
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.

Pray with Paul for power in Christ:

"... that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being." (Ephesians 3:16 ESV)

"... that you may know ... what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might."

(Ephesians 1:18-19)

"May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might ..." (Colossians 1:11a)

For Our Mission

- Pray that we grow together in deeper understanding of covenant and commitment to the Kingdom of God.
- May submission and humility be marks of the character of Christ being formed in us.

For Our World

- Scour sites like Joshua Project, tear into books like Operation World, and watch Prayercast videos.
- As David Bryant said, "God cannot lead you on the basis of facts you do not know."

For Our Congregation

- **Doug Gibbs** has been diagnosed with a cancer that has spread to several organs and cannot be successfully treated;
- **Dana Orchard** is on a waiting list for a kidney transplant;
- **Justin Thomas** continues to struggle with some ongoing health issues;
- **Vera Twist** died this week after a long battle with Alzheimer's. Pastor Mark will be conducting her funeral on Tuesday, Sept. 25th at Forest Lawn (Dundas St. E) at 11:00am.
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WORSHIP GUIDE

Summerside Community Church

September 23, 2018

Speaker: Dr. Deven K MacDonald



HEARING:

Living to Last Part 3

Don't Get Lost

Psalm 19:7-14 (pg. 545)

God's Word Will _____ **(Psalm 19:7-8)**

◆ It Doesn't Need Updates

◆ It Leads You on The Path of Life

God's Word is our Authoritative _____
(Psalm 19:9-13)

◆ God's Word is Firm

- ◆ God's Word is Good

Our Goal in Living to Last:

📖 Psalm 119:14:

May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.

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.

	July - Aug.	YTD
Needed for our Vision (budget)	\$92,369.00	\$92,369.00
Actual Receipts	<u>\$78,449.99</u>	<u>\$78,449.99</u>
Difference	\$-13,919.01	\$-13,919.01
Other Receipts in May	Caring Fund: \$1,050.00	Building Fund: \$770.00
	New Church: \$5,498.93	

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

1. Ice Breaker: What's the most lost that you've ever been?
2. Open Question: What did God teach you through his Word from Sunday's sermon?
3. Why do you think it's so hard for us to submit ourselves to God's Word?
4. Have you ever had a time in your life where God's Word was especially helpful in bringing renewal/comfort? If so, explain.
5. Have you ever had a tricky or confusing situation where God's Word helped you navigate? What biblical principles did you rely on?
6. What Bible reading habits do you currently follow? For those of you who – by God's grace – found some success in this, please share some of what you've learned and how you go about your personal bible reading time. Spend time as a group sharing and talking through this area.
7. What small changes could you make in your life to allow you to be more shaped by God through his Word – to make Bible reading more of a "staple" and less of an "add-on" in your life?

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.

The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul.
The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy,
making wise the simple.
Psalm 19:7 ^(NIV)