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Transformation UMC

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Worship and Preaching Calendar

- February 27, 2022 (Romans; I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel)
- March 06, 2022 (Romans; I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel)
- March 13, 2022 (Special Guest Speaker)

Social Networks

HUMC Facebook:: @HillsboroUMCMO

TUMC Facebook: @TransformationUMCMO Pastor Harold's Facebook: @HaroldEugeneLong

Pastor Harold's Twitter: @haroldelong Pastor Harold's Instagram: @haroldelong

Faithlife Community: @https://faithlife.com/hilltran-umc/

Website: www.hilltran.org
Questions: ask@hilltran.org

Welcome to TUMC

February 27, 2022

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: "Clean Slate"

Opening Song: "Blessed Assurance"

Welcome

Opening Prayer: (See Screen) everyone in unison

*Holy High-Fives

Announcements

Offering: Online @ www.hilltran.org/online-giving/ (Give Cheerfully)

Joys and Concerns: (write your prayer request on the connection form)

*Song: "Everlasting God"

Song: "Beautiful Name"

Scripture Reading: Romans 2:1-16 (CEB)

Message: "Three Fingers Pointing Back At You?" Pastor Harold Long

Song: "Above All"

*Song: "Survivor"

*Kingdom Carryout

*Sending Forth: (See Screen) everyone in unison

* = (Rise in Posture)

Today's Reflection Questions: (Individual or Small Group) As you read the following questions, ask the Lord to grant your wisdom

- What stood out, encouraged, or challenged you from this week's message?
- Read Romans 2:1-16. In verses 1-16, Paul describes the moral human who does not know Jesus. This person has been passing judgment on others (vv. 1-3). Why will they be condemned? Who will condemn them? What does this convey regarding the importance of removing "the log out of your own eye" before being judging others (Matthew 7:4-5)?
- What are your fears about the day of judgment? Are you afraid? Why or why not? Are you confident? Why or why not?

- According to Romans 2:4, is it God's wrath or God's kindness that "*leads*" a person "*to repentance*?" (Repentance means to call sin by name and to turn from it.) How can knowing this truth assist you while sharing Jesus with others?
- The person in verse 5 will receive the "wrath" of God due to the state of their "heart." What is said regarding the state of their "heart" (v.5)? What does this tell you about the importance of repentance.
- According to Acts 11:18 and 2 Timothy 2:25, God grants repentance in the sense that He grants humanity the opportunity to repent while in their (lost) depraved state. Is salvation possible without repentance? If not, why not?
- Based on Romans 2:5. what are those without Christ "storing up?' How does this "storing up" tie in with Revelation 20:11-15? Does this judgment apply to believers and unbelievers, or does is apply to unbelievers alone?
- How does the judgment mentioned in Romans 2:5 differ from the judgment addressed in 2 Corinthians 5:10 and 1 Corinthians 3:10-15? What encouragement do you draw from this?
- The judgment mentioned in verse 16 is the "great white throne" judgment of Revelation 20:11-15. Who will do the judging? Who, then, will be sitting on the judgment throne in Revelation 20:11-15? Can those being judged conceal anything from their Judge (notice the word "hidden truth" in Romans 2:16)?

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