

Liturgy of the Table

Gathering of the Offering

Offertory *Thy Word* Amy Grant
Sharon Bloomquist, piano Michael W. Smith

*Doxology No. 593

*Invitation to the Lord's Table

*The Great 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.**

Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup

Communion of the People

(We will come forward to receive communion. Please move toward the center of the church and move to the station serving your section. Take and eat a piece of bread from the loaf; then take and drink the cup. Stewards will collect your used cups. Move back to your seat by the opposite aisle.)

Sending

*Prayer after Communion

*Hymn *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ* No. 514

*Charge and Blessing

*Postlude *Finale in F* Moore
*(*All stand, who are able.)*

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT MASSANUTTEN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

We're glad that that 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 the Deacon of the Day 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. *Ushers will collect them during the Time with the Children for inclusion in the church's prayers.*

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 monthly newsletter, *The Link*, may be found there. Please call the church office (540/434-6194) if you are not receiving *The Link* by mail.

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

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUGUST 6

- **Disciple Bible Study** groups are forming now, so please pick up information books and interest forms in the narthex outside of the sanctuary. You are also invited to attend a brief information meeting about Disciple after worship this morning, where you can hear from people who have been through this transformational Bible Study. Then, last year's MPC Disciple groups will be hosting a covered dish lunch for any who would like to join them. There will be plenty of food. Call Pastor John in the church office if you have any questions about Disciple Bible Study.
- The **Logos Ministry** program will begin on September 13 for school age children in grade 1 and up. It is an after-school program on Wednesdays that helps children develop a relationship with Christ through Bible study, worship skills, recreation play and family time. This program encourages us all to remember that everyone is a Child of God and should be treated with kindness and respect. The Fall semester will begin on September 13 and end on December 6. The Spring semester will begin on January 10 and end March 28. Be watching for more information.
- **Faith Village** is in need of teachers and shepherds for the upcoming Sunday School year. Those interested in being a teacher or a shepherd, please sign-up on the sheet provided in the narthex or call Dawn Huffman at 289-3296.
- The deadline for news for the **September LINK** is August 12. Please email news to Clay Jordan at cfjordy@aol.com
- The **Food Pantry** inventory is at an all time low. All donations will be accepted, but they especially need dish detergent, laundry soap, shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant, feminine products—these are items they cannot get at the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank. The Food Pantry appreciates support!
- MPC's Softball Team won the Weyers Cave Ruritan Mixed League Softball Tournament last week. Congratulations!

A Service for the Lord's Day Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 6, 2006

10:30 a.m.

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements Bill Heinemann, Worship Leader

Minute for Mission Logos Gina Phelps

Chimes and Silent Meditation

We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own goodness, but in your all-embracing love and mercy. We are not worthy even to gather up the crumbs under your table, but it is your nature always to have mercy. So feed us with the body and blood of Jesus Christ, your Son, that we may forever live in him and he in us. Amen.

Prelude *Lord Jesus We Are Here* Ahle

*Call to Worship (*responsively*)
What shall we return to the Lord for all the good things God has done for us?

We will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

*Hymn *I Come with Joy* No. 507

*Prayer of the Day

*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.*

(1978 Integrity's Hosanna! Music used by permission under CCLI#1292921)

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength.
We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
In your mercy forgive what we have been,
help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be,
so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name. Through Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon (*responsively*)

Let us celebrate the good news of the gospel together:
**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and made new. Thanks be to
God. Amen.**

*Response of Praise

No. 577

Liturgy of the Word

Time with the Children

The children are invited to gather at the chancel steps. Following the Children's Sermon, children will return to their seats in the sanctuary or follow their leaders downstairs to Children's Church.

**Infants through Age 2 may be picked up in Room 202.
3's may be picked up in Room 203.
4's through Grade 2 may be picked up in Room 108.**

Anthem *River in Judea* -Marcus/Feldman

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading 2 Samuel 11:1-15, 26-12:13

Sermon *The Power of Confession* Pastor John P. Leggett

*Hymn *O for a World* No. 386

*The Apostles' Creed (*unison*)

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was
conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered
under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he
descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he
ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the commun-
ion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Concerns of the Church and Prayers of the People

*(The Deacon of the Day may be found on Sunday mornings after worship
at the Communion Table. You are invited to share any prayer concerns
with him/her to be included in our congregation's prayers.)*

Sunday, August 6

9:15 a.m. Summer Chorale Rehearsal (Choir Room)
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
11:45 a.m. Disciple Bible Study Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)
1:00 p.m. Worship Service for Korean Presbyterian Church (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, August 9

6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)
10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday, August 10

7:00 p.m. Educator's Search Committee (Library)

Sunday, August 13

9:15 a.m. Summer Chorale Rehearsal (Choir Room)
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
1:00 p.m. Worship Service for Korean Presbyterian Church (Sanctuary)

CE Summer Events

- Back to School Breakfast on Sunday, August 20 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
- Watch for information on the 2nd Annual MPC Golf Tournament and family picnic.

