



Summerville Presbyterian Church
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Theme 2013:

“Your Church for All Reasons”

February 3, 2013

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacrament of Communion

Bring A Friend to Church Day

Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Ballard—Interim Pastor

Dr. Leon Foster - Organist and Director of Music & Choirs

Rhonda Wright—Director of Bell Choir

Deborah Carter— Director of Youth & Education

Kathy Greene - Office Manager

Rod Cutler - Director of Maintenance



WELCOME. 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.

PLEASE turn off all cellular phones, pagers and watch alarms during worship. Please refrain from using flash photography during the worship service.

CHILD CARE is available on the lower lever for infants/toddlers and pre-school. Two child-care attendants staff the infant/toddler room and parent volunteers staff the preschool/kindergarten room during services. If you are able to assist in the care of our children, please contact the church office.

LARGE PRINT BIBLES are available from the ushers upon request. Please return the Bible to the ushers after the service. **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.

Announcements regarding inclement weather or emergency closings can be found on channels WROC TV 8, WHEC TV 10, WHAM TV 13, YNN news cable channel 9, and radio station WHAM.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE about Summerville Presbyterian Church or becoming a member here...call the church office for details at 342-4242.

Greeter: BARB ORDWAY **Youth Greeter:** ZOE SULLIVAN **Usher:** RUTH MCNAMARA

Elders Serving Communion:

1. BRIAN LEAVITT 2. KEN STREB Travel: STEVE HALL



All are invited to a time of refreshment and conversation immediately following worship, hosted today by Jane Shawhan. Join us during coffee hour to browse a display of books available for check out from our Summerville library.

Preparation for Worship

Preaching communicates the Word of God. In different styles and ways, believers have related Scripture to the situations in which they lived. The Spirit has given them power and boldness to speak God's Word through their words. We believe that the preaching of the Word is an event in which God himself confronts us. As the gathered community speaks to God in worship we expect God to speak to us in preaching. Preaching can take a variety of forms. When it is faithful and obedient the Holy Spirit uses it to convert unbelievers, to strengthen believers, to form and reform the church.

FROM A DECLARATION OF FAITH

Order of Worship—We Gather in God's Name

****Those who are able, please stand***

*GATHERING HYMN No. 595

"The God of Abr'am Praise"

LEONI

Minister: Praise the Lord.

People: The Lord's name be praised.

TIDINGS of the CHURCH—We invite visitors to sign the pew register

INTERLUDE

The God of Abraham Praise

TIMOTHY ALBRECHT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

STEVE HALL

L: If we speak in languages of earth and of angels, but do not love others,

P: we are noisy gongs or clanging cymbals.

L: If we give everything to the poor and even sacrifice our own bodies, but do not love others,

P: we gain nothing.

L: For love is patient and kind, not jealous or proud.

P: Love does not demand its own way.

L: Three things last forever:

P: faith, hope and love.

L: Yet one thing is greatest:

P: the greatest of these is love.

*PRAYER of CONFESSION

(UNISON)

STEVE HALL

Eternal God, you are love, and your love never ends. Yet, we confess, our actions and our words are often unloving, impatient, unkind, rude, irritable, and resentful. (CONTINUED ON PAGE 4)

More childish than childlike, more selfish than selfless, we have sinned against love itself and against those whom you love. Forgive us, God of love, and give us words to speak that are worthy of love, and the right disposition of the heart not only to speak but to act upon them, for the honor and glory of Jesus Christ your obedient Son.

*DECLARATION of PARDON

REV. THOMAS BALLARD

*SONG of PRAISE

Gloria Patri—Hymn No. 561 

EPISTLE READING

I Corinthians 13: 1-13


STEVE HALL

GOSPEL READING

Luke 4: 21-30

STEVE HALL

ANTHEM

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing 

MACK WILBERG

Come, thou Fount of ev'ry blessing,
Tune my heart to sing thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise.

Teach me some melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
Mount of thy redeeming love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer,
Hither by thy help I'm come;
And I hope, by thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.

Prone to wander Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,
Seal it for thy courts above.

Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wand'ring from the fold of God;
He to rescue me from danger,
Interposed his precious blood.

Prone to wander Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,
Seal it for thy courts above.

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter,
Bind my wand'ring heart to thee.

Prone to wander Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,
Seal it for thy courts above.

WORDS *with* CHILDREN & THE LORD'S PRAYER - pg. 570 hymnal

WORKSHOP

K-7TH GRADES LEAVE ONTARIO VIEW STREET DOOR FOR CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER for ILLUMINATION

REV. THOMAS BALLARD

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 1: 4-10

REV. THOMAS BALLARD

L: The Word of the Lord

P: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

“Mightier Than the Sword”

REV. THOMAS BALLARD

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Nicene Creed I—pg. 564

REV. THOMAS BALLARD

*HYMN of REFLECTION No. 436

“Lord, Speak to Me”

WINDHAM

PRESENTATION of TITHES and OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY and PRAYER of THANKSGIVING - hymn #556

JOYS and CONCERNS and PRAYER of INTERCESSION

REV. THOMAS BALLARD

WE CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Lord's Supper

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

L: Lift up your hearts.

