

**SOUTHMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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**"...she...put in
everything -
all she had..."**

Mark 12:44



*Southminster Presbyterian Church of
Springfield, MO, is called by God to
proclaim the good news of Jesus
Christ, to minister in love to the needs
of members of the congregation and
residents of the community, and to
promote peace and justice in the world.*

*"Someone will say, 'You have faith
and I have works.' Show me your
faith apart from your works, and I by
my works will show you my faith."*

James 2:18

Ministers: All Members of the Congregation

Pastor: Rev. Bill R. Havens

Associates in Education:

Andrew and Gaye Sands

Director of Music: Dr. Rose Mary Owens

Pianist: Lou Howard

Organist: Dr. Lynda Crowder

Administrative Assistant: Brenda Jo Hilburn

Nursery Attendant: Paige Deragowski

SOUTHMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

22nd Sunday after Pentecost

November 1, 2009

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

*Indicates Congregation Standing

Assistant Worship Leader today is Jane Bogue

Southminster...

A community of faith; living and sharing God's love.

PRELUDE

Michael Smith, Arr. Pethel

"How Majestic is your Name, with Holy, Holy, Holy"

*You are invited to let the music and quiet meditation
prepare you for a worshipful encounter with God.*

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the names of each family member present today on the Ritual of Friendship located in the pews on the center aisle. Please share any concerns you have by completing a concern card, located in the pew racks, and passing it to the center aisle. Ushers will pick them up during the Children's Sermon so that Pastor may alert the congregation of those in need of our prayers.

The community gathers before God in Worship

INTROIT

Traditional Latin American Tune

"We Sing Of Your Glory"

Lighting of the Candles by Acolyte Dylan Crowder

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: What happens when we love God with all our hearts?

People: Our hearts beat with God's compassion.

Leader: What happens when we love God with all our minds?

People: Our minds are open to God's instruction.

Leader: What happens when we love God with all our strength?

People: Our strength is renewed by God's power.

Leader: What happens when we love God in all we do, when we love our neighbors as ourselves?

People: Our praise will be genuine, our worship sincere.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE

No. 16

"We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Generous God, we have a habit of saying "ours" when we should say yours." We have a habit of saying "mine" when we should say "thine." We do not put first things first when it comes to using the time you give us. The days slip quickly by and the things we should have done we have left undone.

With our wealth we do not put first things first, but trivialize our possessions without conscientious thought. We pray for you to guide us in examining our motives, our patterns of getting and giving, of saving and spending, until we can say, not only with our minds, but with all we have, "Thy will be done." Amen.

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

RESPONSE

J. Berthier

“O Lord Hear My Prayer”

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PSALM LESSON

Pg. 683-684 (934 LP)

Psalm 127

Read Responsively

ANTHEM

Michael Joncas, Arr. Wagner

“On Eagle’s Wings”

Southminster Choir

(The Choir requests no applause.)

The community hears God’s Word

TIME WITH CHILDREN

(Afterward, children through age 4 may be dismissed to the nursery; Older Children may be dismissed to children’s church with Andrew or Gaye Sands)

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Old Testament Malachi 3:6-12

New Testament Mark 12:28-34, 41-44

SERMON

Pastor Bill Havens

“How Much is ‘All’?”

The community responds to God’s Word

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

No. 379

“Take My Life and Let It Be”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (In Unison) The 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.

***GLORIA PATRI**

No. 623

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

(With silent prayer)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CALL FOR OFFERING

MINUTE FOR MISSION: STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY

William Bradbury, Arr. Wood
"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

***DOXOLOGY**

No. 625

"Praise God"

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION (In Unison)**

Gracious God, we thank you for abundant blessings you have bestowed upon us. Enable us to be faithful stewards, using your gifts to share joy, peace, and love with our neighbors, so

that they may know your love is over all you have made. May all creation celebrate your glory in Christ. Amen.

