



Staunton District VOICE

*"We envision churches, where all God's people are welcomed at table,
Nurtured and transformed to be Christ to others in the world."
(Virginia Conference Vision Statement)*

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September 20, 2008

Fun

**STAUNTON DISTRICT
CONFERENCE 10:00 A.M.**

Food

Music

**MULTI-CULTURAL
FESTIVAL 11:00 A.M.**

Schedule of Events for Saturday September 20, 2008

10:00 a.m. District Conference
11:00 a.m. Opening
Welcome/Announcements
Song: "Victory In Jesus"
Prayer: Kathleen O. Webster

Fellowship

Entertainment:

11:30 a.m. Kellen Dunquee -Brazilian Opera Singer	12:15 p.m. Four Square Interpretive Dance Team
1:00 p.m. Fairfield Pres. Church Hand Bells	1:45 p.m. Heavens Mountain Band (Gospel)
3:00 p.m. Tri-County Cloggers	3:45 p.m. The New Star Gospel Group
5:00 p.m. Closing	

Throughout the scheduled events food booths will be open, as well as crafts and games. Come early for District Conference and plan to have a fun filled and blessed day.

Directions: I81S get off exit 188B, this will put you on US Hwy 60E into the town of Buena Vista. At the second traffic light make the right turn onto US Hwy 501 and follow that all the way until you see the "Modine Plant" on your right. Just pass the plant you will see a sign to Glen Maury Park, make a right turn and follow the signs to where we will be for our day of fun. You can also get to the Glen Maury Park off of US 60E by turning right at the Food Lion at the top of the hill that will put you on Forge Rd and it will take you to the Park as well.



All Things New

FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLYING – THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

Dear Friends,

I have been blessed this summer to enjoy a “rolling renewal leave”*. Harold and I have been able to spend some time in the mountains and trips to the local farmers markets. We’ve shopped with Joel as he prepares to start college. I’ve been able to enjoy time on the screened porch; reading (and re-reading) some of the books that have been stacked in my office and beside my bed, including a novel my uncle wrote that was published last year. And even though the characters are fictional, I know I could smell my grandfather’s cigar smoke drifting through the pages.

My “big project” has been to sort through the five storage bins filled with pictures and papers that came to me after we cleaned out my parent’s house in 2003. For a week I filled the living room with stacks and stacks of photographs and portraits, deeds and calendars, albums and disintegrating pages. I rediscovered ancestors generations removed and first cousins with whom contact has been lost. I did end up with a very small bag of trash when I was through (mostly newspaper articles that someone sometime had clipped to read again). I was able to consolidate enough material so one bin was freed up so it could be filled with framed items that Harold brought home from his office since he is on Family Leave this year. Some things I set aside to send to others in the family. Some pictures I can’t yet identify so I returned to the bins; perhaps my sisters or brother or uncle will know “the rest of the story.”

In a like spirit, at our Cabinet meeting on July 29th we reflected again on data that Dr. Lovett Weems had presented to the 2007 Annual Conference, regarding state population and church membership changes over the last several decades. One of the observations he made was that compared to other conferences in the South East Jurisdiction, Virginia has consistently removed more members by Charge Conference Action. This seems to be where as a conference our focus has been. Therefore, the Bishop and District Superintendents are inviting all churches in the Virginia Conference to covenant with us to observe **a two-year moratorium on removal of members by charge conference action** (of course this does not change reporting of those who have transferred, withdrawn, or died). This means that names that are brought before the charge conference for removal are to be lifted in prayer and commended to the prayer ministry and pastoral care of the congregation. Please remember that membership numbers are no longer a part of the apportionment formula, and changes in membership numbers do not affect the conference and district apportionments to the local church. Also please note that Charge Conference Form 7 and Form 8 will not be included on the charge conference agenda or carried at the conference web site.

I hope that each church will continue to be in ministry with all committed to its care, to make contact at least annually with all members in the community and away (perhaps with an invitation to “come home” for Christmas or Easter), to pray for those whom are unknown now to the congregation, because they are known to God, and someone, somewhere does know the rest of their stories. What wonders might God work in the lives of these individuals and within our congregations if we concentrate on praying for these by name rather than on erasing them from our membership lists? What new folks might we reach for Jesus if, while praying for those whose names we know but not their faces or addresses, we focus our attention to our present communities, seeking to know these people by name, seeking to see Christ’s face in theirs?

