Hopkins United Methodist Church

Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 16, 2021

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements



Moments of Praise

My Life Is in You, Lord

CH 54



Greeting and Call to Worship

L: Jesus prayed for his disciples, giving them into God's eternal care.

P: Jesus prays for us, giving us into God's care.

L: Know that you have been blessed with the love of the Savior.

P: We live in that love and seek to serve God.

L: Open your hearts and spirits now to hear God's word.

P: May our lives be open to God's Spirit and reflect God's love. AMEN.

WORD

*Scripture Lesson

John 17:6-19

6 "I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. 7 Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; 8 for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. 9 I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. 10 All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. 11 And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. 12 While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. 13 But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. 14 I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. 15 I am not asking you to

take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. 16 They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. 17 Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. 18 As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. 19 And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth.

L: The Word of God to the People of God

All: Thanks be to God

Children's Time

Sermon Pastor Kelsey

RESPONSE

Special Music Freely, Freely UMH 389

Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer

Passing of the Peace

TABLE

Offering & 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.

SEND

*Closing Song

So Send I You--by Grace Made Strong CH 440

*Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude











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

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 May 16, 2021

May 19 - Being Brave Group Meeting, 6pm at HUM Hall

May 23 - Pentecost, baptisms, and starting summer schedule

2nd Vaccine Ride Help

There was a mobile vaccine clinic in the HUMC parking lot this past Wednesday. Since that mobile clinic will not be returning to give second shots, we realized some may have an issue with having transportation to receive their 2nd shot. We passed out cards, at the clinic, inviting anyone who needs a ride to contact the church. Mitzi is coordinating rides for those who contact her. Let Mitzi know if you would be willing to give a ride to someone in need of the help.

Newsletter Incoming -- Submissions Open!

Start thinking about and submitting anything you would like included in the next Newsletter (June/July). Event announcements, accentuating the positives, thank yous, upcoming meetings, address changes, etc.

ISO Ad Board Secretary

The Ad Board is in need of a recording Secretary. The Secretary is responsible for being at meetings and writing down what happens, typing it up and submitting them to be printed for the next meeting. If you have been thinking about wanting to step up into a leadership role, this is a great foot in the door!

Summer Worship Schedule

On Pentecost, May 23, we will officially start our **Summer Worship Schedule: 10am at Common Ground,** together with both churches. Bring your chairs and we will spread out around the yard and join together in a more casual worship setting.

Offering Mailing Information

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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.

Prayers Requests and Thanksgivings

We pray with thanksgiving for... COVID vaccine, the 6 babies in our church family, Andrea & Nathan Caldwell (Carl Collier's Granddaughter) expecting; Food Pantry building; those who have gotten jobs; multiple surgeries and recoveries going well.

We pray God's blessing for... Mary Lou Brennan; Bert & Jim Tew; Hefts; Terri (Kirstin's friend); Jim Ringler; Craig (Liam's dad); 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)

May Birthdays

5 - Judy Weick
8 - Linda Burton-Collier
12 - Judy Beck
19 - Liam Salisbury
22 - Mary Howard
27 - Matthew Brinkhuis

16 - Ken Herrema 28 - Judy Kraft

18 - Amelia Green

May Anniversary

22 - Russell and Amanda DeVries

Worship Volunteers

May: Deb Lemmer & Jim Ringler

May 16
Acolytes -Drew & Lilly
Liturgist - Judy Beck

Audio/Visual - Amelia Green

May 23 - At Common Ground

Acolytes - Drew & Lilly Liturgist - Mary Howard