

***Service for the Lord's Day***  
**Twenty-fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**September 12, 2010 - 10:00 AM**  
**Gathering around the Word**

**Prelude**

**Call to Worship (CTW)**

Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.  
**O Lord, open our lips, and our mouths shall declare your praise.**  
Bless the Lord.  
**Let us worship God!**

† **Gathering Hymn #451** "A Christian Home"

**Call to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession (CTW)**

**Searching God,**  
**You come for us like a shepherd searching for lost sheep.**  
**We hide and we run, sometimes knowing we have strayed, other times**  
**completely unaware that we are on the wrong path. Regardless, you come**  
**after us. With love and compassion and mercy you come**  
**after us. So we make our confession with hope that you might find us**  
**again, and wipe away our sin, and return us to your fold.**  
(Silent Prayer)

We pray in the name of the Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

**Assurance of Pardon**

† **Gloria Patri (Hymn #812)**

**Summary of the Law (Matthew 22:37-40)**

Our Lord Jesus said:  
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul,  
and with all your mind. This is the greatest and first commandment. And a  
second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two  
commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

**The Peace**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.  
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

**Proclaiming the Word**

**The Prayer for Illumination**

**The Word Read**

**Old Testament:** Exodus 20:13(Page 57)  
**Epistle:** Ephesians 4:31-5:2 (Page 892)  
**Gospel:** Matthew 5:21-24 (Page 740)

The Word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God**

**A Special Time for Children**

**Anthem** Praise Good for Every Gift

**The Word Proclaimed** "Protect Life!"

**\*The Invitation**

**Responding to the Word**

† **Sermon Hymn #2048** "God Weeps"

† **Apostles' Creed**

**I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven**  
**and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was**  
**conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered**  
**under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended**  
**into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into**  
**heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;**  
**from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the**  
**communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the**  
**body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

† **Prayer Song: #2108** "O How He Loves You and Me"

## Prayers of the People and 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.**

### Our Offering to God

† Offertory

† Doxology (Hymn #815)

† Prayer of Dedication of Offerings

### Bearing and Following the Word into the World

† Sending Hymn #456

“Find Us Faithful” x2

† Charge

† Benediction

Postlude

† All who are able please stand.

(\* **An Invitation to Discipleship** Our mission at Southminster is to be a living witness for Jesus Christ, making disciples both near and far. In fulfillment of that mission, we invite everyone who worships with us to respond with faith, trusting Jesus Christ to be Lord and Savior in every part of life. Sometimes this invitation to discipleship is extended by the pastor at the close of the sermon, or in a special appeal afterwards. If you desire to speak to someone about responding to this invitation, or about joining the Southminster family as we follow Christ together, please contact the pastor or one of our elders. We will be glad to pray with you about any concerns you might have and to welcome you warmly as a member of this congregation.

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Pastor, Rev. Dr. Gregory L. Glover

Lay Pastor/Business Administrator, Mr. Ronald L. Rockey

Youth Director, Mr. Sean Kelley

Director of Children's Ministries, Ms. Janet Ingle

Choir Director, Mrs. Beth Glover

Instrumentalist, Kristina Wilcher

## Participating in Worship

Liturgist Grace Glover  
Acolytes Annie Gowan / Casey Davis  
Greeters

**Our assisting elder for September, 2010 is John Koeller**

**Our deacon servers for September, 2010, Sarah Pitts, Elaine Hulsman  
Janet Coons, (Usher in Training Chad Coons)**

## Nursery Helpers for this Sunday:

SS Crib Rm. Chris Myers / Cindy Ulrich  
Crib Room Stephanie Kennedy / Valerie Rockey  
Toddler/Preschool Roger Walter / John Rockey

## Participants for Sunday, September 19, 2010

Liturgist Roger Walter  
Acolytes Lauren Straber / Zachary Pitts  
Greeters

## Nursery Helpers for Sunday September 19, 2010:

SS Crib Rm. Janice Rockey / Beth Glover  
Crib Room Michelle Straber / Lauren Straber  
Toddler/Preschool Brent Walter / Kathy Walter

## Current Church Officers: Session

<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>
Bill Clark	John Koeller	Glenn Brower
Mike Coons	Michelle Straber	Karen Mitseff-Medlen
Larry Hanni		Don Rockey

## Board of Deacons

<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>
Richard Calvert	Sharon Davis	Janet Coons
Sarah Pitts	Dave Green	Elaine Hulsman
John Rockey	Brent Walter	Christina Myers

Attendance:	<u>09/05/2010</u>	<u>50</u>
Offering:	<u>09/05/2010</u>	<u>\$ 3,499.00</u>
Capital Campaign	<u>09/06/2010</u>	<u>\$ 1,300.00</u>

## Welcome to Southminster Presbyterian Church

### Visitors are invited to:

1. Join with us in a time of fellowship, coffee, juice or milk and cookies immediately after the service in the Gathering place.
2. Additional information is available on the website.  
@www.southminster-pcusa.org
3. If you are interested in becoming a member please talk with the pastor or one of the elders.