*RESPONSE

J. Berthier

“Alleluia”

The community departs to serve in the Peace of God

*CLOSING HYMN

No. 61

“Lavish Love, Abundant Beauty”

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE

Don Besig

“Go Now In Peace”

Go now in Peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day
Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true
Know He will guide you in all you do
Go now in love and show you believe
Reach out to others so all the world can see
God will be there, watching from above
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

POSTLUDE

William Tomer, Arr. Wood

“God Be With You Till We Meet Again”

Please call the church office no later than Thursday with your joys or concerns if you want them in the bulletin. During worship, you may write them on a prayer card or give them verbally when Pastor asks.

Presbytery Prayer

Support of the Week

St. Andrew Presbyterian Church,
Kimberling City, Missouri
has approximately 107 members.
They are being served by
The Reverend Kimberly Cunningham.

JOYS

Birthdays: November 2: Karen Burghout, Rex Potts; 4: Jessica Stone, Harlan Diehl;
5: Jim Moore; 8: Marlena Lyons.

Anniversaries: November 2: Gene & Martha Charles.

Births: Welcome to Malakai Duke born to Monica Witham last week.

CONCERNS

Ione Dougherty at St. John's; Rich Montgomery had surgery at Cox South.

ONGOING CONCERNS

Members

Helen Calhoun
@ **Elfindale Manor**

Ann Pearson
@ **Greene Haven**

June Speight
@ **Magnolia Square**

Carolyn Deeds
@ **Montclair**

Pat Porter
@ **O'Fallon, MO**

Alma Baird
Vera Goodall
@ **Waterford**

Ted von Willer
@ **Quail Creek**

Betty Reid
@ **James River Care Center**

Isabel Lairmore
@ **The Gardens**

Mary Shelton
@ **Chicago**

Mescal Kennedy
@ **Maranatha Manor**

Ruth Peterson
@ **Culpepper West**

Lea Barcomb
Dorothy Johnson
Betty Mulford
Sharol Neely
Joann Ryan
Martie Tyree
@ **Home**

Friends & Family

Jan Bennett
daughter of Jean Stokke

Bryan Billenstein
son of Jeanne

Tami Montgomery
daughter of Rich & Toni

Doug Palmer
son of Steve and Patsy

Jack Shuler
grandson of Gondy

Paul Fulkerson
son of Martie Tyree



Mini Scroll



We warmly welcome visitors and invite you to consider membership in our community of faith, if you do not have a church home. For more information

Events this week – November 1 through November 8

TODAY

8:10 AM Coffee and Fellowship

8:30 AM First Service (Contemporary)

8:30 AM Lamp Lighter Church

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:45 AM Second Service (Traditional)

Blood Pressure Checks following second service.

Reservations are being taken in the Narthex for the November 15th Thanksgiving meal.

1:30 PM Ukrainian Church

6:00 PM Session

Monday

7:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous

Tuesday

9:30 AM PW Board Meeting

6:00 PM Overeaters Anonymous

6:30 PM Sweet Adeline's

7:00 PM Ukrainian Church

7:30 PM 12 Step Group (Closed)

Wednesday

8:30 AM TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Meeting

10:30 AM Congregational Care Committee Meeting

5:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous

5:45 PM Wonderful Wednesdays—Programs for Children & Youth, Evening Prayer, Pastors Bible Study

6:30 PM Potluck Dinner

7:15 PM Choir Practice

7:30 PM Praise Team Practice

Thursday

6:00 PM UMHE Meeting/Dinner

7:00 PM Ukrainian Church

Friday

7:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous

Saturday

8:30 AM 12 Step Group (Closed)

12:00 NOON Overeaters Anonymous

4:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Pie Auction

Next Sunday

8:10 AM Coffee and Fellowship

8:30 AM First Service (Contemporary)

8:30 AM Lamp Lighter Church

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:45 AM Second Service (Traditional)

Coffee Sales following second service.

Don't forget to make your reservations in the Narthex today for Next Sunday's Thanksgiving meal.

1:30 PM Ukrainian Church

7:00 PM Southminster Choir singing at Mansion Theatre in Branson

