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# **Worship and Preaching Calendar**

- February 12, 2023 (Spiritual Giants Series-St. Francis of Assisi)
- February 19, 2023 (Special Message By Pam Church)
- February 26, 2023 (40 Days of Prayer)

# **Social Networks**

**HUMC Facebook:** @HillsboroUMCMO

TUMC Facebook: @TransformationUMCMO

YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/c/HillTranMinistries

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

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

# Welcome to Transformation UMC February 12, 2023

#### **Our Mission**

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

#### **Our Vision**

Our vision is to create a spiritual community where individuals and families can come as they are, fall in love with Jesus, and have a spiritual awakening.

# **Our Purpose**

"We are 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 Jesuscentered community. Whatever doubts, questions, or challenges you may have, we hope you will discover the answers you are searching for and experience a Jesus-centered life.



# Order of Praise, Worship, and Teaching

**Bringing In The Light:** "Survivor"

Opening Video: "Black History Month Inspiration"

**Welcome and Announcements:** Liturgist

\*Call to Worship: Liturgist
\*Opening Prayer: Liturgist

\*Opening Song: "Almost Home"

Joys and Concerns: Liturgist

\*Welcome Your Kingdom Family: (Due to the recent spike with COVID, Influenza, HRSV, and NREVSS, you are encouraged to give each other "Holy

High-Fives" and avoid unnecessary contact until things improve.)

\*Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:17-32 (CEB) Liturgist

Sermon Bumper Video: "Spiritual Giants Series Bumper"

Message: "Spiritual Giant: St. Francis of Assisi" - Pastor Harold Long

\*Song: "Oh My Soul"

\*Doxology: "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

**Offering:** Online @ www.hilltran.org/online-giving (Liturgist)

\*Kingdom Carryout: Pastor Harold Long

\*Sending Forth: Numbers 6:24-26 (NLT) (Unison)

\*Closing Song: ""

\* = Please Rise

Connection Cards: (Connection cards are available in the back of the chairs or at the information desk in the narthex. Please complete or update your information and place it in the offering plate or bucket before you leave church.)

"Remember that when you leave this earth, you can take with you nothing that you have received - only what you have given: a full heart, enriched by honest service, love, sacrifice and courage."

~ St. Francis of Assisi

# **Reflection Questions**

- What is your favorite quote from St. Francis?
- What happened to St. Francis that so greatly moved him to a life of internal and external poverty?
- How should you life resemble that of Francis?
- What other characters lives in the Bible Hall of Fame parallel that of St. Francis?
- What do you think his parents thought when he stripped off all of his clothes, handing them to his parents, and walking away nude?
- Why were so many people moved and attracted to St. Francis?
- Why are people in the 21st century still infatuated with St. Francis?

Notes			

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