THANKS TO THOSE SERVING DURING WORSHIP

TODAY

Greeters

John and Sally Brown
Sam and Virginia Hayter

Ushers

Jim and Juli Colville, Julia and Marcus Sensabaugh; Greg and Ann Trobaugh

Deacon of the Day

Jennifer Bryant

Sunnyside Bus Driver

Randy Atkins

Sound Technician

Tyler Jones

Acolyte

Communion (No Acolyte)

Caring for Our Youngest Members

Infants

Fleming and Sharon Jones
2 & 3 Year Olds
Susie Diehl and Diane Schwalbach

Floater

Ann Jordan
Children's Church Leaders
Angie Baylor and Betsey Branner

NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters

Chuck and Anne Bradley
Nancy Lu Irvine

Ushers

Chris Bryant, William Comer, Fleming Jones, Dwight Newman, Bruce Rohlf, Curt Schwalbach

Deacon of the Day

Shawn Green

Sunnyside Bus Driver

Randy Atkins

Sound Technician

Tyler Jones

Acolyte

Matthew Atkins

Caring for Our Youngest Members

Infants

Linda Knupp and Shirley Jackson
2 & 3 Year Olds
Carol Way and Rachel Dobroth

Floater

Pam French
Children's Church Leaders
Jill Kincaid and Ann Jordan

PRAYER CONCERNS

MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Flo Raynal; Winnie Simmers; Ruth Smith; Sharon Posey; Evelyn Leach; Dale Dobroth; Carole Kreowski; Betsy Studenmund

FRIENDS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Bianca, friend of the Stees family; **Robert Trimble**, brother of Jeannie Sutherland; **Joel Lehman**, friend of Colin Green; **Douglas Berdan**, cousin of Kay Davis; **Dot Edmundson**, friend of Linda Green; **Joyce McAndrews**, cousin of Charlotte Landes; Jacki Nickel's grandfather; **Jim Dobbs**, son of Harry and Alberta Dobbs; **Barney Clark**, grandfather of Tyler and Conner Jones; **Evelyn Murray**, aunt of Jeff Rebich; **Emily Sterrett**, friend of our church family; **Ricky Ray**, friend of Jessica Preston; **Harold and Joyce Morris**, cousins of E. J. Morris; **Michael "Spud" Slayton**, cousin of Becky Hylton; **Pat Layton**, friend of Bob and Sharon Bloomquist; **Marie Slayton**, aunt of Becky Hylton; **Ravenna Layman**, mother of Rhonda Miller; **Judith Barnes**, sister of Katherine Hart; **Laurie Barshay**, daughter-in-law of John and Nancy Lu Irvine; **John E. Carlson**, grandson of John and Evelyn Earl; **John Rubush**, Tim Long's uncle and Tom and Nancy Ke-gley's brother-in-law; **Betsy Doyle**, friend of Susan J. Reid; **Paul Lee**, friend of Kevin Caldwell; **Daniel Lam**, friend of Geri Black; **Sara Stewart**, friend of Sunnyside residents; **Steve Winegard**, friend of Bo and Patti Hobbie; **Martha Lohr**, sister of Irene Hartman; **Marcia Bradley**, daughter of Chuck and Anne Bradley; **Jacob Miller**, nephew of Tim and Rhonda Miller; **Rev. Carroll Goodridge**, friend of Patricia Copper; **Caroline Parr**, friend of the Laughlin Family; **Twila Oates**, aunt of Ruth Sensabaugh; **Joyce**, friend of Jean Forbes; a friend of E. J. and Judy Morris; **Anita Cross**, wife of George Cross.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Craig Taylor II, son of Boo and Sandy Taylor (stationed in Cheyenne, WY)
Mark B. Heltzel, son of Helen Groves (Department of Navy Medical and Surgery, Wash- ington, D.C.)
Jon Guinn, son of Mike and Ka Guinn (stationed in Fairbanks, AK)
Elizabeth "Lee" Davis, daughter of Marc and Nancy Davis (stationed in GA)
Haywood A. Marsh, son of Tim and Lisa Cooper (stationed in Korea)
Ryan Tarman, grandson of Dee and Martha Floyd (stationed in Iraq)
Chad Ritchie, son of Robert and Ramona Ritchie (stationed in Spain)
Chris Jerome, son of Bob Jerome (stationed in Naples, Italy)
Jennifer Lonas, niece of Tim and Rhonda Miller
Brent Rohrbaugh, brother of Rhonda Miller (stationed in Norfolk, VA)
Daryle Kuehle, a Spotswood HS baseball dad (stationed in Iraq)
Sterling Peele, friend of Bo Hobbie (stationed in Iraq)

WE EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY TO

...Don and Jane Runzo and their family on the death of Don's father