

Visitors.....if you are joining us today for the first time, and would like more information about Southminster, please fill out the **Connection Card** that can be found in the pew and place it in the offering plate.

Thanks to your generosity we were able to give our friend Grace 79 water bottles and 6 tubes of sunscreen for the kids and adults at Interfaith Sanctuary. Grace and The Warners thank you.

Please join us downstairs directly after worship **today** for a "mid-summer" coffee and fellowship hour. Enjoy the time to catch up on summer adventures and plans for fall, or just get in all the hugs you've missed this summer!

Congratulations to your 2017 college scholarship recipients: Alden Glass, Elliott Glass, Valentino Daltoso, Massimo Daltoso, Hillary Roethlisberger, Jonah Baker, and Thomas Metzger.

Rev. William B. Ailes, passed away peacefully at home July 31st. As I notified you in June, he has been home under hospice care for the last several weeks. The prayers and notes from our friends at Southminster have been greatly appreciated by my mother Virginia and our family. Please continue to keep us in prayer during this difficult time of transition.



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| Tuesday | Committees 7pm |
| Friday - Sunday | All Church Camp |
| Sabbath Saturday | August 12th ~ 5pm |

LITURGIST, GREETER, & USHERS

August 6th
 Preaching: Randy Marshall
 Liturgist:
 Greeter: Denise Smithers
 Ushers: Larry & Patsy Chase
 Joanne Wiggins
 Judy Farnsworth
 Servers Kathryn Nicholas
 Phil Woodford
 Liz Leonardson
 LeAnn Mohr

August 12th Saturday Sabbath
 Preaching:
 Liturgist: Kay Hamilton
 Greeter: Kem Clark-Tanner
 Ushers: Andy & Helen Winkle
 Martha & Gabriella Daltoso
 Servers: Kem Clark-Tanner
 Andy Winkle
 Rebekah Harvey
 Jim Smithers



Welcome to



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An open and affirming community, seeking a caring and just society.

The Gathering

Prelude

If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee

-J.G. Walther

Opening Prayer

Video Meditation

*Call To Worship

I will worship you, my God and King,
and bless your name forever and ever.

Every day I will bless you,
and praise your name forever and ever.

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
his greatness is unsearchable.

Let us worship God

*Hymn 307

God of Grace and God of Glory
Prayer cards collected during this hymn

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of all life, ever creating and recreating, come with the saving grace of Christ Jesus into the unruly kingdom of our lives. Deal radically with our tarnished souls, which were meant for brighter things. Reach into the bank of our memories, down into the spring of our feelings, deep into the tender places where faith and hope struggle towards more light, liberty, and joy. Forgive all that you find fallen, reclaim that which is rebellious, expel that which is alien, and strengthen that which is sane, loving, and beautiful. By your Spirit living within us, enable us to become in reality, as well as in hope and intention, the true sisters and brothers of the Son of God.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Congregation speaks together the **BOLD-FACED** words
*Please stand as you are able

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

Here is a saying that you can trust without any hesitation: "The Son did not come to condemn the world but that the world through him might be saved." My sisters and brothers, embrace that promise and you will be free indeed. The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven

Thanks be to God.

And now, let us share the grace we have received, passing the peace and greeting one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Feel free to move around the sanctuary greeting new friends and old

Announcements

The Word

Special Music

Cello Suite #1: Allemande
- J.S. Bach

Prayer for Illumination
Hymn 469

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying
Please remain seated

Scripture

Ephesians 6:10-20

Sermon

The Response and the Sending

Offering and Offertory

O Rest In the Lord
-Felix Mendelssohn

*Doxology Hymn 609

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Communion

*Hymn 838

Standing on the Promises

Postlude

All Glory Be to God on High
-J.G. Walther