

## Contact Us

- **General Information & Other Ministry Contacts:**  
info@hilltran.org / (636) 789-2805
- **Senior/Teaching Pastor:** Harold Long /  
pastor@hilltran.org / (314) 422-2395
- **Student Ministries:** Harold Long /  
pastor@hilltran.org / (314) 422-2395
- **Children's Ministry Coordinator:** Kristie Monroe /  
(636) 357-3299 / kristiandawson@yahoo.com.
- **Worship Leader:** Krystal VanHouten /  
(314) 304-7189 / krstalh@yahoo.com
- **Congregational Care Team Leader:** Judi Politte-Downs  
(314) 497-6933 / judipd@ymail.com
- **Liturgist:** Karen Huskey

## Hillsboro UMC

4810 State Road B, Hillsboro, MO 63050

Office hours: Mon, Tues, and Thurs: 9-1:00 PM or by appointment  
B: (636) 789-2805 / email: info@hilltran.org

## Worship and Preaching Calendar

- March 24, 2024 - (Pam Church Preaching) (Palm Sunday)
- Easter Sunrise Service: @ TUMC at 6:30 AM w/breakfast after.
- Easter Service: HUMC @ 9:00 AM and TUMC @ 11:00 AM
- April 7, 2024 - Beatitudes Series V of VIII

**HUMC Facebook:** @HillsboroUMCMO

**TUMC Facebook:** @TransformationUMCMO

**YouTube:** <https://www.youtube.com/c/HillTranMinistries>

**Download our App:** "Our Church" Church.dev (Hill-Tran Ministries)

**Website:** www.hilltran.org

**Questions:** ask@hilltran.org

**Prayer Request:** prayer@hilltran.org

# Welcome To Hillsboro UMC March 17, 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 Spring"*

**Bringing in the Light:** *"TBD"*

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

**Welcome and Announcements:** Liturgist

**Offering Message & Prayer:** (God loves cheerful givers) 2 Cor. 9:7

**Giving:** Online @ [www.hilltran.org/online-giving/](http://www.hilltran.org/online-giving/)

**Joys and Concerns:** Pastor Harold

**Sharing of the Peace:** Welcome Your Neighbor

**1st Song:** *"TBD"*

**\*Scripture Reading:** - Matthew 5:1-12 (CEB)

**Sermon Bumper Video:** *"Blessed"*

**Message:** *"Are You Hungry and Thirsty for Justice"* - Pastor Harold

**2nd Song:** *"TBD"*

**\*Sending Forth:** Pastor Harold

**\*Closing Song:** *"TBD"*

---

*"Justice consists not in being neutral between right and wrong, but finding out the right and upholding it, wherever found, against the wrong."* ~ **Theodore Roosevelt**

*"Justice will not be served until those who are unaffected are as outraged as those who are."* ~ **Benjamin Franklin**

*"Not everything that is faced can be changed. But nothing can be changed until it is faced."* ~ **James A. Baldwin**

*"Until the great mass of the people shall be filled with the sense of responsibility for each other's welfare, social justice can never be attained."* ~ **Helen Keller**

## Scripture Reading

### Matthew 5:1-12—Reflection Questions

- Jesus hung out with the wounded, excluded, and suffering, what does this tell us about Jesus?
- How would you define justice?
- What actions have you taken in recent times in the name of justice?
- How do you relate to the wounded, excluded, and suffering?
- Who are the wounded, excluded, and suffering around you?
- What do these groups seem to have in common? What does that tell us about how Jesus sees blessedness?
- How does a person engage justice if they have been casual for many years?
- What is the Jesus-centered way to approach social justice?
- Are you tired of hearing about social justice in political and religious circles?

