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Hillsboro UMC

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Worship and Preaching Calendar

- March 5, 2023 (40 Days of Prayer Message Series) IV of VII
- March 12, 2023 (Spiritual Giants Series—Joseph Smith)
- March 19, 2023 (40 Days of Prayer Message Series) V of VII

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 Hillsboro UMC March 5, 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

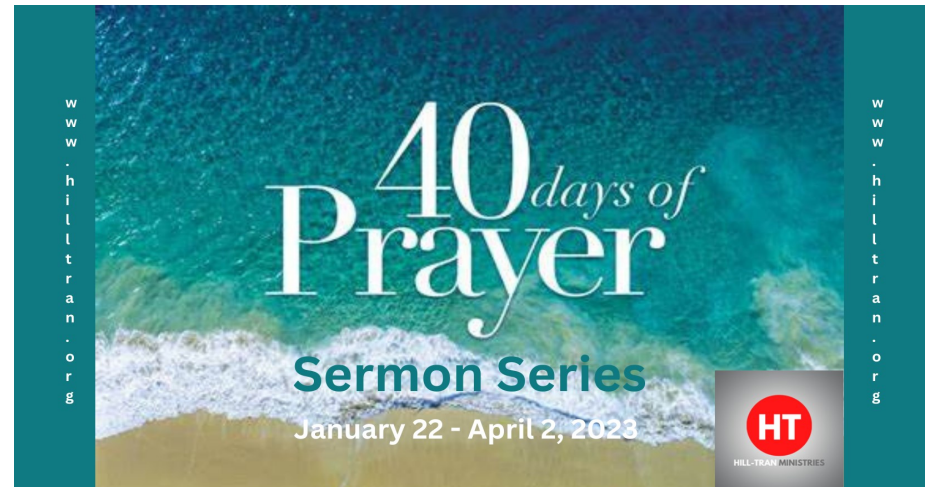
Our vision is to create a spiritual community where individuals and families can come as they are, fall in love with Jesus, and have a spiritual awakening.

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 Jesus-centered 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

Opening Song & Bringing In The Light: *“Eye of the Storm”*

Opening Video: *“Welcome To Service”*

Welcome and Announcements: Liturgist

***Call to Worship:** Liturgist

***Opening Prayer:** Liturgist

Joys and Concerns: Liturgist

***Sharing of the Peace**

***Scripture Reading:** Job 11:7-12 (The Msg) Liturgist

Sermon Bumper Video: *“40 Days of Prayer”*

Message: *“Praying in Five Dimensions - Pastor Harold*

Communion (We use grape juice and Hawaiian bread for communion)

***Song:** *“Holy, Holy, Holy “*

***Doxology:** *“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”*

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

***Kingdom Carryout:** Pastor Harold

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

***Closing Song:** *“Resurrection Day”*

*** = 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.)

“Everything has beauty, but not everyone sees it.”

— Confucius

“The eye through which I see God is the same eye through which God sees me; my eye and God's eye are one eye, one seeing, one knowing, one love.”

— Meister Eckhart, **Sermons of Meister Eckhart**

Reflection Questions

- How often do you admire and wonder about God’s creation?
- How would you articulate the incarnation of Jesus?
- What some of the ways the Holy Spirit moves? How have you experience the Holy Spirit in your life?
- When was the last time you truly felt the presence of God in your life?
- Why is it important for Christians to meditate and reflect on the cross?
- What does God look like to you?
- How do you understand the notion that Jesus dwells inside you?
- When was the last time you prayed to the Holy Spirit, and asked the Holy Spirit to use your life for the kingdom?
- How optimistic are you about your faith in the future, and the faith of those around you?

Notes

Announcements

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