



February 14, 2016
First Sunday of Lent

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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.

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.

Rev. Mouser can be reached by cell at 519-5280,
or by email at pastorcarson@summervillechurch.org

*Pastor's Office Hours: Monday & Wednesdays from 1-3
Please call ahead.*

*Office Hours are 8:30-4:30 on Monday & Wednesdays and
8:30-12:30 on Thursdays.*

On President's day, February 15th, the office will be open from 9-3.

GREETER: BARB ORDWAY

USHER: JIM VERNI

YOUTH GREETER: CORINNE CUMMINGS **ACOLYTE:** ZOE SULLIVAN

TRANSPORTATION NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH, IS PROVIDED BY BILL CARTER . PLEASE CALL HER TO ARRANGE A RIDE AT 585-392-1183.

Please join us for Coffee and fellowship immediately following the Service.
Your host is SARAH GUERESCHI.



Order of Worship

*those who are able, please stand

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN # 3**

“Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him”

AUSTRIA

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, REGISTER ATTENDANCE

SILENT PRAYER

God, open our hearts and minds to know the paths you have placed before us to walk, so that we might be better examples of your covenant people during this Season of Lent, this season of journey and abundance for all. Amen.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

MARY OZEL

One: We have travelled across God’s land to join together and worship God in this space.

All: God is our companion throughout life.

One: God has given us many gifts and offers us a place to live together, sharing all that God has given to us.

All: We remember when God was with us when we were wandering, lonely, fruitless.

One: God answers our pleas for guidance, companionship, and provisions with abundance.

All: God promises to provide for our needs. We open our hearts to God’s promise and celebrate the giving of our gifts to God.

*HYMN #246 “O Happy Band of Pilgrims“

DU MEINE SEELE SINGEN

CALL TO CONFESSION

MARY OZEL

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)

MARY OZEL

Gracious God, together we recognize the places where we have fallen short, and know that your love and grace fill in the crevices of our lives where we can do better. May we move forward with the assurance of that love and grace and out into the world to make the kingdom of God real to all people

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

Before God hears our cries from the wilderness, God's love is for us. Grace is abundant.

During this Season of Lent, we seek God's refreshing love and grace as we journey together.

OLD TESTAMENT Deuteronomy 26: 1-11

MARY OZEL

ANTHEM "The Father's Love"

SIMON LOLE

As the Father has loved me,
so have I loved you.
Remain in my love.
Remain in my love.
This is my commandment;
that ye love one another,
as I have loved you.

God is love, and those who live in love.
Live in God and God lives in them.
God is love.

If you keep my commandments,
love one another, as I have loved you.
Then your joy will be complete.
If ye keep my commandments,
and ye love one another,
your joy will be complete.

WORDS WITH CHILDREN/ LORD’S PRAYER

SUSAN SMITH

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Luke 4: 1-13

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SERMON “Divine Companions on the Way “

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***HYMN insert p. 6** “All Who Call Upon the Lord’s Name”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY – HYMN NO. 556

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

O God, we look around and see poverty, violence, sadness, and loss. Yet, you give us gifts that can be used for justice, peace, happiness, and comfort. May these offerings be an extension of your love and presence to others who are in need this day. Amen

***HYMN #179** “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

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***BENEDICTION**

CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE

POSTLUDE



Children's Workshop

"Three Women of Faith"



Gathering in Room 12: February 7th

"Purple Cloth"

*(Kindergarten -
3rd grades)*

February 14

Room 12

*Zoe & Alana Sullivan
Video Station*

February 21

Kitchen

*Jim & Jen DeVoe
Creative Cookery*

"Tentmakers"

(4th - 7th grades)

Kitchen

*Jim & Jen DeVoe
Creative Cookery*

Room 12

*Zoe & Alana Sullivan
Video Station*

Intergenerational Worship Service: February 28th

Preschool Teacher: Mrs. Barb Chamberlin

Youth Group News

(Grades 6-12.)

- Square Dance to Benefit Mission Trip: Sunday, March 6th from 3-5 p.m., Fellowship Hall
- Youth Night Bowling: SATURDAY, March 5th from 8 pm—midnight, details to follow
- Cameron Bowl-a-Thon: Sunday, March 13th from 4-6 p.m. (*Note time change from 1:30-3:30), Cost is \$10/person to bowl 2 games, shoe rental, pizza & beverage.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY: Join us online from 1-2 pm beginning Tuesday, February 16th to study John's Gospel as we walk with Jesus through his life to the cross and resurrection. Please logon to the meeting using: **https://www.gottomeeting.com/join/195948589** or, you can dial in to listen and speak by calling 1-872-240-3212 and using the access code, 195-948-589.

MEMBER DIRECTORY, 2016: available on Deacon's credenza.

FEBRUARY MISSION: The Mission project for February is the donation of old Cell Phones and Eye Glasses. Please put your donations in the Green Barrel in the Narthex. Thank you.



BLAN-
DAY:

find envelopes in the pews for Blankets. Your donations will help our neighbors in need recovery from disaster. We will collect your donations this Sunday, February 14th.



KET SUN-
You will

ADULT FORUM: Join us after Worship today to hear Fred Sauter speak about Rochester Community Bikes, Inc. which collects, repairs, and distributes bikes to the needy in the Rochester area.



Old Time Community Square Dance

Eric Rounds calling & Live Music by the WildRoot String Band
No experience necessary!



Sunday March 6th, 2016 from 3-5 p.m.

Donations Gratefully Accepted

This is a benefit for a Mission Trip of adults and youth from Summerville Presbyterian Church and beyond who are going to help our neighbors in Point Pleasant, NY, continue the recovery from Hurricane Sandy.



Summerville Presbyterian Church Hall
4845 St. Paul Blvd, Irondequoit, NY 14617

CALENDAR of EVENTS

Sunday, February 14th

10:00 am

10:15 am

11:15 am

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Worship

Children's Workshop

Adult Forum

Bike Repair Mission

Sanctuary

Fellowship Hall

Monday, February 15th

6:00 pm

President's Day—Office Hours from 9-3

AA

Rooms 10/14

Tuesday, February 16th

6:00 pm

Shrove Tuesday

Webelos 1

Room 14

Wednesday, February 17th

10:30 am

6:30 pm

6:30 pm

6:45 pm

7:30 pm

Staff Meeting

Bells Practice

Troop 127

Troop 79

Choir

Memorial Lounge

Sanctuary

Room 14

Room 15

Room 13

Thursday, February 18th

7:00 pm

Finance Meeting

Memorial Lounge

Next Sunday, February 21st

10:00 am

10:15 am

Bells Play

Worship

Children's Workshop

Sanctuary