## **Hopkins & South Monterey UMCs**

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost 2020

August 16th,

### **GATHER**

#### **Welcome and Announcements**



#### **Moments of Praise**

He Has Made Me Glad (lyrics attached)



# \*Greeting and Opening Prayer

**Call to Worship** 

L: Sometimes we get the feeling that we are the ones who have it all figured out.

P: Open our hearts to see all the people who are loved by the Lord.

L: Sometimes we feel like we are the least deserving.

P: But Jesus reaches out to all in need.

L: Lord, forgive our misunderstandings of how to do faith.

P: Open our hearts to find healing and restoration that we might be better disciples.

All: Amen.

## **WORD**

Children's Message Pastor Kelsey



\*Gospel Lesson Matthew 15:10-28

**Sermon** Pastor Kelsey

Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer

## **RESPONSE**

Passing of the Peace Offering/Doxology



#### **SEND**

\*Closing Song

I Love to Tell the Story (lyrics attached)

\*Dismissal with Blessing

**Postlude** 

\* Standing in body or spirit

## Reminders

 Join us this evening at 6:30 on Zoom for fellowship time with our whole church community! (hopkinsumchurch.org/zoom)



### **Worshiping on Zoom**

**To join worship by phone:** Call **1-312-626-6799.** If busy, try **1-646-558-8656 or 1-301-715-8592** 

Enter meeting ID 768 555 3158 followed by #, then # again.

Enter the password 2697937323 if needed.

To join worship by smartphone, tablet, or computer:

Follow this link: <a href="https://www.hopkinsumchurch.org/zoom">www.hopkinsumchurch.org/zoom</a>

## For technical support:

Visit www.hopkinsumchurch.org/help or contact Pastor Kelsey.

#### **Quick Tips:**

- 1. Join early! Pastor Kelsey will be on Zoom starting at 9:45am.
- 2. Sometimes you will be muted but still connected to the call.
- 3. Keep trying! Ask for help! We will figure it out together!

Please remember to mail your offering checks or give online at <a href="https://www.hopkinsumchurch.org/give">www.hopkinsumchurch.org/give</a>

### **Getting Connected**

**To contact the Prayer Team** Bertha Tew at (269) 793-7424

To contact the Church Office Mitzi Crowe at (269) 793-7323

hopkinsumcmi@gmail.com

**To contact the Pastor** Rev. Kelsey French at (248) 613-0366

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## Song 1: He Has Made Me Glad (I Will Enter His Gates)

I will enter His gates with thanksgiving in my heart I will enter His courts with praise I will say this is the day that the Lord has made I will rejoice for He has made me glad

He has made me glad, He has made me glad I will rejoice for he has made me glad He has made me glad, He has made me glad I will rejoice for he has made me glad

## Song 2: I Love to Tell the Story

I love to tell the story Of unseen things above Of Jesus and his glory Of Jesus and his love

I love to tell the story Because I know 'tis true It satisfies my longings As nothing else can do

I love to tell the story
'Twill be my theme in glory
To tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and his love

I love to tell the story
For those who know it best
Seem hungering and thirsting
To hear it like the rest

And when in scenes of glory I sing the new, new song 'Twill be the old, old story That I have loved so long

I love to tell the story
'Twill be my theme in glory
To tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and his love
To tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and his love

## **Announcements for August 16, 2020**

**Aug 17 -** Hopkins Ad-Board Meeting - 6:00 -Trustees 6:30 - full board **Aug 23 -** Worship at 10am at Common Ground, weather permitting

#### **Food Pantry Donations Needs**

At this time the major needs are: Canned Soup (any kind), Canned Pasta, Canned Fruit, Tuna, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Ketchup, Mustard, and Baking Mixes (brownies, cake mix and frosting).

Drop off Wednesdays from 10am to 1pm and 5pm to 7pm, bring them to church or contact Mitzi or Pastor Linda about a drop off time.

## **Getting to Know Pastor Kelsey**

Pastor Kelsey is settling into Hopkins but has a lot of you to get to know still! She will be working on contacting/calling everyone, so be prepared to receive a call sometime in the next few weeks from the number below! You can always call when it is best for you, to plan a visit or for pastoral care.

