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*To be the head, heart and hands of Jesus Christ, driven by God's love for our church and the world beyond.*

## NEWS & NOTES

### July 19, 2019

#### NOTES FROM NANCY

**JOIN US FOR WORSHIP** on Sunday! The focus Scripture, Luke 10:38-42, is about Mary and Martha, and the sermon is "Distraction and Discernment."

**THANK YOU** to coordinator, Gretchen Cleaves, to Property Manager, Christian Zennie, and to the MANY congregation members who made casseroles, transported them and helped serve those affected by the tornadoes. What a generous and kind family of faith!

#### **OUR YOUTH AT TRIENNIUM**

Kim Catchpole and some of our youth are at the Presbyterian Church (USA) gathering of over 4,000 young people from around the country that happens every 3 years at Purdue University. They are participating in lively worship, Bible study, discussions about issues of the day, fellowship, mission

opportunities, and all sorts of fun. We look forward to hearing about their experiences!

## EVENTS IN THE COMING WEEK

For upcoming events, be sure to visit our [website](#)

## GROWTH GROUPS

### **FAITH OF A MOCKINGBIRD**

**Facilitated by Steve Davis**

**Dates: Sunday mornings beginning**

**August 4 through September 1**

**Time: 8:45-9:45am**

**Location: Adult Lounge**

For more information, go to our [website](#).

## CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Visit our website for information about Southminster's [Children's ministry](#) or [Youth ministry](#)

## INFORMATION OF INTEREST

**THE FOOD PANTRY** has requested donations of medium-sized jars of strawberry and grape jelly.

**PUMPKIN FESTIVAL** planning has begun, and our short-term committee will next meet after worship on Sunday, July 28 in the Hospitality Room. If you would like to be part of planning this event, please join us for the meeting! If you can't join the committee but have some ideas for us, please come to the meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup> to share your thoughts. Southminster's Pumpkin Festival will be held on Saturday, October 19.

### **GOLF OUTING FUNDRAISER**

Do you play golf? Would you be willing to be on a committee to plan a Golf Outing fundraiser for next spring or early summer? We really need the input of golfers in planning this, so please contact Nancy as soon as possible if you are willing to help!

## RIDE, ANYONE?

If you might consider occasionally giving a ride to a congregation member who can no longer drive, your kindness would be appreciated. Please contact Lois Thorp at [lois.thorp51@gmail.com](mailto:lois.thorp51@gmail.com) and give your name, cell (or home) number, your address, and the area you would be willing to cover.

## CONTRIBUTIONS

### Southminster Contributions – 2019\*

Period	Budgeted Contributions	Actual Contributions	Excess/ (Shortfall)
Last Week	\$9,183	\$5,464	\$(3,719)
Year to Date	\$257,124	\$311,604	\$54,480

• as of July 15, 2019

To have a break even year in 2019, we need to collect \$1,900 over the budgeted contributions each week.

For convenience, you can [pay on-line](#) at our website.

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