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

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: **We give thanks to the God whose love is everlasting.** *(Prayer)*

L: Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels, with all the faithful of every time and place, singing:

ALL: (Congregation sings in unison)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory,

Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord,

Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest.



L: You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord. *(Prayer)*
Great is the mystery of faith, which we sing: **(unison)**

P: **Christ has died,
Christ has risen,
Christ will come again**

L: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us ... Hear our prayer through Jesus Christ our Lord.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION and

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD & THE SHARING OF THE CUP

(DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE ELEMENTS WILL BE FROM TWO STATIONS IN THE FRONT OF THE SANCTUARY. AS THE DEACON COMES TO YOUR PEW, PLEASE COME FORWARD, TAKE A PIECE OF BREAD AND A CUP, AND RETURN TO YOUR PEW. WE WILL COMMUNE AFTER EVERYONE HAS BEEN SERVED. PLEASE INFORM A DEACON IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO COME FORWARD, AND AN ELDER WILL SERVE YOU.)

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING **(UNISON)**

Lord Jesus Christ, you have put your life into our hands; now we put our lives into yours. Take us, renew and remake us. What we have been is past; what we shall be, through you, still awaits us. Lead us on. Take us with you. Amen.

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN of GOING FORTH No. 475

"Take My Life"

HOLLINGSIDE

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Go Tell It On the Mountain - CHOIR AND CONGREGATION IN UNISON 

Go, tell it on the mountain over the hills and everywhere;
go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born.

POSTLUDE

All Praise to Thee, for Thou, O King Divine

CRAIG PHILLIPS

The pastor will greet you at the main entrance doors following worship. For the benefit of those who wish to listen to the postlude, please refrain from visiting with your neighbors until you have left the Sanctuary, or until the Postlude is concluded.

LENTEN FAMILY NIGHT:

Friday, February 15th



*Pancake Supper (prepared by
Youth Group) at 6:00 p.m.*



*and activities for all ages
until 7:30 p.m.*

If you plan to join us for this event, please tear off the slip below and place it in the offering plate or turn in to the church office **by Tuesday, Feb. 12th.**

Yes, I/we are interested in attending the dinner and Lenten
 family night event on February 15

Name _____

Number of participants _____

ANNOUNCEMENTS– Our Church

- ☞ **Rev. Ballard can be reached** at home at 563-6744, by cell phone at 865-223-3773 or by email at tballard4603@rochester.rr.com.
- ☞ **Next week's sermon is entitled:** "Christ in Concrete". Please read Exodus 34: 29-35, 2 Corinthians 3: 12-4:2, and Luke 9: 28-36.
- ☞ **Membership directories for 2013** are printed and available in Fellowship Hall during the coffee hour. Please take one per family. Thank you!
- ☞ **Thank you** to Cathy Reinhard and Hugh and Ann Reinhard for helping with the RAIHN dinner on January 27th.
- ☞ Anna Pata, mother of John Pata, has been discharged from RGH and is back in rehab at Hill Haven. She would welcome any cards. Anna Pata, Hill Haven Rehab, room 217, 1550 Empire Blvd., Webster, New York, 14580.
- ☞ **Adult Education and Mission** would like to consider today's book browsing during the coffee hour as a monthly event if interest supports it. Please notify the church office if you would like to see this event continue, or speak with Peg Baker or Doug Caine.
- ☞ **Adult Forum for Sunday, February 10th:** Dick Lawrence will share experiences of his 500 mile 2011 pilgrimage to the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela in Spain. The Camino de Santiago or St. James Way is a route to the Cathedral where, it is traditionally believed, the remains of the apostle St. James are buried. "Google" Camino de Santiago/Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela OR rent the 2010 film The Way, starring Martin Sheen and Emilio Estevez, directed by Emilio Estevez. The film portrays a powerful journey and message.

ANNOUNCEMENTS—Our Community

- ☞ Irondequoit will hold a **referendum vote for financing a new Irondequoit Library** on Tuesday, April 23. The new Library will be located at the Town Hall site, will combine both West and East branches, and will have community meeting space. Information sessions will be held February 7, March 6, March 26 and April 10 at the Town Hall.
- ☞ **Can You Help?** If you have a couple hours a week, or even a month, consider being a volunteer driver for older folks on our community. You can select your geographic area and the times you wish to drive. You will be provided with training and supplemental accident and liability insurance. Contact Sr. Anne Guerin at 244-8400 x 142 or email her at aguerin@lifespan-roch.org.



