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Announcements Continued

- **HUMC:** Coed Bible Study: Starting started on Wednesday's in the fellowship hall, at 1:00 PM. The study is based on the book "The Story." They will start with Chapter 28, "New Beginnings." Please contact Rose for more information at rosemslagg@gmail.com or (918) 344-4721.
- **HUMC:** Men's Group starting back Thursday, September 10, 2020, at 6:00 PM, at HUMC. Please contact Greg for more information at biebdog@yahoo.com or (636) 208-1762.
- Please be sure to check out our website at www.hilltran.org.
- Please go to your app store and download our new phone app. Just search for "Our Church By Church Dev," download the app, then type in Hill-Tran for the church locator and it will fill the app with our church information, it's easy, but if you need help with it, please let Pastor Harold know.



Welcome to Hillsboro UMC

September 6, 2020

Our Mission

Hillsboro UMC exists to develop fully-devoted followers of Jesus Christ who are spiritually reproductive, engaged in ministry, fervent in prayer, and obedient to God's Word.

Our Vision

To create an environment where individuals and families are nurtured in their faith; provide a place where they can come to worship, to fellowship and spend time together. We desire to invest in our community and to share the love of Jesus Christ at every opportunity.

Welcome To Hillsboro UMC

Whatever your faith tradition, whatever your culture and race, whatever your age, atheist or agnostic, differing abilities, or whatever has happened up until now, may this kingdom community be a place of grace and healing for you. We want to meet you where you are, and help you take the next steps on your spiritual journey.



Order of Praise, Worship, and Teaching

Pre-Worship - “The Scoop—Video Teaching and Announcements”

***The Gathering Song:** “*Come, Now is the Time to Worship*” - Choir

***Call To Worship:** (See Insert)

***Opening Prayer:** (See Insert)

***Praise Song:** “*How Great Thou Are*” Vv. 1, 3, & 4 UMH #77

Praise Song: “*I Am Set Free*” - All Sons and Daughters

Offering and Generosity: “What Happens When We Give... We are Blessed”

***Scripture Reading:** Matthew 18:15-20 (NRSV)

***Praise Song:** “*Breathe*” - Johnny Diaz

Sermon: “*Kingdom Accountability*” - Pastor Harold Long

***Praise Song:** “*Resurrection Day*” - Rend Collective

***Sending Forth:** (See Insert)

Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord

*** = (Rise in Posture)**

Announcements: (*more on the back of the bulletin*)

- **HUMC and TUMC:** Sign-up to join a small group for this fall series, or sign-up to lead a small group in your home, church, or on Zoom. Contact Pastor Harold for more information. You can find his contact info on the back of the bulletin.
- **The Votes Are In:** Fall Sermon Series: The winner is “*Finding God in Popular Culture*” (Starts September 27, 2020). The Advent Series was a tight race between “Christmas in the Movies” and “Christmas is for Real People.” “Christmas is for Real People” is your winner. We will do “Christmas in the Movies” for 2021.
- **HUMC: Chicken and Dumplings Dinner:** September 12, 2020, from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM. (Takeout Only) Please contact Stefanie Stephens for more information at walfwr@aol.com or (314) 223-8057.

Matthew 18:15-20 (NRSV)

Reproving Another Who Sins

¹⁵ “If another member of the church^[a] sins against you,^[b] go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one.^[c] ¹⁶ But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷ If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. ¹⁸ Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹ Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. ²⁰ For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

Footnotes

A. Matthew 18:15 Greek *If your brother*

B. Matthew 18:15 Other ancient authorities lack *against you*

C. Matthew 18:15 Greek *the brother*

Reflection Questions

1. When have you participated in or witnessed true reconciliation?
2. How do you practice compassion at home and work?
3. Who do you need to reconcile with? Why are you putting off what Jesus has asked you to do? There is a blessing waiting for you.