

Massanutten Ministry Link

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January 20, 2011

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

SUNDAY SCHOOL (Sept—May)
9:00 a.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP 10:30 a.m.

January 23, 2011

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sermon Text

1 Corinthians 1:10-18

January 30, 2011

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sermon Text

Micah 6:1-8

February 6, 2011

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sermon Text

Matthew 5:13-20

February 13, 2011

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sermon Text

1 Corinthians 3:1-9

February 20, 2011

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sermon Text

Matthew 5:38-48

February 27, 2011

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sermon Text

Matthew 6:24-34

How do you measure success in the church?

That's a tough challenge for congregations because too often we try to measure success by counting results. Occasionally, however, we get closer to the ways that congregations are successful.

Several years ago the church where I was pastor decided to have an Open House for the neighborhood. We were excited about the things we were doing in worship, education, and mission, and we wanted to share that news with our neighbors, hoping that they would want to join us in our mission.

The Outreach Ministry created an attractive flier which they hand-addressed and mailed to everyone in the 37204 zip code. They enlisted the aid of every Sunday School class in the church to open their classrooms for desserts and information. They planned and carried out a wonderful presentation on the way the mission of the church was carried out in that community of faith.

The night finally arrived, and the church was brimming with anticipation. The potluck tables overflowed. The Sunday School rooms never looked so good. But reality crashed the party—Only 2 people from outside of the church attended, and both of them had been members of a church for several decades. Not exactly great prospective members.

So was the event a success? It depends on how we measure it. If we look at numbers only, it was a miserable failure. But if we look through another lens, it was a smashing success. What the event did for this congregation was to open their eyes to people beyond the walls of the church. All of us present that night kept our eyes fixed on the open door. We were waiting—even expecting—others to come in.

I can think of no finer posture for us to embrace: to consciously and intentionally invite people into the richness of life we experience in God through Massanutten Presbyterian Church, and, then, with eager eyes cast toward the open door, watching and waiting and hoping for the arrival of those God intends for us to nurture. And there's the key. We are, none of us, called to be successful. Rather, we are called to be faithful—to be faithful to our calling to witness to and share the love of God in and for the world. I like how Walter Brueggemann says it in one of his books: "...we need *disciplines of readiness*, acts undertaken with intentionality and discipline, to leave us ready if God should make new moves among us" (*Cadences of Home*, p. 118).

I am hopeful that we will engage in disciplines of readiness in the days ahead, for I am convinced that God is at work to bring us to fullness of life. Thanks for sharing in that calling.

Blessings,
John P. Leggett



Massanutten
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*"At the crossroads of real life and abundant grace,
where God's children are...
meeting Christ in each other,
praying earnestly,
listening carefully,
singing joyfully,
and joining boldly
with the Spirit's work in the world."*

News and Events

Skyline Literacy...

Become a volunteer tutor - Skyline Literacy will be holding tutor trainings in January and February. For more information call 433-0505 or email skylitelizabeth@gmail.com.

Learning and Preaching Workshop...

Deep and Wide: Living Into God's Amazing Grace
March 4-5, 2011

Massanetta Springs Conference Center

The Professional Development Committee of Shenandoah Presbytery is sponsoring a two-day learning and preaching workshop for pastors, commissioned lay preachers, church educators, and elders. Rev. Dr. Cynthia Rigby, professor (Austin Theological Seminary), author, and speaker will be presenting Friday evening and Saturday at Massanetta.

The goal of this workshop is to gain a better appreciation of the depth of God's grace, a better understanding of how we - as God's baptized children - can enjoy its benefits, and how we can live, preach, teach this knowledge in our local congregations. Brochures can be found in the Narthex at the church or downloaded at: www.shenpres.org.

Food Pantry...

What a blessing it is that our church is able to provide a Food Pantry to those in need in our surrounding communities. Our ministry grew during 2010 from fifty-two households in January to eighty-one in December. The number of individuals served in January was one hundred eighty-three with an increase to three hundred nineteen in December.

