



Manassas St. Thomas United Methodist Church

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United Methodist Church**
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Matt Meisenhelter – Pastor

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WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES:

8:15 am Traditional
9:40am Contemporary
11:00 am Traditional
11:00 am Youth Service

Nursery at all three services

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES:

Children: 9:40am & 11:00am
Youth: 9:40am
Adult: 9:40am & 11:00pm

FEBRUARY SERMON SERIES

2/7 Sanctifying Grace
2/14 How Does Grace Transform Us

Questions?
Need more information
about an event? Missed a
sermon or would love to
hear the sermon again?
Check out the website:
www.mstumc.org

Newsletter
This is your
Newsletter. Please
submit all comments and
entries to
pam.sallada@mstumc.org

Bulletin Board

DC HOMELESS MISSION TRIPS

Next Trip is March 7th. The group leaves Manassas St. Thomas at 6:45 pm. If you are able to assist with this trip or need further information, please contact Bonnie Hudson at tiggerbonn@yahoo.com

FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry is in need of food. Please bring non-perishables and place them in the box in the narthex.

CPR TRAINING

February 13th participants need to be at the church by 9:20am. If you are interested please contact Bob Stanley at 703-449-

BABY SHOWER FOR MATT AND SARAH: Please set aside Tuesday, February 2 at 5:30pm. Frank will have a Tuesday night dinner please sign up so he will know how many. At 6:15pm we will give them our presents. We will have dessert and we ask you to bring the desserts. Matt said that they have plenty of clothing. Gift ideas are: diapers, wipes, gift cards, etc. You've been to showers before. Use your imagination! We hope many will come. Worship next week will be the shower. Let's make this a family time as we celebrate new life in the Meisenhelter household.

BLOOD DRIVE

February 1st. From 2:00pm until 8:00pm



Model Railroad Open House

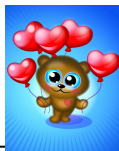
Sunday, February 7th from 3pm to 8pm at Frank & Joyce Hale's home, address is 2112 Youngs Dr. phone number is 703-745-8881.

MEMBERSHIP ORIENTATION/REORIENTATION CLASSES

Starting February 9th Pastor Matt will again offer his informal six-week basic class for anyone thinking of joining the church. This class is also for any existing church members who would like a refresher on the basic components of Christianity, Methodism, and the operations of Manassas St. Thomas Church. If interested please contact Pastor Matt at 703-368-5161 ext. 21 or matt@mstumc.org for more information and confirm your attending.

"OPERATION BEARHUG"

Please bring your new bears to the Sanctuary hug them and then leave them in pews. They will be gathered up and delivered to Prince William Hospital on February 12th



**PLANTS NEEDED FOR THE UMW
YARD SALE**

It may be cold outside, but the UMW is already thinking of the spring yard sale on May 15th. We are in need of house plants, perennials, annuals, and bulbs. Start rooting those house plants now and they will be big and beautiful by May. If you have any questions Call Missie Duffy at 703-257-0875

Manassas St. Thomas' United Methodist Women are sponsoring a Women's Retreat. All women are invited to attend (you do not have to be a member of MST or an active member of the UMW to attend). The retreat is a great way to get spiritually refreshed, meet other women, and become acquainted with the MST UMW.

Date: 9 - 11 April 2010

Check-in 4:30—6:15 PM on Friday (dinner at 6:30 PM)

Check out 11 AM Sunday

Location: Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center,
Williamsburg, Va.

Speaker: Ellen Martin

Theme: The Scandalous Grace of God

Cost: \$120 *is due at registration and is non-refundable*

Make checks payable to MSTUMW Registration is Feb 7 – March 21 *Space is limited*



3RD ANNUAL VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER AND DANCE

February 13th

Dinner: 6:30pm & Dance 8:00pm

Tickets on sale in the fellowship hall after each service

\$18.00 per adult or \$32.00 per couple, \$10.00 for kids ages 10 and under
or 2 for \$15.00

\$10.00 for the dance only, Music by: St. Thom Cats

ALL-CHURCH A SEVEN-WEEK LENTEN STUDY

“24 HOURS That Changed the World”

By Adam Hamilton

No single event in human history has received more attention than the suffering and crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth. In this heartbreaking, inspiring book, Adam Hamilton guides us, step by step, through the last 24 hours of Jesus' life.

