



## DATES TO REMEMBER

- Sunday, October 12 at 2 pm, Water to Wine at the Boundary Club Matt & Val Schulze hosting
- Sunday, October 12, at 3 pm WIN Prayer Service & Potluck at the Cedar Hills United Church of Christ
- Friday, October 17, at 2 pm, Mariners Gathering at Willamette View
- Sunday, October 26, 11am-12:30 pm at SPC, Family Life Halloween Event
- Saturday, November 1, at 7:30 pm, PFS Presents The Horseheads in the SPC Sanctuary

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# SOUTHMINSTER

## Presbyterian Church

Sunday, October 5, 2025

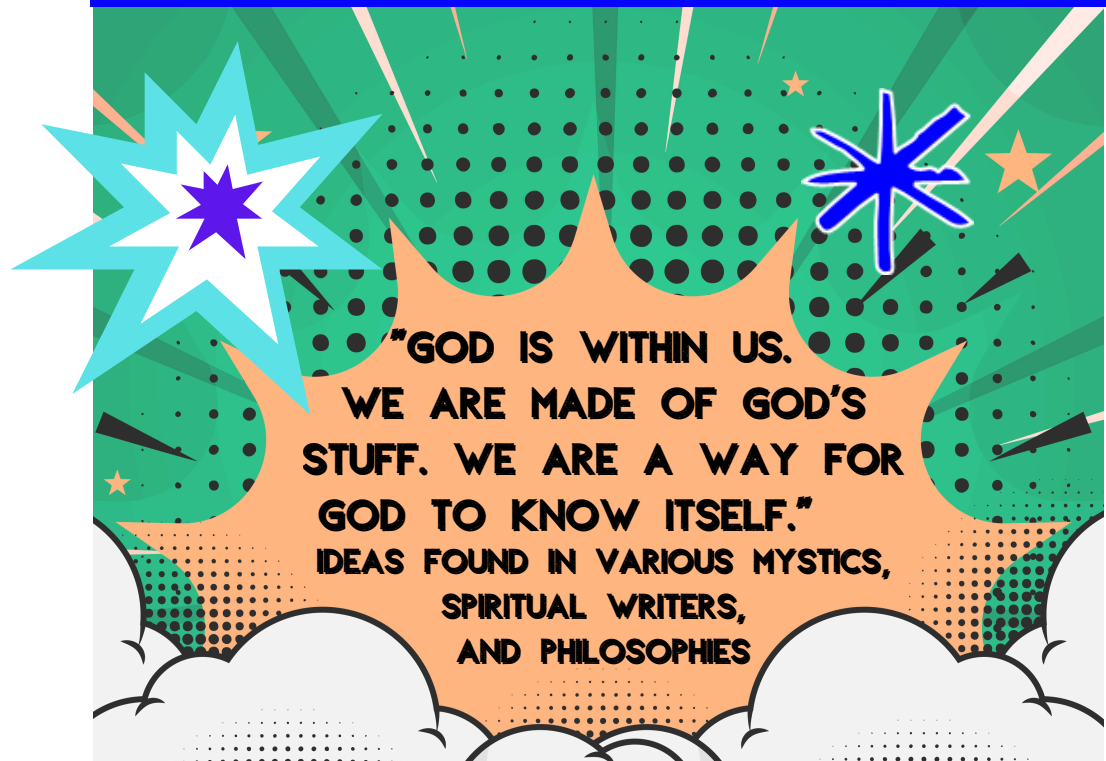
AN INCLUSIVE, WELCOMING COMMUNITY OF CHRISTIAN FAITH.  
OUR MISSION IS TO MANIFEST CHRIST'S LOVE IN THE WORLD.