I look forward to seeing you at our District Conference and Multi-Cultural Festival on September 20 at Glen Maury Park in Buena Vista. This new setting will allow us to meet new friends from across our district while preparing for our common ministry in the coming year!

With prayer that, in Christ, our ministry is fruitful and multiplying,

Kathleen

*[The Committee on Superintendency approved this plan during the spring. *The Book of Discipline* (§1425) allows for up to three month’s leave from “normal superintendent responsibilities for purposes of reflection, study, and self-renewal once during his or her term as superintendent”. Mine has been planned for about seven weeks altogether, on a “rolling” schedule: one week in June, almost two weeks in July, and almost 4 weeks in August. This has allowed me to keep some commitments I have made, be in the office long enough to catch up on mail before my desk is completely covered by it, and does not put an undue burden on other Superintendents to fill in for me during their vacation time.]

FROM OUR DISTRICT PROGRAM DIRECTOR:

I have just returned from VUMDYLA (Virginia United Methodist District Youth Leadership Assembly). As I watched the youth pick a theme scripture and a theme statement I was in awe of their knowledge of the scriptures and their wanting to come up with just the right scriptures. They listed and talked about several scriptures before coming to consensus on just the right scripture that spoke to them. As I listened to their conversations around scripture and theme statement my mind wandered to charge conference season and how the congregations had lived into the congregational goals they presented last fall. I wondered how intentional the district churches/congregations are in reviewing those goals and moving forward with new goals to make disciples for Jesus Christ. These goals are not just for the District Superintendent, they should be a guide for the church to follow.

The questions that are asked during each charge conference are:

- Members received by Profession of Faith during the last six years
- How will you make disciples by welcoming new people in their faith? (List goals related to areas of education, worship, Christian formation, membership care, small groups and stewardship.)
- How will transformed disciples be Christ to other in the world? (List goals related to the local and larger community ministries of compassion, justice and advocacy.)

Let's look at the "how" questions. Once a person has started attending church and you greet them every Sunday, how do you assimilate them into the Body of Christ? Do you have opportunities such as Sunday School, short/longer term Bible Studies, or UMM/UMW/Youth so they can grow in faith? Does the church offer new member classes so they have the opportunity to find out about the church and the ministries they offer for people to become involved?

Once members have become equipped to share their story and to be the hands and feet of Christ in the world, what avenues do you have for them to go into the community and the world?

Does your congregation take advantage of the opportunities for equipping members to become leaders in your church or to become better equipped for the ministry they have been called to do? Does your congregation take advantage of mission opportunities the district offers? Does your church take advantage of the youth events that are provided by the district? We, too, on the district, try to offer opportunities for congregation members/constituents to be better equipped for ministries through Lay Speaking events that are open to all who want to come, not just those who want to speak. Our next Lay Speaking event will be on November 8th. We will again join with the Charlottesville District for a bi-district training event on November 22. This year the event will be held at Aldersgate UMC in Charlottesville. This is an opportunity not only for the officers for the coming year to come but also for those members who want to know more about the make up of the United Methodist Church.

I will be returning from one of our District sponsored mission trips as you receive this newsletter.

Help Jan Dray, our mission trip coordinator and me. Let us know you would like to see the district send a mission team. You can contact Jan at thedrays@yahoo.com or you can contact me at StauntonDistrictPD@vaumc.org. We would like to hear from you.

Blessings,

Martha

Matthew 28: 19 *Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in^[a] 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*

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OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:

Mrs. Susan Obaugh and her family at the death of her daughter Cheryl Campbell. Susan is a District Associate Lay Leader.

Mr. Henry Curd and his family at the death of his wife, the Rev. Vera Curd. Rev. Curd was a retired clergy on our District

FROM OUR DISTRICT LAY SPEAKING MINISTRIES DIRECTOR:

Charge Conference is coming to us real soon and I just wanted to remind all that it is important to the LSM Committee to fill out the Lay Speaking Report fully. We need signatures and the last class attended. Our Lay Speakers need to attend a class every three years to keep their current certification. Thanks for your attention to this task. Please note below from the Book of Discipline about Lay Speaking Ministries:

¶267 - Lay Speaking Ministries

1. A lay speaker (local church or certified) is a professing member of a local church or charge who is ready and desirous to serve the Church and who is well informed on and committed to the Scriptures and the doctrine, heritage, organization, and life of The United Methodist Church and who has received specific training to develop skills in witnessing to the Christian faith through spoken communication, church and community leadership, and care-giving ministries. An applicant must be active in the support of the local church or charge.

