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HUMC & TUMC: Worship and Preaching Calendar

- - Pastor Harold Long (August 22, 2021) (Summer in the Psalms)
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Social Networks

- ⇒ **HUMC Facebook:** @HillsboroUMCMO
- ⇒ **TUMC Facebook:** @TransformationUMCMO
- ⇒ **Pastor Harold's Facebook:** @HaroldEugeneLong
- ⇒ **Pastor Harold's Twitter:** @haroldelong
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- ⇒ **Faithlife Community:** https://faithlife.com/hilltran-umc/
- ⇒ **Website:** www.hilltran.org

Welcome to Hillsboro UMC August 22, 2021

Our Mission

Develop Jesus-centered followers committed to sharing God's love in a Jesus-looking way to help change the world.

Our Vision

To create a spiritual community where individuals and families can come as they are, fall in love with Jesus, and have a spiritual experience.

Our Purpose

"People Helping People Experience a Jesus-centered Life"

Welcome, Home

Whatever your faith tradition, beliefs, culture, race, age, or differing abilities, we hope you find healing and acceptance in our kingdom-centered community. Whatever doubts or challenges you may have, we trust you will find the answers to your questions that will help you experience a Jesus-centered life.



Order of Praise, Worship, and Teaching

Opening Video - "Back To School"

Opening Song: "There Was Jesus"

Welcome and Announcements: (Liturgist) Deb Padgett

Opening Prayer: (See the screen) Deb Padgett

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

Joys and Concerns: Pastor Harold

*Lord's Prayer: Unison w/Pastor Harold

*Song: "Eye of the Storm"

*Song: "Amazing Grace—My Chains are Gone"

Scripture Reading: Psalm 90 (as part of the sermon)

Sermon: "Time is of the Essence, and The Essence is Jesus"

*Song: "I Stand Here"

*Song: "All The People Say Amen"

*Kingdom Carryout: (See Screen)

*Sending Forth: (See Screen)

* = (Rise in Posture)

Today's Reflection Questions (Personal or Small Group)

- 1. How do you hear Psalm 90?
- 2. Studies suggests older people are happier than younger people. May this be due to their acceptance of death?
- 3. How has your understanding of living and dying changed as you have grown older?
- 4. Despite the increase in life expectancy, we seem to live in a culture that glorifies youth. Is denial of aging and dying involved in all this?
- 5. How might we best teach children about death and dying, and what might we learn from them?
- 6. What thing can you do very well that many contribute "a tiny fraction" to the "magnificent enterprise that is God's work?"

Psalm 90

A prayer of Moses, the man of God.

90 Lord, you have been our help, generation after generation.
² Before the mountains were born, before you birthed the earth and the inhabited world—from forever in the past to forever in the future, you are God.

³ You return people to dust, saying, "Go back, humans,"

because in your perspective a thousand years are like yesterday past,

like a short period during the night watch.

⁵ You sweep humans away like a dream, like grass that is renewed in the morning.

⁶ True, in the morning it thrives, renewed, but come evening it withers, all dried up.

⁷Yes, we are wasting away because of your wrath; we are paralyzed with fear on account of your rage.

⁸ You put our sins right in front of you, set our hidden faults in the light from your face.

⁹ Yes, all our days slip away because of your fury; we finish up our years with a whimper.

We live at best to be seventy years old, maybe eighty, if we're strong.

But their duration brings hard work and trouble because they go by so quickly.

And then we fly off.

Who can comprehend the power of your anger?
The honor that is due you corresponds to your wrath.

¹² Teach us to number our days so we can have a wise heart.

¹³ Come back to us, LORD!

Please, quick!

Have some compassion for your servants!

¹⁴ Fill us full every morning with your faithful love so we can rejoice and celebrate our whole life long.

¹⁵ Make us happy for the same amount of time that you afflicted us—for the same number of years that we saw only trouble.

¹⁶Let your acts be seen by your servants; let your glory be seen by their children.

¹⁷ Let the kindness of the Lord our God be over us.

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