

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Reaffirmation of the Baptismal Covenant
And Baptism of Jonathan Morris

Blessing

Welcome

Concerns of the Church and Prayers of the People

Gathering of the Offering

Offertory *Shall We Gather at the River* - arr. Dale Wood

*Doxology No. 592

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*The Lord's Prayer (*unison*)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sending

*Hymn *I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me* No. 369

*Charge and Blessing

*Postlude *With Grateful Hearts Our Faith Professing* - St. Clement

(*Please stand, who are able.)

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT MASSANUTTEN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

We're glad you are here to worship God with us this morning. If you're looking for a church home, we invite you to consider joining Massanutten. Feel free to speak with our Pastor or a Deacon after worship, or call Pastor John Leggett at 540/434-6194 during the week.

Please see one of our Ushers if you would like a large Print Hymnal, Bible, or Bulletin.

Children are welcome in the sanctuary at all times, but a Nursery is available for *Infants to 3 years old* in Room 202 during the Worship Service. **Pagers** are available for parents of children staying in our nursery.

When the *Friendship Pad* is passed to you, please include your phone number and address.

Prayer Request Cards may be found in the seat racks. *Please place them in the offering plate.*

Do you have trouble hearing in the service? Please see an usher for information about Sonic Ear.

Please see the information on the tables in the Narthex to learn more about what's going on at Massanutten. Extra copies of our bi-monthly newsletter, *The Ministry Link*, may be found there. Please call the church office (540/434-6194) if you are not receiving *The Ministry Link* by mail.

Printed copies of *recent sermons* are available on the table in the narthex.

Worship service CDs are available; if you would like one, please call the church office.

You can find additional information about the many ministries and activities of Massanutten on our **website**: www.massanuttenchurch.org.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 1:

- Please join us in the Gathering Area after the service for a **reception to honor our high school graduates, Jacquelyn Jones and Marcus Sensabaugh.**
- The **Massanutten Presbyterian Women** will hold their Birthday Celebration at Sunnyside's Meredith Chapel this evening at 7:00. The speakers for the evening will be Kelly Miller and Peggy Reinhold. Everyone is invited to attend.
- Kelly Miller has spent six months with **Africa Inland Missions** where she worked with children and families affected by AIDS. On Sunday, June 22 following worship, you will have the opportunity to hear from Kelly in person as she offers a program about her time in Sudan. A light lunch will be provided by the Mission Ministry. Please make reservations for the lunch on the Friendship Folder this morning.
- The JMU College of Visual and Performing Arts invites you to their **Concerts on the Lawn**— June 1: Just Jazzin'. All concerts are held on Sundays at 7:00 p.m. in the JMU Sculpture Garden. Check the newsletter for upcoming concert dates.
- **Spectrum Youth Handbell Ensemble will present a concert**, which will cap their four day tour to Richmond and Chesapeake, at the church on Monday, June 9 at 7:00 p.m. Make plans to attend and invite your friends.
- A **Women's Bible Study** will be held on June 8 and 22; July 13 and 20; August 3, 10 and 17. The study is from the "Sisters" series from Cokesbury. The first study is entitled "Finding Balance." The cost of the book is \$7.00. Contact Nancy Ruh for more information.
- **Middle School Youth** (grades 6-8) and their families are invited to the last youth event of the year at ERRA pool on Saturday, June 14 from 5-8 p.m. Hot dogs will be provided. Sixth grade boys are to provide a side dish; 6th grade girls are to bring a dessert and the 7th and 8th graders are to bring drinks. When you RSVP, please let us know how many from your family can attend and if you are a member of ERRA pool. *RSVP to Alana at 433-1823 or momofmegcait@comcast.net no later than June 10.*
- Our **Annual Congregational Picnic** will be held at the picnic shelter on Sunday, July 6 beginning with games at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:00 p.m. Barbecued chicken, paper products, eating utensils and serving spoons will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a salad/vegetable, or fruit/dessert and a drink. Please make your reservation for the picnic on the Friendship Folder by Sunday, June 22. This will enable us to know how much chicken to prepare. The Fellowship Ministry is looking for volunteers to help with the picnic; if you are available to help, please write "volunteer" beside your name on the Friendship Folder.
- **Sunday School for children and youth will not be held June-August.** For Adult Sunday School classes check with the teacher for details and schedule.
- **Camp does children and youth a world of good!** They make new friends, gain confidence, enjoy outdoor living at Camp Massanetta. We make Bible study and worship come alive in a whole new way. Pick up your camp brochure on the table in the narthex or call 434-3829. Check with the church office for scholarship information.



A Service for the Lord's Day
Confirmation Sunday

June 1, 2008

10:30 a.m.

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements Mark Davis, Worship Leader

Minute for Mission *Presbyterian Women* Nancy Davis

Prelude *Surely, the Lord Is in This Place*
Chancel Choir and Massanutten Ringers

For Silent Meditation during the Opening Music

"I believe as a Christian that you must love, trust, and believe in God with all your heart." (From a faith statement by one of our confirmands)

*Call to Worship (*responsively*)

The peace of Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

This is the day the Lord has made;

let us rejoice and be glad in it.

*Hymn *Baptized in Water* No. 492

*Prayer of the Day (*unison*)

Merciful God, may we hear and do what you command, that the darkness may be overcome by the power of your light; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*4-Cents-a-Meal Hunger Offering

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One,

Give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ the Son. (Repeat)

And now let the weak say "I am strong," let the poor say "I am rich"

Because of what the Lord has done for us. (Repeat) Give thanks.

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

Merciful God,

We have not loved you

with our whole heart and mind and strength.