¶268 - Local Church Lay Speaker

2. The local church lay speaker shall serve the local church in which membership is held by witness of the spoken word, vital leadership service, and care-giving ministry (See ¶ 267.3).

3. To maintain status, a report and reapplication with recommendations must be submitted annually and a refresher course approved by the Conference Committee on Lay Speaking Ministries must be completed once in every three years.

¶269 - Certified Lay Speaker

3. Recognition as a certified lay speaker shall be renewed annually by the district or conference committee on Lay Speaking Ministries after the certified lay speaker has:

- Requested in writing the renewal of certification.
- Submitted an annual report to the charge conference and the committee on Lay Speaking Ministries, giving evidence of the satisfactory performance of lay speaking service.
- Been recommended for renewal by the pastor and the church council or charge conference.
- Completed at least once in every three years an advanced course for lay speakers

I believe that an awakening is coming to the Methodist Churches and the Lay Speakers and Laity are going to have an opportunity to walk with Jesus and carry His Word to the lost. We come in contact with many more folks than our Clergy and we cannot leave them not knowing what Christ has done for us. Have a two minute testimony ready and share what you know He has done for you. We all have a story to tell, the unchurched may never enter our church so we have to meet them where they live, work and shop. Time is getting short and the fields are ready for harvest. Listen to the Holy Spirit and let your story fly off that tongue. We can tell folks all about the ballgame or fishing or whatever, just tell them about Christ as well. Get busy brothers and sisters, Jesus is waiting for you to get on the ball.

Our Fall LSM training will be November 8 at St. John's UMC in Staunton. Training is open to all Laity, come out and learn what your gifts are to serve Christ. We must learn to serve God willingly.

Our Committee is very willing to serve you and Christ in your Christian walk. If you need a Certified Lay Speaker you can contact Bob McCallister 962-5918; Martha Reynolds 256-2322; Jane Bayne 463-5278; Doris Hedrick 291-2146; Calvin Hughes 463-4709; Carl Mann 747-3133; or Rev. David Brown 747-3421. Each Committee Member has a list of CLS; give us as much time as possible to find you a Lay Speaker to fill your pulpit. We have eager speakers who need to share God's Word. Come see us at our training events.

In Christ,

Bob McCallister, District Director Lay Speaking Ministries



FROM THE CONFERENCE

CHILDREN'S SABBATH WORKBOOKS are now available in the district office. This year marks the 35th year for the observance of Children's Sabbath. Children's Sabbath is an annual observance sponsored by the Children's Defense Fund and endorsed by numerous faith communities, including the United Methodist Church. It is an occasion to celebrate children as sacred gifts of the Divine and to recognize and respond to the urgent needs of children. It provides the opportunity for communities of faith to renew and live out their moral responsibility to care for, protect, and advocate for all children. A workbook is provided with numerous resources for planning a local or multi-faith event. UMFS (United Methodist Family Services) provides workbooks to each district free of charge for distribution and use in local faith communities. For more information or to share Children's Sabbath event stories, please contact Linda Ray (lray@umfs.org).



LOOKING FOR WAYS TO LOWER THE PAYMENTS ON YOUR CHURCH LOANS AND CHURCH VEHICLE LOANS?

Your Virginia United Methodist Credit Union can help. If your church has a maturing church loan or a balloon payment coming up, check with us about re-financing. Lower the payment on your church vehicle loan as well: we can refinance the vehicle loan that you currently have with another financial institution at a rate 2% less than the rate you have now down to a minimum of 5.50% APR. (*Credit limitations apply*). Contact Mike Haydon, at 866-657-0004 or mhaydon@vumcu.org. VUMCU is federally insured by the National Credit Union Administration and is an equal housing lender.

