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## 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.

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## 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 righteousness and purity

And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God. (Philippians 1:9-11)

But we pray to God that you may not do wrong ... (2 Corinthians 13:7a)

### For Our Mission

- Joining a church helps us counter our wrong individualism and discover the corporate nature of Christianity. - Mark Deven
- Pray for growth in ministry resources and gifting to support our growth.

### For Our World

- Defining 'a movement' as 1000 baptisms or 100 new churches in a twenty-year period, researchers have counted at least 70 verifiable movements to Christ among Muslims in 29 nations by the first decade of the 21st century. Some of these movements embrace tens of thousands of people. Networks of people are turning to Christ, rather than single individuals. God is doing a new thing: nothing on this scale has happened since the first days of Islam.

### For Our Congregation

- **Dana Orchard** was discharged from Parkwood Hospital this past Wednesday;
- **Sherry Freeman** has been diagnosed with colon cancer; however, the doctor seems confident that they will be able to remove it all during surgery, which is scheduled for July 19;
- **Betty Cross** has been in Victoria Hospital for issues with her heart and blood sugar. She has also developed pneumonia. Pray for wisdom as the doctors seek out the best way to care for her, and that Betty would find comfort as she heals.

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# WORSHIP GUIDE

Summerside Community Church

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Speaker: Dr. Deven K. MacDonald

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## HEARING:

A Psalm for the Worried and Stressed

Psalm 2 - Part 1 (pg. 536)

📖 Psalm 2:1-6

<sup>1</sup> Why do the nations conspire<sup>Ⓜ</sup>

and the peoples plot in vain?

<sup>2</sup> The kings of the earth rise up

and the rulers band together

against the Lord and against his anointed, saying,

<sup>3</sup> "Let us break their chains

and throw off their shackles."

<sup>4</sup> The One enthroned in heaven

laughs;

the Lord scoffs at them.

<sup>5</sup> He rebukes them in his anger

and terrifies them in his

wrath, saying,

<sup>6</sup> "I have installed my king

on Zion, my holy mountain."

Notes and Reflection:

My Take Away:

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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 did God teach you from his Word on Sunday? How can you apply that to your life?
2. What in life tends to stress you out the most? What causes you the most anxiety or fear?
3. Discuss what it would look like for you to live daily with a deep belief that "God is on the throne – he's got this!"?
4. Take some time to read Psalm 2 again. Why do you think God "laughs" (2:6)?
5. Why is it so important to understand God in his complexity? (He is king, judge, and savior – not just any one of these).


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## DEEPENING

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## 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 have installed my king on Zion,  
my holy mountain."

Psalm 2:6<sup>(NIV)</sup>