

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.

Please stay for Food Trucks after worship tonight:

Scotty's Hot Dogs
Darjeeling Momo

VBS is this week from 6—8 pm, Monday—Thursday.
Make sure you have invited your family and friends and join us.
Ages 3 thru 6th grade

What a supportive church family we have at Southminster.
We are very grateful for all your prayers, letters, calls and meals. Thank you all for your loving ways.

The Pitmans: Eleanor, Harvey, Greg and Kemet



PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP TODAY

REV. MARCI GLASS ~ PREACHING
SEAN ROGERS ~ SABBATH MUSICIAN

LITURGIST ~ BILLIE SMITH

GREETER ~ CAROL TOWN

USHERS ~ CORA BEATTY, JUDY EVANS, DARLEEN GILBERT, MARVA WERTZ

SERVERS ~ KEM TANNER, ANDY WINKLE

Welcome to Southminster Presbyterian Church

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

THE HEAVENS DECLARE

AND WE DECLARE

THE GLORY OF GOD.

**OUR VOICES JOIN THE SPEECH OF CREATION TO TELL OF
OUR KNOWN AND UNKNOWN GOD.**

NOW MAY THESE WORDS OF OUR MOUTHS AND THESE
MEDITATIONS OF OUR HEARTS

**BE PLEASING IN GOD'S SIGHT AND LIFE-GIVING IN OUR
WORLD.**

*GATHERING SONGS

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**MY LIFE FLOWS ON
WHEN WE ARE LIVING
BEAUTIFUL THINGS**

CALL TO CONFESSION

TIME OF SILENT PRAYER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**HOLY GOD, GRACIOUS CREATOR, FORGIVE US FOR NOT SEEING THE
BEAUTY THAT SURROUNDS US. FORGIVE US WHEN WE LOOK AT
SCREENS RATHER THAN SUNSETS; FORGIVE US WHEN WE READ
ABOUT A CRISIS AND DO NOT RESPOND. FORGIVE US FOR THINKING
THAT WE ARE THE SOURCE OF POWER AND BEAUTY AND LIFE.
FORGIVE US WHEN WE DO NOT SEE YOUR HAND IN OUR WORK AND
LABOR, SEEKING ONLY LEISURE AND COMFORT. FORGIVE US FOR
FORGETTING THAT THE WORK OF CREATION WILL GET OUR HANDS
DIRTY IN YOUR NAME. TURN US AROUND, AND GIVE US NEW EYES
TO SEE; EYES TO SEE HOPE IN THE CLOUDS, EYES TO SEE LIFE IN
THE BLADE OF GRASS, TO SEE POWER IN THE WATER AND STONE,
TO SEE HOPE IN WORK, AND JOY IN THE OTHER. AMEN.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

**GOD'S GRACE IS ABUNDANT. GOD'S LOVE IS NEVER ENDING.
FRIENDS, THE GOSPEL AFFIRMS, IN JESUS CHRIST, WE ARE
FORGIVEN. KNOW THAT YOU ARE FORGIVEN, AND BE AT PEACE.
SINCE GOD HAS FORGIVEN US IN CHRIST, LET US FORGIVE ONE
ANOTHER AND SHARE THE GRACE WE HAVE RECEIVED.
THE PEACE OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST BE WITH YOU ALL.**

AND ALSO WITH YOU.

*HYMN #819

BE STILL, MY SOUL

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**GREAT GOD OF STEADFAST LOVE, WE STUDY YOUR WORDS
AND DELIGHT IN YOUR WAYS. AS YOUR STORIES ARE READ AND
PROCLAIMED, BRING US HEARTS THAT ARE OPEN TO HEAR YOUR
WORD ANEW IN OUR LIVES. AMEN.**

SCRIPTURE

2 CORINTHIANS 4:16 TO 5:10

SERMON

FAITH, NOT SIGHT

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

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GLORY TO GOD, WHOSE GOODNESS SHINES ON ME

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**OUR FATHER WHO ART IN HEAVEN, HALLOWED BE THY NAME.
THY KINGDOM COME, THY WILL BE DONE, ON EARTH AS IT IS IN
HEAVEN. GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD; AND FORGIVE US OUR
DEBTS AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS. AND LEAD US NOT INTO
TEMPTATION, BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL, FOR THINE IS THE KINGDOM
AND THE POWER AND THE GLORY FOREVER. AMEN.**

COMMUNION

*HYMN

GO IN PEACE

BENEDICTION