

READING

We believe that regular Bible reading is the most important step we can take to grow spiritually. If you need a tool to help you be consistent, check out the options at the Resource table in the foyer.

PRAYING

This information is intended to help you pray for specific needs in our congregation and the world. Updates to prayer requests for individuals will be added as information is provided.

If pain afflict or wrongs oppress,
If cares distract, or fears dismay;
If guilt deject, or sin distress,
In every case still watch and pray.
- from E. M. Bounds, *The Possibilities of Prayer*, chapter 8.

For Our Mission

Pray that:

- the church's prayers would be infused with biblical ambitions, honesty, and humility
- adult members would work to disciple teenagers and not just leave it to programming
- the church's primary teachers grow in dedication to God's Word even when no one's watching

For Our World

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO LEAD US:

- our mayor and city council
- our provincial and federal representatives
- our leaders in workplaces, schools and churches

PRAY FOR THOSE THAT SERVE US:

- our justice, police, and fire departments
- our health care workers
- our teachers at every level
- our employers and businesses

For Our Congregation

- For the following people who continue to struggle with a variety of health issues: Jim Warren; Marion Rowe's cousin, Cheryl; Lynda Weber (Dave Weber's wife)
- Pat Dermerjian has been in the hospital since Monday afternoon struggling with various health issues. Please pray for Pat and Christine and, especially, as Christine needs to make some important decisions about Pat's care.

WORSHIP GUIDE

Summerside Community Church

October 29, 2017

Speaker: Dr. Deven K MacDonald



HEARING:

When You're Waiting on God...

Exodus 3:15-22 (pg. 58)

1. When you're waiting on God and can't see what he's doing:

Trust in his _____ for the _____

(Exodus 3:15)

1 Peter 1:3: Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, 5 who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time.

2. When you're waiting on God and can't see what he's doing:

Trust he is in _____ can't see

(Exodus 3:16-17)

Romans 8:28: And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose

3. When you're waiting on God and can't see what he's doing: Trust his unrivaled power (Exodus 3:18-21)

GIVING

This monthly financial update is a reminder that giving is a significant part of our worship and as family we all have a responsibility to support our ministry as we serve together. Give generously; give in faith, give expecting God to use it to transform lives and glorify himself.

	SEPT	YTD
Needed for our Vision (budget)	\$42,541	\$127,625
Actual Receipts	<u>\$37,520</u>	<u>\$113,333</u>
Difference	\$ -5,021	\$ -14,292

Other Receipts in September - Caring Fund: \$1,872 Building Fund: \$970
New Church: \$6,466

DEEPENING

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APPLYING

It's one thing to hear God's Word, it's another to apply it! Answering the questions on your own before your group meets will help you be fully engaged in the discussion.

Community Group Questions

1. Have you ever been completely and truly lost? How did you process that? How did it make you feel?
2. What is God teaching you from the sermon series in Exodus? What is he teaching you in your own Bible reading?
3. What does it mean to trust in God's plans for the future? What promises of God give you comfort for the future?
4. Have you ever seen God use what seemed like a bad thing to work good? This is a hard truth to wrap our minds around. God is in control and works all things for good. Sometimes he chooses to reveal the good now and, in other instances, he asks us to wait until we're with him someday in eternity.
5. From what you know of the bible, how is God's unrivaled power displayed? What stories show us God's ability, sovereignty, and power?

CHURCH PLANT

Summerside is planting a church. We are passionate about seeing disciples made. Stay up-to-date with the church plants at www.chelseagreen.church or find them on Facebook.

REMEMBERING

Memorizing is one of the best ways of making truth stick. You can memorize something if you repeat it enough times. Try reading the verse 5 times a day until it sticks! Choose a part of it for your kids if needed.

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

Romans 8:28^{NIV}