

First Baptist Church of Manlius

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WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

Sunday, January 18, 2009

Worship Services ~ 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School & Adult Education ~ 9:45 a.m.

*He said to them, "Go into all the world
and preach the good news to all creation.*

-Mark 16:15

Sunday, January 18, 2009 ~ 8:30 a.m.

Our worship leaders this morning include:

Our Praise Team Leader: Rev. John Buskey

Our Pastor: Leon Oaks-Lee

Scripture:

Matthew 28:19-20

¹⁹"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Mark 16:15

¹⁵He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation."

Luke 24:47

⁴⁷Repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.

Acts 1:8

⁸"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

John 20:21

²¹Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you."

Sermon

"Empowered People of God"

Part 2: What in the World are We Here for?

Pastor Leon Oaks-Lee

ABOUT THIS MORNING

- Guests are invited to sign the guest book or fill out a visitor card.
- Hearing devices are available. Ask one of the greeters.
- **Greeting:** Jean Lynn Buskey

PRAYER AND CARE

- Prayer Needs:** Please call Dave Knaebel at 569-0581 to contact the prayer chain.
- In Case of Emergency:** If you or anyone you know is in need of food in times of sickness or family emergency, please notify Shirley Mapstone at 682-8169.
- Caregiver in Action:** This week please keep Beth Greene in your prayers as well as her Caregiver, Shirley Mapstone.

Rev. Leon Oaks-Lee, Pastor
Joyce McCartney, Music Director/Organist
Elaine LaFollette, Secretary
Michael McCartney, Custodian
Mary Schwarz, Praise Team and Joyful Sounds Director
Wendy Mapstone, Playschool Director
Marge Edwards, King's Kids Director

Welcome to First Baptist Church of Manlius *Sunday, January 18, 2009 ~ 11:00 a.m.*

Gathering Time

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude Joyce McCartney

Call to Worship (Responsive) from Psalm 47

Leader: Clap your hands, all you nations;
shout to God with cries of joy.

People: **How awesome is the LORD Most High,
the great King over all the earth!**

Leader: Sing praises to God, sing praises;
sing praises to our King, sing praises.

People: **For God is the King of all the earth;
sing to him a psalm of praise.**

***Songs of Praise** See Insert

Family Prayers (Joys and Concerns)

Offering
Offertory 1st Movement from "Divertimento in D" -Haydn
Cello solo: Courtney Shevchuk

***Doxology and Dedication of Offering**

No. 382

****Children's Time**

***Hymn**

O How He Loves You and Me

No. 622

Scripture

Matthew 28:19-20

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Sermon

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***Hymn of Response**

Let Your Heart Be Broken

No. 662

***Benediction**

Postlude

Joyce McCartney

*If you are able, please stand.

** All 4 and 5 year olds are welcome to go out following the Children's Time. All children in 1st through 6th grade will be staying in worship this Sunday. There will be no Joyful Sounds Choir rehearsal today.



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- **Greeting:** Myrna Benedict
- **Ushers:** Dick Barber and Jim Mitscher
- **Child Care:** Al Dominy

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Flowers in the Sanctuary – The 2009 Flower Chart is hanging in the Narthex. Please put your name on the special date if you would like to purchase flowers in memory or in honor of a loved one. The Olive Branch (687-7851) will deliver flowers directly to the church for a small fee on Saturdays before Sunday Worship. Please call the church office with information to put in the bulletin.

2009 Calendars – are available in the Narthex ~ a gift from Schepp Family Funeral Homes.

4th Quarter Financial Statements – are in the Narthex for you to take home ~ Thank you, Carole Guynup, for getting these together.

A Concert is coming! - Do you remember the group that sang at our Thanksgiving dinner a few years ago, "Tapestry" (which includes Melanie Bex, Ken's daughter-in-law)? They will be singing in the Chittenango High School auditorium on **Saturday, February 7th at 7:00 p.m.** This concert is a benefit for hunger and sponsored by the Association of Chittenango Churches. -Jill Doss

CPR Course – is being offered **Monday, January 26th, 6:30-8:30 p.m.** here at First Baptist in the Chapel. This class is opened to the public. The cost is \$25.00, which is due at the time of the class. Please call Sally Lyon at 682-5697 to register.

Unity Fellowship - January's meeting will be on **Saturday, January 24, 6:30 p.m.** in the Chapel. The Salvation Army will be doing a presentation. This is a potluck event; please bring a dish to pass. Jim Mitscher and Erika Buchanan are in charge. **All are invited!**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

TONIGHT, January 18, 6-11:00 p.m. – Highland Forest Trip!!

Saturday, January 24, 9-Noon – Church Leader Gathering in the chapel

Saturday, January 24, 6:30 p.m. – Unity Fellowship in the chapel

Sunday, January 25 – Annual Meeting after 11 a.m. Worship

HIGHLAND FOREST FAMILY OUTING

TONIGHT, January 18, 2009 ~ 6:00-11:00 p.m.

Come one come all. Bring your family and any friends who would like to share the evening with you and our Church family. Bring any board game or other game you think will add to the fun. Join us for great food, fellowship, sleigh rides, hot cocoa around the fireplace and a night of fun.

Please email or call Deb Oley if you would like to bring anything to share. No ideas? Please check with me.

Also can you guess who I am??

