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# Worship and Preaching Calendar

- February 04, 2024 "Do Not Worry" Speaker Pam Church
- February 11, 2024 Unstoppable Six-Part Series on Acts, Part V
- February 18, 2024 Unstoppable Six-Part Series on Acts, Part VI
- February 26, 2024 BEattitudes Series I of VIII
- March 03, 2024 BEattitudes Series II of VIII

#### **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
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#### Welcome to

#### **Transformation Church**

# **February 4, 2024**

#### **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**

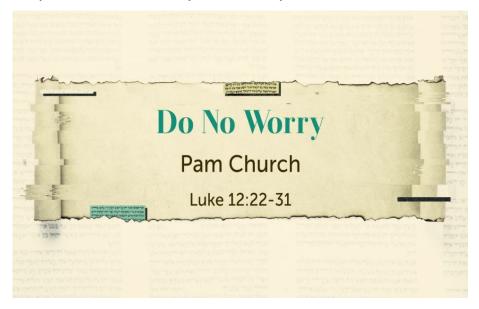
Our vision is to create a spiritual community where individuals and families can come as they are, fall in love with Jesus, have a spiritual awakening, and rediscover life.

#### **Our Purpose**

"We are People Helping People Experience a Jesus-centered Life"

#### **Welcome Home**

Whatever your faith tradition, beliefs, culture, race, past, age, or differing abilities, we hope you find healing and acceptance in our Jesus-centered community. Whatever doubts, questions, or challenges you may have about God and spirituality, we hope you discover the truth about God, have a spiritual awakening, and experience a Jesus-centered life. We are excited you are here and truly wish to connect with you wherever you are in the stream of life.



## Order of Praise, Worship, and Teaching

**Opening Video:** "Welcome to Church"

1st Song - Bringing in the Light: "Hear I Am Lord"

\*2nd Song: "House of the Lord"

Welcome and Announcements: Liturgist

**Opening Prayer:** Liturgist

**3rd Song:** "The Goodness of God"

Offering Message and Prayer: Liturgist

Giving: Online @ www.hilltran.org/online-giving/

Prayers, Joys, and Concerns: Pam Church

Sharing of the Peace: Welcome Your Neighbor

Scripture Reading: - Acts 8:1-40 (NLT)

**Sermon Bumper Video:** "Do Not Worry"

Message: "Do Not Worry" - Pam Church

4th Song: "We Believe"

Sending Forth: Pam Church

Closing Song: "Glory, Glory God is Able"

"Worry does not empty tomorrow of its sorrow. It empties today of its strength." ~ Corrie Ten Boom

"What worries you, masters you."  $\sim$  **John Locke** 

"With God in charge, I believe everything will work out for the best in the end." ~ **Henry Ford** 

"Sorrow looks back, Worry looks around, Faith looks up" ~ Ralph Waldo Emerson

"I never think of the future - it comes soon enough." ~ Albert Einstein

## **Scripture Reading**

## Luke 12:22-31 (NIV)

#### **Do Not Worry**

<sup>22</sup> Then Jesus said to his disciples: "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat; or about your body, what you will wear. <sup>23</sup> For life is more than food, and the body more than clothes. <sup>24</sup> Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds! <sup>25</sup> Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to your life<sup>[a]</sup>? <sup>26</sup> Since you cannot do this very little thing, why do you worry about the rest?

<sup>27</sup> "Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. <sup>28</sup> If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today, and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, how much more will he clothe you—you of little faith! <sup>29</sup> And do not set your heart on what you will eat or drink; do not worry about it. <sup>30</sup> For the pagan world runs after all such things, and your Father knows that you need them. <sup>31</sup> But seek his kingdom, and these things will be given to you as well.

#### **Footnotes**

Luke 12:25 Or single cubit to your height

**New International Version (NIV)** 

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