



July 3, 2016

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Summerville Presbyterian Church

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Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation

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Mary Keller - Office Manager

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Summer Office Hours: *Monday & Wednesday: 8:30-2:30; Thursday: 8:30-Noon*

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

Office hours are Monday and Wednesdays from 8:30-2:30 and Thursdays from 8:30 to noon. Please call in advance if you want to meet with Pastor Carson.

Greeter: STELLA MEGARGLE

Usher: MIKE CUBITT

Transportation can be provided. Please call JOYCE STIFFLER before 5PM Saturday to arrange a ride for Sunday, July 10 Worship. Her number is 663-7462.

Join us for lemonade fellowship immediately following Worship in Fellowship Hall. Your host is JULIE GIRON.



Order of Worship

*those who are able, please stand

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, REGISTRATION of ATTENDANCE

SILENT PRAYER

Open our ears to your wisdom, O God. Stir our hearts and minds with wonder. Open ears, open hearts, open minds. Reach beyond the limits of our thought processes. Tap into our deeper sense of awe and wonder. Open our imaginations to discern your voice. Open ears, open hearts, open minds. Amen.

PRELUDE

JULIAN GARVUE

JULIAN GARVUE WILL PROVIDE MUSIC TODAY.

CALL TO WORSHIP

ALICE ESTES

One: God is real.

People: **God is Here!**

One: Will we listen?

***HYMN # 416** (Rejoice Hymnal) “God of Grace and God of Glory ”

CALL TO CONFESSION

ALICE ESTES

God’s love is so amazing that while we were separated from the Lord, God reached out in compassion and mercy to heal us. Therefore, we are free to confess our need of God’s grace.

CONFESSION

ALICE ESTES

O God, by blocked ears we refuse to hear. We want no surprises and we say, “Do not disturb my rational thoughts. I do not want to hear. I do not want my life upturned, my comfortable composure rattled, my mind-set challenged. What can a stranger offer me? A child teach? What would I learn from an outsider? And who are they anyway in this community of neighbors?” Forgive us, O God and open our minds and disturb our expectations. May we hear the silent weeping and work for peace.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

One: Any person who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life is gone. The new life has begun.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON 2 Kings 5:1-14

ALICE ESTES

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

SERMON "Voice of Unexpected Wisdom "

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

***HYMN #343** (Presbyterian Hymnal) "Called as Partners in Christ's Service "

CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

INVITATION

One: The God of healing be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to God.

One: Let us give thanks to God who brings joy out of sorrow.

All: It is right to give God thanks and praise

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

One: Compassionate God of all people, you draw us to this special, yet disturbing place of self-giving, where we again re-live your body broken and life-blood shed. Aware that within us all dwells great timidity and fear, still you encourage a depth of humanity that will go the full distance; sustaining friendships, exposing evil and sharing in the suffering of others until lasting change comes.

Therefore, upon these common, yet dignified symbols of bread and wine, and upon us, your common, yet dignified people, may the Spirit of humility and compassion come and gladly rest.

**All: And in that resting may we yearn for a rising to new and hopeful beginnings.
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BREAKING THE BREAD, POURING THE CUP

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Gracious Host, thank you for showing us again that we are invited to live and work in your reign as honored guests. May our faith grow to bear the full measure of your grace, bringing a lightness to our labors, and a wonder to our work. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY – HYMN NO. 556

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

God, too often we think that our actions do not matter very much, but on this day we pray for you to take our offerings and use them to bring healing, hope and joy into world. Amen.

***HYMN 429** (Presbyterian Hymnal) “Lord, You Give the Great Commission”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEVOTION FOR THE WEEK: Discipleship encompasses a call to ground our daily living in the word of God. We are called to listen to God's word of grace, and then let it shape our living. In spite of the ways we fall short as disciples as we live in God's reign, it is Christ -and not our own actions- that holds all together. *Scriptures: Amos 7:7-17, Psalm 82, Luke 10:25-37, Colossians 1:1-14*

BELL CHOIR CONCERT: The National Seminar of Handbell Musicians will offer 4 concerts that are open to the public. The concerts will be held at the Rochester Convention Center on July 13-16th. Tickets are \$10 for each concert. Please see the bulletin board outside the office for details.

ICC FOOD CUPBOARD: Please don't forget to donate food to our food cupboard this summer. The basket is in the church entrance.

CALENDAR of EVENTS



Sunday, July 3rd

9:00 am
10:00 am

Communion

Worship
Lemonade

Sanctuary

Monday, July 4th

6:00 pm

Office Closed

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Room 14

Wednesday, July 6th

10:30 am

Staff Meeting

Memorial Lounge

Thursday, July 7th

7 pm

Property Meeting

Memorial Lounge

Next Sunday, July 10th

9:00 am
10:00 am

Worship
Lemonade

Sanctuary