



First Baptist Church of Manlius

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Sunday, July 6, 2008

**Today's worship is with the Manlius
United Methodist Church**

CHURCH FAMILY PICNIC AND BAPTISM

Saturday, July 19 at Noon

We are planning a special day of worship and fellowship at Pathfinder Lodge* at noon on Saturday, July 19th:

- **Picnic** – Bring a dish to pass. The meat, dessert and drinks will be provided.
- **Baptism** - Michael Buskey has requested that he be baptized at Pathfinder Lodge (our American Baptist Camp where he has developed a special relationship to God).
- Opportunity to **enjoy** time for swimming, hiking, boating or fellowship activities.

Do you need directions? Want to share a ride with others? Call the church office or speak to Pastor Leon.

*Pathfinder Lodge is one of two American Baptist Camps in New York State. It is located north of Cooperstown on the east side of Otsego Lake (about 70 miles from Manlius).

SUMMER BOOK DISCUSSION

Sundays, August 10, 17 and 24 following worship

You are invited to join others at First Baptist to discuss a recently published book, The Shack, a novel written by William P. Young. The book will help us talk about God, about pain, about healing, about what it means to live by faith and more.

How can I take part:

- **Order the book:** You can find the book at most bookstores. For those interested the church will order a book. Notify Pastor Leon or the church office by Sunday, July 13th. The cost will be \$ 10.00 per book.
- **Read the book.** You'll learn and participate best if you have read the book.
- **Show up** on Sunday mornings after worship (room to be announced). We'll conclude before noon.

CALENDAR

TODAY, July 6th

9:30 a.m. Combined Worship Service at Manlius United Methodist/Rev. Leon Oaks-Lee is preaching

TUESDAY, July 8th

6:30 p.m. VBS planning meeting

WEDNESDAY, July 9th

6:30 p.m. Trustees Board meeting

NEXT SUNDAY, July 13th

9:30 a.m. Worship Service/Rev. Leon Oaks-Lee is preaching Genesis 3:1-24 "Scrumpling"

New date for the Quarterly meeting: Sunday, July 20th after the 9:30 a.m. Worship Service



One Great Hour of Sharing

Goal: \$1,200.00
S-t-r-e-t-c-h Goal: \$1,500.00
As of 6/29/08: \$1,427.00

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 Ken and Ada Phelps in your prayers, as well as their Caregivers, Harry and Pauline Cole.

Rev. Leon Oaks-Lee, Pastor
 John Spradling, Music Director
 Joyce McCartney, Organist
 Elaine LaFollette, Secretary
 Michael McCartney, Custodian
 Kathie Shevchuk, Ministry Coordinator
 Shirley Mapstone, Joyful Sounds Director
 Mary Schwarz, Praise Team Director
 Wendy Mapstone, Playschool Director
 Marge Edwards, King's Kids Director

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



ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE BLOODMOBILE IS COMING – the Bloodmobile will be at First Baptist Church on **Saturday, July 26th** from **8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** in the gym. Please call Shirley Mapstone to schedule an appointment at 682-8169. Thank you for giving the gift of life.

Youth News

SAVE THE DATE! **July 19-20** An awesome, fun, and outstanding youth event is being planned for that weekend. The activity will be either Saturday or Sunday. **Keep watch!**

GOD'S SOLDIERS – Mark your calendars for **Thursday, July 17th** for an exciting event for all kids ages Kindergarten-5th grade.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please Pray for ~

Wanda Baker	Kermit Breed, Jr.	Loretta Beuchert
Mike Adams	Ruth Costello	Rev. "Doc" Buckley
Connor	Virginia Noble	Courtney H.
Patty Baggett	Dave	The Curr Family
Virginia, Carol Davenport's Aunt		The Nehemiah Team
Ann and Gene Spradling		The Morse Family
Russell and Mary Jane Davis		Ian Ryan
The Huffaker and Phelps Families		Kathie Shevchuk
Florence Cowles, Barbara Brace's Mother		
Helen Jenks		

PRAISES

Thank you to my very special Secret Pal for the patriotic chain and socks Have a wonderful holiday and thanks for thinking of me!
–Colleen Guynup

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Please call or email Elaine at the Church (682-8941)
by Wednesday morning with prayer requests. Thank you.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL at FBC



***August 18-22, 9a.m.-noon**

***Free registration until July 15**

***All children are welcome, ages Pre-K (age 5) through having completed 6th grade.**

***Call the church office for a registration form (682-8941) or online at www.firstbaptist-manlius.org.**

We will learn how God has worked with his people through Bible stories about Ruth and Elisha and the experiences and parables of Jesus. Learn how we can make a difference in the lives of street children in Cuzco, Peru through our mission project. We will sing songs, play games, make rainforest crafts, and eat interesting snacks

Supplies needed - We would also greatly appreciate donations of materials to create a rain forest: Bright colored sheets, lengths of thick rope for vines, stuffed animals like toucans, snakes, monkeys, etc., lengths of realistic plastic plant vines, anything you can "see" being helpful. Please see Melissa Buskey to donate items or ask questions.

Also needed:

2 sheets of poster board
Packages of crayon and markers
1 package of ping pong balls
White (printer type) paper
1 or 2 packages of index cards
Little instruments (ex. little drums)
Shoe boxes
Containers of cinnamon, vanilla, tea, coffee, cocoa, and sugar
1 package of cough drops
Small pieces of rubber
Chocolate
Chewing gum
Sample size of cosmetics, perfume, soap
Small woven baskets

