



January 15, 2016
Third Sunday After Epiphany
Summerville Presbyterian Church
585-342-4242

Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation

The Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser— Pastor
Julian Garvue—Director of Music
Jacqueline Anderson—Director of Bell Choirs
Deborah Carter— Director of Youth & Education
Mary Keller - Office Manager
Rod Cutler - Director of Maintenance
David Ellis - Housekeeper

Worship at 10 AM

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 : Monday and Wednesday, 8:30-4:30, Thursday, 8:30-noon

GREETER:

USHER: SUSAN CONNOR

BANK BAG: BARB JAMES

Transportation next Sunday, January 22nd is provided by Joyce Stiffler. Please call before 8 pm on Saturday, January 21st, to arrange a ride. (Sunday morning is too late to make a reservation.) Her number is 663-7462.

Join us for fellowship after Worship. Your host is Sarah Guereschi.



Order of Worship

*those who are able, please stand

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN #415** (red-Rejoice Hymnal)
“Lift High the Cross”

CRUCIFER

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, REGISTER ATTENDANCE

CENTERING PRAYER IN SILENCE

There is none like you, God of infinite patience. You promise to listen to us, always. You speak more words of hope and grace and offer more acts of mercy and hope than we could count. There is none like you, Shaper of servants. Amen.

PRELUDE “Gnossienne #1”

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CALL TO WORSHIP

BRIAN LEAVITT

One: We wait patiently for our God.

All: We will sing, we will sing new songs of the One who calls us here.

One: We will not chase after other gods.

All: We will sing, we will sing new songs of the One in whom we can trust.

One: We will tell of all God has done for us.

All: We will sing, we will sing new songs of the One whose salvation is for all.

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

BRIAN LEAVITT

The psalmist tells us that the One whose voice can knock trees to the ground listens to our hesitant prayers which speak how we have hurt others, as well as God. Join me, as we pray to the One who will bless us with peace and forgiveness.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

BRIAN LEAVITT

Shaped, formed, born to be servants, Faithful One, we spend so much time focused on ourselves. Called to be saints, we deeply despise those with whom we disagree. Challenged to testify about the good news, we keep silent, hoarding stories of joy and hope for ourselves.

Silent Reflection

Forgive us, Merciful Lamb. Give us open ears, that we might hear your words of pardon; give us open eyes, that we might see those you would have us serve; give us open hearts, that we might welcome the One who takes away our sins, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

REV. DR. CARSON O. MOUSER

Listen! Before you were born, God called you by name, claiming you as God's child. Pay attention! You are forgiven.

All: We will not keep silent. We will tell, and we will sing; we will whisper, and we will shout: God is faithful! Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 49:1-7

BRIAN LEAVITT

ANTHEM "O Worship the King"

SHAW

O worship the King all-glorious above,
O gratefully sing his power and his love:
our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,
pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.

O tell of his might and sing of his grace,
whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

Your bountiful care, what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;
it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
in you do we trust, nor find you to fail.
Your mercies, how tender, how firm to the end,
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

O measureless Might, unchangeable Love,
whom angels delight to worship above!
Your ransomed creation, with glory ablaze,
in true adoration shall sing to your praise!

WORDS WITH CHILDREN/ LORD'S PRAYER

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Corinthians 1:1-9
MOUSER

REV. DR. CARSON O.

SERMON "The Big Call"

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HYMN #446 (red—Rejoice) "My Faith Looks Up To Thee"

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY – HYMN NO. 556

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

As we offer our gifts to you, calling God, remind us that we are invited to not only come and see the brokenness of our world, those who are hungry and homeless, lonely and grieving, but to join you in that ministry of offering strength, hope, and healing to all your children. Amen.

