

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:**

Today

Enneagram Class 5-7pm

Tuesday

Men's Breakfast 6:30am

Pastors bible study 2pm

Deacons 7pm

Wednesday

Bell/Choir Rehearsal 6 & 7pm

Friday & Saturday

Dinners for 8

The fall edition of Dinners for Eight – Friday Oct 4th and Saturday Oct 5th - is right around the corner: sign-ups are posted in the narthex and will be circulated during fellowship time after the service. Any questions please see, text or email Liz Leonardson: 907-957-0285, liz.leo55@gmail.com.

Do you have extra coffee cups you've been looking to find a home for? Presbyterian Women will take them off your hands for their upcoming Holiday Bazaar. Look for the donation box in the Narthex.

CROP Hunger Walk Sunday, October 13th @ 3:00 pm

We walk because they walk to get food and to get water. We walk to feel what they feel. Contact Genny Crume or Liz Leonardson to register for the walk or donate.

PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP

Sept 29th

Preaching: Christopher Dahlke

Liturgist: Evelyn Cates

Greeter: Genny Crume

Ushers: Larry & Patsy Chase

Paul & Sue Whitted

October 6th

Preaching: Marci Glass

Liturgist: Bruce Mohr

Greeter: Denise Smithers

Ushers: Andy & Helen Winkle

Martha Daltoso

Gabriella Daltoso

Servers: Genny Crume

Phil Woodford

Chris Dahlke

Jim Smithers



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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

Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty
-H. Fleischer

Introit

*Call to Worship

In worship, we are invited into the presence of the Holy One. Be welcome in this place of encounter.

As we, God's people, gather, we remember that all the ground is holy ground, and all the time is holy time, because God has made it so.

*Hymn 69

I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

Call To Confession

Prayer of Confession

Great I-Am, You call us to attend to the cries of injustice, and yet we tend our own flocks instead. You ask us to turn aside from our own priorities, and instead we stammer excuses. Forgive us for our weak response to your urgency. Let your longing for justice burn in us as well. Deliver us, this day. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

Hear a piece of the good news: there is always opportunity to walk the ways of justice. Christ says to us: You are forgiven. You are called. You are worthy of this mission. Amen. Rejoice, and share your joy with each other.

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

Anthem

I'm Just a Poor Wayfaring Stranger
Linda Spevacek

The Word

Prayer for Illumination

Holy One, as the rain and snow come from heaven, and do not return there until they have watered the earth, so may your Word be as it falls on us and takes root in our souls. May it give seeds of justice and mercy that we may sow in a hungry and hurting world. May it not return to you empty. Your people are listening. Speak to us this day.
Amen

Scripture

Exodus 1:8-14, 3:1-15

*Hymn 410

God is Calling through the Whisper
Prayer cards collected during this hymn

Sermon

The Response

Offering / Offertory

My Inmost Heart Now Raises
-J.S. Bach,

*Doxology 607

*Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

*Hymn 596

Sung twice

You Are Holy, You Are Whole

Benediction

Postlude

All Hail the Power of Jesus Name
-arr. A.L. Page

Participating in Worship

Christopher Dahlke - Preaching

Susan Pohl ~ Organist

Claudia Sutherland ~ Choir Director