

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.

What's Happening **This Week at Southminster:**

Tuesday

Church office hours will be 12 - 4pm

Pastors bible study 2pm
Deacons 7pm

Wednesday

PW Gathering 11:00 am
Bell/Choir Rehearsal 6 & 7pm

Friday

BSU Tailgate party @ SPC 6pm

Saturday

Boise Creators Co-Op 9-4
on the Church Grove



Coffee hour is starting back up on September 22nd. Sign up today to help out.

Sale Lovers and Collectors - huge indoor sale on Saturday, Sept.7th, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Bethany Presbyterian Church, 1712 W. Idaho Ave., Ontario, ID. All proceeds will go to support their PW projects.

Starting this Tuesday, September 3rd at 2 pm, up in the Genesis Room, a Bible Study with Pastor Marci on whatever text we'll be hearing in worship the next week. Bring your bibles, your questions from the sermon from the week before, and join the conversation.

SAGES are starting back up on September 12th with lunch at 11:30 . Program following with Larry Andrew bringing us up to date on the Capital Campaign and remodel of the Church. Let Glenn Romig or Roger Brown know if you're coming.

PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP

Sept 1st

Preaching: Marci Glass
Liturgist: Priscilla Oja
Greeter: Denise Smithers
Ushers: Ruth Alm
Marva Wertz
Jim & Susana Buffington
Servers: Denise Smithers
Wilma Luke
Jim Smithers
Kiran Spees

Sept 8th

Preaching: Marci Glass
Liturgist: Ian Bott
Greeter: Wilma Luke
Ushers: Bruce & LeAnn Mohr
Evan & Nina Chambers



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An open and affirming community, celebrating God's love for all by seeking a caring and just society: there is a place for you here.

The Gathering

Prelude

Andante

-J. Stanley

Opening Prayer

*Hymn 503

Lord, We Have Come at Your Own Invitation

Prayer requests will be received at this time

Call To Confession

Prayer of Confession

Holy One, hear the prayers of your prodigals. We confess we sometimes violate Sabbath like the younger brother, thinking that every day is about us, our pleasure, and our desires. Our selfishness has hurt people we love.

We confess we sometimes violate Sabbath like the older brother, thinking that no day is about us, our pleasure, and our desires. We have saved our better days for some day in the future and have hurt people we love by our selfishness.

Hear the cries of your prodigals as we seek a way home to you. Welcome us back. Throw us a party. Hear our prayers. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

This is the good news of the gospel,
and it is for you and for all.

Whatever you have done,

whatever you have failed to do,

whoever you are,

whoever you wish you were but are not:

You are accepted, you are welcomed.

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

And also with you.

As you greet one another, feel free to move around the sanctuary welcoming new friends and old

Announcements

**Please rise in body or spirit*

Congregation speaks together the **BOLD-FACED** words

Special Music

Softly and Tenderly

The Word

Prayer for Illumination

May your Word fall into our hearts this day, O God, as breath comes into dust, as water feeds rivers and fields, rich with healing, abundant, alive, and true. Amen

Scripture

Deuteronomy 15:1-2, 7-11

Luke 15:11-32

Sermon

The Response

Offering / Offertory

Sheep, May Safely Graze

-J.S. Bach

*Doxology 607

*Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Communion

*Hymn 506

Look Who Gathers At Christ's Table

Benediction

Postlude

I Want Jesus to Walk With Me

-arr. M. Mier

Participating in Worship

Marci Glass - Preaching

Susan Pohl ~ Organist

John Hamilton & Evelyn Cates ~ Special Music