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SOUTHMINSTER
Presbyterian Church

November 1, 2026

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

TODAY

All Saints Day



We are glad you are here.

INSTRUMENTAL CALL

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please sign the friendship pads.
- Today at 11:15 Adult Class: Exploring New Missions
- Sunday, November 1 through Saturday, November 7: Family Promise Hosting Week. Sign up on www.southmin.org
- Saturday, November 14: Grubby Saturday 8:30 until 11 am
- Saturday, November 14: Barbara Hancock Celebration of Life at 3 pm in person and on Zoom
- Saturday, November 28 Join us for Hanging of the Greens 10 am to 4 pm
- Minute for Mission: Family Promise
- Minute with the Trustees for 2027 Stewardship

Lay Reader: Jaki Schmunk

PRELUDE

WORD OF GRACE

Inspired by Daniel 2:23; from
Fragments of Your Ancient Name,
Joyce Rupp

A long ancestral line of women and men proceed ahead of us on our journey, leaving vivid traces of their history. They mark the path with their wisdom, fill the air with fragrant goodness and smile with jubilant satisfaction. You are at the head of this long line with innumerable people of good will. Your light spreads through all of them, a great love flowing from them to us.

- *Please stand in body or spirit*

CALL TO WORSHIP *

One: Thank you, Gracious God, for all who came before us to guide our way;
ALL: Thank you for their gifts, their growing edges, their perfections and imperfections.
One: Thank you, Christ Jesus, for walking the good road ahead of us;
ALL: Thank you for showing us how to walk and how to run.
One: Thank you, Loving Spirit, for walking beside us still;
ALL: Thank you for lifting us up when we stumble, for encouraging us to keep going when we grow weary, and for giving us hope through all things.

OPENING HYMN *

#326 For All the Saints

PASSING OF THE PEACE *

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.
Congregation: And also with you.
Leader: Let us offer signs of Christ's peace to one another.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Your Soul is Song
Jake Runestad
Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME

Children are dismissed afterward.

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5:1-12 (First Nations Version)

When Creator Sets Free (Jesus) saw this great crowd, he went back up into the mountainside and sat down to teach the people. His followers came to him there, so he took a deep breath, opened his mouth, and began to share his wisdom with them and teach them how to see Creator's good road.

Creator's blessing rests on the poor, the ones with broken spirits. The good road from above is theirs to walk. Creator's blessing rests on the ones who walk the trail of tears, for he will wipe the tears from their eyes and comfort them. Creator's blessing rests on the ones who walk softly and in a humble manner. The earth, land, and sky will welcome them and always be their home. Creator's blessing rests on the ones who hunger and thirst for wrongs to be made right again. They will eat and drink until they are full. Creator's blessing rests on the ones who are merciful and kind to others. Their kindness will find its way back to them—full circle. Creator's blessing rests on the pure of heart. They are the ones who will see the Great Spirit. Creator's blessing rests on the ones who make peace. It will be said of them, 'They are the children of the Great Spirit!' Creator's blessing rests on the ones who are hunted down and mistreated for doing what is right, for they are walking the good road from above. Others will lie about you, speak against you, and look down on you with scorn and contempt, all because you walk the road with me. This is a sign that Creator's blessing is resting on you. So let your hearts be glad and jump for joy, for you will be honored in the spirit-world above. You are like the prophets of old, who were treated in the same way by your ancestors.

SERMON

Remembering Saints

Amelia Standish
Michael Hawkins
Rev. Kris Voss-Rothmeier

HYMN OF RESPONSE *

#732 Rejoice in God's Saints

OFFERTORY

Recuérdame
Robert Lopez and Kristen Anderson-Lopez
Chancel Choir

SONG OF COMMITMENT

#647 Give Thanks

ROLL CALL OF SAINTS

CLOSING SONG

#730 I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

The Lord Bless You and Keep You
Peter C. Lutkin
Courtney Holmes*, piano*

FELLOWSHIP

We invite you to join us in the Petersen Gallery for conversation and refreshments.

See you next Sunday at 10:00 a.m.