



January 25, 2015
Summerville Presbyterian Church
The Third Sunday of Epiphany

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WELCOME. We are a compassionate Christian community fostering a personal connection with God for people of all ages and expressing God's love through worship, education, mission, music and fellowship.

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 pastorcarson@summervillechurch.org

Greeter:

Youth Greeter:

Giovanni Rispoli

Usher:

Acolyte:

Sarah Hayes

Mark Leavitt



The Deacons invite you to attend a luncheon in Fellowship Hall immediately following worship. Today we honor Kathy Greene and her upcoming retirement.

Order of Worship

*those who are able, please stand

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 417

“Rise Up, O Saints of God!”

FESTAL SONG

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, REGISTRATION of ATTENDANCE

SILENT PRAYER

Powerful God, make us bold to embrace your wisdom and open to being shaped by its way. Speak to us, that we might enact your word and participate in your transforming of the world in amazing ways to conform to your compassion, love, and justice. Amen.

PRELUDE



Three part Invention No. 1

J.S. BACH

CALL TO WORSHIP

MARGARET MAYER

L: Give thanks to the Lord with all your heart.

P: We come full of awe at God's marvelous works.

L: Give thanks to God with all your mind.

P: We come to learn God's wisdom and righteousness.

L: Give thanks to God with all your strength.

P: We come to live in God's mercy and grace.

*HYMN Insert

“Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling”

CALL TO CONFESSION

MARGARET MAYER

God's love is so amazing, embracing us and empowering us to be honest about our lives and our need of God's grace. Pray with me.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

MARGARET MAYER

Mighty God, surely awe for you is the beginning of wisdom, but we want to trust in our own knowledge. Eternal God, the scriptures tells that you spoke to your people through Moses and the prophets, but we doubt you speak today. Holy God, we hear stories of Jesus healing people, but we doubt you hear our prayers for healing. Forgive our doubts, Lord of life, and teach us to listen for your voice and be attentive to your healing grace, so that we might be witnesses who speak of your power and your grace.

ASSURANCE of PARDON

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

L: Water splashing into the baptismal font tells the gospel truth.

P: **Anyone who is in Christ is a new person, the past is finished it is gone everything has become fresh and new. Thanks be to God.**

OLD TESTAMENT

Jonah 3: 1-5, 10

MARGARET MAYER

ANTHEM 

At Thy Feet

J. S. BACH

At Thy feet we humbly kneel,
Lord, be near us:
May we now Thy presence feel,
Lord, be near us;

Fill our hearts with love of Thee,
Lord, be near us;
In Thy mercy hear us.
Keep us free from all alarms,

Lord, be near us,
In Thine everlasting arms,
Hold and cheer us.
Bind our souls with bonds of faith,
Lord, be near us;
In Thy mercy hear us.

WORDS with CHILDREN, PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER
(CHILDREN LEAVE FOR CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP)

BILL CARTER

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Mark 1: 14-20

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

SERMON

"God's Co-Workers"

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

*HYMN No. 259

"Jesus Call Us"

GALILEE

CELEBRATION OF A NEW DIRECTION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY—HYMN NO. 556

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

Loving and merciful God, creator of a Bethlehem birth and sustainer of the whole creation, we come to you seeking to be wise women and wise men, Like the gifts of those travelers long ago, may our offerings be a sign that wisdom is marked by an offering of self and substance to be co-workers with Christ. Amen.

*HYMN Insert

“Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore”

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE 

POSTLUDE 

B-flat Partita No. 1, Gigue, BWV 825

J.S. BACH

SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY



Sunday, February 1st

Our organization is driven by the need that is here: hunger, food insecurity, low income, no income, those who have physical and mental disabilities, children who come from these households and senior

citizens struggling to get by on a fixed income. We strongly believe in treating everyone with kindness and dignity so when they walk through our door, they are welcomed in a judgment-free environment.

(from ICC website)

The Youth Group is participating in a "Souper Bowl" mission contest. Prior to worship, our youth will be collecting loose change and cash donations. They will form 2 teams—jr. high (grades 6-8) and sr. high (high school) teams. They will be competing to see which team can raise the most money. Immediately following the worship service, they will count the money collected and the donation will be sent to the ICC. We will announce the winning team on Feb. 8th & monies raised.

Please consider making a donation!

