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# **Transformation UMC**

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# Worship and Preaching Calendar

- April 24, 2022 (I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel)
- May 1, 2022 (Special Guest Speaker)
- May 8, 2022 (Mother's Day Message)

# **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 Transformation UMC April 24, 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**

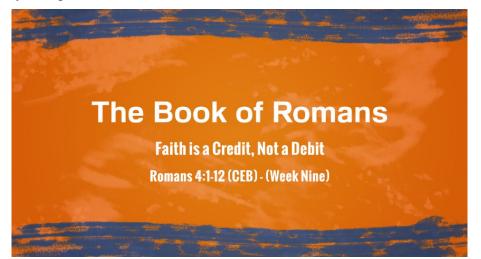
To create a spiritual community where individuals and families can come as they are, fall in love with Jesus, and have a spiritual experience.

## **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 kingdomcentered 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	Notes:
<b>Opening Video:</b> "We The Church"	
<b>Opening Song:</b> "Up From the Grave He Arose"	
<b>Opening Prayer:</b> (See the Screen)	
*Welcome Your Neighbor	
Announcements	
Offering: Online @ www.hilltran.org/online-giving/ (Give Cheerfully)	
Joys and Concerns:	
*Song: "Hello My Name Is"	
Song: "Jesus Messiah"	
*Scripture Reading: Romans 4:1-12 (CEB)	
Message: "Faith is a Credit, Not a Debit" - Pastor Harold Long	
*Song: "By His Wounds"	
*Song: "Days of Elijah"	
*Kingdom Carryout: (See the Screen)	
*Sending Forth:	
* = (Rise in Posture)	
Today's Reflection Questions: (Individual or Small Group)	
• Was Abraham made righteous before or after circumcision?	
• What is the purpose of circumcision?	
• What is the purpose of baptism?	
• If we turn our will and life over to the God of Abraham will our slate be wiped clean?	
• Once God makes us righteous, subsequent to our exercising repentance and faith while depraved/lost/spiritually bankrupt, can we lose our righteousness and become unrighteous?	
• Are Jews and Gentiles alike descendants of Abraham through faith?	
• If we exercise faith and repentance do we as gentiles experience the "spiritual" (blessings/promises) promised to Abraham?	

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