

Prayer List

- Bob and Virginia Feiler, who celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary.
- Cassie, as she runs off to New York City for a new adventure. (Carrie L.)
- Nancy and Loren who were married recently. Prayers for a long and healthy life together. (Sharon)
- Joy in seeing Cynthia R. attending the service last week.
- Carol M., for grace about her father. (Susan P.)
- Kenrick's buddy, Dan D., now engaged to Stephanie. (Cathy B.)
- A relative who is trying to locate some paperwork with personal information about a coworker. She is very upset about this, and I hope things work out for her. (Deloris M.)
- Love and healing for Isaac, son of Susan and Roger D., who is recovering from a ruptured appendix. (Deanna W. and Amy M.)
- David (son) who has had kidney stones this week. Very painful! (Dorothy P.)
- Sean R., who had a stroke recently. He works with Phyllis T. on the Ring Praise ministry.
- Dorothy F.: Prayers to continue to uphold her and her family. (Dorothy P.)
- Prayers for Brad F. (Sharon F. and Dorothy P.)
- Penina and her family, for the death of her brother's child, Benjamin, in Africa.

*Thank you for sharing in our worship service.
We hope that you felt the Spirit offering you comfort
and calling you to honor and serve the Lord.*



18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Be Thou My Vision

- arr. By Anna Laura Page

Susan Pohl, organ

May the gift of music prepare our hearts, minds, and souls to worship God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PRAISE MUSIC

Halle, Halle, Halleluja

The Summons

Let Us Be Bread

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Give judgment for us, O God, and defend our cause against an ungodly people.

People: **For you are the God in whom we take refuge, why have you cast us off?**

Leader: O send out your light and your truth, that they may lead us to your holy hill.

People: **Then we shall go to the altar of God, to the God of our joy and gladness.**

**Please stand as you are able.*

Worship Service ~ August 1, 2010 ~ 9:30 a.m.

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CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)

Faithful God,

We confess our faithlessness.

Our hearts are fickle, and our eyes wander,
And we trick ourselves into serving false gods.

We speak lies, and accept lies, and live lies, destroying ourselves
along the way.

Have mercy on us.

Forgive our waywardness and lead us back to you.

May your faithfulness embolden our trust in you, and may your
truth settle in our souls.

Amen.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON
AND PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare
to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: Thanks be to God.

Leader: 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.

People: And also with you.

*As we greet one another, feel free to move around the sanctuary welcoming
new friends and old. Children may come forward for the Time with the Children.*

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Darleen Gilbert and Cora Beatty

SPECIAL MUSIC

Cello Suite (1st mvt.)

- S. March

Stephen March

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Sung in Unison)

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus,
to reach out and touch him, and say that we love him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen.
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.

SCRIPTURE

Hosea 11:1-11

SERMON

Rev. Marci Auld Glass

***HYMN 339**

Be Thou My Vision

Ushers will collect prayer request slips during this hymn.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Soul Adorn Thyself With Gladness
Susan Pohl, organ

- J. Brahms

***DOXOLOGY (In Unison)**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

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.

***HYMN 374**

Lord, Make Us Servants of Your Peace

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Fughetta in A Flat Major

- G. Muffat

Quick Notes

- Mid-year **contribution statements** are available in the narthex.
- The **2010 Camp Retreat** takes place August 6th to 8th. If you aren't going to camp, we hope you will attend the worship service at Southminster.
- Men's Breakfasts** will resume on September 21 at 6:30 a.m. The topic of discussion will be the book, *A Generous Orthodoxy*, by Brian McLaren.
- The **Mission Committee** will meet at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 4.
- Committee Night** is scheduled for August 10 at 7:00 p.m.
- The **Praise Team** will rehearse on Thursday, August 12.
- The **September newsletter deadline** is Tuesday, August 17 at 5:00 p.m.

Session

Rev. Marci Auld Glass, Moderator
Priscilla Oja, Clerk
Scott Fledderjohann, Treasurer
Rev. Jim Moore, Pastor Emeritus

Class of 2011

Rich Anderson: Stewardship & Finance,
 Chair; Endowment, Chair

Evelyn Cates: Worship, Chair

Jason Nevill: Bldg. & Grounds, Chair;
 Christian Education

Martin Downey: Personnel, Chair;
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Cheryle Andrews: Mission

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 Finance

Deanna Watson: Parish Life & Outreach,
 Chair

Deacons

Joanne Wiggins, Moderator
Juno Van Ocker, Vice-Moderator
 and Secretary

Class of 2011

	<u>Group</u>
Carolyn Florence	# 4
Shirley O'Neal	# 7
Bobbie Tomlinson	#10
Joanne Wiggins	#12&14

Class of 2012

Loleeta Gwin	# 5
Junko Perryman	# 8
Rita Multerer	# 1
Juno Van Ocker	# 3
Rita Wood	#11

Class of 2013

Matthew Kelly	# 2
Jane Taylor	# 9
Judy Varvel	#13
Carolyn Warner	# 6

Southminster Happenings

Weekly Calendar

Today, Sunday, August 1

9:30 AM Worship/Communion

Liturgist: Steve Sanderson

Ushers: Robert Feiler

Virginia Feiler

Barbara Flinn

Matthew Kelly

Greeter: Junko Perryman

Servers: Carol Brunlinger

Rita Multerer

Jason Nevill

Judy Varvel

10:40 AM Celebration for

Chris Miller

11:00 AM Jazz—Auction Mtg.

Monday, August 2

7:00 PM OSL Prayer Group

Tuesday, August 3

6:00 PM Deacon's Potluck
 and Meeting

Wednesday, August 4

7:00 PM Mission Cmte. Mtg.

Friday, August 6

*All Church Camp Retreat
 through August 8*

Sunday, August 8

9:30 AM Worship

Liturgist: TBD

Ushers: Cora Beatty

Virginia Gabica

Darleen Gilbert

Marva Wertz

Greeter: Carolyn Florence

Celebration!

Join us in celebrating Chris Miller's completion of his GED. He's worked very hard, and we are so proud of him. Let's surround him with love from his church family!

Today after worship
in the Cana Room

Milk and More

So far this year we've raised over \$400 to help pay for milk, school uniforms, shoes, textbooks, and Creole Bibles. Additionally, SPC's Endowment Committee has committed \$550 to provide scholarships for 10 children to cover their tuition to a Haiti Education Foundation school.

We hope you will consider donating your spare change to help students in rural Haiti to continue learning and growing spiritually. Look for the milk carton in the narthex!