The Massanutten Presbyterian Church Food Pantry would not be possible if it were not for many supportive church members. Heartfelt thanks is extended to you. Your generous donations of money, food, and other items is most appreciated. Many of you contributed to our service through the Angel Tree program for which our gratitude goes out to you. Also, thank you to those who volunteered and gave of their time to help make our Food Pantry successful. Outside of the church family, we are grateful to local organizations and churches for their continued support.

The Food Pantry is one of many ministries in which Massanutten cares for people.

4 cents per meal: February 6...

We will receive the monthly 4 cents per meal hunger offering during Worship on **February 6**.

Communion January 30..

Communion Servers :

Bo Hobbie, Dale Dobroth, Ellen Blose, Fleming Jones, Nancy Davis, Jeff Lees, Tim Long, Barbara Palmer, Patti Hobbie, Susie Diehl

Meet the Moderator...

The congregations of Shenandoah have an opportunity to hear from the **Moderator of the Presbyterian Church (USA), Elder Cynthia Bolbach**, speak about the state of the Presbyterian Church (USA). A reception and dinner will be held at Massanetta Springs Conference Center on Friday, **February 11**. Following dinner the Moderator will share some of her experiences as the Moderator and her reflections on the state of the church. The evening will begin with a reception at 5:30 pm followed by dinner at 6:00 pm. The cost for dinner is \$16.25. Registration must be returned BEFORE Thursday, February 3 to Kim Stroupe at 111 North Main Street, Harrisonburg, VA 22802. Payment is expected with registration. Checks should be made out to "Presbytery of Shenandoah." Down load a registration form at: <http://www.shenpres.org/conferences.html>

HARTS...

Harrisonburg and Rockingham Thermal Shelter

The HARTS Ministry first opened its doors in November 2007 as a result of the Harrisonburg-Rockingham Interfaith Association's work on the need for additional temporary shelter space in the community. HARTS is a cooperatives shelter which moves from location to location on a weekly basis providing a warm, safe place to rest on cold nights, nourishing meals and fellowship by host volunteers.

Shelter space is most accessible when it is within walking distance of its guests. Massanutten Presbyterian Church has been blessed by the graciousness of both Trinity Presbyterian Church and First Presbyterian Church who have opened their doors to us so that we are able to serve as hosts for at least one week each season.

The Mission and Outreach Ministry will have sign-up sheets in the Narthex beginning **January 30**. Volunteers are needed to cook, serve, offer fellowship, clean bathrooms and provide overnight support to the HARTS staff worker each night during the week of **March 7—14**. Please be in prayer about your place in this valuable ministry.

Journey in Faith 2011...

Journey in Faith

Term 4, January 16 – February 20

There have been changes!!

The Beatitudes for Today – Come explore the contemporary implications of these powerful words of Jesus. Les West leads this class that will meet in Room 114, lower level—NOTE CHANGE IN LOCATION!

Handel's Messiah, Part 2 – This class continues to look at this great musical composition, delving into the texts related to Lent. Kathy Frakes leads this class that meets in room 117, lower level.

Ministry and Media—This class will continue looking at the Harry Potter films and others. Nancy will facilitate this class in the Library.

Covenant Class – This ongoing lecture-based class is developed and led by Dick Miller. It meets each week in room 119, lower level.

(*Church History 101* and *Favorite Bible Passages* are being rescheduled.)

Beginning February 27...

Journey in Faith: Term 5—Adult Electives

The Gospel of Matthew, Part 1 - Collier Harvey will lead this 12 part series on Matthew, the Gospel for this year's lectionary.

Experiencing Easter through Art - Dietrich Maune will guide us through works of art inspired by Easter and the resurrection of our Lord.

Prime Timers...

Are you 50 or over? If so, please consider joining the **Prime Timers** this year. The Prime Timers are a group of young people, 50 and over, who meet for lunch and fellowship the first Tuesday of each month at 12:30 pm at Golden Corral Restaurant. Bring a friend and join us on **February 1**. For more information call the church office (434-6194).

Confirmation Class...

Confirmation Class for Youth 8th Grade and Up

We are in the initial stages of planning for our Confirmation Class of 2011. This year will be different, since we are requiring that youth be a minimum of 8th grade and 13 years old. If you have a youth 8th grade and older who would like to participate in Confirmation Class, please contact the church office. We will begin forwarding information to you as soon as possible!