Janie Hightower, Marketing Manager, Virginia United Methodist Credit Union, 804-672-0200

THE ROANOKE DISTRICT HERMITAGE GUILD WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL BAZAAR AND LUNCHEON at the Roanoke United Methodist Home on Thursday, October 9, 2008, from 9:00 AM until 2:00 PM. The Bazaar will feature Books, Attic Treasures, Antiques & Collectibles, Jewelry, Crafts, Needlework, Decorations, Jams, Jellies, Snack Bar, Plants, Bake Sale, etc. There's always something for everyone at the Bazaar!



If you would like to donate items to the Bazaar, you may deliver items to the Home starting September 1st. Just drop them off at the Front Office. Please be sure that each item is tagged with the suggested price. Baked goods can be delivered the day of the Bazaar. Monetary donations will also be accepted.

The luncheon menu will consist of Meat Lasagna, Italian Vegetable Blend, Salad, Garlic Bread, Custard Pie, Coffee, Tea and Water. Luncheon tickets are \$7.50 each and should be purchased in advance from a Roanoke District Hermitage Guild Representative. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Winky McCann at 427-4691 or Marge Jones at 297-2019.



UMFS 4th ANNUAL AUCTION is scheduled for Saturday, October 4, 7 to 10 p.m. at the Jepson Alumni Center on the University of Richmond campus. This annual event offers the opportunity to partner with UMFS in touching lives and creating futures. Interesting prize packages from around the Commonwealth will be available in the silent and live auction. For more information, please visit our website at www.umfs.org or contact Bethanie Constant at 804-353-4461 ext. 1735.

IRAQ: PROVIDING RELIEF

UMCOR partners are assisting displaced families in Iraq and Syria with basic daily needs. The International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC) and Action By Churches Together (ACT) are providing food and hygiene kits to 3,000 vulnerable displaced families in Baghdad and Mosul. Basic supplies such as soap, laundry detergent, spaghetti, cheese, beans and more are helping the most vulnerable people with their daily needs. ACT partners, including UMCOR, also will support more than 6,000 families including 800 children and youth with emergency food and hygiene supplies. ACT will help with vocational skills training for youth, health awareness programs for women and children, and improved access to clean water. Nearly 2.5 million displaced persons in Iraq continue to be in need of food, water, housing, medical care and education for their children, according to a UN Refugee Agency. You can help by sending your gifts to Middle East Emergency, UMCOR Advance #601740.





REACHING THE UN-CHURCHED is the topic for a Four Seasons Ministry day-long (9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.) workshop to be offered three times this fall. This workshop will explore the increasing attitude of disinterest among the un-churched, its origins and causes, and ways to help make church meaningful to the missing generations. The primary focus will be on reaching youth and young adults. Ministry consultant D. Glen Langston will be the primary resource leader. Dates and locations are:

September 23 – Chestnut Memorial UMC, 1024 Harpersville Road, Newport News

October 4-Fairfield UMC-5622 Lee Jackson Hwy., Fairfield

October 18-Culpeper UMC-1233 Oaklawn Drive, Culpeper

While the regular cost of the retreat is \$49, an early registration rate of \$44 is offered if received six weeks prior to the event. A group rate of \$40 per person is available for three or more from the same church. Scholarship assistance is also available based on need. (E-mail fgillis@fourseasonsministry.org (mailto:fgillis@fourseasonsministry.org) or call Franklin Gillis, 804-272-3313, Director, for information regarding scholarship requests and to arrange for group registration.) Registration fee includes lunch, agenda/worksheets and resources. CEU is offered for full participation. Electronic registration available from the Web site: [_www.fourseasonsministry.org_](http://www.fourseasonsministry.org) (<http://www.fourseasonsministry.org/>) .

PAUMCS FALL EVENT

The Virginia Chapter Professional Association of United Methodist Church Secretaries (PAUMCS) will hold their Fall Event, *Experience Your Conference Connection 2008*, on Wednesday, October 22, at the Virginia United Methodist Conference Center in Glen Allen. Linda S. Rhodes, the Virginia Conference's director of Communications, will lead sessions on Igniting Ministry and Effective Communications for church secretaries. The event is open to all church administrative staff, full-time, part-time, paid and volunteer, including but not limited to administrative assistants, financial secretaries, office managers and newsletter editors. Participants are welcome to join the conference staff before the event begins for a 9 a.m. worship service in the chapel. Event registration begins at 9:30 a.m. Lunch is included in the registration fee of \$20 for Virginia Chapter PAUMCS members and \$30 for non-members. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity for knowledge and networking. A registration brochure is available at www.vaumc.org or call 521-1124 for more information.



