# **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.

Learn to worship God as the God who does wonders, who wishes to prove in you that He can do something supernatural and divine.

- Andrew Murray

#### For Our Mission

Pray for each of our members as the writer of Hebrews prayed (13:20, 21): Now may the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever.

#### For Our World

Lift up the members of the Supreme Court of Canada as they consider issues of religious freedom and what that means in light of our current culture. Pray also for the provincial Courts of Appeal.

### **For Our Congregation**

- For the following people who continue to struggle with a variety of health issues:
- Lynda Weber (Dave Weber's wife) is back in the Critical Care Trauma Unit. She
  was doing better; however, her left lung has now filled up and she is on oxygen.
  The doctors still do not know the root cause;
- Dana Orchard is in Parkwood recovering from back surgery

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Summerside Community Church

November 26, 2017 Speaker: Dr. Deven K MacDonald



# **HEARING:**

# Creating a Culture Based on God's Deliverance

Exodus 6 (pg. 60)

- ☆ Israel's culture was built around God's deliverance in the Exodus:
- 1. Culture-building foundation: **God gives us** (6:6)
- 2. Culture-building foundation: God gives us \_\_\_\_\_(6:7)
- 3. Culture-building foundation: God gives us a \_\_\_\_\_ (6:8)
  - ☆ Our culture is built around Jesus' deliverance in the cross:
- 1. God gives us freedom True of the Exodus and True of Jesus
- 2. God gives us our identity True of the Exodus and True of Jesus
- 3. God gives us a future True of the Exodus and True of Jesus

Practically: How do we let the gospel shape our culture here at Summerside? Three steps:

- 1. Know It
- 2. Love It
- 3. Apply it

# **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.

	Oct	YTD
Needed for our Vision (budget)	\$42,542	\$170,167
Actual Receipts	\$40,555	\$153,964
Difference	\$ -1,987	\$ -16,203

Other Receipts in October- Caring Fund: \$2,440 Building Fund: \$1,440 New Church: \$3,878

# **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. What are you learning from the study of Exodus? What themes are sticking out to you? What is God teaching you?
- 2. Have you ever been in a toxic environment? Maybe it was a family dinner; a church; a work place? Why is the culture of a group so important?
- 3. What do you love about the culture of Summerside? How do you see the gospel being worked out in our midst?
- 4. Back to Exodus: Read 6:6-8 again. How do God's words here build a culture centered on deliverance? What, in these verses, would encourage, shape, and mold Israel going forward?
- 5. In which of the three steps (Know it; Love it; Apply it) of building a gospel culture do you think that you need to develop? How do you plan to grow in this?
- Spend time praying as a group that we would continue to see God's
   Spirit lead us to be a people who are shaped by our knowledge, love,
   and application of the gospel.

### CHURCH PLANT

Summerside is planting a church. We are passionate about seeing disciples made. Stay upto-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.

I will take you as my own people, and I will be your God. Then you will know that I am the Lord your God, who brought you out from under the yoke of the Egyptians.

Exodus 6:7<sup>(NIV)</sup>