Musical Notes...

Opportunities for you!

Cherub Choir (vocal, grades K-2) 4:30 pm Sunday

JoySong (vocal, grades 3-5) 4:30 pm Sunday

AdventuRing (bells, grade 6-adult) 5:00 pm Sunday

Chancel Choir (vocal, high school-adult) 7:00 pm
Wednesday

Crossroads Pealers (bells, adult) 9:15 am Wednesday

Massanutten Ringers (bells, adult) 7:00 pm Monday

Please contact Director of Music, Bob Jerome or the church office for more information.

Youth News ...

Middle and High School Mission Trip - Deposits of \$35.00 per youth are due. Please submit payment and any requests for financial assistance to Nancy Ruh.

Parent Volunteers (as well as any members of the congregation) are needed to provide dinner for our youth fellowship groups on the 2nd and 4th Sunday evenings of the month. Please contact Nancy Ruh, nruh@massanuttenchurch.org if you can help.

Ministry Link Notes...

The next Ministry Link submission deadline is **Wednesday, February 2, 2011** at 3:00 pm. The next issue will distribute on February 17, 2011.

Massanutten Cares ...

In less than 3 months the congregation will hold its Second Annual 'All Hands on Deck' day of caring and service. Opportunities to provide meals, fellowship, do light home repair and yard work, work at community outreach centers and thrift stores among other things will be the Order of the Day! As we did last year, the day will begin with a time of fellowship, gathering and worship before we are sent out to serve. Please save the date of **April 9th** and join us for this day of service!

After School Classes...

Redeemer Classical School is offering Stepping Stone after-school classes for children ages 4 through grade 6 on Tuesday afternoons beginning January 25. Classes include Beginning and Intermediate Pottery, A Timeline of Art, Stretch-n Grow Fitness, and Wild about Nature. Information and registration forms: go to www.Redeemerclassical.org or call the school at 437-0880.

Getting to Know You

A Few Moments with our New Members



Katheryn Bennett

Katheryn Bennett's journey to MPC calls to mind those words from Isaiah 11:6: "...and a little child shall lead them." A West Virginia native who has lived in Harrisonburg with her husband Melvin for more than 30 years, Katheryn spent most of her career working as a secretary in the Presbyterian Church. But it was watching her granddaughter Amy sing with the MPC Preschool that inspired her to join our congregation. "She was very happy here and kept calling it 'my church,'" says Katheryn. "That's what motivated me to join."

After only one short month of retirement six years ago, Katheryn returned to the workforce and is now a receptionist at Sunnyside Retirement Community, a position she very much enjoys. She joined MPC along with her daughter Elizabeth Welcher, Amy's mother. In fact, Amy's love for our church has stirred others in the family as well. Katheryn's son Melvin Jr. has also been attending MPC since Amy's preschool performance.

A self-proclaimed "behind-the-scenes person," Katheryn is assisting her daughter Elizabeth in the kindergarten Sunday school class and enjoys looking for new opportunities for Amy to participate at MPC. Her main hobby is being with Amy. "I want to be with her as much as I can now, before she gets involved in everything and has less time to be with her grandmother," she says.

We are grateful for the ministry of MPC preschool and glad Amy brought her family to worship with us.

Welcome Katheryn.

Souper Bowl of Caring – February 6, 2011 – Tackle Hunger Now!

A simple prayer: "Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those who are without a bowl of soup to eat" inspired a youth-led movement to help hungry and hurting people around the world. This prayer, delivered by Brad Smith, then a seminary intern serving at Spring Valley Presbyterian Church in Columbia, SC, gave birth to an idea.

Why not use Super Bowl weekend, a time when people come together for football and fun, to also unify the nation for a higher good: collecting dollars and canned food for the needy? Youth could collect donations at their schools and churches in soup pots, and then send every dollar DIRECTLY to a local charity of THEIR choice. The high youth of that church liked the idea so much they decided to invite other area churches to join them. Twenty-two Columbia churches participated that year, collecting and sending \$5,700 to area non-profits.

