

First Baptist Church of Manlius

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WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

Sunday, July 8, 2007

Worship Service ~ 9:30 a.m.

*"Your people shall be my people,
and your God, my God."*

-Ruth 1:16b

Gathering Time

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Joyce McCartney

Call to Worship

Leader: Blessed be the name of God. From this time on and forevermore.
People: **From the rising of the sun to its setting. The name of God is to be praised.**
Leader: It is good to give thanks to God. To sing praise to your name, O Most High.
People: **To declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night.**

*Songs of Praise

See Insert

Offering Offertory

*Doxology and Dedication of Offering

#382

Children's Time**

Rev. Bill Carlsen

*Hymn

Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee

No. 465

Family Prayers

(Joys and Concerns)

Scripture

Ruth 1:15-16

Page No. 412

Sermon

"I'd Rather Have....."

Rev. Bill Carlsen

*Hymn of Response

I'd Rather Have Jesus

No. 650

*Benediction

Postlude

Joyce McCartney

*If you are able, please stand.

**The children can go out to watch a Christian video today with Mary Schwarz.
Child care is provided for children ages infant-3 years old.

Worship music copying permission given through CCLI #750603.



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.
- **Worship Leader:** Dave Knaebel
- **Greeting:** Marge and Laurel Faucett
- **Ushers:** Tom Shephard and Erman Ferris
- **Child Care:** Kim Granata

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
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


ANNOUNCEMENTS

FBC WEB PAGE - Do you have skills with computers and the internet that you would like to put to use for the church and for the Lord? If you are interested in helping with the church webpage or with other computer outreach activities at the church, please see, call, or email Dave Knaebel. 569-0581 or dknaebel@mindspring.com. Thank you.

ABW MINISTRIES



Please keep the Campbell's UPC codes coming for Springbrook – formerly Upstate Home for Children. These codes are on the back of the front label. If you prefer, you may turn in the entire label and we will do the clipping. We are getting lots of cancelled stamps. Please keep these coming for Dr. Vila's Spanish Bible ministry.

<u>ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING</u>	
	
<u>GOAL:</u>	\$1,200.00
<u>S-T-R-E-T-C-H:</u>	\$1,500.00
<u>DONATIONS RECEIVED TO DATE:</u>	\$1,562.00
We reached our goal and surpassed the S-T-R-E-T-C-H goal!! Thank you so much for your generous giving!	

SPREAD THE WORD! REGISTER NOW!
Vacation Bible School ~ July 30-August 3
9 a.m. till noon
First Baptist Church of Manlius



VBS is for children entering Kindergarten through comp. Invite your children's friends, your neighbors, and your...
Note: Completed 4th and 5th grade group will include some off-site excursions to enhance the experience. Check it out. Registration forms are available in the narthex, at the church office, or online at the church website www.firstbaptist-manlius.org. **Please note:** Registrations received from July 2-22 are \$5.00/child; maximum \$15/family. After July 22, \$20/child. We are looking for items to be donated for snacks and other activities. Cash donations are always appreciated. Needed items are:

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| Gold fish crackers | <u>SNACKS</u> | Blue jell-o |
| Gummy worms |  | Graham crackers (plain) |
| Gummy fish | | Small paper plates |
| Vegetable oil | | Plain rice cakes (reg. large size) |
| Cool Whip | | Tub frosting (white) |
| Fruit Roll-Ups | |  |

(See Jean Lynn Buskey/682-0252)

OTHER ITEMS NEEDED

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| (2) Light blue bed sheets – any size | Clay pots and clay jars |
| (1) Green bed sheet – any size | (1) Video camera (used as a prop) |
| (1) Tan bed sheet – any size | Large rocks and concrete blocks |
| (1) Blue poster board | Light blue nylon netting |
| (1) Foam board or poster board | Small boat |
| Badminton or volleyball net | Long curtain – any color |
| Fishing gear | 13 large pillows – for sitting on |
| Buckets | Wooden bowls and wooden cups |
| Chicken wire (2 ½'-3' tall x 6' long) | (2) Water pitchers |
| Water basin | Hand towels |
| Sandals – 13 pairs | Paper, Pens, Pencils and Crayons |
| (2) Gold fish bowls | (5) Clipboards |
| Candy worms | (1) Tin can |
| (1) Large fish hook | (5) Dowel rods |
| String | Construction paper |
| (5-10) Small magnets | White board and markers |
| (1) Beach ball | (1) Very small wading pool |

**(Contact Cindy
Mapstone
655-0616)**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recent Prayer Requests:

Ross Binder's Mother – passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007.

Please Pray for:

Virginia Noble	Ruth Costello	Wanda Baker
Kermit Breed, Jr.	Mary Jane and Russell Davis	Connor
Al Parker	Flo Dixon	Don Loope
Bessie Todd	Richard Fuller and his wife, Fran	Lisa Hoy
Barbara, Carol Davenport's sister		
Virginia, Carol Davenport's aunt		

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

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**ATTENTION GOD'S SOLIDERS (K-5<sup>th</sup> grade)** – This is an invitation to have tons of fun!! Come to Millar & Barbara Brace's home for games, a bonfire, and a hot dog roast **Thurs., July 19<sup>th</sup>, 5:30-7:30 p.m.**

**ATTENTION JR./SR. HIGH YOUTH & FAMILIES** – Be sure to put this event on your August calendars – **Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup>, 4 p.m.** for a backyard BBQ at the Shevchuk's!! Bring a dish to pass. The meat and beverages will be provided. Also, be prepared for the awesome Croquet Tournament!!!!

**UNITY FELLOWSHIP** – will not be meeting in July, but mark your calendars for **Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m.** All are invited to Rich and Barb Richardson's house for a Chicken Barbecue. Please bring table service and a story or joke☺ Committee: Richardson, Guynup & Ware. The Richardson's address: 6076 Kirkville Road North, Kirkville, NY (632-4384)

**KING'S KIDS Ice Cream Social and Garage Sale** – Mark your calendar for **Friday Night, Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> - Wanted** – Garage sale items!

No clothes, computer items, or junk please. Items may be dropped off at Church in Room 204. Questions, call Marge Edwards at 682-5034.

## CALENDAR

### **TODAY, July 8th**

9:30 a.m. Worship Service/Rev. Bill Carlsen is preaching

### **TUESDAY, July 10th**

6:30 p.m. Christian Education Board meeting

### **NEXT SUNDAY, July 15th**

9:30 a.m. Worship Service/Rev. Leon Oaks-Lee is preaching

**Pastor Leon will be on vacation and returning to the office on Thursday, July 12<sup>th</sup>. If you are in need of a pastor, please call the office (Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-Noon) or call Deacon Bob Mapstone (682-8169) after office hours.**

**QUARTERLY MEETING** – The Quarterly meeting will be held after worship on **Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**. All reports need to be submitted to the Church office by next Sunday, July 15<sup>th</sup> to be included in the report. The Quarterly reports will be available to the congregation the Sunday before the meeting, which is July 29<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**ATTENTION!!** Children this summer at Sunday Worship may go out after the Children's Time with an adult member of the congregation to watch a Christian video. The Deacon's are recruiting adults to show a video each Sunday. Are you available to help? Please call Gail Carlsen 445-0581.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** – Second Quarter financial statements are now in the Narthex for you to take home. Thank you, Carole Guynup, for all you do as financial secretary☺