Adam Hamilton is senior pastor of the United Methodist Church of the Resurrection in Leawood, Kansas, one of the fastest growing, most highly visible churches in the country. *The Church Report* named Hamilton's congregation the most influential mainline church in America.

LENTEN STUDY
Tuesday evenings,
February 23 – April 6
6:30pm
Sanctuary

The study BOOKS are *optional* but available for purchase: \$12.00.

SIGN-UP by:
Marking your Attendance Slip in worship bulletin
Call the Church Office 703-368-5161

St. Thomas Haymarket will be participating in the same study in home groups.

SMALL GROUPS

Winter 2010

For information on any Small Group you may call or email LESLIE OAKES

INTEREST GROUPS

Cancer Support Group	Leader: Kathy Massie	703-368-9179
Alzheimer's Support Group	Leader: Jane Priest	703-257-0550
	Leader: Barb McCurry	703-392-0973
Quilts for Kids	Leader: Marion Dorsey	703-594-3764
Therapy Dogs	Leader: Sheri Snider	703-368-3385
Partners in Caring	Leader: Sandy Wastler	703-794-0441
Mommy & Me	Leader: Karen Thom	703-393-7690
Bridge Builders (Young Adults)	Leader: Rev. Matt Meisenhelter	703-368-5161
Career Connect	Leader: Andrea Hall	703-625-5474
Training up Little Children T.L.C.	Leader: Holly Banner	703-331-5937

FELLOWSHIP and STUDY GROUPS

Faith, Food and Fun	Leader: Jim & Ann McKinney	703-330-4459
Kindred Spirits	Leader: Marian Ludlow	703-361-4390

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUPS

Dorcas Circle	Leader: Launie Spedden	703-743-1247
Joy Clark Circle	Leader: June Childress	703-368-9725

NEIGHBORHOOD GROUPS

Haymarket

Route 15 Group	Leader: Al & Sue Kales	703-753-2448
Purpose Seekers	Leader: Ron Martin	703-369-7211

Manassas

Sudley Group	Leader: Sim & Helen Stidham	703-361-5322
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Nokesville

Purpose Driven Friends	Leader: Ken & Margarete Hinkle	703-791-5369
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WESLEY CLASS MEETINGS

Manassas Class Meeting	Leader: Bill Coppa	703-392-4175
Manassas Park Class Meeting	Leader: Bob McCurry	703-392-0973
Young Adult Class Meeting	Leader: Josh Thom	703-393-7690

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDIES Manassas Campus

9:40AM CLASSES

Grace in a Tree Stump	Leader: Anita Ford	703-791-2891
Know Why You Believe	Leader: Barry Barger	703-791-3311
	Leader: Earl Amstutz	703-368-5332
Survey of John Wesley	Leader: Perry Bailey	703-361-6931
	Leader: Andy Dodson	703-361-0806
At Ease, Under Pressure	Leader: Rev. Nancy White	540-349-8426

11:00AM CLASSES

Epistles of I, II, III John	Leader: Al & Linda Linder	703-791-2000
Young Adults	Leader: Carol Rusaw	703-392-6003

WEEKDAY and EVENING BIBLE STUDIES Manassas Campus**MONDAY 7:00PM**

Precept (God's Covenants)

Leader: Steve Collins

703-369-0627

THURSDAY 7:00PM

From Genesis to Revelation

Leader: Pastor Tommy

703-368-5161

YOUTH MINISTRIES Manassas CampusStudent Ministries Director: **Kevin Jeanes** kevin@tsmst.org

703-361-3212

Student Studies: Sunday Morning 9:45am (Old Church Building OCB)**Student Worship:** Sunday Mornings 11:00am (Old Church Building OCB)**Small Groups:** Tuesday evenings

Middle High Girls Group

Leaders: Jody Boston

703-749-6722

Ellen Purdy

703-368-0462

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Please find the complete Children's Ministry Booklet on the Welcome Table

Children's Director: **Janel Weed** Janel.Weed@mstumc.org

703-368-5161

MUSIC MINISTRIES

Please contact our Director of Music, Graham Clark.

