

*Welcome to Southminster
Christ's love is here for YOU!*

WELCOME, Friends in Christ. We are glad you chose to worship with us today, and it is our hope that you will be blessed by our time of praise and worship. We hope that you feel welcome and that you will join us again. Everyone is asked to sign the Friendship Pad and visitors are asked to include their name and address so that we may acknowledge your visit with us.

Prayer Requests:

Sick and Shut-in—Jeff Curlee (the Curlee's son) surgery February 1, Judy Curlee, Golda Fuller in Rehab, Bill Hammond, Larry Jamison (Kate Tutwiler's brother), Jamee Johnson, Stella Moore (Ken's mother), Ify Nonyelu (family of "BQ" Oranika), Doug Parks diagnosed stage 3 brain tumors (friend of Mike Kern's), Kay Schuler, Janet Wright @ PV

Military Service—PFC. Jorgen "JJ" Larsen-Marine serving in Afghanistan, SPC Mikayla Larsen-Army Reserve, SPC Chris LaVine-Army serving state side

Julius Nyaga Church—Our sister church in Magumoni Parish in Kenya

Cherokee Presbytery Church of the week: Calvary Presbyterian Church, organized in 1959, is in SW Cobb County at 76 Windy Hill Road in Marietta. The Reverend Peter M. (Pete) Paulsen is Temporary Pastor. David Boozer is the Clerk of Session. Active membership is 58.

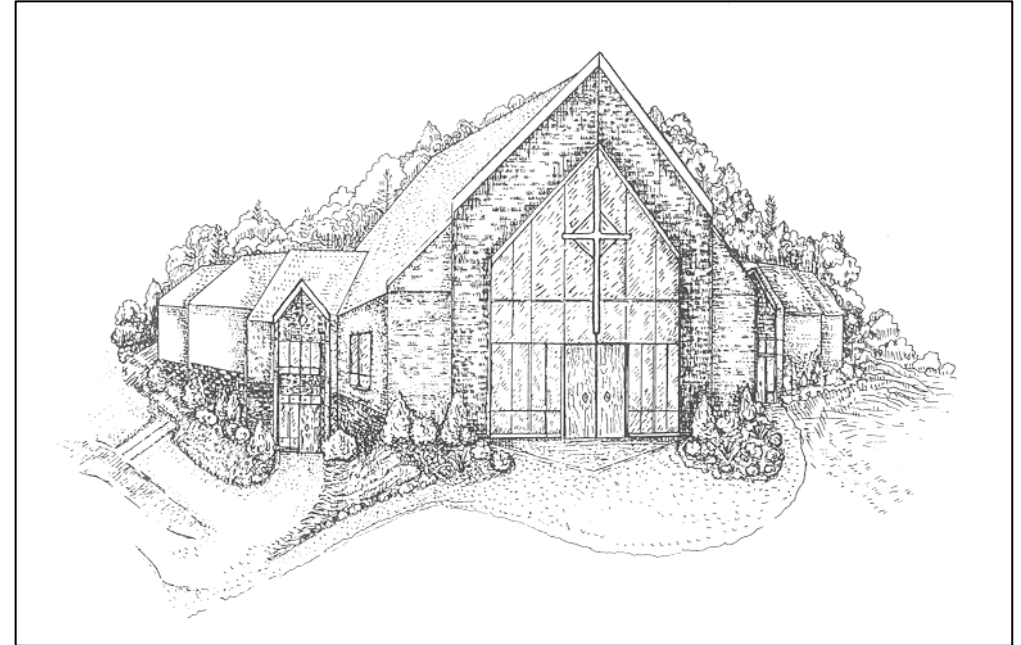
This Week's Calendar:

Today	February 5	9:30 a.m.	Adult Sunday school in Library
		10:30 a.m.	Choir warm-up
		11:00 a.m.	Worship/Communion & PATH offering
Thursday	February 9	7:00 p.m.	Choir rehearsal –new members welcome
Sunday	February 12	10:30 a.m.	Choir warm-up
		11:00 a.m.	Worship
Monday	February 13	7:30 p.m.	PW Evening Circle at church
Tuesday	February 14	10:00 a.m.	PW Day Circle at PV

Assisting in worship today:

Pamela Hudson—Church Musician	Carmen Freemire—Pulpit Assistant
Dave Markle—Song Leader	Jackie McCown—Children's Time
Linwood and Connie Swain—Greeters	Neal and Betty Cheek—Offering Counters

Southminster Presbyterian Church



Welcome! There's a place for YOU at Southminster!

