



**March 3, 2019**

***Transfiguration of the Lord and Communion***

**Summerville Presbyterian Church**

**342-4242**

***Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation***

*Rev. James Widboom*

*Jacqueline Anderson, Director of Bell Choirs*

*Jing Tian Ngiaw, Director of Music*

*Kate Fady, Christian Educator*

*Janet Smith, Youth Group Leader*

*Mary Keller, Office Manager*

*Rod Cutler, Director of Maintenance*

*Stephanie Desmore, Housekeeper*

**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.

**MISS A WORSHIP SERVICE?** Services are recorded every week. A CD-R is available upon request by contacting the church office at 342-4242.

You can reach Rev. Jim Widboom at 727-1295 or jamescarlwidboom@gmail.com.

***Winter Office Hours***  
***Monday and Thursdays from 8:30-4, Wednesdays, 9-1***

**GREETERS:** RUTH MCNAMARA

**USHER:** LINDA VERNI

**BANK BAG:** RUTH MCNAMARA

**MUSIC:** JING TIAN NGIAW

To arrange transportation for next Sunday, March 10th, please call Joyce Stiffler at 703-7462 before noon on Saturday, March 9th.

Please join us after Worship in Fellowship Hall.  
Your host is SUE SMITH.



## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

**\*those who are able, please stand**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #256 (red-Rejoice Hymnal)**

**“O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Fair” DEO GRACIAS (AGINCOURT SONG)**

### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE:** Debussy's *Rêverie*

**CALL TO WORSHIP (in unison)      1 John 3:2      ERIC LEAVITT**

**Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is.**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY (in unison)      ERIC LEAVITT**

**O God, glorious and faithful, to those who seek you with a sincere heart you reveal the beauty of your face. Strengthen us in faith to embrace the mystery of the cross, and open our hearts to its transfiguring power; that, clinging in love to your will for us, we may walk the path of discipleship as followers of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.**

**CALL TO RECONCILIATION** *Matthew 17:5*

ERIC LEAVITT

A voice said: "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased. Listen to him!"

**PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION** *(in unison)*

**God of compassion, in Jesus Christ you reveal the light of your glory, but we turn away, distracted by our own plans. We confess that we speak when we should listen, and act when we should wait.**

**Forgive our aimless enthusiasms. Grant us wisdom to live in your light and to follow in the way of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON** *Ephesians 5:1-2*

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Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

**THE PEACE** *Col. 3:15 and John 20:19, 21, 26*

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Leader: Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts. To this peace we were called as members of a single body.

The peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

**WORDS WITH CHILDREN/ LORD'S PRAYER**

KATE FADY

## SENIOR CHOIR ANTHEM

"I have Decided to Follow Jesus/Kum Ba Yah"

ARR. DWIGHT ELRICH

Kum ba yah, my lord, kum ba yah!  
Kum ba yah, my lord, kum ba yah!  
Kum ba yah, my lord, kum ba yah!  
O lord, kum ba yah!

7) Will you decide now to follow Jesus?  
Will you decide now to follow Jesus?  
Will you decide now to follow Jesus?  
No turning back, no turning back

I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus,  
No turning back, no turning back

8) Someone's singing' Lord, kum ba yah!  
Someone's singing' Lord, kum ba yah!  
Someone's singing' Lord, kum ba yah!  
O Lord, kum ba yah!

Someone's cryin' Lord, kum ba yah!  
Someone's cryin' Lord, kum ba yah!  
Someone's cryin' Lord, kum ba yah!  
O Lord, kum ba yah!

9) Come by here my Lord, kum ba yah!  
Come by here my Lord, kum ba yah!  
Come by here my Lord, kum ba yah!  
O Lord, kum ba yah!

The world behind me, the cross before me,  
The world behind me, the cross before me,  
The world behind me, the cross before me,  
No turning back, no turning back

Someone's prayin' Lord, kum ba yah!  
Someone's prayin' Lord, kum ba yah!  
Someone's prayin' Lord, kum ba yah!  
O Lord, kum ba yah!

Tho' no one join me, still I will follow,  
Tho' no one join me, still I will follow,  
Tho' no one join me, still I will follow,  
No turning back, no turning back

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** Exodus 34:29-35

ERIC LEAVITT

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON** Luke 9:28-36

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**SERMON** "His Clothes Became Dazzling White"

**\*HYMN #534** (red– Rejoice Hymnal)

"I Come With Joy to Meet My Lord"

LAND OF REST

### **COMMUNION**

#### **OFFERING**

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world and those who live in it. Let us return the offerings of our life and labor as unto the Lord.

