



*Under
God's
wing*

Second Sunday of Lent

March 13, 2022

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Moments of Praise

Spirit Song

UMH 347



Call to Worship (*Leader, People*)

If God is a hen, **we are under God's wing.**

If God is a table, **we each have a seat.**

If God is a house, **we are safe from the storm.**

If God is a party, **we're invited to dance.**

If God is a melody, **our names are the lyrics.**

If this is God's house, **then all are welcomed.**

All are loved. All belong. **Let us worship Holy god.**

WORD

Scripture Lesson

Luke 13:31-35

NRSV

31 At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." 32 He said to them, "Go and tell that fox for me, 'Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. 33 Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed outside of Jerusalem.' 34 Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! 35 See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.'"

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Children's Time

Pastor Kelsey

Sermon

Pastor Kelsey

Words of Forgiveness

Family of faith, because Jesus' love just keeps going, we can trust that that love and grace exists for us. So rest in this good news:

No matter what we do wrong or what we leave undone, we are under God's wing. We are loved, held, and forgiven. Thanks be to God for a love like that! Amen.

RESPONSE

Response Song

On Eagle's Wings

UMH 143

Pastoral Prayer

Passing of the Peace

Offering Prayer & *Doxology

SEND

***Closing Song**

Lord of the Dance

UMH 261

***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 |
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Announcements March 13, 2022

Ongoing - Prayer Station for Ukraine

Mar 1 - 31 - Little Caesar's Pizza Kits Fundraiser

March 21 - Hopkins UMC Meeting Night

Mar 23 - Worship Wednesday, 5:30-7pm

Super Children's/Family Ministry: Worship Wednesday

On the 4th Wednesday of each month, join us for Worship Wednesdays! **Next: Mar 23 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**: Sometimes superheroes do great things. Other times it's the little things that make them super. Big and small things add up to a life that honors God and allows us to do some super things for others.

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!

Little Caesar's Pizza Kits Fundraiser

The UMW is hosting a Little Caesar's online fundraiser during the month of March! Many women of the church received a message about how to become a seller. If you need help with that, please talk to Mary during coffee fellowship. If you'd like to order pizza kits, Mary can help you with that, too.

April/May Newsletter

It's time to start submitting your accentuating the positive and any information that you would like shared through the newsletter. There is a gray newsletter box on the table in the hall. Please put your submissions there. Deadline is Sunday, March 27th.

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: \$1932.00

March Birthdays

1 - Reva Daniel	15 - Jim Tew
3 - Deb Lovley	22 - Mike Ballard
9 - Ruby Lewis	26 - Willow Mack
Wade Goodenough	29 - Presley Lewis

March Anniversaries

1 - Mike & Deb Lovley	5 - Vern & Judy Kraft
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Worship Volunteers

Greeters - Bob & Judy Beck

March 13	Mar 20
Children's Message - Pastor Kelsey	Mitzi Crowe
Liturgist - Mandi Edgell	Melanie Velderman
Coffee Fellowship - D. Lemmer,	Becks & Juanita Curtis
A. DeVries, &	
M. Velderman	