

**Summerville Presbyterian Church  
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**Theme 2012:  
“Your Church for All Seasons”**

**November 18, 2012  
9:55 a.m Worship Service**



**Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation**

*Rev. Bob Kaiser - Temporary Supply 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.

If you are seated on the aisle, and the sanctuary is filling with people, kindly move toward the center of the pew, allowing others to enter and join the community with the least disturbance to others. Thank you.

**CHILD CARE** is available on the lower level 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.

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

**Greeter:** bob and joyce rude

**Youth Greeter:** Corrine cummings

**Usher:** earl

repp



**All are invited** to a time of refreshment and conversation immediately following worship, hosted today by Mimi Repp.

## Order of Worship

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

\*GATHERING HYMN No. 145

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

lobe den herren

ANNOUNCEMENTS, JOYS AND CONCERNS, AND SIGNING the FRIENDSHIP PAD

INTERLUDE

Come, Thou Thankful People Come

robert hobby

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

marilyn schindler

L: The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.

**P: He makes me lie down in green pastures. He restores my soul.**

L: He leads me in the right paths for his name’s sake.

**P: Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil.**

L: For you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**P: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil. My cup overflows.**

**All: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord my whole life long.**

\*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION (**Unison**)

marilyn schindler

O Thou, Fount of Life, from whom flows springs of vitality and health: as we celebrate our worship, may our sorrows be lifted, our joys engaged, our hopes energized; that our living may reflect the beauties of freshness, wholeness and love divine.

\*HYMN No. 446

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

olivet

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (**Unison**)

rev. jack heister


O Lord of life, we confess that we are uncomfortable with uncertainty. We like all our ducks in a row. We like our life and faith all laid out in an orderly way. We forget that faith is faith precisely because we do not have it all laid out for us in an orderly way. We want someone to give us all the answers. Forgive us when we shy away from the hard work of sorting it out for ourselves. Lord, help us to trust that, even though life is not neat and tidy, you will never let us walk our difficult paths alone.

ASSURANCE of PARDON

rev. jack heister

For the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far he removes our transgressions from us.

SONG OF PRAISE & GLORY

Hymn No. 144 verse 1 

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven; to his feet thy tribute bring;  
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, who like thee his praise should sing?  
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the everlasting King.

ANTHEM

How Firm a Foundation

leo nestor

<p>How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, is laid for your faith in his excellent Word! What more can he say than to you he has said, to You who for refuge to Jesus have fled.</p>	<p>“Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed, for I am thy God, and will still give thee aid. I’ll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand, upheld by my righteous omnipotent hand.”</p>	<p>“When through the deep waters I call thee to go, the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow. For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless, And to sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.”</p>	<p>“The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose, I will not, I will not desert to its foes. That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake, I’ll never, no never, no never forsake.”</p>
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WORDS *with* CHILDREN & THE LORD’S PRAYER - pg. 570 hymnal  
K-7th grades leave Ontario view street door for children’s workshop

todd, barb and doug

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, SILENT PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER

rev. jack hesiter

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalms 73: 21-26

marilyn schindler

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 26: 36-46

rev. jack heister

SERMON

“I Have No Idea Where I’m Going”

rev. jack heister

OFFERING

\*DOXOLOGY - hymn #556

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)**

O God of life, who guides and loves us even when we are blind to it, we offer our gifts, our lives and our thanks. Amen.

\*HYMN No. "How Great Thou Art" o store gud

O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder consider  
all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the stars, I  
hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed;

*Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!*

*Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!*

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation

And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!

Then I shall bow in humble adoration, and there proclaim, my God

How great Thou art! (*refrain*)

**BENEDICTION**

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE** **congregation and choir to sing in unison** 

Hymn No. 9 verse 1

O thou from whose unfathomed law the year in beauty flows,

Thy self the vision passing by in crystal and in rose,

Day unto day doth utter speech, and night tonight proclaim,

In ever changing words of light, the wonder of thy name.

**POSTLUDE** Now Thank We All Our God charles callahan

*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.*



*Today's flowers are given by Susan Connor in Memory of her friend, Kathy Lott*



DEACON SPONSORED

POT LUCK DINNER

Saturday, Dec. 8th

5:00 p.m.

Please bring a dish to pass to accommodate  
12 people and your own place setting

(dishes & silverware).

We will supply

napkins, coffee and water cups. Coffee, tea and milk  
will also be provided.



Please follow the guidelines below:

Your last name ends with      Please bring the following

A-K

Entrée for 12 people

L-R

Side dish: veggie, potatoes, salad etc.

S-Z

dessert

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS—Our Church**

- ✓ Several months ago Rev. Kaiser was asked to lead worship this Sunday at Bethany Presbyterian Church. **We welcome back Rev. Jack Heister** as our worship leader while Bob is away.
- ✓ **Rev. Kaiser** will be at the church on Tuesday this week. He always can be reached by phone, 293-3194, or email: RKaiser3@rochester.rr.com. Please do not hesitate to be in touch. Please sign the **friendship (attendance) pad** that is found in every pew. It's a great way to get better acquainted.
- ✓ **Worship Notes** : Copies are available on the bulletin board across from the hall coat rack. Next week's sermon is entitled "How Quickly We Forget" Please read Psalm 95, and Hebrews 3: 7-14.
- ✓ The church office will be closed: Wednesday Nov. 21st after 12:30 p.m. , Thanksgiving Day and Friday, Nov. 23rd.
- ✓ As a reminder, **Irondequoit Community Cupboard is a Mission project** at Summerville. Every Tuesday, we take whatever food has been donated and deliver it to ICC. In this time of thanksgiving, please remember to donate to our food basket in the main foyer.
- ✓ **FESTIVAL of the TREES** starts next Sunday. Please refer to the flyer enclosed for more information.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS—Our Community**

- ✓ Mark your calendars for a **Shop 'Til You Drop Fun D Raiser for RAIHN** on Monday, November 26th from 6:00-9:00 p.m. at Pittsford Plaza. Participating stores are listed on the RAIHN website and Facebook.
- ✓ **Hurricane Sandy** left a trail of destruction in the Caribbean and the northeastern United States. **Presbyterian Disaster Assistance** is committed to walk with their partners through the immediate-relief and long-term recovery phases of the response. One Great Hour of Sharing funds have been sent, and members of the National Response Team have already been deployed. If you would like to contribute to the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Relief Fund for Superstorm Sandy, please send your contribution marked DR000187 to: PCUSA, PO Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264, or you can give \$10 now by texting PDA to 20222.
- ✓ St. Joseph's Villa invites you to a **dessert and discussion "Caring for Kids in Crisis"** hosted by Irondequoit Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, November 20th from 7-8:00 p.m.

### **FROM YOUR MEDIA PUBLICITY and PLANNING COMMITTEE (MPP)**

The MPP Committee wants you to know that they are available to promote any activities or events happening at Summerville. They initiate press releases, place information on community bulletin boards and various websites within the community, as well as publish ads in local papers and magazines. They can also create flyers and/or posters for the event or activity. If they can be of help, please call any of the three individuals listed below.

Andy Smith—483-1467 or [apsmith@rochester.rr.com](mailto:apsmith@rochester.rr.com)

Dorothy Caine—544-9725 or [d2caine@frontier.com](mailto:d2caine@frontier.com)

Susan Connor—544-6058 or [poppyst2u@rochester.rr.com](mailto:poppyst2u@rochester.rr.com)

*MPP needs 4-6 weeks notice to get your even/activity publicized properly. They will also need a contact person (whomever is in charge of the event/activity) and a number where they can be reached, as well as all necessary information about what, where and when. Let us help promote Summerville as well as your event.*



# Children's Workshop Advent



<b>November 18</b>	Christmas Pageant Rehearsal (Children's Workshop youth only)	Room 15
<b>November 25</b>	Family Worship - No Children's Workshop	
<b>December 2</b>	Christmas Pageant Rehearsal (Children's Workshop youth only)	Room 15
<b>December 9</b>	<i>The Christmas Story</i> Christmas Pageant	Sanctuary
<b>December 16</b>	Whole Gathering: "Follow the Star" with Mrs. Gretchen Spencer	Room 12
<b>December 23</b>	Whole Gathering: "Follow the Star" with Mrs. Gretchen Spencer	Room 12
<b>December 30</b>	Family Worship - No Children's Workshop	

**Christmas Pageant Leaders:** Mrs. Linda Hayes & Mrs. Gretchen Spencer

**Shepherds:** All that are available ☺

**Early Childhood Teachers:** Mrs. Joan Frenzel

**Shepherd:** Cathy Reinhard

**Jr./Sr. High Class (grades 8-12) TODAY 11:15—noon in Rm. 2**

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

- Rake Leaves: Sunday, Nov. 18 after the Pew Pal Brunch
- Ronald McDonald House and Christmas Dinner at Carters' House: Sunday, Dec. 9 After the Christmas Pageant Brunch.

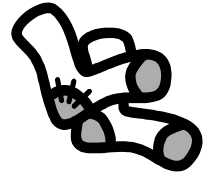


## Adult Education and Mission for November

The Mission Giving Focus Area for November is....

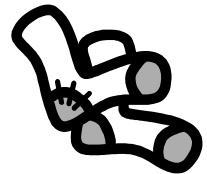
### .....**Socks for the Homeless.**

Seeking donations of **New** Socks, preferably white crew socks for men or women.