HYMN # 525 (blue—Presbyterian) “Here I Am, Lord”

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE

POSTLUDE “Sorocaba”

DARIUS MILHAUD

Congregational Concerns

Wendy Morris-Mills , niece of Lois and Gerry Butler (1)

Linda Howland, mother of Alana Sullivan(12)

Harvey DeVoe, father of Jim and Jen DeVoe

Jeri Powell (10)

Phyllis Register, mother and grandmother of the Robert Register family (10) and sister of Marilyn Drumm



Continual Prayers

Barbara Parker, Marian Black, Anita Crowley, Pam Shares, Wayne Shelton, Robert Mutrie, Paul White, Mark Graupman, David Wilkinson, Anne Ellis, Cynthia Powers, Marge Reber, Shirley VanDenBergh, Betty Caine, Lois Etshman, Hannah Verni, Tom Mulford

Concerns for the Military

Sgt. Andrea Estes-Conklin, (*Army*), granddaughter of Alice Estes

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEVOTION FOR THE WEEK: Jesus calls his first disciples. They set aside their lives and livelihoods and followed Jesus. Not only does Jesus call Peter, Andrew, James and John to follow him, he gives them a new purpose for their lives. In this way, not only is answering Jesus' call to discipleship a gift to God, it is a gift to the disciples, who have chosen a new course and direction for their lives. Coming together in a new community, the disciples follow Jesus and God's will for their lives. *Scriptures: Matthew 4:12-23, Isaiah 9:1-4, Psalm 27:1, 4-9, Corinthians 1:10-18*

PASTOR CARSON INVITATION: The Neighborhood Group of Presbyterian churches, of which we are a member, has been given a grant of \$50,000 by Duke Divinity School to explore a joint mission project. I have been attending the early meetings and I have taken a leadership role in this grant project, but I would like to invite any Summerville member who is interested in collaborating with other Presbyterian churches in local mission to join me in representing Summerville. This is an opportunity to broaden our mission and ministry and be strongly connected to other Presbyterian churches in Rochester. If you are interested in participating or learning more about the grant project, please send me an email or talk with me after worship this week.



Children's Workshop

"Man Beside the Pool"



<u>Date</u>	<u>Teachers</u>
January 8th	Mrs. Debbie Carter, Mrs. Allison Cubitt & Mrs. Janet Smith
January 15th	Mrs. Allison Cubitt & Mrs. Janet Smith
January 22nd	Mrs. Allison Cubitt & Mrs. Janet Smith
January 29th	Intergenerational Worship Service

Youth Group News

(Grades 6-12)

- Youth Group Card Night: Friday, January 27th at church, playing card games from 7:30-11 p.m.
- Bagel & the Bible: Sunday, January 29th following the Intergenerational Worship Service, meet at 11:15 to go to I-Square

CALENDAR of EVENTS

Sunday, January 15th

9:15 am	<i>Pew Pals Brunch</i>	?
10:00 am	Worship	
10:15 CW	Man Beside the Pool	
11:15 am	AF "Moral Injury in Veterans " <i>Bill Gibson</i>	Fellowship Hall

Monday, January 16th

6:30 pm	<i>Martin Luther King</i> AA	Room 15
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Tuesday, January 17 th

6 pm	Webelos	Room 14
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Wednesday, January 18th

10:30 am	Staff Meeting	Memorial Lounge
5:30 pm	Wolf Den	Room 10
6:30 pm	Bell Choir	Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm	Troop 127	Room 14
6:45 pm	Troop 79	Room 15
7 pm	MPP	Memorial Lounge
7:30 pm	Choir	Room 13

Thursday, January 19th

6:30 pm	Bear Den	Room 14
6:30 pm	203 Pack	Fellowship Hall
7 pm	Finance Meeting	Memorial Lounge

Saturday, January 21st

1-3 pm	Lakeside Neighborhood Meeting	Fellowship Hall
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Next Sunday, January 22nd

10:00 am	Worship	
10:15 CW	Man Beside the Pool	
11:15 am	AF :Documentary—"13th" Part 1 About race in the Criminal Justice System	Fellowship Hall