

WELCOME!

We're glad you're joining us this morning! We hope you experience the welcome of the risen Christ as we gather together.

SUNDAY LITURGY

07.30.23

CALL TO WORSHIP

WORSHIP IN SONG

"Great Things"

GOSPEL WELCOME & GREETING

WORSHIP IN SONG

"Cornerstone"

"I Will Wait For You (Psalm 130)"

SERMON

"In The Darkest Hour"

Psalm 142

David Swindler

SONG OF RESPONSE

"Shine Into Our Night"

COMMUNION

BENEDICTION

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Giving

You are not your own. Through the gospel, we have been bought with a price. That means that all we are and all we have belongs to Jesus. Including our finances.

Our tendency is to consider first how our money serves *our* kingdom. But the Scriptures encourage us to think primarily about how it serves *God's* kingdom. Since local churches are meant to be embassies of God's kingdom in this world, giving in the context of the local church should be a priority for the Christian.

This kind of generosity not only reflects the values of God's kingdom, it also frees our hearts from the grip our treasure can hold over us.

Ultimately, our giving is always a responsive act. We give because God gave.

God has been unspeakably generous toward us. He has lavishly given us life and love, breath and beauty. But the supreme example of his generosity is in the giving of his own Son. The gospel makes us generous people. People who joyfully give of all they have for the glory of God and the good of others.

NEW HERE?

We're glad you came and would love the privilege of getting to know you. Stop by our Connect table on the way out for a free gift! If you'd like to get connected at Summit, simply fill out a Connect Card and pass it on to a member of our host team.

ABOUT US

Summit is a gospel-centered church with a vision to know and make known the real Jesus in our church, our city, and around the world. To do that we partner nationally with the Crossway Network (crosswaynetwork.org) and locally with other like-minded churches and ministries. Find more about our vision, values, and beliefs online at www.summit-christian.org

SERVE

The church is a family and as a family we share in the responsibility of serving together. If you are interested in serving, please fill out a Connect card and drop it in one of the steel "Give" boxes or fill out the serve form on our website!

CHURCH CLEANING

This week: Metcalf Community Group
Next week: Atkins Community Group

CALENDAR

- 08.05 | Bowen Family Party
- 08.06 | Missions Sunday
- 08.06 | Newcomers Coffee Connect
- 08.06 | Missionary Dessert Night
- 08.16 | Summit Summer Men's Night

NEWS & NOTES

Newcomers Coffee Connect | Next Sunday

If you are new to Summit over the last several months, join us for our Newcomers Coffee Connect between services next Sunday from 10:30-10:50a.

Our hope is to give those newer to the church a chance to meet the Summit Leadership, hear the story of our church, and learn what we are about. You can register via the church newsletter or by using the Church Center App! We look forward to seeing you there!

Missions Sunday | Next Sunday

Mission isn't just another program in the church, it's the reason the church exists. Because of this mission we also participate with people and organizations determined to declare and demonstrate the gospel in our local area and across the globe. Next Sunday you have the opportunity to hear from two of our supported missionaries! Mike Sandberg (API Kenya) will preach during Sunday service, and then we'll get to meet our newest missionary Dani and hear about her upcoming work in Uzbekistan!

Summit Summer Men's Nights | Aug 16

Men- Join us Aug 16 at 6:00p for another BYOM (Bring Your Own Meat) cookout! We'll have the grill hot and ready, and provide drinks and snacks! Come ready for an evening of fellowship and some friendly yard game competition! This is a great opportunity to meet other men here at Summit and jump into the community. You don't want to miss it!

Church Directory

If you don't have access to our church directory or are in need of updating your family photo and information, come meet us at the Connect Desk following service and we would love to help you!

Community Groups

Community groups are central to the rhythms of our life together at Summit. They are the primary way we live together as the church outside the walls of our building during the week. Many of our groups scatter for the summer, but groups will be gathering back in September, with some new groups starting. Consider getting connected to a group. Simply reach out to one of the leaders listed in the bulletin insert.

Financial Update

Thank you for your faithful giving! Here's a snapshot of how God is providing.

Average monthly giving needed (based on the 2023 budget): \$32,112.58

Average monthly giving in 2023: \$37,436.83 Giving last month (May): \$33,118.99

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