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Worship and Preaching Calendar

- June 11, 2023 - Are Satan, a.k.a. The Devil & Hell Real ? Part 1
- June 17, 2023 - Are Satan, a.k.a. The Devil & Hell Real ? Part 2
- June 24, 2023 - Special Service

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 June 4, 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.

GOD'S DNA

Now What?

Genesis 1:1-2:4a and Matthew 28:16-20



Order of Praise, Worship, and Teaching

Opening Video: “Welcome Home”

Opening Song & Bringing In The Light: “TBD”

Welcome and Announcements: Liturgist

***Call to Worship:** Liturgist

***Opening Prayer:** Liturgist

***Song:** “TBD”

Prayers and Praise: Pastor Harold

***Sharing of the Peace**

Communion: (Video Presentation)

***Scripture Reading:** - Genesis 1-2:4a (CEB) Liturgist

Sermon Bumper Video: “In The Image of God”

Message: “God’s DNA—Now What? - Pastor Harold Long

***Song:** “TBD”

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

***Sending Forth:** Pastor Harold

***Closing Song:** “TBD”

*** = Please Rise**

"The image of God carries with it the right not to be mistreated or harmed.... Regardless of their record or character, all human beings have an irreducible glory and significance to them, because God loves them.... So we must treasure each and every human being as a way of showing due respect for the majesty of their owner and Creator." ~ Timothy Keller

*"To say that I am made in the image of God is to say that love is the reason for my existence, for God is love."
~ Thomas a Kempis*

"If everyone could see the image of God in his neighbor, do you think we should still need tanks and generals?" ~ Mother Teresa

Reflection Questions

1. Science is fascinated with both the cosmic beginning and its ending, are you?
2. Do you believe “chance” or “God” created everything? If you say “chance,” then how did chance get here? If you say “God,” then how did God get here? By chance? Mystery?
3. Do you believe the universe will eventually cease to exist or go on for eternity?
4. How would you explain “In the beginning God.”
5. Is the earth a few thousand years old or billions of years old? Does it even matter?
6. According to Genesis, things were growing before there was even a sun. We know plants can’t grow without the sun but can grow when God commands. The BIG question is, “can you?” Can you grow without the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, despite being created in the image of God?
7. If all humans are created in the image of God, and some people claim to love God, shouldn’t everyone who makes such a claim humble themselves and practice loving everyone, including their enemies? Because humans are made in the image of God?

Notes

Announcements

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