

Hopkins United Methodist Church
Palm Sunday March 28, 2021

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements



Palm Procession

Hosanna to the Son of David!
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is the One who comes in the
name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest!

Moments of Praise

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

UMH 278



Greeting and Call to Worship

One: The story of faith is a story of courage.

All: It took courage for John the Baptist to prepare the way.

One: It took courage for Mary to say, "Here I am. Use me."

All: It took courage for the disciples to drop their nets and follow Jesus.

One: It took courage for the paralyzed man's friends to lower him through the roof.

All: It took courage for Peter to walk on water.

One: It took courage for Zacchaeus to give half of his possessions to the poor.

All: It took courage for Jesus to enter Jerusalem on a donkey.

One: Faith has never been easy. It is a journey of courage.

All: Again and again, God, show us the way.

One: Let us worship a brave and courageous God.

WORD

***Scripture Lesson**

John 12:1-19

L: The Word of God to the People of God

All: Thanks be to God



Children's Time
Sermon

Pastor Kelsey

RESPONSE

Special Music

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus UMH 349



Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Passing of the Peace

TABLE

Offering & Doxology



SEND

***Closing Song**

Hosanna

Sandi Patty



***Dismissal with Blessing**



Postlude

Worship Volunteers

April 4

Acolytes - Holly DeVries & Camryn Lewis

Liturgist - Vern Kraft

Audio/Visual - Mary Howard & Joyce Horton

WORSHIP INSIDE AT HOPKINS UMC

A few specifics/guidelines to help keep us all as safe as possible:

- Offering will be collected as you walk in or out of the church.
Loose change offering will also be there.
- **Masks** are required.
- We will follow **social distancing** regulations.
- There will be no moving around for passing of the peace.
- We encourage **no singing**, if you must, **please only hum**.
- There is now Sunday School/Children's Church in the basement with vaccinated volunteers. Kids will maintain safety restrictions while in Sunday School.
- Each family has an assigned "worship bag" with activities and supplies for their kids to play with during the service.
- Please be cautious with mingling, try to do it outside if weather allows.
- We will be sharing the service over Zoom live.

Getting Connected

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| To receive church updates | text HopkinsUMC to 84576 or
flocknote.com/HopkinsUMC |
| To give electronically | hopkinsumchurch.org/give |
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Hopkins United Methodist Church

Affecting Lives Through Jesus Christ



South Monterey

United Methodist Church

Announcements for March 28, 2021

April 1 & 2 - Holy Week Services, Details below
Both days: 2pm on Zoom, 6:30pm in-person

Apr 4 - Easter Sunday!

Details below

Lent Devotional

Pastor Kelsey has put together a Lenten Devotional based on the Children's book "Images of God." Each of the 40 days of Lent, includes the illustration and text from the book, a Psalm selection, a brief reflection and short prayer. It is all Children/Family friendly. The devotions will take about 5 minutes a day, and will be a great way to spend a bit of every day focusing on who God is as a Lenten practice. Pick up this week's set at church on Sunday, or via email or Facebook

Holy Week Services

Maundy Thursday - April 1

2pm - View Maundy Thursday video on Zoom

6:30pm - View Maundy Thursday video together at HUMC

Communion will be served at the 6:30 service

Good Friday - April 2

2pm - on Zoom

6:30pm in-person at Hopkins UMC

Easter Sunday Services

7am Sunrise Service at Common Ground

9:30am Service at South Monterey UMC

11am Service with Hopkins UMC & Zoom Live

Pick up invitations for yourself and some extras for friends and family with whom you would like to share some Easter hope.

Easter Baskets for Kids

For all families who come to church today or for Easter will receive a little Easter gift from our church family! If you or someone you know from the church family cannot make it to church to get them, let us know and we can make another pick-up time work.

Prayers Requests and Thanksgivings

We pray with thanksgiving for... Kinzlee Sue Collier was born March 16th, COVID vaccine, the 5 babies in our church family, Andrea & Nathan Caldwell (Carl Collier's Granddaughter) expecting; those who have gotten jobs; multiple surgeries and recoveries going well.

We pray God's blessing for... Dee Davies; Lorraine (Margaret's daughter); Dan Herrema; all caretakers; the many grieving deaths and losses; those without jobs and looking for jobs.

We pray for the church and for the world... Increasing Homeless populations across the US; Ongoing Pandemic; overwhelmed hospitals; Amelia Green our seminarian; the future of the UMC; Bishop Bard and DS Bagley; Pastor Kelsey and Brennen; immigrants and asylum seekers; all who tend and farm the land; for leadership of our nation; for first responders, health care and essential workers; for teachers, students, and families; for social and racial justice.

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

Need a listening ear or help processing all that has gone on this year? Pastor Kelsey is available for pastoral care meetings. Email or call her to schedule a visit.

April Birthdays

1 - Nicole Mack

2 - Megan Heft

4 - Carole Prather

9 - Margaret Myers

11 - Juanita Curtis

Marge Punches

March 29 - Presley Lewis

15 - Bert Tew

16 - Chelsey Collier

20 - Tadd Heft

Katie Collier Lake

Mandi Collier Thomas

28 - Mitzi Crowe

April Anniversaries

16 - Bob & Judy Beck

Merle & Alys Edgell

21 - Earl & Linda Burton-Collier

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