Director of Music: graham.clark@mstumc.org

703-368-5161

*Please feel free to contact***LESLIE OAKES***Small Group Ministry*703-368-5161 x 23 OR Leslie.Oakes@mstumc.org

Pastor's Corner

Please pray for Pastor Matt on February 1st as he goes before Board of Ministry. This is his

New Members

Robert Duncan & Dawn Ilch
10652 Winfield Loop
Manassas VA 20109
703-392-6532

Christian & Christina Tacik
8214 Sunset Drive
Manassas VA 20110
703-365-9782

Baptisms

Riley Duncan
Ryan Tacik
Anna Tacik

We have given almost \$5000 for Haiti Relief. Congratulations! We have boxes of Health Kits ready to be delivered thanks to the UMW and all who worked on that project. Many thanks go to all who helped so far. Recovery will be slow and far reaching. When they ask for teams to rebuild, we will let you know. There will be many needs as we go along the road to Recovery with that people of Haiti.

Please notice the information on the Shower for Matt and Sarah and their new baby. Tuesday, February 2 is upon us. Hope to see you at supper on February 2 at 5:30. This will be a family event and we will all gather in the Fellowship Hall. This will be our worship time.

Our Lunar carrier is not working again for Prayer Requests and Special Events. We hope to get it back up soon. .

We are asking Frank to find a new company since this one has proven to be so unreliable. Our regular email and homepage are working fine so stay tuned

Our new Church Study information is in this newsletter. It will start on February 23 and will be from 6:15 to 7:15 every Tuesday night in Lent. All the details are included. We hope many, many of you will come and study as we prepare for Crucifixion and Resurrection. This is a new Adam Hamilton book and it spotlights the last twenty four hours of Jesus' life.

Our choir will be performing the Easter Cantata on Palm Sunday, March 28th at the 8:15 and 11:00 Worship Services. We will have a regular preaching service at 9:40. Plan ahead for both!

Holy Week is March 28 through April 4. We will have supper and worship on Tuesday March 30, Maundy Thursday Service on April 1, Good Friday Services at 12:00 and 7:00 on April 2, Easter Egg Hunt at 10:00 on April 3 and services on Easter Sunday at 6:30, 8:15, 9:40 and 11:00, April 4. Please add to all these dates February 16th, Shrove Tuesday for pancakes and worship and Ash Wednesday, February 17th for supper and Ash Wednesday Service.

Hope to see you no later than this Sunday! God bless you! Pastor Tommy



February Birthdays

Feb. 1

Feb. 2

Anita Ford

Feb. 3

Feb. 4

Sandy Collins
Nicole Davan
Andrew Farrar
Linda Tiller

Feb. 5

Jack Kubera
Barbara Kurtz
John Rosko

Feb. 6

Ruth Gorgas

Feb. 7

Lynne Goldfarb

Feb. 8

Carrie Hay

Feb. 9

Feb. 10

Frank Priest

Feb. 11

Lauren Bowes

Feb. 12

Pauline Foster

Feb. 13

Feb. 14

Kelley Clouse

Feb. 15

Feb. 16

Cathy Campbell
Jake Newton
Jennifer Pittman

Feb. 17

Deb Bowers

Feb. 18

Gary Furlong

Feb. 19

Mark Jessop

Feb. 20

George Dodson

Feb. 21

Feb. 22

Dale McDowell

Feb. 23

Melody Cotter
Brad Fyock

Feb. 24

Feb. 25

Rick McMahon

Feb. 26

Shelly Edwards

Feb. 27

Feb. 28

Alison Wills

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