Hopkins United Methodist Church Affecting Lives Through Jesus Christ



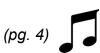
Fifth Week after Pentecost

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Moments of Praise

There's Something About that Name



Greeting and Call to Worship

L: O Lord our God, your love falls on your creatures like morning dew.

All: Therefore, we beseech you, grant to us the fullness of faith, that we might invest one another with trust.

L: Breathe to us the full utterance of your word, that we might address one another with understanding.

All: Bring us to the full knowledge of your salvation, that we might liberate one another with truth.

L: Arouse is us the full earnestness of your power, that we might uphold one another with strength.

All: And surround us with the fullness of your love, that we might embrace one another with compassion. AMEN.

WORD

*Scripture Lesson

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27

1:1 After the death of Saul, when David had returned from defeating the Amalekites, David remained two days in Ziklag. 17 David intoned this lamentation over Saul and his son Jonathan. 18 (He ordered that The Song of the Bow be taught to the people of Judah; it is written in the Book of Jashar.) He said:

19 Your glory, O Israel, lies slain upon your high places! How the mighty have fallen!

20 Tell it not in Gath, proclaim it not in the streets of Ashkelon; or the daughters of the Philistines will rejoice, the daughters of the uncircumcised will exult.

21 You mountains of Gilboa, let there be no dew or rain upon you, nor bounteous fields! For there the shield of the mighty was defiled, the shield of Saul, anointed with oil no more. 22 From the blood of the slain, from the fat of the mighty, the bow of Jonathan did not turn back, nor the sword of Saul return empty.

23 Saul and Jonathan, beloved and lovely! In life and in death they were not divided; they were swifter than eagles, they were stronger than lions.

24 O daughters of Israel, weep over Saul, who clothed you with crimson, in luxury, who put ornaments of gold on your apparel.

25 How the mighty have fallen in the midst of the battle! Jonathan lies slain upon your high places.

26 I am distressed for you, my brother Jonathan; greatly beloved were you to me; your love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women.

27 How the mighty have fallen, and the weapons of war perished!

L: The Word of God to the People of God

All: Thanks be to God

Children's Time

Sermon God Saves Pastor Kelsey

RESPONSE

Hymn God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian

Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer

Passing of the Peace Offering & Doxology



SFND

*Closing Song It is Well with My Soul

*Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude



WORSHIP OUTSIDE AT COMMON GROUND

Current COVID guidelines to help keep us all as safe as possible:

- Bulletins & offering collected as you drive in.
- **Masks** are only recommended while mingling with others outside of your household.
- We will continue to follow social distancing guidelines.
- We will be singing, wear your mask if that makes you nervous.
- Kids can hang out in the tent beside the Pavilion. An adult will keep watch at the entrance.

WORSHIP INSIDE AT HOPKINS UMC

Current COVID guidelines to help keep us all as safe as possible:

- Bulletins, and Offering/Loose change is on the welcome table.
- Social Distancing practices will continue. Masks are optional.
- Childcare is in the basement with a vaccinated, paid adult (on Wed). Kids must maintain safety restrictions while there.
- Please be cautious with mingling, try to do it outside if weather allows.
- We will be sharing the Wednesday service over Zoom live.

Getting Connected

To receive church updates text HopkinsUMC to 84576 or

flocknote.com/HopkinsUMC

To give electronically hopkinsumchurch.org/give

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

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Announcements June 27 & 30, 2021

June 29 - Being Brave Meeting 6-7:30pm

June 30 - Wednesday Evening Worship 6:30 at HUMC

July 4 - Community Worship in Downtown Park 9-10:30am

July 7 - Wednesday Evening Worship (Last week of Sermon Series)

4th of July

The 4th is on a Sunday this year! We will be joining the whole community for worship in the park at 9am instead of our usual morning service. We will have our own service on Wednesday, July 7, at 6:30pm. We will be hosting a booth in the park throughout the day. We'll be spreading the word about our summer services, programs, and who we are as a church. We also plan to sell some of the UMW bazaar products. We will be serving FREE rootbeer floats from 1-3pm. We could use extra hands during that time. We have two shifts that could still use workers (3-5 & 5-7). Sign-up at church or call the church office.

Teen Hang-out Space

Pastor Kelsey is working on making a space and time for Hopkins youth to have a safe and accepting place to hang-out, build community, and have fun. Details are still being cemented alongside community leaders and interested parents. We will be accepting donations of snacks and drinks to make the space more hospitable. If this is a group in Hopkins that has been on your heart, Kelsey would love your help making this a reality, let her know you're interested!

Vaccine Clinic on Wednesday, June 30

The Allegan County Health Department will be returning to the church parking lot on June 30th from 10am - 1pm. No appointment necessary. If you know of someone who needs a ride, please contact the church office. We will do our best to find a driver.

Christian Music Concert at the Allegan County Fair

Thursday, Sept. 16, 2021 at 7:00 Concert line up: Casting Crowns, Crowder, and Phil Wickham

Check the Allegan County Fair website or call (269) 673-6501for ticket prices.

Prayers Requests and Thanksgivings

We pray with thanksgiving for... those who are willing to take part in church leadership; 4 baptisms; COVID vaccine, Food Pantry building; those who have gotten jobs.

We pray God's blessing for... Jim Ringler; Judy Collier; MaryLou Brennan; Family of Sherm Moored; Our new Wednesday night worship service; Terri (Kirstin's friend); Lorraine (Margaret's daughter); 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 around the world;

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 have a faith question?

Pastor Kelsey is available for pastoral care meetings. Email or call her to schedule a visit

July Birthdays

1 - Tom Green
 2 - Jim Ringler
 7 - Judy Collier
 8 - Dee Davies
 11 - Nora Mack
 12 - Alaina Lewis
 13 - Delilah Brinkhuis
 22 - Paul Collier

10 - Don Collier

July Anniversary

2 - Justin & Kristan Goodenough
17 - Jen & Liam Salisbury
29 - Trevor & Heather Collier
30 - Geoff & Mitzi Crowe

Worship Volunteers

July Greeters: Vern Kraft & Reva Daniel

June 27 - At Common Ground Liturgist - Mary Howard July 4 - AtDowntown Park - 9am

Liturgist - N/A

God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian

God the Spirit, guide and guardian,
wind-sped flame and hovering dove,
breath of life and voice of prophets,
sign of blessing, power of love:
give to those who lead your people
fresh anointing of your grace;
send them forth as bold apostles
to your Church in every place.

Christ our Savior, Sovereign, Shepherd,
Word-made-flesh, Love crucified,
teacher, healer, suffering Servant,
friend of sinners, foe of pride:
in your tending may all pastors
learn and live a Shepherd's care;
grant them courage and compassion
shown through word and deed and prayer.

Great Creator, Life-bestower,
Truth beyond all thought's recall,
fount of wisdom, womb of mercy,
giving and forgiving all:
as you know our strength and weakness,
so may those the Church exalts
oversee her life steadfastly
yet not overlook her faults.

Triune God, mysterious Being, undivided and diverse, deeper than our minds can fathom, greater than our creeds rehearse: help us in our varied callings your full image to proclaim, that our ministries uniting may give glory to your Name.

Prayers of the People Call & Response

Leader: "Lord, in your mercy..."

All: "Hear our prayer"

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Passing of the Peace

One: Peace be with you Other: And also with you

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise God all creatures here below Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.