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- **HUMC & TUMC:** The Hill-Tran Traveling Day Camp will be held at HUMC from June 14-18, 2021. You can go to HeartlandCamps.org/hill-tran to register children. The cost is \$50 per child, with \$25 due at time of registration, and the balance is due by May 31, 2021. You can pay online at our website www.hilltran.org/online-giving, and select Heartland Camps. You must register at HeartlandCamps.org/hill-tran.
- **HUMC & TUMC: Guest Speakers and Pastor's Calendar**
 - Donna Bondurant (April 25, 2021) Lay Speaker
 - Tom Johnson (May 2, 2021) Lay Speaker
 - Pastor Harold Long (Mother's Day)
 - Pastor Kayla Roe (May 16, 2021) Special Guest Pastor
 - Pastor Harold Long & Chole Telle (May 23, 2021)
 - Pastor Harold Long & Chole Telle (May 30, 2021)



Welcome to Hillsboro UMC

April 25, 2021

Our Mission

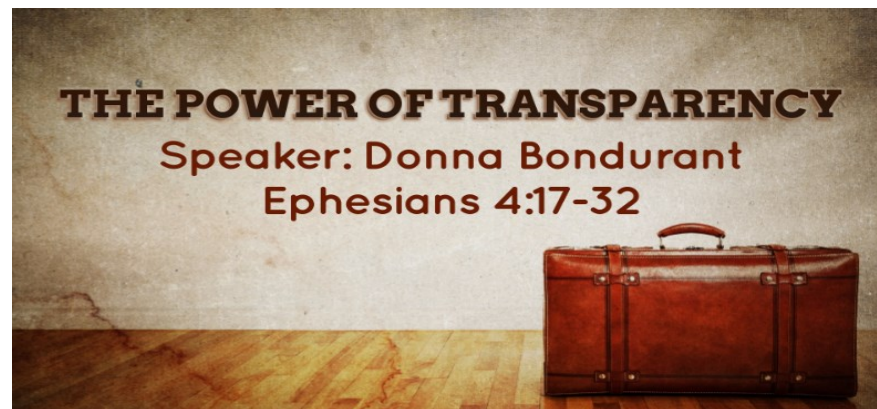
Hillsboro UMC exists to develop Jesus-centered followers who are eager to live like Jesus by helping usher in the Kingdom of God so that everyone can experience the grace of God.

Our Vision

To create a spiritual environment where individuals and families come as they are and experience the kingdom revolution. We strive to meet people where they are and help them rediscover life by walking shoulder to shoulder with them and welcoming them into our kingdom community.

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Whatever your faith tradition, whatever your culture and race, whatever your age, whatever your sexual orientation, whatever your gender, atheist or agnostic, alcoholic or addict, differing abilities, or whatever has happened up until now, may our kingdom community be a place of grace and healing for you. We want to welcome you to our Jesus-centered family.



Order of Praise, Worship, and Teaching

Pre-Worship - “Announcement Slide Show”

Opening Song “*Truth Be Told*”

Welcome and Announcements: Pastor Harold Long

Opening Prayer: (See the screen)

Call To Worship: (See the screen)

Offering: Online @ www.hilltran.org/online-giving

Lord’s Prayer

Song: “*Fear is a Liar*”

***Song:** “*Spirit Song*”

***Scripture Reading:** Ephesians 4:17-32

Sermon: “*The Power of Transparency*” - **Speaker:** Donna Bondurant

***Song:** “*Once And For All*”

***Song:** “*Nobody*”

***Sending Forth:** (See Screen)

* = (Rise in Posture)

Reflection Questions:

1. What did you take away from today’s message and scripture reading?
2. How often do you engage in the spiritual exercise of confession?
3. Would your spouse, family, and friends say you are transparent?
4. Would Jesus say you are transparent?
5. What secrets are you taking to your grave with you and why?

Please visit our website www.hilltran.org for the following:

- Prayer Wall to Post Prayer Request & Reply to Other Request.
- Read our Daily Devotional and Reflection (new each day).
- View the Latest Events
- View or Listen to Previous Messages and Services.
- Watch our live stream at <https://faithlifetv.com/items/862817>
- Find information for our VBS Camp coming June 14-18, 2021

Ephesians 4:17-32 (CEB)

The old and new life

¹⁷ So I’m telling you this, and I insist on it in the Lord: you shouldn’t live your life like the Gentiles anymore. They base their lives on pointless thinking, ¹⁸ and they are in the dark in their reasoning. They are disconnected from God’s life because of their ignorance and their closed hearts. ¹⁹ They are people who lack all sense of right and wrong, and who have turned themselves over to doing whatever feels good and to practicing every sort of corruption along with greed.

²⁰ But you didn’t learn that sort of thing from Christ. ²¹ Since you really listened to him and you were taught how the truth is in Jesus, ²² change the former way of life that was part of the person you once were, corrupted by deceitful desires. ²³ Instead, renew the thinking in your mind by the Spirit ²⁴ and clothe yourself with the new person created according to God’s image in justice and true holiness.

²⁵ Therefore, after you have gotten rid of lying, *Each of you must tell the truth to your neighbor* ^[a] because we are parts of each other in the same body. ²⁶ *Be angry without sinning.* ^[b] Don’t let the sun set on your anger. ²⁷ Don’t provide an opportunity for the devil. ²⁸ Thieves should no longer steal. Instead, they should go to work, using their hands to do good so that they will have something to share with whoever is in need.

²⁹ Don’t let any foul words come out of your mouth. Only say what is helpful when it is needed for building up the community so that it benefits those who hear what you say. ³⁰ Don’t make the Holy Spirit of God unhappy—you were sealed by him for the day of redemption. ³¹ Put aside all bitterness, losing your temper, anger, shouting, and slander, along with every other evil. ³² Be kind, compassionate, and forgiving to each other, in the same way God forgave you in Christ.