# **Hopkins United Methodist Church**

Affecting Lives Through Jesus Christ

August 22 & 25, 2021

# **GATHER**

**Welcome and Announcements** Moments of Praise

**Amazing Grace** 

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## **Greeting and Call to Worship**

L: Give thanks to the Lord!

P: Call upon the name of the Lord!

L: God's love and mercy are given daily for each of us.

P: God's forgiveness and tenderness are poured out for us.

L: Praise be to God who deals so kindly with us.

P: Lord, help us offer the same compassion to others. AMEN.

#### WORD

**Scripture Lesson** Exodus 16:1-5, 13-18

16 The whole congregation of the Israelites set out from Elim; and Israel came to the wilderness of Sin, which is between Elim and Sinai, on the fifteenth day of the second month after they had departed from the land of Egypt. 2 The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. 3 The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

4 Then the Lord said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not. 5 On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days."

13 In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. 14 When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. 15 When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat. 16 This is what the Lord has commanded: 'Gather as much of it as each of you needs, an omer to a person according to the number of persons, all providing for those in their own tents." 17 The Israelites did so, some gathering more, some less. 18 But when they measured it with an omer, those who gathered much had nothing over, and those who gathered little had no shortage; they gathered as much as each of them needed.

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Children's Time

Sermon

**Lord's Praver Week 3** 

Pastor Kelsey

Give us this day our daily bread

### **RESPONSE**

**Prayers of the People** 

Passing of the Peace Offering & \*Doxology



\*The Great Thanksgiving

\*The Lord's Prayer

**Bulletin Insert** 

**Communion Song** 

One Bread, One Body

**Bulletin Insert** 

**Prayer after Communion** 

**SEND** 

\*Closing Song

Breathe

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\*Benediction: Lord's Prayer

Postlude



#### WORSHIP OUTSIDE AT COMMON GROUND

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

- Bulletins & offering collected as you enter the pavilion area.
- **Masks** are only recommended while mingling in close proximity 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.
- There are some toys for kids to play with wherever you would like them to gather.

## **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 22 & 25, 2021

**Aug. 26 -** First day of school for students.

Aug 29 - Communion during Worship
Post-Worship Potluck at Common Ground

Sept 9 - Bud's Barn Clean-out Day (9am, lunch provided)

#### **Being Brave School Supply Project**

The Being Brave group has decided to collect school supplies to distribute to school aged children who need them. The main focus will be for Foster Children. We will make the schools aware that we have them for anyone who might move in. We are asking for donations of backpacks, crayons, pencils, colored pencils, notebooks, folders, pencil boxes, markers, etc. There will be a collection basket at all of the worship services. Thanks for your help.

#### **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.

#### **Mentoring at Hopkins Elementary**

We believe that the mentoring program will be able to resume this fall. If you are interested in mentoring one or more students please talk to Alys. If you're not sure what being a mentor involves, please ask. Those who have participated have found it to be a wonderful way to support a young person.

#### **HUMC Flower Gardens**

Many hands have been working on the gardens around the church and down the path between the buildings. Please enjoy them as you come and go. If you are interested in some of the "baby" plants, please let Kirstin Heft know. She would be happy to help you.

## **Fall Book Study**

We will be reading & discussing Adam Hamilton's "Making Sense of the Bible: Rediscovering the power of scripture today" starting the week of Sept 20th. Tell Pastor Kelsey you're interested!

## **Prayers Requests and Thanksgivings**

We pray with thanksgiving for..., 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, people who continue to contribute to the food pantry,those who have gotten jobs.

We pray God's blessing for... Teachers & School administrators; Deb Lovley's cousin, Janice; Amy Harris (Patrick's mom); Bert & Jim Tew; MaryLou Brennan; MJudy 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.

**Our sympathies go to...** the family of Terry Hancock, Juanita's sister on her passing August 14th. Service on August 30th.

We pray for the church and for the world... Haiti; Afghanistan; Hawaii; wildfire zones; 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) **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**

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

10 - Karrie Brinkhuis 25 - Pastor Kelsey French

Andy Lewis 29 Susie Preston

14 - Brennen French

## **August Anniversaries**

3 - Andy & Alaina Lewis 18 - Matthew & Kristin Brinkhuis

17 - Annie & Jake Arndt Rick & Darcie Mack

#### Worship Volunteers

August Greeters: Bob Beck & Carl Collier

August 22 - @ Common Ground
Liturgist - Mary Howard

August 29 - @ Common Ground
Liturgist - Mandi Edgell

# **Communion Liturgy**

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

P: We lift them up to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

L:It is right, and a good and joyful thing...

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And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

L: Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ....

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as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

All: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

L: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here...

...

all honor and glory is yours, almighty  ${\it G}{\it od}$ , now and forever.

All: Amen.

# BREAKING THE BREAD GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

Instead of everyone walking up to take from the bread and cup, we will eat the bread and grape at the same time as we say these words.

The body of Christ, given for you. Amen.

The blood of Christ, given for you. Amen.

# One Bread, One Body

One bread, one body, one Lord of all One cup of blessing which we bless And we, though many, throughout the Earth We are one body in this one Lord

Gentile or Jew Servant or free Woman or man No more

One bread, one body, one Lord of all One cup of blessing which we bless And we, though many, throughout the Earth We are one body in this one Lord

Many the gifts, many the works One in the Lord Of all

One bread, one body, one Lord of all
One cup of blessing which we bless
And we, though many, throughout the Earth
We are one body in this one Lord
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#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION