

SOUTHSIDE FELLOWSHIP

Creating brave spaces that nurture and inspire the human spirit

Commitment Sunday

February 1st, 2026

"Give your hands to serve and your hearts to love." ~ Mother Teresa

"As we extend our hands and hearts towards others in Christlike love, something wonderful happens to us. Our own spirits become healed, more refined, and stronger."

~ Dieter F. Uchtdorf

GATHERING

Centering Music

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship (on the back)

COMMUNION

Hymn *We Place Upon Your Table* **VT 462**

Come to the Table

Share the Meal

Poem by Dawna Markova

Hymn *Between Darkness and Light* **VT 808**

REMEMBERING WHO WE ARE

Scripture Reading Mark 12:28-31

**Reflections on Our Life Together and
Sharing Our Prayer Concerns**

A Word about the Commitment Art Piece

COMMITMENT LITURGY

Sign the Commitment Art Piece

Benediction



Pablo Sanaguano
Ecuadorian, 1964–), 2021

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*Southside Fellowship is an inclusive Anabaptist/Mennonite congregation that understands faith as a journey. At the core of our community is the boundless love of God, the justice-centered life of Jesus, and the mystery of the Spirit. We welcome all people to join us, including those who have been excluded elsewhere because of gender identity, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, ability, economic status, marital status, age, or religious uncertainty.*

At Southside Fellowship we explore the questions, "Who is God?" and "How shall we live?" Rooted in Anabaptist-Mennonite tradition, we engage the Biblical story, seeking its relevance to personal and social transformation. We care for one another, collectively renewing our spirits for the daily work of creating a more just, beautiful, and sustainable world.

### Call to Worship

Leader: Listen Friends! Fellow pilgrims on the journey - Take Heart!

In this moment of illumination  
between the waxing and the waning,  
we pause to remember who we are:

**All: Birth givers, peacekeepers, joy bringers, Light bearers - Take heart!**

Leader: In this hour of opposites, between the ebbing and the flowing, we pause to remember who we are:

**All: Birth givers, peacekeepers, joy bringers, Light bearers -take heart!**

Leader: And we will see what we must see. And we will shine into the dark places.

**All: And we will see what we must see.  
And we will shine into the broken places.**

Leader: And we will shine. We are the light of the world!

**All Voices: And we will shine. We are the light of the world!**

### Offering

01/18/2026

**General Fund**

**\$330.00**

**Banana Bank**

**\$19.00**

### Praying in the Way of Jesus

Our Mother and Father in heaven,  
*hallowed be your name.*

*Your kingdom come.*

*Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day, our daily bread.*

*Forgive us our debts as we also forgive our debtors.*

*And lead us not into temptation,*

*But deliver us from evil*

*For yours is the kingdom,*

*the power, and the glory,*

*Forever, and ever, Amen.*

### This Sunday, COMMITMENT SUNDAY 2/01

**Open/Close:** Steve Miller

**Greeters:** Geri Mumaw & Shirley Souder

**Worship Leader:** David Moser

**Centering/Offertory:** Amy Huser

**Song leader:** Suzanne Ehst

**Visuals:** Connie Warkentin

**Readers:** Jo Lehman & Joachim Landes

Desmond & David Lind

**Childcare: needed**

**Sound:** Mark Goertzen

**ZOOM:** Lucas Miller

**Coffee/Drink: FELLOWSHIP BRUNCH**

### Next Sunday, February 8

**Open/Close:** Steve Miller

**Greeters:** Henry & Sara Braun

**Worship Leader:** Kendra Yoder

**Sermon/Reflection:**

**Centering/Offertory:** Ryan/Lucas Miller

**Song leader:** Ryan Miller

**Visuals:** Arlen Epp

**Readers:** Shirley Souder & Arlen Epp

**Childcare:** Amy Landes

**Sound:** Mark Goertzen

**ZOOM:** Renee Springer

**Coffee/Drink:** Ramiro Columna

**Snack:** Shirley Souder

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