#### **OFFERTORY**

#### **\*DOXOLOGY**

**Leader:** Blessed are you, God of all creation; through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.

**People:** **Blessed be God forever.**

#### **INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE**

#### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

**Leader:** The Lord be with you.

**People:** **And also with you.**

**Leader:** Lift up your hearts.

**People:** **We lift them up to the Lord.**

**Leader:** Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**People:** **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING (*continued*)**

Leader: It truly right and our greatest joy ... (leader continues) ...  
therefore we praise you, joining our voices with the heavenly  
choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place who  
forever sing to the glory of your name:

People: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and  
earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is  
he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

## **BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

## **SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP**

## **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Illumine our lives, O God, with the radiance of Christ's love, and in-  
spire us to shine in faith and witness as his holy disciples. Transform us into  
his likeness that we may live for you as he lived, and love others, as he  
loved them. Amen.

**\*HYMN #346** (red-Rejoice Hymnal)

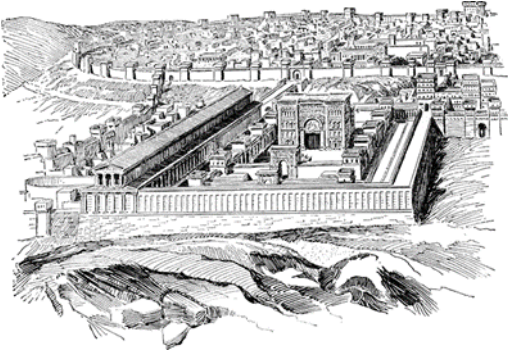
"Alleluia! Sing To Jesus"

HYFRYDOL

## **\*SENDING AND BENEDICTION**

## **\*CHORAL RESPONSE**

## **POSTLUDE**



**MARCH 3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP**

NEW UNIT BEGINS:  
**JESUS IN JERUSALEM**

Teacher: KATE FADY  
DOUG CAINE

BIBLE STORY REFERENCE:  
**MARK 11-16**



**Youth Group News**  
(Grades 6-12)

*March 22: Eric Levitt's High School play—to watch  
our own star!!!!*



## Death

Barbara Donovan Gray February 16, 2019, a former member of SPC

## Continual Prayers

Barbara Parker, Marian Black, Pam Shares, Paul White, Kay Victorsen,  
Charles Lupica, David Wilkinson, Cynthia Powers, Marge Reber, Tom  
Mulford, Phyllis Register, Mary Jane Angelone, Hannah Verni,  
Tage Brown, Phoebe James, Avalynn Potter

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **SAVE THE DATE FOR RAIHN:**

Monday, March 4, 2019 at 7 p.m.  
St. Paul's Episcopal Church  
25 Westminster Road, Rochester  
Suggested donation: \$20 (or more)

Local professional musicians from the ranks of the Eastman School of Music, the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, and Nazareth College perform "Grace Through Music." ALL proceeds will support homeless families in our Rochester community!

# Pew Pals



Our multi-generational program promoted by the  
CYEd Committee will run  
from March 10th - March 31st, 2019

**Adults...**sign up on the poster located in the foyer

**Children...**please fill out a Pew Pal information  
sheet and *return to the church office, Mrs. Janet  
Smith  
or Mrs. Mayer by March 3rd, 2019*

Questions? Contact Mrs. Smith @ 503-9731 or  
Mrs. Mayer @ 329-6306

**AGES 3—ADULT ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE**

## MARCH MISSION FOR 2019

### *Lollypop Farm, the Humane Society of Greater Rochester*

Spring is the time when a great number of cats and kittens are brought to the shelter, seeking homes for the mothers and babies. There is a great need for the following items

cat & kitten food  
toys, balls, mice, soft toys  
small beds

cat litter, non-clumping  
small blankets  
flat sheets



***There is always a need for volunteers to help with animal care, dog walking, animal transporters, photographers, special events***

*Let the light of God shine on me today.....*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Sunday, March 3rd

10:00 am

10:15 am

11:15 am

### *Communion*

Worship

Children's Workshop

Garage Sale Task Force

Memorial Lounge

### Monday, March 4th

6:30 pm

7:00 pm

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SNS Board Meeting

Room 15

Memorial Lounge

### Wednesday, March 6th

6:30 pm

6:30 pm

6:45 pm

7:30 pm

### *Ash Wednesday*

Bell Choir

Troop 127

Troop 79

Senior Choir

Fellowship Hall

Room 14

Room 15

Choir Room

### Thursday, March 7th

6:00 pm

6:00 pm

6:00 pm

7:00 pm

Lion Den

Tiger Den

Webelos Den

Property Meeting

Room 15

Room 3

Room 14

Memorial Lounge

### Sunday, March 10th

10:00 am

11:15 am

11:30 am

Worship

Children's Workshop

Adult Forum

Fellowship Hall