**Large print bulletins and children's bulletins** are available on the table in the narthex or from any deacon.

### **We value your attendance, praises, prayer concerns and suggestions.**

**Prayer Cards** are available in the pews. Please take a moment prior to the start of service to fill out the prayer card with prayer requests you wish to bring to the attention of the pastor, elders, deacons and congregation. Please print or write legibly **and pass the cards to the side aisle prior to the first hymn** at which time the deacons will collect the cards and deliver all cards with prayer requests to the pastor. All cards collected from the worship service will be taken to the pastor's office for recording prayer requests.

**Assistive Listening System** devices are now available for the hearing impaired. Please see Conrad Rockey or Mike Coons before worship service.

**Sunday Service Recordings Now Available on CD.** If you would like to borrow a CD for yourself or a shut-in, they are located in the library. Please record your name on the check-out list). Please contact Conrad Rockey for a copy of a particular service you wish to keep.

***Remember in Prayer...*** **Please** inform the church of deletions or updates.

**Remember shut-ins with cards, phone calls and visits (phone first) (Shut-ins):** Bea Snyder, Nancy Rabourn.

### **Other prayer concerns:**

**August 22**, Mark Dickinson (Beth Glover) **August 15**, Florence Gioe for a speedy recovery: **August 8, 2010** Family of Beulah Rabourn who passed away; **August 4, 2010** Jeff Pratt (Sherry Amlung's brother) had his right leg removed;

### Lies Young Women Believe

New Bible Study for young women ages 11 – 17

Mondays – beginning September 27th @ 6:30 pm

Contact: Terry Rockey 627-5576  
Or Claire Coons 796-9754

**Men's Golf Retreat September 24-25. See John Rockey for details.**

### **Loving Hearts Learning Place**

Loving Hearts Learning Place is 1 year old. On Sunday, September 19 we will be celebrating Loving Hearts Sunday in the Worship service. The children who attend Chapel each week will be singing special songs they have learned. We are inviting each church family to bring in a box of crackers or cereal that Sunday to help stock the Loving Hearts snack cupboard. Be sure to come and celebrate with our Loving Hearts' families.

### **BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

September 24, a birthday celebration dinner for all September birthdays. We will also play dominoes.

WHERE: Hazel Butler,  
5410 Shelbyville Rd.

TIME: 5:30pm.

RSVP Hazel Butler  
317-784-0133

Anyone who did not receive a birthday card and your birthday is in September please let Hazel know. Thank you

### **OUR WORK AND WORSHIP**

**September 12, 2010 – September 19, 2010**

Today 09/12	9:00am	Sunday school continental breakfast
	10:00 am.	Worship Service
	11:00 am.	Fellowship
	4:00 – 5:30pm	Sr. & Jr. High Jointly
Sunday 09/19	9:00 am.	Sunday school for all ages
	10:00 am.	Worship Service
	11:00 am.	Fellowship
	4:00 – 5:30pm	Sr. & Jr. High Jointly

### *Prepare for Worship*

September 19<sup>th</sup>

25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Ten Commandments: Protect Life!  
Exodus 20:13, Deuteronomy 5:17,  
Ephesians 4:31, 5:2, Matthew 5:21-24

September 26<sup>th</sup>

26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Ten Commandments: Thou Shalt Not Commit  
Adultery!  
Exodus 20:14, Deuteronomy 5:18,  
Ephesians 4:31, 5:2, Matthew 5:21-24  
1 Corinthians 7:10-16, Matthew 5:27-30  
John 8:1-11

October 3<sup>rd</sup>

27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Ten Commandments: Thou Shalt Not Steal!  
Exodus 20:15, Deuteronomy 5:19,  
Psalm 50:16-20, Luke 4: 18, 6: 20-26, 18: 18-30

October 10<sup>th</sup>

28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Ten Commandments: Tell The Truth!  
Exodus 20-16, Deuteronomy 5:20,  
Psalm 50:16-20, Ephesians 4: 25, 5:2,  
James 5:4-6, Acts 6: 8-15