



Summerville Presbyterian Church
4845 St. Paul Blvd.
Rochester, New York, 14617

585-342-4242

www.summervillechurch.org

email: office@summervillechurch.org

Theme 2014:

“A New Hope”

August 17, 2014

9:30 a.m.

Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation

The Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser— Pastor

Jacqueline Anderson—Director of Bell Choirs

Justin Jaramillo—Director of Music

Deborah Carter— Director of Youth & Education

Kathy Greene - Office Manager

Rod Cutler - Director of Maintenance

WELCOME. We're glad to gather together as a community of faith today. No matter where you are on the journey of faith, you are welcome here to join in worship and service. If you are new to this community of faith, we rejoice in your presence with us. Remember, we're not strangers, but rather friends who journey together, following the Lord Jesus Christ. If you are a newcomer, we invite you to sign the pew pad.

PLEASE turn off all cellular phones, pagers and watch alarms during worship. Please refrain from using flash photography during the worship service.

CHILD CARE is available on the lower level for infants/toddlers . Two child-care attendants staff the infant/toddler room. If you are able to assist in the care of our children, please contact the church office.

LARGE PRINT BIBLES are available from the ushers upon request. Please return the Bible to the ushers after the service. **HEARING ASSISTANCE** devices are available from the ushers or the audio/video console at the rear of the sanctuary.

MISS A WORSHIP SERVICE? Services are recorded every week. A CD-R is available upon request by contacting the church office at 342-4242.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE about Summerville Presbyterian Church or becoming a member here...call the church office for details at 342-4242.

Note: ENTRANCE TO THE CHURCH (AFTER ANNOUNCEMENTS) WILL BE BY THE FRONT DOOR AND ONTARIO VIEW STREET ONLY!

Rev. Mouser can be reached at home at 519-5280,
or by email at cmouser@frontiernet.net

Greeter: Volunteer Please

Usher: Bill Carter



All are invited to join us for lemonade served on the lawn, hosted today by a volunteer. In case of inclement weather, lemonade will be served in Fellowship Hall.

Prayer of Preparation

O God, light of the minds that know you, life of the beings that love you, strength of the thoughts that seek you, help us to know you, so we may truly love you and in loving you may we serve you, in whose services is perfect freedom. Amen.

Order of Worship

*those who are able, please stand

*GATHERING HYMN No. 576

“Come, We That Love the Lord”

ST. THOMAS

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, REGISTRATION of ATTENDANCE

INTERLUDE



CALL TO WORSHIP

CINDY SMITH

L: Jesus said, “Whoever welcomes you welcomes me.”

P: We welcome, Christ Jesus.

L: As Christians, God calls us to open our hearts to all humanity.

P: We welcome you, Christ Jesus.

L: As believers, God expects us to care for one another.

P: We welcome you, Christ Jesus.

PRAYER of PRAISE and ADORATION
(UNISON)

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

We shall fill this sanctuary, O God, with words as we worship. Let them not substitute for honest acts of faith lived out in daily living. Make us doers of the Word and not speakers only. Take what we say and turn them into deeds of love and mercy. Transform our words into a living testimony to your Word, which became flesh in service to humanity.

*HYMN No. 380 “There’s a Spirit in the Air”

LAUDS

CALL TO CONFESSION

CINDY SMITH

God reaches out to embrace us with love, joy, forgiveness and patience during all the days of our journey, even in those moments when we admit our need of grace. Pray with me.

PRAYER of CONFESSION (UNISON)

CINDY SMITH

Here we are O God, we present ourselves to you. But how little we trust you to provide! How we fear the path to which you call us! How wayward we continue to be. You call us to obedience, which leads to righteousness and life, yet we have been slaves to sin, which leads to death. O Lord, forgive our lack of faith and loyalty. Make us obedient from the heart, generous to the people you send our way and open to your bountiful grace.

ASSURANCE of PARDON

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

One: Water splashing into the baptismal tells the good news of God's great love for us all.

All: Christ was born for us. Christ lived for us. Christ died for us. Christ reigns in power for us. Christ prays for us.

One: My brothers and sisters, you are forgiven and set free to walk into the future God is creating for you, a future of abundance and joy. Amen.