That was 1990. Since then, ordinary young people have generated an extraordinary \$70 million for soup kitchens, food banks and other charities in communities across the country. In addition, hundreds of thousands of youth have experienced for themselves the joy and satisfaction of giving and serving, inspiring people of all ages to follow their generous example.

MPC's High School Youth will once again participate in the *Souper Bowl of Caring* on Sunday, February 6.

The congregation is invited to donate money and items for hunger-related programs. Money received will be allocated to ministries designated by our Youth. A list of specific items needed by our MPC Food Pantry will be included in bulletin announcements, inserts and the email newsletter.

Last year's totals for MPC were \$437.00 (split between HARTS and our Food Pantry) and 100 items for the Food Pantry. *Can we top that? You bet!* Your monetary donations will be collected on the morning of February 6 as you vote for the team you think (*or hope!*) will win the Super Bowl. Items for the Food Pantry will be collected that morning too, so if you won't be here that day please drop your items in Nancy Ruh's office so we will know they are in response to the *Souper Bowl of Caring*. Many thanks for your generosity!



Tabitha Fund...

A Caring ministry of the Congregation – to the Congregation

The Tabitha Fund continues to provide support to individuals and families within our congregation when challenges enter their lives, and is one of many ways we seek to offer the love of Christ to one another.

Gifts from the fund are granted through a confidential process that can be initiated by contacting one of the pastors (John Leggett:

jleggett@massanuttenchurch.org; Ann Pettit:
apettit@massanuttenchurch.org).

Contributions to the fund are accepted on an ongoing basis and can be made out to Massanutten Presbyterian Church noting **Tabitha Fund** in the memo section. Thank you for your continuing support and care for our church family.

Mark your calendars...

**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
Tuesday, March 8, 2011
Serving begins at 5:30 p.m.**

We'll have dinner, pancakes races, a cake walk, - activities for all ages! So come join the fun!

There is no charge for the meal. We simply ask for donations to our Middle and High School 2011 Summer Missions in Atlanta.

Many thanks to the Fellowship Ministry and Men's Prayer Breakfast for their help with this event!



Let's Recycle!

Did you know that Massanutten has a recycling center? Designed and built by two gifted men in the congregation, our recycling center sits next to the trash shed in back of the church next to the parking lot. Recycling service is provided by Green Earth in the shape of pick-ups on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. Your help is needed in getting recycling to the center in a timely way. Cardboard, glass, paper, cans and plastic are all being recycled in the blue recycling bins located in the kitchen, office and nursery.

Instructions on how to dispose of these items are posted on the blue bins.

Thank You...

Dear Church Family,
Thank you for all your cards, calls and prayers during my recent recuperation. I especially want to thank the Covenant Sunday School Class.
Blessings, Jeanette Kidd

What an amazing response from MPC during Tom's long wait, his surgery and his ongoing recovery. Each call, card, visit, dish of food and offer to help was much appreciated. His relief from leg weakness and pain and his quick recovery are the answer to many prayers. Thank you!

Love, Ginny and Tom Biggs

A Special Thanks ...

My family and I are very thankful for the many ways the congregation has expressed care and compassion to us during the recent hospitalization and death of my father, Van Richmond. He was a kind and gracious father and grandfather who we deeply miss. Your ministry to us has been a gift.

Thank you. Pastor Ann

Time Out For School!

The winter wind blows, the winter wind blows.

All of the children and teachers survived the bustle of the Christmas season and are settled in for a long winter's preschool adventure!

There will be a school-wide Winter Wonderland program on January 27, at 6:30 in the sanctuary.

We would LOVE to have you come. Our 4 year olds will be acting out the Christmas pageant, and the 2's and 3's will be joining them in winter songs.

We hope to see you there!