Proclaim—Build—Create—Serve

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February 5, 2012, 11:00 am – The Sacrament of Holy Communion
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Gathering

OPENING VOLUNTARY

(Please use the time before the service begins to review the announcements in the bulletin and to quietly prepare your heart for the worship of God.)

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

GREETINGS, WELCOME, AND RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP *Isaiah 40*

One: Come, all who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, for the Lord will give you rest.

All: The Lord is our refuge and strength, a very present help in times of trouble.

One: Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength,

All: They shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

One: God consoles us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to console those who are in any affliction.

All: For just as the sufferings of Christ are abundant for us, so also our healing is abundant through Christ.

*HYMN 466 *“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”*

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Merciful God, we come to you not because we have it all together, but because we are not perfect. We want to be more like your Son, who lived his whole life in love. Our love is most often reserved for those who are close to us and those who love us in return. Our forgiveness is most often conditional. Fairness is more important to us than grace. We cannot live up to the way Jesus leads us. Forgive us, and make us more like Christ in all we say and do. Hear us now, O Lord, as we continue to pray silently...*(Please use these moments of silence to offer your personal prayer of confession.)* Amen.

*WORDS OF ASSURANCE

One: The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

All: He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin, and alive to all that is good.

One: Believe that good news and go forth to live in peace.

*GLORIA PATRI (unison)

Hymn 579

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

(Please exchange greetings of peace with those near you.)

THE LAW

Amos 5:21-24

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The Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

CHILDREN’S TIME

DISMISSAL SONG

“Jesus Loves the Little Children”

EPISTLE READING

I Corinthians 9:16-23

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CHOIR

“Footsteps of Jesus”

GOSPEL READING

Mark 1:29-39

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One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

“Evangelism?!”

Rev. Paulsen

Response to the Word

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles’ Creed (Traditional)

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*HYMN (Insert)

“I Surrender All”

THE EUCHARIST

(Worshippers are invited to partake of the bread individually as it is served. Please wait to partake of the cup until the minister does so, at which time everyone will partake of the cup at one time.)

Offering of ourselves and our Gifts

Offertory

***Doxology – Hymn 592**

*Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

Great Thanksgiving

Lord’s Prayer

Page 16 in front of Hymnal

Breaking of the Bread

Communion of the People

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending

*HYMN (Insert)

“They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love”

PATH OFFERING

(Please bring your PATH offerings forward and place them in the silver offering basket during the singing of this hymn.)

*BENEDICTION

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE HYMN 466, “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”** (verses 1 and 4)

POSTLUDE

*All who are able please stand

Nursery provided for infants & children to 3 years – First floor

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I Surrender All

JUDSON W. VAN DE VENTER, 1855-1939

WINFIELD S. WEEDEN, 1847-1908

1. { All to Je - sus I sur - ren - der, All to Him I free - ly give;
I will ev - er love and trust Him, In His pres - ence dai - ly live.

2. { All to Je - sus I sur - ren - der, Hum - bly at His feet I bow;
World - ly pleas - ures all for - sak - en, Take me, Je - sus, take me now.

3. { All to Je - sus I sur - ren - der, Make me, Sav - ior, whol - ly Thine;
Let me feel the Ho - ly Spir - it - Tru - ly know that Thou art mine.

4. { All to Je - sus I sur - ren - der, Lord, I give my - self to Thee;
Fill me with Thy love and pow - er, Let Thy bless - ings fall on me.

CHORUS

I sur - ren - der all, I sur - ren - der all, I sur - ren - der all,
I sur - ren - der all, I sur - ren - der all, I sur - ren - der all,

All to Thee, my bless - ed Sav - ior, I sur - ren - der all.

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by Our Love

1. We are one in the Spir - it, we are one in the Lord,
2. We will walk with each oth - er, we will walk hand in hand,
3. We will work with each oth - er, we will work side by side,
4. All praise to the Fa - ther, from whom all things come,

we are one in the Spir - it, we are one in the Lord,
we will walk with each oth - er, we will walk hand in hand,
we will work with each oth - er, we will work side by side,
and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,

and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored:
and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land:
and we'll guard hu - man dig - ni - ty and save hu - man pride:
and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:

Refrain

And they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love, by our

love; yes, they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love. —

WORDS: Peter Scholtes (John 13:34-35; Eph. 4:4-6)
MUSIC: Peter Scholtes

ST. BRENDAN'S
76.76.86 with Refrain

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