FROM THE DISTRICT



DISTRICT CHAPLAINS MINISTRY OFFERS SUPPORT

The District Chaplains Ministry is one way that the Board of Ordained Ministry offers support to clergy and diaconal ministers, active, on disability and retired, and their families. District Superintendent Kathleen Overby Webster has appointed Rev. Janet Knott and Rev. Joe Hagenlocker to serve the Staunton District

District Chaplains have the ministry of compassionate listening and work alongside the District superintendent, practicing confidentiality. Please feel encouraged to call upon us as we covenant with you in prayer and service.

In Christ's Love,

Rev. Janet Knott, Rev. Joe Hagenlocker

THE GREEN CORNER

Are You New? Welcome to the Staunton District if you are newly appointed here. Did you know we are trying to become a "green" district as part of the denomination-wide campaign of Caring for God's Earth? Helpful suggestions and a more formal covenant are available from the district office. **Are You Old?** Did your congregation observe Earth Day or have some observance during our April emphasis on Caring for God's Earth? Did you report it to the district office? Have you formed a task force to promote your congregation's participation in this activity? **Are You Green?** Have you promoted use of CFL bulbs in your church and in your homes? Have you decided to wash dishes (ugh!) in the church kitchen instead of using plastic? Are you recycling at church and homes? Let us know!



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CAMPUS MINISTRIES APPORTIONMENTS:

Dear Friends,

From the bottom of my heart I want to thank you for the very generous support you offer to the Wesley Foundation at JMU. Your ongoing generosity truly makes a world of difference and directly impacts the lives and faith journeys of countless young adults. We thank God for your partnership in ministry, and pray that your gifts will bless countless lives in the years to come.

Grace upon Grace,

Amanda Garber and all of your friends at the JMU Wesley Foundation

***** DISTRICT YOUTH NEWS *****

The District Council on Youth Ministry exists to support local churches. Please tell me what needs you see in your local church that the District Council on Youth Ministries could be meeting or resourcing. Thank you. Steve Joplin, cumcdce@verizon.net.

“IRRESISTIBLE REVOLUTION” - Looking for a good High School student or young adult/college weekly small group study? Check out the conference web site at Awakening 2009 for “Irresistible Revolution”. This weekly study guide is now available at no cost for you although you will want to buy the book. I strongly recommend it! Young adults and high school students love it! The study is based on the book by Shane Claiborne. Shane invites you into a movement of the Holy Spirit that begins in the heart and extends through our hands into a broken world. See www.vaumc.org/ministries/youth/awakening2009
For all Conference Events including the following: Register at www.vaumc.org/youth/events, or contact Angie Williams at angiewilliams@vaumc.org or call 800-768-6040 #135.

UNITED NATIONS SEMINAR - For 11th & 12th grade Youth AND college students! October 13-18th, Youth will learn how the UMC is lobbying with the UN for social justice and global peace issues and how to faithfully respond to such issues. While in New York City, the group will also tour the United Nations Building, Empire State Building, Statue of Liberty, Times Square, Little Italy/Chinatown, the Today Show, Central Park, museums, Macy’s, and go to a Broadway Play! Worship at Times Square Church, truly ethnically and racially diverse congregations. Cost \$625 per participant (meals not included).

MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION - A weekend mission experience for 6th thru 9th graders which features local mission projects as well as worship, devotion, singing, and more! October 17-19, 2008. (Register early! This event will sell out quickly, limited to 150 attendees). Location: Westview on the James. Cost: \$96.

MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT - November 14-16th at Eagle Eyrie, Lynchburg. Youth will be challenged to grow as disciples of Christ through powerful worship, Bible study, and small groups while building new friendships with youth from all over Virginia. Speaker: Joe Torrence, Youth Minister of Good Shepherd UMC, Richmond, VA. Cost \$100 per participant (includes program, resources, lodging with linens, and meals).