February Birthdays / Anniversaries

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| 1 Shirley Jackson, Caleb Landes | 15 Bob Field, Army Leggett, June Ritchie |
| 2 Geri Black, Syd Moberg, Elizabeth Dofflemyer | 16 Winnie Simmers |
| 3 Matthew Davis | 17 Gary Burner |
| 4 Kim Phillips, Camryn Huffman | 18 Austin Reed |
| 5 Amberle M. Fong | 19 Dwight Newman |
| 6 Grant French, Connall Pettit, Isabella Weve | 20 Wilsene Scott, Steve Robinson |
| 7 Kelly Showalter, Jennifer Strawderman | 21 Connie Driscoll, Edith Frye |
| 8 Bill Painter and Grayson Blye | 22 |
| 9 Russell Groves, Alayne Leggett;
<i>Anniversary:</i> Buck and June Ritchie | 23 Andrew Gordon, Joshua McFall |
| 10 Betty Long | 24 Ray Stapleton, Megan Holland |
| 11 | 25 Earl Spillman, Jim Huffman, Jacob Gilbert |
| 12 Florence Raynal, Jillian Maddra, | 26 Sam Hart, Les West |
| 13 Jeremy Long | 27 Billy Dofflemyer, Ross French |
| 14 Whit Scully;
<i>Anniversary:</i> Tim and Lisa Cooper | 28 Caitlin Robinson, Alex Preston |

A Green Activity for 2011...

by Bill Painter

*“When I see an adult on a bicycle, I do not despair for the future of the human race.”*H. G. Wells

By now the Christmas cookies have been reduced to crumbs in a forgotten container, and the last of the eggnog is but a memory. We have experienced several snows, so the “novelty” of it has worn off. Many are starting to think of warmer weather and ways to enjoy it.

One activity that all ages can participate in and is also environmentally “friendly” is bicycling. Almost everyone has ridden a bicycle at some point. For some, riding a bike is a memory from the past. However for many it is a regular activity, either for transportation, or for recreation.

Harrisonburg, and Rockingham County are both taking steps to make cycling a viable transportation alternative. There are frequent articles in the local newspaper regarding actions being taken by the local governments (City and County) to include cycling into the overall transportation infrastructure in this region. This can be seen from the addition of bike lanes, and shared bike/car lanes in Harrisonburg to a greater number of “Share the Road” signs throughout the county. The city is also looking into increasing the number of bike trails/paths that connect areas of the city so that cyclists can avoid, or reduce their interactions with vehicular traffic.

If you live where cycling as a means of commuting or running errands is not very realistic, cycling can be a great recreational activity. If you go to the gym to work out regularly you might consider taking a bike ride from your home in lieu of driving your car. The bike ride could serve as a cross training alternative and you did not have to use your car. Cycling is also a great family activity.

So, if you have not ridden for several years, where do you start? Do you still have your “college bike” stashed away in the back of the garage? Pull it out and assess its current status. Are the tires flat and dry rotted? Has the chain become an inflexible, filthy mess? Do you hear creaks coming from it as you take a few tentative pedal strokes? If you are not confident with your mechanical abilities to resolve these issues there are several bicycle shops in the Harrisonburg and Dayton area that regularly service bikes of all makes and ages.

If you do not have a bicycle, these same shops carry wide ranges of bicycles from easy riding commuter style bikes to a variety of mountain bikes and a range of road bikes. Some of these local shops have used bikes for sale as well. There are two items that are not cycling accessories, but cycling necessities. These are a well fitted helmet, and protective eyewear (typically sunglasses). The importance of these two items cannot be stressed enough – I speak from experience.

If you have questions about cycling or good places to ride near where you live, the local bike shops are a wealth of information. Some of them have web sites. Simply do a web search of “Bicycle Shops, Harrisonburg VA” to locate these sites. Another resource is the local bicycle club, the Shenandoah Valley Bicycle Coalition. Their web page is www.svbcoalition.org/. You can even ask your friends at church. It is amazing how many MPC members are cyclists.

So think ahead about the coming of warmer weather and going for a bike ride. Not only is it environmentally friendly, but it also has tremendous health benefits as well.

Congregational Care

People in our Thoughts and Prayers...

MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY...

Bill Jackson, Ann Oldman, Jean Forbes, Katherine Hart, Middy Raynal, Judy Stryker, Kyle Dutt

FRIENDS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY...

