

# Massanetta

Middle School Conference 2019



# July 15-20

Registration deadline March 3

**Who:** Rising 7-9<sup>th</sup> graders & adult sponsors

**Cost:** \$400 (\$100 non-refundable deposit due with registration)

Need based scholarships available – ask Miles for details

**Travel:** We depart for Massanetta Springs, VA early on July 15 and return late on the 20<sup>th</sup> including overnight stops in Louisville, KY

**Learn more at:** [www.massanettasprings.org](http://www.massanettasprings.org)

(Select 'Middle School Conference' under the 'Programs' tab)

**Registration:** Return registration with \$100 deposit to Miles' in-box by March 3 and final payment due by April 14

# MSC 2019 Registration and Covenant

Please fill in everything and print or type clearly!

Participant's Name (as to appear on nametag) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:

Female  Male

Grade (current grade)

5th  6th  7th  8th  Adult

T-shirt size (ALL are adult sizes)

S  M  L  XL  XXL  XXXL

**YOUTH: An Adult is asked to complete this for or with the youth.**

1st Parent or Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Best Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Best Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Parent or Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Best Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Best Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**ADULTS: Adults in attendance are asked to share this information.**

Adult Participant email and cell \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact name & cell \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any medical (physical or mental) needs that we need to be aware of (allergies, medications, etc.)?

Are there any special dietary requests? (Please use the back of this form if you need more space)

Workshops: Top 5 choices for the 4 workshops: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd \_\_\_\_\_ 4th \_\_\_\_\_ 5th \_\_\_\_\_

CIRCLE Conference Session: June 20-23      June 25-28      July 11-14      July 16-19

Church (name, city and state) \_\_\_\_\_

As a participant, I agree to the following covenant: I have willingly chosen to participate in the Massanetta Springs Middle School Conference. As a participant, I will work towards the goals of this event and the building of our group into a Christian community by:

- participating wholeheartedly and enthusiastically in all activities planned for my group
- speaking up when I have a problem or need
- listening and responding to the needs of others
- following the guidance of all adult leadership
- respecting the rights and property of others, and abiding by the rules of the Conference Center
- not using or promoting the use of controlled substances (alcohol, drugs, tobacco, flammables)
- not leaving the event grounds without my adult leader present
- encouraging others to understand and abide by this covenant, and striving to live as a supportive member of the group, and as a good example to those with whom we are in contact.

I understand that abiding in this covenant will result in a positive group experience. I understand that failure to abide by these guidelines may result in being sent home at my parent's/guardian's expense.

Participant's Signature (Youth and Adult Leaders) \_\_\_\_\_

As the parent/guardian of this participant, in signing this Registration Form, I agree to the following:

- I give permission for my son/daughter to participate in the Middle School Conference.
- I am aware of and approve of the planned costs, dates, places, and activities of this event.
- I understand the degree of risk (if any) involved in this event and because I trust the adult leadership and my child, I hereby release Massanetta Springs Conference Center, and any of the adult leadership at the Middle School Conference, from any liability for any injury or problem occurring during participation in this event.
- I give permission for the use of photography including my child to be used for Middle School Conference publicity.
- **I have completed all the Registration Form** and it is correct to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that all reasonable attempts will be made to contact me in the case of an accident involving my son or daughter. In the event that I cannot be reached, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by my youth's adult advisor, or the Conference leadership, to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injection, anesthesia, or surgery for my son or daughter.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature (not required for Adult Leaders) \_\_\_\_\_



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(for all participants)**

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**FOR MINORS**

Printed Names of Minor Children:

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Authorized Parent/Guardian Printed Name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Parent/Guardian Signature/Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR ADULTS**

Printed Name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature/Date:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**2019 Middle School Conference**  
**At the Door**  
**Workshop Selections**

When selecting workshops for the registration form, please use **numbers** only.

<b>1. Hotline to God</b>	<i>Are you there, God? It's me. In this workshop, explore different ways to talk with God using journaling and prayer stations. We will use different prayer practices to become more comfortable talking with God.</i>
<b>2. Ask. Seek. Knock.</b>	<i>It can be hard to ask, seek, or knock when you're restless and unsettled. Learn healthy self-care practices that allow you to be more intentional in your connection with God.</i>
<b>3. Knock, Knock!</b>	<i>You never know who or what will be waiting for you behind life's many doors. In this drama workshop we will explore how the improvisation technique of saying "yes, and..." can help us navigate whatever is behind the door.</i>
<b>4. Unlock Your Gifts</b>	<i>Just as God calls us to seek and knock, God also calls us to create, give, and receive. Get crafty and explore the gifts God has given you.</i>
<b>5. Open Door Policy</b>	<i>Come travel the world and open your doors to different cultures through music, food, dance, and faith. In this workshop, we will begin to understand how everyone can come through the door.</i>
<b>6. Creation: God's Good Gift</b>	<i>From the beginning we are charged with caring for the earth. How we live our lives affects our world. Come learn about ways we can live responsibly in God's good gift of creation.</i>
<b>7. I Spy</b>	<i>I spy with my little eye... lots of things! It can be hard to find evidence of God. Through science, this workshop will help us to ask, seek, and find God in our lives.</i>
<b>8. Do Unto Others</b>	<i>God calls us into a shared communion with others, living by the Golden Rule. Explore what you can do to open doors and change the world.</i>
<b>9. Love is an Open Door!</b>	<i>There are many doors in our lives: sliding doors, revolving doors, and even dog doors. Come explore different door metaphors through the lens of our favorite movie moments to help unpack the theme scripture.</i>
<b>10. Locked In</b>	<i>In this "escape room" workshop, we will work together to open doors. As a community, we can help figure out creative ways to open locked doors.</i>
<b>11. What is Behind Door Number 11?</b>	<i>There are many choices in our journey of faith. Come on down to this interactive workshop to practice making decisions in a game-show setting.</i>