## TODAY

### WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

## *A God of Small Things*



"GOD IS WITHIN US.  
WE ARE MADE OF GOD'S  
STUFF. WE ARE A WAY FOR  
GOD TO KNOW ITSELF."  
IDEAS FOUND IN VARIOUS MYSTICS,  
SPIRITUAL WRITERS,  
AND PHILOSOPHIES

## PRELUDE

Piano Etude

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please sign the friendship pads.
- TODAY
  - Congregational Meeting in the Sanctuary after worship for the purposes of electing elders and approving Pastor Scott's retirement.
  - FLC Curriculum & Visioning Night at 4 pm in the Sanctuary
- Sunday, October 12, at 2 pm at the Boundary Club, Water to Wine hosted by Matt & Val Schulze. For details, contact Craig Butler at [craig.butler3@frontier.com](mailto:craig.butler3@frontier.com)
- Friday, October 17, at 2 pm, Mariners Gathering with our friends at Willamette View. Please note our Winter schedule has begun. For details, contact Greg Jones at [mbjglj@gmail.com](mailto:mbjglj@gmail.com).
- Lay Reader: Larry Porter

## PAUSE FOR REFLECTION

"I believe in Christianity as I believe that the sun has risen: not only because I see it, but because by it I see everything else."  
~ C.S. Lewis

## VIDEO

Wiyaaala - Woyaya (We Are Going)  
Osibisa's Inspirational Hit Song

## SETTING OF THE COMMUNION TABLE



## CALL TO WORSHIP

Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord our God!  
Glorious and powerful is the God of all creation!

**In reverent awe, we gather to worship our God.**

The Lord our God is just loving all people and all places.

**In reverent awe, we gather to praise our God.**

The Lord our God is forgiving!  
'Fairness' and 'Justice' are the names of our God.



**In reverent awe, we gather to worship God, within the light of God's holiness, justice, mercy and love. Amen.**  
~ Joan Stott

## OPENING HYMN

#1

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

## PASSING OF THE PEACE

Pastor:

The peace of Christ be with you.

**Congregation:**

**And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us offer signs of Christ's peace to one another.

## CHILDREN'S TIME

Children and youth are dismissed.

## NEW TESTAMENT READING

*Luke 17:5-10*

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. "Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me; put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink;

## TESTAMENT READING CONT.

later you may eat and drink'? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!' "

## THEME READING

"We're going through very dark times; socially, politically and especially environmentally. If you think globally you get depressed, so act locally. Each one of us makes some impact ... every single day."  
~ Jane Goodall

## SPECIAL MUSIC

Fill Us With Your Love  
Ghanan Folk Song adapted by Tom Colvin arr. By Carlton Young  
Southminster Chancel Choir

## SERMON

*A God of Small Things*  
Rev. Scott Dalgarno

## RESPONSIVE HYMN

#769 For Everyone Born  
(vs 1, 2, 3, & 5)

## OFFERTORY

Roundalay by Oscar Peterson

## DOXOLOGY

Through all our living,  
we our fruits must give.  
Good works of service are for offering.  
When we are giving, or when receiving,  
We belong to God.  
We belong to God.  
We belong to God.  
We belong to God.

## SERVICE OF WORLD COMMUNION

## INVITATION TO THE TABLE



## GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Blessed are you, God of time and space. Heaven is here and earth, too, and the space between them, thin. Here are those bound by time and those blessed by eternity, the Church above and the Church below, Abraham and Sarah, Miriam and Moses are here, Amos and Jeremiah, Simeon and Anna, Peter and Paul, Martha and all the Marys, Stephen and Perpetua, Bonhoeffer and Romero, Francis of Assisi and Julian of Norwich, Martin Luther King and Mother Theresa, saints from far back and those who left not long ago, Only sight prevents our seeing them here at your table. Heaven is here, and earth, and you, great God, who made them! And so, we join in the unending hymn of praise:  
Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

## PRESENTATION OF THE ELEMENTS

#721 Tu has venido a la orilla  
(Sung Refrain)

## CLOSING HYMN

#205 Ubi Caritas (sung three times)

## PRAYER IN OUR CLOSING CIRCLE

## BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

Nocturne in E-flat Major  
by Frederic Chopin

## FELLOWSHIP

Please stay for the Congregational Meeting followed by Adult Ed

