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# **Worship and Preaching Calendar**

- April 30, 2023 "Hope" Liz Statler
- May 7, 2023 Spiritual Reservation Pastor Harold
- May 14, 2023 Mother's Day Special Pastor Harold & Three Special Momma's.

# 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 April 30, 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

**Opening Video:** "Alive With Hope" Opening Song & Bringing In The Light: "TBD" **Welcome and Announcements:** Liturgist \*Call to Worship: Liturgist (Call & Response) \*Opening Prayer: Liturgist (Unison) **\*Song:** "TBD" Joys and Concerns: Liturgist \*Sharing of the Peace Scripture Reading: Psalm 23 (NIV) - Liturgist **Sermon Bumper Video:** "Psalm 23" Message: "Hope" - Speaker: Liz Statler \*Song: "TBD" **Offering:** Online @ www.hilltran.org/online-giving (Liturgist) \*Sending Forth: Numbers 6:24-26 (NLT) (Liturgist) \*Closing Song: "TBD" \* = Please Rise "Hope sees the invisible, feels the intangible, and achieves the impossible." ~ Helen Keller "Hope has two beautiful daughters; their names are Anger and Courage. Anger at the way things are, and Courage to see that they do not remain as they are." ~ Saint Augustine "Hope is the thing with feathers that perches in the soul - and sings the tunes without the words - and never stops at all." ~ Emily Dickinson

"Most of the important things in the world have been accomplished by people who have kept on trying when there seemed to be no hope at all." ~ Dale Carnegie

# **Reflection Questions**

1. What is hope? 2. Are you alive with hope? If no, why not? 3. What are you supposed to do with the hope you possess? 4. How is the Lord your Shepherd? 5. Why must you walk through the darkest valley? 6. How can you be sure that the Lord's goodness and love will follow you all the days of your life? Notes

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