



**November 1, 2015**  
**Twenty-third Sunday Of Pentecost**  
*All Saints and Communion*

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**Office Hours: Mon, Wed: 8:30-4:30, Thurs: 8:30-12:30**

**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.

**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.

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*Pastor's Office Hours: Monday & Wednesday, 12 - 4 pm*

**GREETER:** GIO MOTA

**USHER:** MIKE CUBITT

**ACOLYTE:** ZOE SULLIVAN

**COMMUNION:** BRIAN LEAVITT, RUTH McNAMARA

Please join us for the Deacons' Brunch immediately following the Service.



## Order of Worship

\*those who are able, please stand

### **\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #464**

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

HYFRYDOL

### **WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, REGISTER ATTENDANCE**

### **SILENT PRAYER**

*We give you thanks loving God, for your presence in our lives wherever we go and for people in our community who bear your presence to us. In turning us toward you, O God, turn us toward one another. Amen.*

### **PRELUDE**

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

SUSAN CONNOR

One: Listen, O people, God is one: and you shall love your God with all your heart, and soul, and mind, and strength.

**All: We have come to worship God!**

One: Listen, O people, the second commandment is like the first: you should love your neighbor as you love yourself.

**All: We have come to worship God!**

One: Loving God, our neighbor, and ourselves is more important than anything else.

**All: We have come to worship God!**

### **CALL TO CONFESSION**

SUSAN CONNOR

God's love for us is so amazing, it embraces us and empowers us to be honest about our lives and our need of God's grace. Pray with me.

### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)**

SUSAN CONNOR

**We come before you in confession, O God, knowing you always receive us as we are. For those times when we have forgotten you, or neglected you, when we have not loved you, forgive us, loving God. For those times when we have not loved our neighbor, when we have ignored the needs of those around us, or when we have sought ways to diminish the worth of others, forgive us, loving God. For those times when we have not loved ourselves, putting ourselves down, always sacrificing our own needs until we reach the point of resenting others, forgive us, loving God.**

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

Psalm 146 tells us that God lifts up those who are weighed down, loves the righteous, cares for the stranger, and sustains the orphan and the widow. So know that whoever you are and wherever you find yourself, God loves you and is with you always.

**Thanks be to God. Amen.**

## OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

SUSAN CONNOR

Ruth 1: 1-18

## ANTHEM “Fill Us With Your Love”

GHANA FOLK SONG/ARR. HAL HOPSON

### *Refrain:*

*Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.*

Kneels at the feet of his friends,  
silently washes their feet,  
master who acts as a slave to them. **Refrain**

Neighbors are rich and poor,  
varied in color and race,  
neighbors are near and far away. **Refrain**

These are the ones we should serve,  
these are the ones we should love;  
all these are neighbors to us and you. **Refrain**

Loving puts us on our knees,  
serving as though we are slaves;  
this is the way we should live with you. **Refrain**

Kneel at the feet of our friends,  
silently washing their feet;  
this is the way we should live with you. **Refrain**

Lord’s Prayer (*Children’s Version*)

*Dear God who lives up high in Heaven,  
You are so amazing;  
You gave us this awesome world,  
And you taught us how to live our lives,  
Both here on earth and in our after-life in heaven.  
Please give us what we need for today;  
And forgive us when we do wrong,  
And help us forgive others when they do wrong;  
Lead us away from doing bad things,  
But guide us towards doing good.  
Because God, you are our entire world,  
And everything we really need,  
And you are all we ever need for life, Thank you God!*

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON**

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

Mark 12:28-34

**SERMON** “Risk Taking Love “

REV.DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

**\*HYMN #342**

“O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High”

DEUS TUORUM MILITUM

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**Saints of Summerville Presbyterian Church:**

*Mimi Repp*

*Doreen Heath*

*Dora Hernandez*

*Raymond Nelson*

*Meredith Swanton Silloway*

*Eileen Wilkinson*

*William Estes*

*George Schindler*

*Charlie Smith*

*Eleanor Smith*

*Martha Beutel*

*Jane Diehl*

*Sylvia Morris*

*Len Myers*

*Rose Paige*

*Frances Stewart*

*Helen Aeschbacher*

*Bill Humphlett*

*Mabel Donnelly*

**CELEBRATING EURCHARIST**

**Invitation**

A scattered company of women, men, children, outsiders, foreigners, those who felt themselves lost and discarded, found in Christ an invitation to come and share in the goodness that God offers to us all. Courageous people throughout the generations have sought to proclaim that same message. Saints of all shapes and sizes have created and moulded and changed and shaped the church of which we are proud to be a part. As we gather ourselves in this celebration of communion, we invite these saints to join us, to remind us that we are part of a great cloud of witnesses, a living and dynamic heritage of God’s people, loved and challenged by Christ to continue building a new and better world.