Bonnie Thomas, mother of Jacki Nickel; **Don Grimes**, friend of our church family; **Tony Lopacinski and his family**, son-in-law of Ellen Blose; **Laurie Barshay**, daughter-in-law of John and Nancy Lu Irvine; **John Bjorkgren** husband of Amy Bjorkgren; **Bob Ritchie**, brother of Buck Ritchie, **Elizabeth Atkins**, mother of Sharon Lam and Mary Morris, **Ernest Warriner, Susan Hogg and son, Colin**, family of Polly Wysor; **Ryan Tarman**, grandson of Dee & Martha Floyd; **Jim Templeman**, brother of Martha Floyd; **Bob Wells**, father of Laura Holbrook; **Jonathan Taylor**, grandson of Edward and Darla Daggit; **Kim Hejna**, family of Jim and Juli Colville; **Ernie and Ginger Brown**, brother and sister-in-law of Irene Hartman; **Phyllis Campbell**, cousin of Alana Miller; **Tanya Zelem**, sister of Rhonda Stees; **Mike Neff**, friend of David and Kim Showalter; **Judy Raynes**, mother of Jessica Preston and Annette Dofflemyer; **Andrea Herndon**, friend of Terri Carrier; **Jim Stobe**, friend of Dave and Jan Reser, **Amanda May**, friend of Cristy Long, **Wayne Campbell and Mary Lester**, friends of Brian Phelps, **Grover Harper and Anita Unroe**, friends of Kevin Caldwell, **Jimmy Reynolds**, family of Jack and Polly Wysor, **Daniel Cox**, neighbor of the Landes and Dofflemyers; **Anthony and Norma Harlow**, brother and sister-in-law of Pat Armstrong; **Marcus Holland**, family of Marlan and Stefanie Holland; **Herman Andes**, friend of Amy Bjorkgren; **Ed Kasch**, friend of Dale Dobroth; **Tony & Pam Iwaniki**, friends of Jeannie Sutherland; **Marie Siler**, friend of Wilsene Scott; **Judith Conn**, friend of our church family; **Wesley Spillman**, brother of Earl Spillm and and Jean Watlington;

MISSION CONCERNS...

Our Mission Partner in Central Asia

Illubabor Bethel Synod (Ethiopia)

Continuing mission and ministry presence in Vicente Guererro, Baja California, Mexico

Massanutten Food Pantry

WE EXTEND PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY TO..

Denny and Rebecca Arthur, on the death of Denny's father, James Arthur

Patrick and Ann Pettit, on the death of Ann's father, Van Richmond

Lou Gardner, Kath and Skip Wissinger and their family on the death of Kath's father and Lou's husband, George Gardner

Alayne, John, Rachel, Sarah and Aaron Leggett on the death of Alayne's aunt, Connie Dalbus;

Luray High School staff, students and family of Krissy Adams;

Ron Matthews on the death of his friend, Dick Boyer;

Nancy Ruh and her family on the death of her mother, Helen Wright;

Jeannie Sutherland, on the death of her friend John Tillett;

Updated: January 16, 2011

Upcoming Events For the Congregation



Our Stephen Leaders have started training our first team of Stephen Ministers. Each Sunday at 3:00pm the team will be found in the Parlor preparing to offer their gifts of compassion and kindness for service to the congregation. Please be in prayer for Laura Atkins, Ron Matthews, Linda Myers, Gail and Jim Oppy, Rich Ours, Ann Pettit and Jan Reser as we gather to learn and grow deeper in the gifts God has provided.

You Are Invited ...

The Worship Ministry invites members of our congregation to give the gift of sanctuary flowers in 2011. This is an opportunity to glorify God in worship as well as honor or remember a loved one on a special occasion. Acknowledgements of flowers given by a member in honor or memory of a loved one will be placed in the bulletin. Contact the church office for more details.

Annual Congregation Meeting ...

Our annual meeting of the congregation will be held Sunday, February 13th. Look for more details on the meeting in the bulletin and on the web site.