Please email me at mollyoley@aol.com a little know or obscure fact about you that your church family most likely does not know about you. I will compile these facts on a piece of poster board and you can see how many people you "recognize" by their life tidbits. I may call you to participate if I don't hear from you so start thinking!



ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, January 25, 2009

The meeting will follow the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service.

(Lunch and meeting will be in the gym)

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Copies of the Annual Report are available in the Narthex this Sunday, January 18th for you to take home, review, and bring back next Sunday for the Annual Meeting.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recent Prayer Requests ~

Phyllis Bailey – broke her ankle 12/30, had surgery 12/31, and is at home recuperating.

Dana Berg – (friend of Marge Edwards) was in a snowmobile accident on Jan. 9, has a broken neck and ribs, but he is not paralyzed. Also keep his wife, Debbie, in your prayers.

Please Pray for ~

Wanda Baker	Kermit Breed, Jr.	Loretta Beuchert
Mike Adams	Virginia Noble	Ruth Costello
Courtney H.	Ann and Gene Spradling	Connor
Russell and Mary Jane Davis	The Nehemiah Team	Marian Pollock
Florence Cowles, Barbara Brace's mother	Virginia, Carol Davenport's aunt	
Marilyn Fowler Mills	Zulauf	Tom Conley
Peggy, Marg Kerr's sister and Peggy's son, Greg		Helen Jenks
Mary Schwarz	Carole Guynup	Linda & Marty Malloy
Kyle Short	Grace Chege's niece	

PRAISES

Pauline and Harry Cole would like to thank all of those who have so faithfully been greeters and ushers for the Worship Services in 2008.

Grace Chege would like to thank all of you for your prayers for her niece, She is doing much better! Praise God!

Do you have a prayer request or praise to share?

Please call Elaine in the Church office (682-8941) by Wednesday morning.

ABW MINISTRIES NEWS - There will be **no** meeting in January. A White Cross Work meeting is scheduled for **Monday, February 9th at 10:00 a.m.** in the Chapel. The committee consists of Ruth Ware and Annette Andrusyszyn. Please bring a bag lunch. Dessert will be provided. Fifty (50) bandages will be rolled for hospitals in the Congo.

Scholarships are available to High School graduates and continuing College students from American Baptist Women's Ministries through the ABW Ministries Scholarship Fund. Applications can be found on the secretary's desk in the church office. They are due March 1st.

We need more UPC codes found on the back of a variety of Campbell's products. These labels go to Springbrook to buy materials for the schools, etc. There is a box for UPC codes and cancelled stamps in the Narthex. We have not been able to find a place for our cancelled stamps at this time; suggestions are welcome. Thank you.

CALENDAR

TODAY, January 18th

8:30 a.m. Worship Service/Pastor Leon is preaching
9:45 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Education
11:00 a.m. Worship Service/Pastor Leon is preaching
6:00 p.m. Highland Forest Event until 11:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, January 22nd

6:30 p.m. Basketball in the gym until 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, January 23rd

9:30 a.m. Stay 'n Play for moms & dads & tots in the gym 'til 11:30

SATURDAY, January 24th

9:00 a.m. Church Leader Gathering in the Chapel
6:30 p.m. Unity Fellowship in the Chapel


NEXT SUNDAY, January 25th ~ Annual Meeting

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After Worship - Annual Meeting

Mission News - FM FOOD PANTRY - Here is the list of items needed at this time for the FM Food Pantry. Please place in the shopping cart by the elevator ~ thank you☺ **Canned Soup (not tomato), Canned Fruit, Baked Beans, Pasta Sauce, Toilet Paper & Cookie Mix**

SAMARITAN CENTER - Come and volunteer on Wednesdays!! We begin at 3:00 p.m. and are out by 5:00 p.m. Call Tom Shephard for details (655-8448).

	Pastor Leon's Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 - Noon Email: fbc-m-pastor@twcny.rr.com	
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Youth News

Youth Group meets the 1st & 3rd Sundays

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

For youth in Grades 6th – 12th

Upcoming Events:

TONIGHT, January 18th – Church-wide family event at Highland Forest. Let a youth advisor know if you need a ride or directions.

February 1st – ****Special Time**** Plan to stay for fun directly after the 11:00 service! Bring your own lunch. Activities will begin at 1:00pm. Shall be wondrous!

FBC Manlius Youth “WILL STARVE FOR FOOD” for children

worldwide

February 27th – February 28th



Did you know that 26,000 children die from preventable diseases and malnutrition as a result of hunger daily?

But world hunger is 100% preventable and teens from FBC Manlius are ready to be a part of the solution. The youth “WILL STARVE FOR FOOD” – the theme for World Vision’s 30 Hour Famine this year – by going without food for 30 hours to get a taste of what the world’s poorest children and families face everyday. Intrigued? Keep watch as we share more with you in the next few weeks...

Youth Team: Christy Brownell, Jillian Everly, Pastor Leon Oaks-Lee, Rosey Oaks-Lee, George Oley, & Tom Shephard

Questions or Comments for the Youth Team? Email us at

FBManliusyouth@gmail.com

CHURCH LEADER GATHERING



**This
Saturday,
January 24th**



9:00 a.m. – Noon (Chapel)

8:30 a.m. Gathering Time

You are invited to join other leaders as we:

**Ask questions and seek input
about our future.**

Learn what the Nehemiah Team has been doing.

**Our Leader Gathering will aim at helping all of us
to be more responsive to God’s leading and more
effective in carrying out his ministries.**