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## Hillsboro UMC

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## Worship and Preaching Calendar

- April 14, 2024 - Beatitudes Series VI of VIII
- April 21, 2024 - Beatitudes Series VII of VIII
- April 28, 2024 - Special Guest Speaker
- May 5, 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

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# Welcome To Hillsboro UMC April 14, 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:** “*Goodness of God*”

**Bringing in the Light:** “*Here I Am To Worship*”

**\*\*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

**2nd Song:** “*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*”

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

**Sermon Bumper Video:** “*Blessed*”

**Message:** “*How Do You Know if Your Heart is Pure?*”

Pastor Harold

**3rd Song:** “*Great is Thy Faithfulness*”

**\*Sending Forth:** Pastor Harold

**\*Closing Song:** “*Old Church Choir*”

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*"Don't worry about having the right words; worry more about having the right heart. It's not eloquence he seeks, just honesty."*

~ **Max Lucado**

*"If my heart can become pure and simple, like that of a child, I think there probably can be no greater happiness than this."*

~ **Kitaro Nishida**

*"It is safe to tell the pure in heart that they shall see God, for only the pure in heart want to."*

~ **C. S. Lewis**

## Scripture Reading

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

**Read Matthew 5:8:** Blessed *are* the pure at heart for they will for the shall see God.

- How do you define the heart from a biblical perspective?
- How is it you see God if you have a pure heart?
- How do you obtain a pure heart?
- How do you know if you have a pure heart?
- What are the characteristics of a pure heart?
- What if your heart is not pure when you perish?

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