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FEBRUARY 2, 2020

WORSHIP SONGS

How Great Your Love Is
Living Hope
This I Believe
This Is Amazing Grace
You Are So Good To Me

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 1:1-2; John 1;
various passages

MESSAGE

“Trinity Mystery”

Pastor Jonathon VanderWall

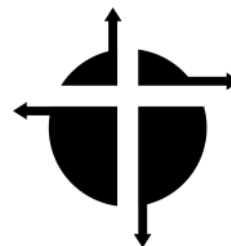
TODAY AT HCC

9:30 am - Sunday Worship Service
10:45 am - Coffee Fellowship
11:00 am - Discipleship Hour
11:00 am - Pastries with the Pastor

HCC reports may be located on the church website
(consistory minutes, bylaws, financial updates and others):

www.hopkinscommunitychurch.net/church-reports

You will need to use this address to access the page.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 2, 2020

Thank you for joining us in worship at HCC today! We're glad you are here!

Pastries With The Pastor: Anyone interested in partnering with us in ministry (becoming members) please join us this morning following the worship service during Discipleship Hour to talk about what that means. Donuts will be provided!! We will meet in Pastor Jon's office.

Security Team: we will have a short meeting right after the service this morning in the Adult SS room/AKA Evan's office. Any and all who are interested in being a part of the security team at HCC are invited to attend the meeting. Please note that you do not have to have a CPL license to be a part of the team. Looking forward to seeing you there!

The video of the Congregational Information Update Meeting is now available on our website. Also, there are associated linked underneath the video for several of the topics that were covered. You can find that video here: <https://www.hopkinscommunitychurch.net/congregational-meeting/>

Young At Heart (55+ group) is planning to meet for breakfast on Wednesday, February 5 at the Curley Cone (Gun Lake) at 9:00 AM. If you have questions, see Cindy Hoffmaster.

The movie "Overcomer" will be shown at HCC in the sanctuary on Saturday, February 22 at 5:00 PM. We will be providing popcorn and water along with the free movie! Any questions, please see Kevin Dewey or Dennis Norman.

The GEMS are in need of cotton fabric pieces in bright, fun colors and/or designs that appeal to young girls. If you have any you could donate, please contact Carol Boverhof.

Coffee Fellowship can always use a few more people to help out with serving/providing coffee and cookies on Sundays. If you would like to be included, please see Carol Boverhof.

The Hospitality Team is looking for a couple new faces to join our group. It is not a huge commitment; most of our work is done over email. The following falls under Hospitality: nursery, coffee fellowship, foyer upkeep, greeting. Let Carol Boverhof know if you can spare a little time for this group. Thank you!

Murder Mystery Escape Room Dinner: Join us for a fun evening of mystery and suspense brought to you by Escape Room on the Go! This event will be held Saturday, February 15 from 6-8 PM at HCC. Cost is \$25 per person and childcare will be available. Registration forms are in back of church and the deadline to sign up is February 8. Checks should be made payable to HCC. Questions? See any youth group leader. Funds raised from this event will go towards both summer mission trips for our youth groups.

The youth groups are planning an auction on Saturday, March 21 with the purpose of raising funds for their summer mission trips. Do you have something that you would like to donate? If so, please talk to any of the youth group leaders. There will be more information coming!

Gentle reminder for all groups who use the church for meetings, events, fundraisers, etc: You are asked to please clean up the space when you are finished using it. We ask that you leave the rooms or space as you found it and to pick up after yourself and your group. Please also refrain from taking food into the sanctuary. Thank you for helping us!

UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

February 2	Pastries With The Pastor 11:00 AM
February 5	Young at Heart Breakfast 9:00 AM
February 9	GEMS Sunday
February 15	Murder Mystery Escape Room Dinner 6:00-8:00 PM at HCC
February 22	"Overcomer" Movie Event 5 PM
February 23	Cadet Sunday
March 21	Summer Mission Trip Auction (time TBA)

THOUGHTS FOR REFLECTION

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 2, 2020

During the month of February, we are going to spend time focusing on the person of the Holy Spirit. To do that well, however, we need to begin talking about the reality of our Triune God. One of the most important and most mysterious doctrines of the Christian Faith is that of the Trinity, that God exists as one God in three distinct persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

While Scripture never explicitly uses the terms “trinity” or “triune,” there can be no doubt about the clarity of its teaching on the subject. Yet apart from gaining greater clarity on the nature of God’s existence, we may find ourselves asking why this is important, how it impacts us, and why, if it so important, is it still such a mystery to us.

Questions to take home:

1. Take a moment and go to: **www.hopkinscommunitychurch.net/what-we-believe** and read the Athanasian Creed. This creed is all about the Trinity. What things in there surprised you? What helped you? How does that help you gain clarity on this subject?
2. How does it make you feel that the Bible never uses the word “trinity” to talk about God? How does it make you feel that there is nothing in creation that can adequately describe or depict God’s triune existence? How do you feel about this mystery?
3. Ultimately our focus is turning to the Holy Spirit. How familiar are you in your understanding of the Holy Spirit? How does it make you feel that God has indwelt us with His Spirit? Does it make you want to explore Him more? Spend some time praying that God will reveal Himself and His Spirit to you and to HCC in this next month.

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY

WEEKS OF FEBRUARY 2 & 9, 2020

At HCC children are full participants in worship and in the life of the church; we value their unique gifts and energy. We desire to support parents in caring for and to disciple their children.

A private room for nursing mothers is located at the end of the hall to the right as you exit the sanctuary. We provide a nursery for ages 0-3 located to the right as you exit the sanctuary. A quiet play area has been set aside in the back of the sanctuary for parents and their children who would rather remain together in worship but may need space to move around. Children's activity binders are also available at the end of the center aisle in the foyer. We invite you to take advantage of any of these opportunities as we worship together!

WELCOME TEAM

FEB 2: Leep Family, Larrs, Eileen Kitler

FEB 9: Maule Family, Mulders, Eileen Kitler

COUNT TEAM

FEB 2: Kyle Hoffmaster, Jennifer Kerber, Lupe Martinez

FEB 9: Bob Kerber, Rich Huizinga, Eric Porter

NURSERY

FEB 2: Kathy Athearn, Jill Collier, Alyssa Bracelin

FEB 9: Bethany VanderWall, Deanna Wamhoff

WOW

FEB 2: Kammy Leep (Cole and Braden Wamhoff)

FEB 9: Sue Porter (Jenny Porter, Quinn Poll)

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

FEB 2: Lokers, Bill and Annette Hennip, Mulders

FEB 9: Hundermans, Athearns, Bob and Pam Hennip

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

FEBRUARY Contact Person: Pam Hennip

Mykel Pavlak, Tamie Pavlak, Debra Penning, Judy Reynolds,
Sarah Poll

PRAYER

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 2, 2020

Dorothy Paffhouse has been moved to assisted living at Briarwood Home in Allegan. Her address and phone number are below:

Dorothy Paffhouse

620 Ely Street Room 14, Allegan, MI 49010

Phone Number: 269-355-1299

Bob and Norma Knowlton

June Krug

Sandy Morris

Kay Slusser (sister-in-law to Dave and Rose Sebright)

CALENDAR

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 2, 2020

Sunday:

9:30 AM	Sunday Worship
10:45 AM	Coffee Fellowship
11:00 AM	Discipleship Hour
11:00 AM	Pastries with the Pastor
11:00 AM	Security Team Meeting

*NO YOUTH GROUPS TONIGHT

Monday:

9:00 AM	Bible Study
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Wednesday:

6:00 PM	Cadets
6:00 PM	GEMS