FIRST NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 10: 40-42

CINDY SMITH

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Acts of the Apostles 11: 1-18

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

SERMON "Beyond Words"

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

*HYMN Insert—see page 6 and page 7

"Lord, You Give the Great Commission"

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE, JOYS and CONCERNS
& LORD'S PRAYER

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY -HYMN #556

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

Holy God, we thank you for the gifts and blessings that you lavish on your creation. It is as your children, heirs of your grace and filled with your Spirit, that we bring our offerings to you. Multiply and use them, we pray, to spread the gospel, feed the hungry, heal the sick and bring grace, compassion and wholeness where there is fear, loneliness, violence and despair. Amen.

*HYMN Insert—see page 7

“Come Sing, O Church, In Joy!”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE 

For the benefit of those who wish to listen to the postlude, please refrain from visiting with your neighbors until you have left the Sanctuary, or until the Postlude is concluded.

ANNOUNCEMENTS– Our Church

- ☞ **It would be helpful for Pastor Carson, if you wore your name tags. Thank you!**
- ☞ **Next week’s sermon is titled “Your Will Be Done”** Please read Acts of the Apostles 16: 9-15 and Psalm 67.
- ☞ A Memorial Service for **Betty Lohr** will be held on Monday, September 8th at 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary.
- ☞ **Today is the last Sunday** to be a part of the discussion based on the book “Our Iceberg Is Melting”. Please join Pastor Carson in Fellowship Hall immediately following lemonade on the lawn.
- ☞ **Summerville Travelers:** Your registration and payment of \$98.00 for the October 13th trip to Merry-Go-Round Playhouse in Auburn, NY is due to Jane Kleehammer (25 Minocqua Drive, Rochester, NY 14617) by August 22nd.
- ☞ **TODAY is the deadline for the TRUMPET! Please send your articles to mshares@rochester.rr.com.** Remember to send your information as an attachment not in the body of the email. In addition copy in office@summervillechurch.org and S_C_Hedges@Yahoo.com into your email. Thank you!
- ☞ **It’s coming...it’s coming...RAIHN, that is. Stella Megargle would like volunteers to help with a dinner for guests on Sunday, August 31st.** This is also Labor Day weekend. Stella welcomes help with the dinner or a contribution to help with expenses. We usually need to prepare food for 12 + guests + volunteer staff. Please call Stella at 342-0251 if you would like to help.

ANNOUNCEMENTS– Our Community

- ☉ The ROC City Ringers, a community handbell group composed of fingers from several local churches (including Summerville) will present a concert as part of the Rochester Fringe Festival. The performance will be Sunday, September 21 at noon at the RAPA Theater, 727 East Main Street, Rochester. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased through the Fringe website, rochesterfringe.com.

August Monthly Mission



Our monthly spotlight mission for August is the Irondequoit Community Food Cupboard. During the summer months, families still face the challenges of placing food on the table. School lunch programs have shut down until September. Senior citizens have to stretch their monthly checks to cover ever increasing costs. In order to help our local families we are collecting all kinds of canned and packaged meals. Please place your donation in the green basket.

- ☺ Canned fish and meats
 - Salmon, tuna, sardines, chicken
- ☺ Canned spaghetti sauce (no glass)
- ☺ Sloppy-Joe mix
- ☺ Canned Hash
- ☺ Canned stews

- ☺ Hearty soups
- ☺ Canned Pasta like Chef Boyardee
- ☺ Canned La Choy Asian meals like lo mein
- ☺ Pasta and Rice mixes
- ☺ Noodle mixes
- ☺ Macaroni and Cheese mixes

“For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me.”

Matthew 25:35



CALENDAR

Sunday, August 17th

9:30 a.m.

Worship

Sanctuary

Lemonade on the lawn

Book discussion

Fellowship Hall

TRUMPET Deadline

Monday, August 18th

6:00 p.m.

AA

Rooms 10/14

Wednesday, August 19th

7:00-9:00 p.m.

SNS Orientation

Fellowship Hall

Thursday, August 20th

7:10:30 a.m.

Staff meeting

Memorial Lounge

Next Sunday, August 24th

9:30 a.m.

Worship

Sanctuary

Lemonade on the lawn

Parking lot rental by Sara McKeon

3:00-7:00 p.m.

Fund raiser