

# August 1 & 4, 2021

## **GATHER**

**Welcome and Announcements** 

Moments of Praise To God Be the Glory

UMH 98

## **Greeting and Call to Worship**

**L:** Our lives are in the care of God.

All: God has given us abundance and hope.

**L:** This day we will come to praise and thank God for all that God has done for us.

All: We gather to celebrate God's love and to offer our

love in service

L: Come: let us open our hearts to the Lord!

## WORD

**Scripture Lesson** 

1 Peter 3:15

But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect.

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon The Keynote Speaker

**Wynne Hurlbut** 

## **RESPONSE**

Response Hymn: Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus UMH 462

Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer

**Passing of the Peace** 

Offering & Doxology



### **SEND**

\*Closing Song Open My Eyes, That I May See UMH 454



\*Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

Children's Time

**Wynne Hurlbut** 

### 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 August 1 & 4, 2021

### TODAY FOLLOWING WORSHIP

Check out the new food pantry. Claim your personal items from Bud's Barn.

- Aug 8 Sunday worship inside at HUMC (10am) with David Knapp
- Aug 29 Communion during Worship Post-Worship Potluck at Common Ground
- Sept 5 Last Sunday out at Common Ground
- **Sept 9 -** Bud's Barn Clean-out Day (9am, lunch provided)

#### **Bud's Barn Clean-Out**

We will be cleaning out and organizing Bud's Barn on Sept 9th. Before that date, please come and get any of your personal items that are in **there.** Let Pastor Kelsey or Mitzi know if you have to be let into the barn. If you're at church on August 1 or 8, that would be a great time to look and see if you have anything in the barn.

#### **MEALS ON WHEELS IS BACK!!**

Meals will be served on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:00. Suggested donation: \$2.75 Please join the group and bring a friend.

If you'd like to come for lunch, call Janet at (616)459-3111 ext 127. Reservations need to be made at least a day ahead of time.

# **Wednesday Evening Worship Service**

Wednesday services continue!! HUMC is hosting a 6:30pm mid-week, more casual worship service. It will use the same main structure as Sunday morning, but gives us the opportunity to try different music. This is a great option for those who cannot make it to Sunday morning for whatever reason or would rather worship inside. Spread the word! Childcare will be provided. This service will be on Zoom.

# **Hopkins Community Food Pantry**

If you haven't had a chance to see the new building, you can easily check it out today or on August 8. The pantry can be unlocked for anyone who wants to see it.

# **Prayers Requests and Thanksgivings**

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

We pray God's blessing for... Juanita's sister, Terry Hancock; Deb Lovley's cousin, Janice; Amy Harris (Patrick's mom); Bert & Jim Tew; MaryLou Brennan; Jim Ringler; Judy Collier; 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

**August Birthdays** 15 - Todd Collier 1 - Kristine Brinkhuis 2 - Amanda DeVries 17 - Marla Brennan 4 - Dick Weick 19 - Kathy Lull 23 - Heather Collier Jack (J.J.) Goodenough 10 - Karrie Brinkhuis

25 - Pastor Kelsey French Andy Lewis 29 Susie Preston

14 - Brennen French

# **August Anniversaries**

3 - Andy & Alaina Lewis

17 - Annie & Jake Arndt Rick & Darcie Mack

18 - Matthew & Kristin Brinkhuis

#### **Worship Volunteers**

August Greeters: Bob Beck & Carl Collier

**August 1 - AT HOPKINS UMC** August 8 - @HUMC

Liturgist - Judy Beck Liturgist - Rev. Dave Knapp