ANNOUNCEMENTS– Our Church

- ☞ Next Sunday’s sermon is titled “Power to the Source of Strength”. Please read Deuteronomy 18: 15-20, Mark 1: 21-28 and Psalm 111.
- ☞ Any Announcements regarding inclement weather or emergency closings can be found on channels WROC, WHEC , WHAM, Fox Rochester, WHAM 1180, WBEE, WCMF, and PXY.
- ☞ Have you ever wondered what financial documents you should keep, where you should store them, and how long you are required to retain them?” Would you like to set up a clearly-defined record keeping process to know what you have and where to find it? Join us for Adult Forum on Sunday, February 8th and Katrina Smith will present “Think Spring Cleaning!” Answers will be provided.
- ☞ If you did not receive an email with additional information for the January newsletter a hard copy is available on the credenza in the cloister corridor.



Call for Teachers...

We have more children in our Children’s Workshop this year, and we have had to go from 2 classes to 3. We are in need of 2 teachers for each of the following units:

Easter People: March 1-29

Living God’s Word: Anger Management: April 12-May 3

(If interested, please contact Debbie Carter at dcarter309@gmail.com)



Children's Workshop "Timothy, Eunice, and Lois"



Gathering in Room 12: January 11th

	<u>Jan. 18</u>	<u>Jan. 25</u>	<u>Feb. 1</u>
"Timothy" (Kindergarten & 1 st grades)	Rooms 14 & 15 Mr. Doug Caine Game Station	Memorial Lounge Mr. Bill Carter Storytelling Station	Room 12 Mr. Todd Mayer Video Station
- Eunice" (2 nd & 3 rd grades)	Memorial Lounge Mr. Bill Carter Storytelling Station	Room 12 Mr. Todd Mayer Video Station	Rooms 14 & 15 Mr. Doug Caine Game Station
"Lois" (4 th - 7 th grades)	Room 12 Mr. Todd Mayer Video Station	Rooms 14 & 15 Mr. Doug Caine Game Station	Memorial Lounge Mr. Bill Carter Storytelling Station

Shepherds -

Timothy: Margaret Mayer Eunice: Katharine Mayer
Early Childhood Teacher: Mrs. Joan Frenzel

Lois: Sarah Hayes

Jr./Sr. High Class (grades 8-12) - Meet in Room 2 to count Souper Bowl donations & start collages

Youth Group News

(Grades 6-12)

- ☉ **Cameron Community Ministries:** Saturday, Jan.31, meet at church at 8:30 a.m. to prepare and serve lunch at Cameron. Our parent chaperone is Paula Cummings, and our invited guest is Susan Connor. Please let Mrs. Carter know **by tomorrow** whether or not you will be attending and if you are bringing a friend.
- ☉ **Souper Bowl for Irondequoit Community Cupboard:** Sunday, Feb. 1, arrive at church at 9:30 a.m. to begin the Souper Bowl collection.

**Summerville Presbyterian Church
January Monthly Mission**

Hats, Scarves, Mittens and Gloves Drive
Help Others Stay Warm this Winter



Cold weather brings additional hardships for families. We will be collecting new or gently used scarves, Mittens, gloves and hats for children and adults throughout the month of January. Place your donations in the marked green basket.

“Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.”

Hebrews 13:16



CONCERT AND DESSERT RECEPTION

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 8 2:00

SUMMERVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

4845 ST. PAUL BLVD

FEATURING:



ROC CITY RINGERS AND FRIENDS

FROM EASTMAN SCHOOL OF MUSIC

BENEFIT TO SUPPORT THE MISSION TEAMS
FROM

SUMMERVILLE PRESBYTERIAN - ASBURY FIRST UMC -
WEBSTER PRESBYTERIAN - IMMANUEL LUTHERAN

FOR PARTICIPATION IN RECOVERY AND
REBUILDING WORK

GOOD WILL OFFERING



Calendar of Events

Sunday, January 25, 2015

9:55 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary
11:00 a.m.	Celebration	Fellowship Hall
2:00-4:00 p.m.	Nursery School Open House	lower level

Monday, Jan 26th

6:00 p.m.	AA	Room 10/14
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Tuesday, Jan 27th

Wednesday, Jan 28th

6:30-7:30 p.m.	Bells rehearsal	Fellowship Hall
6:45—8:45 p.m.	Troop 79	Room 14
7:30 p.m.	Choir rehearsal	Room 13

Saturday, Jan. 31st

8:30—1:00 p.m.	Youth to serve at Cameron Ministries
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Next Sunday, February 1st

9:55 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary
	Communion	
9:30 a.m.	Youth to gather for Souper Bowl	
	Collection	