

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Moments of Praise

Spirit Song

UMH 347



Call to Worship (*Leader, People*)

May we find courage here—

courage to follow our call, courage to live out our faith.

May we find hope here—

hope for a better world, hope that refuses to let us go.

May we find truth here—

**truth that lives in sacred community, truth that lives in
ancient stories.**

May we find all that we seek.

And in our seeking, may we know God. Amen.

WORD

Scripture Lesson

John 12:1-8

NRSV

12 Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. 2 There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. 3 Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. 4 But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 5 "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" 6 (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) 7 Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for

the day of my burial. 8 You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me."

L: The word of God to the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Children's Time

Sermon

Pastor Kelsey

RESPONSE

Pastoral Prayer

Passing of the Peace

Offering Prayer & *Doxology

TABLE

**The Great Thanksgiving
Breaking the Bread**

UMH 15

**Communion Song
Prayer After Communion**

Old Rugged Cross

UMH 504



SEND

***Closing Song**

One Day

UMH 294



***Benediction**

Postlude

Welcome to Worship at HUMC

Welcome to Parents with Children

*Thank you for what you do when you bring your children to church.
Please know that your family – with all of its noise, struggle, commotion,
and joy – are not simply tolerated: you are a vital part of this community.
We love to have you and your children with us.*

Parents: please ask an usher for worship packs for your children.

Hospitality and Accessibility

- Bathrooms are located next door in the fellowship hall.
- Nursery and changing area are located downstairs.
- Large print materials are available in the narthex
- **Join us for food and fellowship next door after worship!**

Getting Connected

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| 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 |
| To contact the Church Office | Mitzi Crowe at (269) 793-7323
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Announcements March 27, 2022

Ongoing - Prayer Station for Ukraine in HUM Hall

Thursday, April 7 - Fellowship & Craft time from 3-5 at HUM Hall

April 9 - Easter Egg Hunt, North Park, 1pm

Margaret Myers turns 99 on April 9th

We would love to shower Margaret with birthday cards for this special day. Her address is: Vicinia Gardens 700 Eley St.
Otsego, MI 49078

Super Children's/Family Ministry: Worship Wednesday

On the 4th Wednesday of each month, join us for Worship Wednesdays! **Next: April 27th 5:30pm - 7:00pm.** We will start with a small snack followed by a short lesson and an activity or game or two. We will close by sharing a meal together. We hope parents will stick around and take part with their children. Those without children are also welcome! We will follow the theme of SUPERHEROES. **You can look at lesson options & sign up to lead one in HUM Hall.**

Fellowship & Craft with Us!

We are hosting a gathering every *first and third Thursdays of the month, 3-5pm in HUM Hall*, to fellowship and craft together. Crafts or activities of any kind are welcome if you can bring them: Knit, Crochet, paper crafts, sewing, etc! (Or no craft at all!) Some will be working on items to donate to the UMW's Vendor Booth at Piki's, all are welcome to contribute to that too. Feel free to bring snacks, beverages, or just yourself! Come hang out with us!

Community Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday, April 9 @ 1:00

Our church is sponsoring a community wide Easter Egg Hunt. It will be held at the North Park. We will have several age groups gathering eggs at different times. There will be games for the kids to play, a prize table, and some snacks. We are in need of people to help with all areas of the event. **There is a sign up sheet in HUM Hall.** If you are able to work at any of the set up, running, and/or clean up of the event, please sign up. Thanks in advance for your help.

Prayer Requests and Thanksgivings

We pray with thanksgiving for... Worship Wednesdays and those who have volunteered to help; Those who are willing to take part in church leadership; those who work to keep our church buildings and grounds safe and well taken care of; COVID vaccine & booster, the food pantry, those who have gotten jobs.

We pray God's blessing for... Alys Edgell; Bert & Jim Tew; those dealing with transitions; all caretakers; the many grieving deaths and losses; those without jobs and looking for jobs.

We pray for the church and for the world... Ukraine people, communities, cities, & those taking in refugees; Communities affected by storms & natural disaster; Increasing Homeless populations across the US; pandemic continuing and rising in the US; 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)

HUMC Giving

Weekly budget needs: \$1350.00

Last week's offering: \$910.00

Ministry Shares (loose change) - \$93.40

UMCOR collection for Ukraine - \$1024.61

April Birthdays

1 - Nicole Mack	11 - Juanita Curtis	20 - Tadd Heft
2 - Megan Heft	Marge Punches	Katie Lake
4 - Carole Prather	12 - Jane Kaule	Mandi Thomas
9 - Margaret Myers	15 - Bert Tew	28 - Mitzi Crowe
	16 - Chelsey Collier	

April Anniversaries

16 - Bob & Judy Beck	21 - Earl Collier & Linda Burton-Collier
Merle & Alys Edgell	

Worship Volunteers

Greeters - Juanita Curtis & Mary Howard

Mar 27

Children's Message - Mary Howard
Liturgist - Vern Kraft
Coffee Fellowship - Ringlers
Communion Server - Mitzi Crowe

Apr 10

Pastor Kesey
Judy Beck
K. Brinkhuis & M. Howard