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December 20, 2020

WORSHIP SONGS

O Come, O Come Emmanuel
Angels From the Realms of Glory
What Child Is This?
Wonderful, Merciful Savior
Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus
Joy To The World (Unspeakable Joy)

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 7:14; 9:1-2, 6-7
Matthew 1:18-25

MESSAGE

“Celebrate Jesus: The Prince of Peace ”
Pastor Jim Harrison

TODAY AT HCC

9:30 am - Worship
11:00 am - Bible Study (People of The Book)
6:00 pm - R-GEN (High School youth group)



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEK OF DECEMBER 20, 2020

Welcome to worship! We are so glad you are here, whether you're joining us in person, in the parking lot, or online!

The church office will be closed from December 23 - January 1.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE: HCC will be hosting a Christmas Eve Celebration worship service this Thursday, December 24 from 4:00 - 5:00 PM. Hopkins United Methodist Church is hosting a Live Nativity in the downtown park from 5:00 - 7:00 PM that evening ending with candles and singing.

LIVE NATIVITY: This Thursday, December 24 the Hopkins United Methodist Church will be hosting a Live Nativity at the park in front of the Fire Barn from 5:00 - 7:00 PM. The whole community is invited to this event.

KEY FOBs: Those who have requested a key fob for electronic access to the church, please check your mailboxes for an envelope containing your fob. Any questions, please see Kathy in the office. Reminder to all that key access for the doors ends December 31.

2020 TITHES: All end-of-year tithes and offerings (including Tithe.ly giving) must be received by Sunday, December 27 in order to be recorded to 2020 giving. If you send your contribution by mail, please ensure that they are postmarked on or before December 31.

GIVING ENVELOPES FOR 2021 will be distributed in very late December, possibly the first full week of January due to a shipping delay. **If you normally use an envelope for a cash donation, please use a plain envelope and put your number/name on it. Checks may be placed in the offering box without an envelope.** Any questions, please contact Kathy (hcrc@sbcglobal.net or call 269-793-7361).

PRAYER

WEEK OF DECEMBER 20, 2020

“Thank you for all the cards and prayers received by our family over the last couple weeks. The prayers were truly felt and appreciated by us and our extended family.” — The Clements

- **Renee Gorman** (Bill and Joan Riksen’s daughter) was diagnosed with breast cancer. She will undergo a mastectomy January 12.
- **Carolyn Schafer** (friend of Joan Riksen) has a leg wound that is not healing. She also has family suffering with Covid-19 and some with serious illness. Please keep her and her family in prayer.
- **Marian Lull** (Hopkins resident) was diagnosed with leukemia and given 6 months to live. Please remember her and her family in prayer during this difficult time.
- **Esther White** (Liz Antvelink’s grandmother) as she continues to recover from Covid-19.
- **Trenton** (Ashley Zeinstra’s friend’s son) as he continues to recover from a skull fracture he sustained in a fall.
- **Louise Allen** (Carol Boverhof’s sister) was able to have shoulder surgery on Friday; a rod was placed as the bone had been shredded from the cancer. Chemotherapy will hopefully begin in a couple weeks.
- **June Krug** as she has begun a new chemotherapy for cancer.
- **Howard Lodenstein** as he continues to regain strength following Covid-19. Keep Joann in prayer as she continues to be unable to visit with him while he is in the Medi-Lodge in Marshall.
- **Pat Modreske** (friend of Florence Balfoort) is home and will soon have the rods and pins removed from her foot. The doctors will know more once the swelling goes down, but it’s too soon to know if the foot can be saved. She wanted to be sure to pass along her thanks for the congregation’s prayers as it has been so much appreciated!

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY

WEEKS OF DECEMBER 20 & 27, 2020

FRONT DOOR GREETERS

DEC 20: Roger and Mary Hunderman

DEC 27: Dick and Carol Boverhof

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WEEK OF DECEMBER 20, 2020

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TODAY AT HCC

9:30 AM	Worship Service
11:00 AM	Bible Study (People of The Book)
6:00 PM	R-GEN (High School youth group)

MONDAY

9:00 AM	Bible Study
5:00 PM	Elders Meeting
6:00 PM	Consistory Meeting

THURSDAY

4:00 PM	Christmas Eve Service
5:00 PM	Live Nativity (at the park by the fire barn)

FRIDAY

Merry Christmas!

GIVING SUMMARY

WEEK OF DECEMBER 20, 2020

General Fund receipts for week 12/13 - 12/18/2020

ACH offering 12/15:	\$ 2,915.00
Tithe.ly deposits:	\$ 824.35
<u>Sunday offering 12/13:</u>	<u>\$ 8,340.00</u>
	\$12,079.35