Pastor Kelsey French: <a href="mailto:PastorKelseyFrench@gmail.com">PastorKelseyFrench@gmail.com</a> Phone: (248) 613-0366

#### Offering Mailing Information

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#### **Summer Worship Plan**

| Good Weather Plan        | Bad Weather Plan           |  |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 10am – Worship at Common | 10am – Zoom Worship for    |  |
| Ground                   | everyone                   |  |
| 6:30pm – Zoom Fellowship | After service – Fellowship |  |
| 7pm – Zoom Worship       | time                       |  |

The Ad-Board will be revisiting this decision at their monthly meetings (or sooner if there is a drastic change with the virus).

We will try to make the call on Wed. Keep an eye on the weekly e-news.

See the back for more information about the evening worship.

#### Join us for Evening Worship and Fellowship on Zoom

**Who**: Everyone! But especially those who cannot come to in-person worship. **What**: First, open fellowship time before the service. After, worship including recordings of the live music and message from the morning.

Where: On Zoom! Join Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7685553158

Call: (312) 626-6799 Meeting ID: 768 555 3158

When: 6:30pm Fellowship. 7:00pm Worship.

**Why**: To keep our homebound and high risk folks connected to their church family. To give those who were or are out of town another worship option. To

connect to more of our church family.

## **Prayers Requests and Thanksgivings**

**We pray with thanksgiving for...** the Brinkhuis family for baby Delilah; Goodenough family and baby JJ; Kelsey Houseman (baby--grandaughter of the Tews); the Hortons (baby), Evan & Maria Crowe got married!

**We pray God's blessing for...**Dee Davies; Mary Howard; Lori Knuth; Roger Simpson; Elaine Lull; Deb Lovely; Judy Collier; those without jobs and looking for jobs.

We pray for the church and for the world... Beirut, Lebanon; Amelia Green our seminarian; the future of the UMC; David our Bishop and Dwayne our DS; Pastor Kelsey and Brennen; immigrants and asylum seekers; all who tend and farm the land; for leadership for our nation; for first responders, health care and essential workers; for teachers, students, and families; for Midland and flood recovery; for social justice..

Share your requests! Call Pastor Kelsey (248-613-0366) or Bert Tew (269-793-7424)

#### **August Birthdays**

Kristine Brinkhuis
 Amanda DeVries
 Todd Collier
 Stevie Brooks
 Richard Weick
 Amanda DeVries
 Stevie Brooks
 Susan Preston

10 - Andy Lewis19 - Kathy LullKarrie Brinkhuis23 - Heather Collier

#### **August Anniversaries**

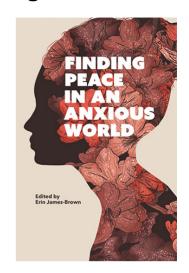
3- Andy and Alaina Lewis

17- Annie and Jacob Arndt Rick and Darcie Mack

# **New Book Study Coming Soon!**

"Finding Peace in an Anxious World" uses the book of Proverbs and "The Serenity Prayer" as a guide to help Christians find their way through anxiety, worry, and fear and move towards God's peace that surpasses all understanding.

The book is written by Urban Village Church, Chicago, based on a four-part sermon series they did on "The Serenity Prayer" in 2015. It was through that series that the church was able to address the tumultuous events of that summer and



present a framework for how to approach a God who desires peace for the hearts of God's people in times of anxiety.

The four chapters, each written by a different UVC leader, focus on different aspects of the prayer—serenity, acceptance, courage, and wisdom—and each concludes with a spiritual practice to help further develop the featured characteristic in your life so that we can be rooted in God and energized to live fully as Disciples of Christ.

<u>Start Date:</u> Week of Sept 13th, 5 sessions including orientation <u>Book Cost:</u> \$11 paper copy, \$5.95 kindle

## Sign-up with Mitzi if you are interested!

- How would you participate?
  - In-person: meeting outside like at Common Ground
  - Online: Facebook discussion group during the week,
     30 min Zoom meeting
  - Or either is fine!
- Do you want a paper copy of the book?
  - Either to join the study or to do it alone.

# **Sermon Notes**