### Notes

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

## Hill-Tran Announcements



- **HUMC Women's Group:** Meet on March 21, 2024, at 6:00 PM at HUMC.
- **HUMC Leadership Meeting:** Thursday, March 28, at 6:30 PM
- **TUMC Leadership Meeting:** Sunday, May 12, 2024
- **TUMC Launch Team Meeting:** Monday, March 18, 2023, on ZOOM at 6:00 PM.
- **HUMC and TUMC:** Our Good Friday Service is at TUMC at 5:30 P.M. this year.
- **TUMC:** Sunrise Easter Service followed by breakfast. Service at 6:30 AM, bring a chair and coat.
- **HUMC: Eagle Scout Pancake Dinner Fundraiser:** Monday, March 18 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM at HUMC. Our very own Lilly Stephens is hosting, and working to raise funds for her Eagle Scout Project.

**HUMC: WE NEED MOWERS FOR WEEKLY ROTATION:** Please contact Mary Bondurant 314-660-0352

## Hill-Tran Announcements



- **HUMC Women's Group:** Meet on March 21, 2024, at 6:00 PM at HUMC.
- **HUMC Leadership Meeting:** Thursday, March 28, at 6:30 PM
- **TUMC Leadership Meeting:** Sunday, May 12, 2024
- **TUMC Launch Team Meeting:** Monday, March 18, 2023, on ZOOM at 6:00 PM.
- **HUMC and TUMC:** Our Good Friday Service is at TUMC at 5:30 P.M. this year.
- **TUMC:** Sunrise Easter Service followed by breakfast. Service at 6:30 AM, bring a chair and coat.
- **HUMC: Eagle Scout Pancake Dinner Fundraiser:** Monday, March 18 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM at HUMC. Our very own Lilly Stephens is hosting, and working to raise funds for her Eagle Scout Project.

**HUMC: WE NEED MOWERS FOR WEEKLY ROTATION:** Please contact Mary Bondurant 314-660-0352

## Hill-Tran Prayer Requests

### Praying For \_\_\_\_\_, ...

- Peace in the Middle East & Ukraine.
- Storm victims.
- Political Season (Everyone who is involved)
- The victims of violence of every kind.
- The victims of all accidents, diseases, and illnesses.
- The Thebeaus, Mary Baumgarth, Joan Baumgarth, Shannon O'Hara, Rick Collins, Sandy Wallace, Eli, Sandy, Kelsey, Easter traveler's, and Alan Politte.

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

**Lord, please hear our prayers.**

### Hill-Tran Joys

- **HUMC & TUMC:** Cardinal Baseball is back in action.
- **HUMC & TUMC:** New DS Jon Thompson.
- **HUMC & TUMC:** Spring is upon us.
- **HUMC:** Pastor Kayla and family coming home.
- **HUMC & TUMC:** Sandy Wallace is making good progress. Jane Scott is on the mend. Mary Baumgartner is making some progress. Pastor's Harold sister Sandra is cancer free. Marty and Donna are home safe, and we are only a few weeks away from Easter.

## Hill-Tran Prayer Requests

### Praying For \_\_\_\_\_, ...

- Peace in the Middle East & Ukraine.
- Storm victims.
- Political Season (Everyone who is involved)
- The victims of violence of every kind.
- The victims of all accidents, diseases, and illnesses.
- The Thebeaus, Mary Baumgarth, Joan Baumgarth, Shannon O'Hara, Rick Collins, Sandy Wallace, Eli, Sandy, Kelsey, Easter traveler's, and Alan Politte.

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

**Lord, please hear our prayers.**

### Hill-Tran Joys

- **HUMC & TUMC:** Cardinal Baseball is back in action.
- **HUMC & TUMC:** New DS Jon Thompson.
- **HUMC & TUMC:** Spring is upon us.
- **HUMC:** Pastor Kayla and family coming home.
- **HUMC & TUMC:** Sandy Wallace is making good progress. Jane Scott is on the mend. Mary Baumgartner is making some progress. Pastor's Harold sister Sandra is cancer free. Marty and Donna are home safe, and we are only a few weeks away from Easter.