



Monumental
United Methodist Church



Annual Lancaster Christmas Concert

December 7, 2025 - 4pm



monumentalumc.org

*Featuring choirs from
Deep Creek Middle School*

PROGRAM

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Celeste Heath

All My Heart This Night Rejoices

Trevor Manner

Monumental Choir

CAROL – O Come, All Ye Faithful

(Sung by ALL, following the Deep Creek School Choir's Latin verse)

O Come, all ye faithful joyful and triumphant

O Come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem

Come and behold Him born the king of angels

(Refrain) O come let us adore him...

Sing Choirs of angels sing in exultation

O sing all ye citizens of heav'n above

Glory to God, All Glory in the highest (Refrain)

Yea Lord, We Greet Thee born this happy morning

Jesus to thee be all glory giv'n

Word of the Father now in flesh appearing (Refrain)

Manger Carol

Hart Morris

Monumental Bells

Greensleeves

Chip Davis

string quartet and piano

Angels From the Realms of Glory

Sandra Eithun

Monumental Bells

Carol of the Bells

M. Leontovich/Wilhousky

Deep Creek Middle School Choirs

Gloria

Antonio Vivaldi

Monumental Choir

Laudamus Te

Antonio Vivaldi

Annie O'Shea and Taylor Mercier

Magnificat

Keith Getty/Curry

Monumental Choir

The Shepherd's Spiritual

Douglas Moore

Deep Creek Middle School Choirs

I Wonder as I Wander
Lancaster Carol

Kyle Pedersen
A. J. Lancaster

Monumental Choir

The Angels' Song

Bryson Mortensen

Deep Creek Middle School Choirs

Jesus, Oh What a Wonderful Child

Lloyd Larson

Monumental Choir

CAROL – Angels We Have Heard on High *Sung by ALL*

Angels we have heard on high sweetly singing o'er the plains,
and the mountains in reply echoing their joyous strains.

(Refrain) - Gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, in excelsis Deo!

Shepherds, why this jubilee? Why your joyous strains prolong?
What the gladsome tidings be which inspire your heavenly song?
(Refrain)

Come to Bethlehem and see Christ whose birth the angels sing;
come, adore on bended knee, Christ the Lord, the newborn King.
(Refrain)

See him in a manger laid, whom the choirs of angels praise;
Mary, Joseph, lend your aid, while our hearts in love we raise.
(Refrain)

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*Many thanks to the students, parents and staff of
Deep Creek Middle School and Taylor Mercier
for their participation in today's concert.*

Thanks also to:

Mike Regan - piano

Mayu Cipriano, Chris Taylor, Stacy Migliozi, and Jeff Phelps-string quartet

Rev. Dr. Celeste Heath

**Please join us to view Nativities in the Fellowship Hall following the
concert.**



Christmas at Monumental



450 DINWIDDIE STREET
PORTSMOUTH, VA 23704



Coleman Nativity

Newly Refurbished!

Friday, November 21, 4-8pm

Open Sat 11-5 & Sun 12:30-5pm from Nov. 29 to Dec. 21

Breakfast with Santa

Saturday, November 22, 8-9:30am

Bring your children for a free pancake breakfast and a picture with Santa! Reservations are helpful:

757-397-1297 or

MonumentalUMC.office@gmail.com

Noonday Concert

James River Ringers Quartet

Monday, November 24, Noon

Four members of the James River Ringers share entertaining holiday music.

A \$5 lunch is available afterwards.

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Sunday, December 7, 4pm

Deep Creek Middle School's 7th & 8th grade choirs join the Monumental Choirs for a festive holiday event featuring professional string players, carols, and meaningful music of the season.

Olde Town Holiday Music Festival

Saturday, December 13, 1pm

Festive & fun holiday music offered by the Southside Community Band.

Christmas Dinner Theater

"Another Cora Christmas"

by David Roane

Sunday, December 21, 5pm

Cora's back! Join us for dinner and a play featuring our favorite Christmas character! Reservations required by Monday, December 15: 757-397-1297 or MonumentalUMC.office@gmail.com



Christmas Eve Service - Lessons & Carols

Wednesday, December 24, 5pm

Prelude begins at 4:50pm



<https://www.monumentalumc.org/christmas-at-monumental>

Holiday Choir Concert

Tuesday, December 16th, 6pm

Deep Creek Middle School