Why **New** Socks?

Access to shoes and socks is often limited for the homeless men and women living in shelters and on the streets. Common infections such as athlete's foot thrive when damp socks are worn for days or weeks at a time. Frostbite is common in colder months, sometimes resulting in toe amputations. The best way to prevent such conditions is to keep feet clean and dry – very difficult if you spend your days outside.



With this in mind SPC, would like to collect and donate 100 pairs of **NEW** socks during the month of November. Please help by placing your donation in the specially marked "SOX BOX" in the foyer.

# Mission Christmas Festival of Trees

The 5th annual Festival of Trees will be in Fellowship Hall starting November 25, a tree designated for individual contributions to Kirkhaven Transitional and Long Term Care, Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA), the Irondequoit Community Cupboard, Sunset House, Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network (RAIHN), and Cameron Community Ministries.

A “Wish List” is provided by each mission. Although specific missions will be a focus each week, contributions are welcome any Sunday: November 25, December 2, 9, 16, and 23 but noting individual deadline dates for Kirkhaven, CASA, and Cameron.

## Our focus Sundays are:

- ◆ November 25 – Kirkhaven
- ◆ December 2 – CASA
- ◆ December 9 – Cameron
- ◆ December 16 – Irondequoit Community Cupboard
- ◆ December 23 – RAIHN and Sunset House

The CASA tree has opportunities for specific gifts requested by children in the court system. WRAPPED GIFTS for CASA should be returned by December 9.

UNWRAPPED GIFTS for Kirkhaven should be returned by December 9 for our delivery December 10, gifts used for Santa to distribute to the 147 residents.

UNWRAPPED GIFTS for Cameron should be returned by December 16 for delivery December 17.

Thank you for your continued generosity in this season of giving. Please note all gifts, with the exception of those for CASA, will be delivered unwrapped.



## Mission Festival of Trees Wish Lists

### Kirkhaven Focus (NOVEMBER 25)

*(Unwrapped gifts returned to church by December 9 for delivery on Dec. 10th)*

- ◆ Costume jewelry and stuffed animals are especially popular
- ◆ Toiletries (perfume, after-shave, hand lotion, liquid body wash, bath powder, etc.)
- ◆ Candy (regular/sugar-free) and/or cookies in tins (homemade food items cannot be accepted)
- ◆ Large print puzzle/word search books; books with lots of pictures
- ◆ Playing cards
- ◆ Large 2013 wall calendars



CASA Focus (DECEMBER 2)

*(Wrapped gifts returned to church by December 9)*

Select an angel from the tree/  
purchase and wrap gift requested/attach  
identification tag



Sunset House Focus

(DECEMBER 23)

- ◆ Bird seed
- ◆ De-icer crystals
- ◆ Band-Aids
- ◆ Colorful washcloths
- ◆ Chap Stick
- ◆ Dishwasher soap
- ◆ Paper towels
- ◆ Chicken noodle soup



Cameron Ministries Focus

(DECEMBER 9)

(Unwrapped gifts returned by  
December 16 for delivery by  
December 17)

- Men's warm gloves
- Pillows
- Towel sets
- Bike locks with cable
- Sturdy duffel bags
- Full or queen size sheets
- Warm throw blankets



RAIHN Focus

(DECEMBER 23)

- Mops and brooms
- Packages of children's  
underwear/socks  
(ages 3-8 yrs. old)
- Laundry soap
- Facial tissues
- Garbage bags – all sizes
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Foil and plastic wraps
- Diapers – all sizes



Irondequoit Community

Cupboard (DECEMBER 16)

- ◆ Canned meals (stew, hash, pasta)
- ◆ Canned fruit (esp. peaches and low sugar fruits)
- ◆ Canned beans (esp. kidney beans)
- ◆ Canned soups
- ◆ Small jars of jelly
- ◆ White rice
- ◆ Coffee
  
- ◆ URGENT NEED: soap, shampoo, conditioner, tooth-paste

# November

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Next Sunday, Nov. 18th

9:55 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

12:00-4:00 p.m.

Worship

Pew Pal Brunch

Youth to rake leaves

Sanctuary

Fellowship Hall

offsite

Monday, Nov. 19th

6:00 p.m.

AA

Rooms 11/14

Tuesday, Nov. 20th

Wednesday, Nov. 21st

Office closed 1/2 day

No rehearsals tonight

Thursday, Nov. 22nd

Happy Thanksgiving

Friday, Nov. 23rd

Office Closed



Saturday, Nov. 24th

Next Sunday, November 25th

9:55 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

Worship

Family Worship

Coffee Fellowship

Sanctuary

Fellowship Hall