Children's Workshop

"Living God's Word: Friendship"



Gathering in Room 12: February 3, 2013

Superintendent: Brian Leavitt

	<u>Feb. 10</u>	<u>Feb. 17</u>	<u>Feb. 24</u>
"The Pals"	Room 12	Room 10	Kitchen
(Kindergarten, 1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd grades)	Mrs. Sue Smith <i>Storytelling Station</i>	Mrs. Linda Verni <i>Creation Station</i>	Mrs. Patty Mayer <i>Creative Cookery</i>

"The Buddies"	Room 10	Kitchen	Room 12
(4 th & 5 th grades)	Mrs. Linda Verni <i>Creation Station</i>	Mrs. Patty Mayer <i>Creative Cookery</i>	Mrs. Sue Smith <i>Storytelling Station</i>

"The BFF's"	Kitchen	Room 12	Room 10
(6 th & 7 th grades)	Mr. Todd Mayer <i>Creative Cookery</i>	Mrs. Sue Smith <i>Storytelling Station</i>	Mrs. Linda Verni <i>Creation Station</i>

Shepherds - The Pals: Chris Smith The Buddies: Margaret Mayer The BFF's: Natalie Wilkinson
Early Childhood Teacher: Mrs. Joan Frenzel **Shepherd:** Cathy Reinhard

**Jr./Sr. High Class (grades 8-12) today—meet in Room 2
for Souper Bowl follow-up**

Youth Group News

(Grades 6-12)

Souper Bowl & Irondequoit Food Cupboard: TODAY—meet in Rm. 2 at 11:15, lunch in the kitchen at 11:45, leave for Cupboard at 12:15 p.m. Mrs. Hayes is the parent chaperone and Ms. Susan Connor is our invited guest.

Lenten Family Night & Youth Night: Friday, Feb. 15th, arrive at 4:00 p.m. to the church kitchen to prepare the pancake supper and serve at 6:00, attend family activities and then Youth Night begins!

Cameron Bowl-A-Thon: Sunday, March 3, time TBA



Adult Education and Mission
Focus for February
Cameron Ministries

Adult Education and Mission will be collecting new and lightly used children’s books to benefit Cameron Ministries. Please place your donations in the box provided in the main foyer. Thank you!



MISSION TRIPS:



ENDICOTT, NY or ELIZABETH, NJ

Spring Break: March 29-April 6

The “**Together, We Can**” intergenerational mission team is heading out again! After two hurricanes (Irene and Sandy), the need for help is great.

We are extending an invitation to those who have been before, always participate, and who have yet to give it a try. No experience is required. We have several capable handy people who go, and it is an ideal opportunity to learn. If you have physical limitation, there are always ways to pitch in to help whether it is your construction expertise or a runner or helping hand. This is an intergenerational mission team and youth may participate in grades 6 & 7 with their parent. Grades 8 and older do not have to have a parent on the trip.

We need to finalize our numbers so if you are interested in participating, please contact Barb Chamberlin at chamberlin61@rochester.rr.com or call her at 544-6493 to reserve a spot or ask any questions **by Monday, February 4th.**

The cost is \$100/person. If you are interested, please either contact Barb Chamberlin (544-6493) or tear-off the slip below and put it in the offering plate.

Name: _____ Phone: _____
E-mail address: _____

I am interested in going to: Endicott New Jersey Either is fine
Next meeting is Sun., Feb. 10 at 5 p.m. at Summerville Presbyterian Church

 February**CALENDAR OF EVENTS****Sunday, February 3, 2013**

9:55 a.m.	Worship, Communion	Sanctuary
11:15 a.m.	Coffee fellowship	Fellowship Hall
11:15 a.m.-2:00 p.m.	Youth to help at Ironcl. Comm. Cupboard	

Monday, Feb. 4th

6:00 p.m.	AA	Rooms 11/14
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Tuesday, Feb. 5th

7:30 p.m.	SNS board meeting	Memorial Lounge
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Wednesday, Feb. 6th

6:30 p.m.	Bells Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Room 13

Thursday, Feb. 7th

6-8:00 p.m.	Cub Scouts	Rooms 10/14/15
7:00 p.m.	Property	Memorial Lounge

Friday, Feb. 8th**Saturday, Feb. 9th**

3:00-7:00 p.m.	Nursery School Sweetheart Dance	Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m.	Deacons dinner at Keenan's Rest.—reservations only	

Next Sunday, Feb. 10th

9:55 a.m.	Worship, Bells Play	Sanctuary
11:15 a.m.	Adult Forum	Fellowship Hall
11:15 a.m.	Deacons meeting	Memorial Lounge
4-7:00 p.m.	Mission Task Force	Memorial Lounge