes to the Children’s Center to enable this miraculous ministry.

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