Hopkins & South Monterey UMCs

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost August 23rd, 2020

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Moments of Praise

Join us in an attitude of worship

*Greeting and Opening Prayer Call to Worship

L: You have called us to this place, O Lord and bless each and every one of us.

P: Each one of us is unique, with differing gifts and talents.

L: Yet each talent represented here is valuable in God's realm, and can be used for peace and justice.

P: Lord, help us find ways in which to use our talents for healing and hope, justice and peace.

L: Come, let us praise the Lord who has called us here in our diversity.

P: Let us open our hearts and spirits to discern God's word for us.

All: Amen.

WORD

Children's Message Pastor Kelsey

*Gospel Lesson Romans 12:1-8

Sermon Pastor Kelsey

Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer



Passing of the Peace Offering/Doxology



SEND

*Closing Song

Join us in an attitude of worship

*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)







WORSHIP AT COMMON GROUND

A few specifics/guidelines that have been worked out to help keep us all safe:

- Offering will be collected as you drive in or out of Common Ground. Any undesignated money will be used to maintain Common Ground. Feel free to bring your loose change.
- There will be more amplification than usual in hopes that those who choose to stay in their cars will be able to hear.
- It's fine to leave your vehicle and worship in a lawn chair or on a blanket.
- Please follow recommendations for wearing a mask.
- We will still need to follow SOCIAL DISTANCING regulations.
- There will be no passing of the peace at Common Ground.
- Zoom Fellowship at 6:30PM. Use the worship link we've been using.

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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Announcements for August 23, 2020

Aug 23 - Worship at 10am at Common Ground, weather permitting

Aug 30 - 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: PastorKelseyFrench@gmail.com 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/i/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)

We pray God's blessing for...Margaret Myers, Dee Davies; Mary Howard; Lori Knuth; Roger Simpson; Elaine Lull; Deb Lovely and niece Amanda; 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

1 - Kristine Brinkhuis
2 - Amanda DeVries
4 - Brennen French
25 - Kelsey French
26 - Stevie Brooks
4 - Richard Weick
17 - Marla Brennan
29 - 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

18 - Matthew and Kristine Brinkhuis