REPORT ON VUMDYLA 2008 - Fifteen attendees from five different churches represented the District at Virginia United Methodist District Youth Leaders Assembly at Blackstone. Congratulations to our new Conference Council Youth Ministry representatives that were elected this weekend! Our **CCYM Rep** is **Alyssa Hamilton**, Cherryvale UMC, and our alternate Rep is **Heather Cochran**, Christ UMC, Staunton.

Staunton District Youth Scripture for 2008-2009 is 2 Corinthians 5:13-15: *If we are out of our mind, it is for the sake of God; if we are in our right mind, it is for you. For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again. (NIV)*

Staunton District Youth Theme for 2008-2009 is “We Are Out Of Our Minds!”

Upcoming Youth Events for 2008 – 2009

Oct 13-18	United Nations Seminar, New York City, NY
Oct 17-19	Middle School Mission Weekend, Westview on the James
Nov 2	District Youth Planning Meeting, Solid Rock Café, Waynesboro, 2-4 pm
Nov 14-16	Middle School Retreat, Eagle Eyrie, Lynchburg
Dec 2	District Youth Christmas Caroling, AMC, Fishersville, 7:00 – 8:00 pm
Dec 5-7	High School Retreat, Eagle Eyrie, Lynchburg

(For details for all Staunton District Youth events contact Steve Joplin at cumcdce@verizon.net or 290-9988 or Martha Reynolds at 932-1055 or stauntondistrictpd@vaumc.org.)



We are out of our minds for Jesus!

Steve Joplin

STAUNTON DISTRICT PROGRAM CALENDAR 2008



September

- September 1** - Conference and District Offices closed for Labor Day
September 4 - District Board of Missions Managers, 10:00 a.m., District Office
September 8 - District Council on Ministries, 1:00 p.m., District Office
September 9 - District Clergy Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Fishersville UMC
September 10 - District Committee on Ordained Ministry, 9:00 a.m., District Office
September 13 - District UMW Annual Meeting, 10:00 a.m., Central UMC (CF)
September 14 - Charge Conferences Begin
September 15-18 - Cabinet
September 20 - **Staunton District Conference**, 10:00 a.m., Glen Maury Park, Buena Vista
September 20 - **Multi-Cultural Festival**, 11:00 a.m., Glen Maury Park, Buena Vista
September 28-30 - Multi-Staff Retreat, Shrine Mont



OCTOBER

- October 1** - District Committee on Ordained Ministry, 9:00 a.m., District Office
October 9 - Bishop's Dinner for Scouting, 6:00 p.m., St. Paul's UMC (Staunton)
October 10 - Extension Ministers Day with Bishop Kammerer, 10:00 a.m., Conference Center
October 14-15 - Cabinet
October 18 - Conference Children's Event, 9:00 a.m., Calvary UMC
October 21 - Mental Health & Incarceration Workshop, 9:00 a.m., Central UMC, Staunton

BASIC UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 34th.. ANNUAL BAZAAR

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH - 8:00 AM: - 1:00 PM

Delphine and 5th Street, Waynesboro, 540-949-8947



Homemade Ice Cream, Apple Dumplings, Men's Club Food Booth, Hamburgers, Hotdogs, Country Ham Sandwiches, Crafts of all kinds, Books, Baked Goods, Jams and Jellies

WOMEN OF FAITH – INFINITE GRACE 2008 - GREENSBORO, NC - OCTOBER 30-SEPTEMBER 1



Speakers: Patsy Clairmont, Sandi Patty, Sheila Walsh and Marilyn Meberg (www.womenoffaith.com)
Tour Includes: *Roundtrip Motorcoach to Greensboro, NC and trips to the coliseum for all events, *2 Night's lodging, *Drinks and Snacks, * Baggage Handling, *Tickets to Pre-Conference, Main Conference and Lunches. Prices: Quad (\$311); Triple (\$347); Double (\$391); Single (\$525). Send registration to and checks made out to: St. Paul's UMC, 2000 Shutterlee Mill Rd, Staunton, VA 24401. A deposit of \$100 is due immediately!! All money must be received by September 10. If you have any questions please call Carol Brooks – 885-2917. We will leave Thursday night at 6:00 pm and return Saturday night at about 9:30 pm.



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