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Carol Lown, Organist

January 20

No Yoga Class Today

11:15am Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)

January 21

Church Office Closed

January 22

Church Office Closed

6:00pm Recorders Rehearsal

January 23

9:00am Faith Village and Sunday School
10:00am Fellowship Time (FH)
10:30am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
3:00-5:30pm Stephen Ministry Training (117)
4:30pm Cherub and JoySong Choir Rehearsal
5:00pm AdventuRing Handbell Rehearsal
5:00pm Confirmands and Parents Meeting
6:00pm Middle and High School Youth

January 24

11:00am Women's Prayer Lunch (Library)
2:00pm Continuing Small Group (Sunnyside)
7:00pm Massanutten Ringers Rehearsal
7:00pm Boy Scouts (119)

January 25

No Yoga Class Today

January 26

6:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast (FH)
10:30am PW Coordinating Team Meeting (117)
5:00pm WOW
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (CR)

January 27

No Yoga Class Today

11:15am Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)
6:30pm Massanutten Preschool Winter
Wonderland Program (Sanctuary)
7:00pm Food Pantry (119)

January 28

Church Office Closed

January 29

Church Office Closed

6:00pm Recorders Rehearsal

January 30

9:00am Faith Village and Sunday School
10:00am Fellowship Time (FH)
10:30am Worship Service
3:00-5:30pm Stephen Ministry Training (117)
4:30pm Cherub and JoySong Choir Rehearsal
5:00pm AdventuRing Handbell Rehearsal

January 31

11:00am Women's Prayer Lunch (Library)
1:00pm Staff Meeting (Library)
7:00pm Massanutten Ringers Rehearsal
7:00pm Boy Scouts (119)

February 1

No Yoga Class today

12:30pm Prime Timers Lunch (Golden Corral)
7:00pm Property Ministry (106)

February 2

6:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast (FH)
3:00pm February *Ministry Link* deadline
5:00pm WOW
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (CR)

February 3

No Yoga Class Today

11:15am Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)
7:00pm Family Ministry (Library)

February 4

Church Office Closed

3:00-5:00pm Girl Scouts (GA)
Stephen Ministry Training Retreat
(Library and 114)

February 5

Church Office Closed

Stephen Ministry Training morning/afternoon
(Bridgewater)
6:00pm Recorders Rehearsal

February 6

4 cents per meal Hunger Offering

9:00am Faith Village and Sunday School
10:00am Fellowship Time (FH)
10:30am Worship
11:45am Confirmand Mentors Lunch Meeting
4:30pm Cherub and JoySong Choir Rehearsal
4:30pm High School Disciple Bible Study
(Library)
5:00pm AdventuRing Handbell Rehearsal

February 7

11:00am Women's Prayer Lunch (Library)
1:00pm Staff Meeting (Library)
7:00pm Massanutten Ringers
7:00pm Boy Scouts (119)

February 8

9:30am Yoga Class (GA)
10:00am Circle #3 (Sunnyside)
10:00am Shoshana Circle (Library)
1:30pm Prayer Shawl Ministry (Library)

February 9

6:30pm Men's Prayer Breakfast (FH)
5:00pm WOW
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (CR)

February 10

9:30am Yoga Class (GA)
1:00pm Circle #4 (Sunnyside)
1:30pm Circle #1 (117)
7:00pm Adult Education (Library)

February 11

Church Office Closed

February 12

Church Office Closed

9:30am Shenandoah Presbytery Meeting:
Covenant Presbyterian, Staunton
2:30-5:00pm Brownies (GA)
6:00pm Recorders Rehearsal

February 13

Blessing of Confirmands and Mentors

9:00am Faith Village and Sunday School
10:00am Fellowship Time (FH)
10:30am Worship Service
3:00-5:30pm Stephen Ministry Training (117)
4:30pm Cherub and JoySong Choir Rehearsal
5:00pm AdventuRing Handbell Rehearsal
6:00pm Middle and High School Youth
Annual Congregational Meeting (TBA)

February 14

10:00am Food Pantry (119)
10:00am Circle #2 (Highlands)
11:00am Women's Prayer Lunch (Library)
1:00pm Staff Meeting (Library)
2:00pm Continuing Small Group (Sunnyside)
5:45pm Massanutten Ringers Rehearsal
7:00pm Sessional Ministries and Deacon's
Meeting
7:00pm Boy Scouts (119)

February 15

9:30am Yoga Class (GA)
7:00pm Congregational Care (Library)

February 16

6:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast (FH)
8:15am *Ministry Link* volunteers (Library)
11:30am Staff Lunch
5:00pm WOW
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (CR)

February 17

No Yoga Class Today