**Great Prayer of Thanksgiving**

ONE: Heaven declares God’s glory.

**ALL: The sky proclaims God’s handiwork.**

ONE: Without speech or words or even voice

**ALL: Still the sound fills all the universe with this proclamation:**

ONE: Our Creator is good and loving.

**ALL: Our Creator is indeed good and loving!**

**ONE:** We gather to celebrate the goodness of God, who has made the world and all that is in it. From the beginning, God set forth patterns that remind us of God’s care at every turning: night becomes day, trees grow tall and birds soar, fish swim and dolphins play, kangaroos and elk fill the forests. Day after day, we hear the call of God to care for this amazing Earth and its wondrous creatures. Sometimes we care; too often, we do not. Caught up in our own concerns we are careless with what God has entrusted to us, and we – as well as other parts of our creation – suffer. Yet God’s love continues to nurture and sustain. In the midst of our ignorance, still Christ comes to us and offers a word of promise, a reminder that God’s love is greater than all our failures and shortcomings. And so we give thanks:

**ALL: Holy God! Wondrous God!**  
**Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**  
**Hosanna! Glory! Praise!**  
**Blessed is the one who comes**  
**in the name of our God.**  
**Hosanna! Glory! Praise!**

**ONE:** As you invited us to be your guests, so now do we invite you to remain close to us in this meal and always. When we are afraid, may the memory of this meal sustain us. When we are uncertain, may the memory of this meal ground us in your love. When we feel unworthy, may the memory of this meal remind us that we are never alone. Your presence sustains us and we give thanks for this bread and this wine taken from the fruits of the creation you gifted to us in the beginning. May they be, for us, the nourishment we need to live lives of meaning and purpose as your followers, so all may taste and see that you, O God, are good. Amen.

## **Breaking the Bread, Pouring the Cup**

### **Communion of the God's People**

#### **Prayer After Communion**

**Help us rise in your resurrection power from this table where you, God of Love and Life, have served us by your own hand, that we may extend your arms of peace to a world in need of your self-giving love. This we ask through Christ, in Christ, with Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen**

#### **CALL FOR THE OFFERING**

#### **OFFERTORY**

#### **DOXOLOGY – HYMN NO. 556**

#### **\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)**

**With these offerings, O God, we express a small portion of our love for you, and for our neighbors. Take what we offer and use it to help fill the world to overflowing with your abundant goodness. Amen**

**\*HYMN insert “We Are One in the Spirit”**

HANOVER

#### **\*BENEDICTION**

#### **CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

#### **POSTLUDE**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**DEACON BRUNCH:** will be held today, November 1st, after the service. The price is \$8 Adult, \$6 Children and \$25 for a family of six.

**BIBLE STUDY:** Join us for the study of Mark's Gospel on Tuesdays at 7:00 pm in Memorial Lounge.

**PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE:** South Carolina has borne the brunt of recent severe and devastating flooding, as has Texas, which is still struggling to recover from earlier flooding. Gifts from One Great Hour of Sharing are helping Presbyterian congregations as they reach out to affected communities to provide emergency provisions. **You can join in the response by standing in the "GAP" – Give. Act. Pray. GIVE** by calling 800-872-3283 or by mailing a check to Presbyterian Church (USA), P.O. Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700. **ACT** by downloading 'resources' at [presbyterianmission.org/pda](http://presbyterianmission.org/pda). **PRAY** for families impacted as well as first responders and others who put themselves in harm's way for others, and pray for God's sustaining grace. (from Susan Orr, 'Better Together' - [pbygenval.org](http://pbygenval.org))

**GOLF EVENT:** After several tries, Adult Education and Mission Committee finally found a date on Saturday, September 26, when 11 Summerville members were available to tee off at Durand Eastman Golf Course. Nine holes of a Scramble/Best Ball format found our 3 groups of golfers within a few strokes of each other at the conclusion. A food and fellowship event followed on the roof at I-Square. Those enjoying a beautiful fall afternoon included, Charlie Buck, Bob Megargle, Jim Shawhan, Pastor Carson, Earl Repp, Debbie and Bill Carter, Jen and Jim DeVoe, Peg and Bruce Baker. AEM will work on a date for the 2016 season, so keep the event in mind! We had a lot of fun!

*Thank You*

*To all our Garage Sale workers!!*

# November Monthly Mission

## Holiday Foods for the Irondequoit Community Cupboard

It is fast approaching the holiday season and this is when the Irondequoit Community Food Cupboard could use your help feeding families right here in town. Please consider donating non-perishable holiday inspired food items to our food basket. Your donation will help a local senior citizen or family have a little brighter holiday dinner.



## Thanksgiving

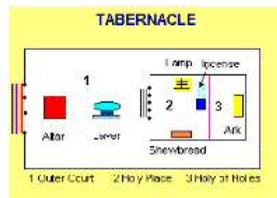
box of mashed potatoes  
box of stuffing  
cans of green beans  
mushroom soup  
cans of french fried onions  
cans of corn  
cans of yams or sweet potatoes

coffee, tea, hot cocoa  
pancake mix and syrup  
cereal  
dessert mixes for cakes, pies  
box of biscuit or rolls mix  
gravy mix or cans  
cranberry sauce

*"So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness." Colossians 2:6-7*



# Children's Workshop *"Building the Tabernacle"*



Gathering in Room 12: October 18<sup>th</sup>

<b>"Altar"</b> <i>(Kindergarten – 3<sup>rd</sup> grades)</i>	<u>October 25</u> Room 15 <i>Mr. Jared Streb &amp; Ms. Kathy Wilkinson</i> <i>Construction Station</i>	<u>November 1</u> Room 10 <i>Mr. Todd Mayer</i> <i>Creation Station</i>
<b>"Ark of the Covenant"</b> <i>(4<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> grades)</i>	Room 10 <i>Mr. Todd Mayer</i> <i>Creation Station</i>	Room 15 <i>Mr. Jared Streb &amp; Mrs. Sue Smith</i> <i>Construction Station</i>

Gathering in Room 12: November 8<sup>th</sup>

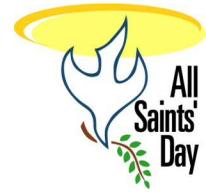
## Youth Group News

(Grades 6-12)

Foodlink: Saturday, November 7th, meet at church at 8:30 a.m., we will be working in their garden from 9 a.m.—12:30 so please dress appropriately. Janet Smith is our parent chaperone and Peg & Bruce Baker, Joan Frenzel & Ruth McNamara are our invited guests. Please let me know whether or not you will be attending by **Tuesday, Nov. 3rd**

Intergenerational Mission Trip Meeting: Sunday, Nov. 8th at 5 p.m. in Memorial Lounge, site location to be decided

## CALENDAR of EVENTS



<u>Sunday, November 1st</u>		
10:00 am	<i>All Saints and Communion</i>	Sanctuary
10:15 am	Worship	
11:15 am	Children's Workshop	Fellowship Hall
	Deacon's Brunch	
<u>Monday, November 2nd</u>		
6:00 pm	AA	Rooms 10/14
6:30 pm	Deacons	Memorial Lounge
<u>Tuesday, November 3rd</u>		
6 am– 9pm	Voting and <b>BAKE SALE</b>	Fellowship Hall
7:00 pm	Bible Study	Pastor's Office
7 pm	Troop 203	Memorial Lounge
<u>Wednesday, November 4th</u>		
6:30 pm	<b>Pick up Voting Machines</b>	Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm	Bell Choir	Room 14
6:45 pm	Troop 127	Room 15
7:30 pm	Troop 79	Room 13
	Choir	
<u>Thursday, November 5th</u>		
5:30 pm	Wolf Den	Room 14
7 pm	Property Meeting	Memorial Lounge
<u>Friday, November 6th</u>		
7:30-11:30 pm	Youth Lock in	
<u>Saturday, November 7th</u>		
8:30 am-12:30 pm	Youth at Foodlink	
9am-12 pm	Fall Clean up	
<u>Next Sunday, November 8h</u>		
10:00 am	<i>Pledge Dedication</i>	Sanctuary
11:15 am	Worship	Fellowship Hall
	Coffee	