

Hilton United Methodist Church
1st Sunday in Lent, February 14, 2016, 10:00 am

We Gather to Worship

Prelude

Dr. Hye-Bin Song

Call to Worship

Call: Love is what draws us here.

Response: Our desire to be loved entices us.
Brother-Sister love invites us.
God's creative love unites us.

Call: Love is what fills us here.

Response: A handshake or embrace warms us.
Holy conversation informs us.
Christ's grace reforms us.

Call: Love is what encourages us here.

Response: A compassionate tale stirs us.
A need made known prompts us.
God's pervasive Spirit inspires us.

Call: Let us practice such love with hearts open to God and God's possibilities.

Response: Let our worship be a wondrous act of love!

Introit: "Where Charity and Love Prevail" O. Westendorf/ A. R. Reinagle

Opening Prayer *Liz Gliszczynski, Lay Liturgist*

God of wonder and of joy: grace comes from you, and you alone are the source of life and love. Without you, we cannot please you; without your love, our deeds are worth nothing. Send your Holy Spirit, and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, that we may worship you now with thankful hearts and serve you always with willing minds; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* Hymn: "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love" TFWS #2223

Experiencing God Through God's Word

* Gospel Lesson John 15:9-17 p 764 lp 1677

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God

P: Thanks be to God.

The Word for Children

Children ages 6-12 may now be dismissed for Jr. Church in the Youth Room

Choral Anthem "Kyrie Eleison" Dana Mengel

New Testament Lesson: Colossians 3:12-17 p 834 lp 1834

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P: Thanks be to God.

Message: Ray Perkins

We Respond to God's Word

* Hymn: "The Gift of Love" UMH #408

Prayers of the People

Silent Prayer and Personal Confession

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

*God, I thank you for....
God, I need help with*

*Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name,
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
for Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen*

Giving to God

Offering our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

* The Doxology *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;* UMH # 94

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

We Go Forth to Serve God

* Hymn: "For the Fruits of This Creation" UMH # 97

Ministry Opportunities

The Benediction

Benediction Response: "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" vs 1 UMH # 664

Postlude

* Stand in body or spirit P = Bible page number, LP = Large Print Bible page
TFWS # = The Faith We Sing Hymnal; UMH # or # = The United Methodist Hymnal

The Grand Sweep - Our Grand Sweep adventure of reading through the Bible continues.
This Week's Reading [Week #44]: Acts 1-18 and Psalms 148-150 and Proverbs 1

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Project Chacocente Mission Trip 2016

Persecuted Christians around the world;

The Hand to Plow Process;

Our Mission Outreach Children: Marbelly and Ariel Velasquez Alvarado.

Residents of Care Facilities: Bob Hall; Gloria Hamm; Eleanor Harrington; Bill Hess; Marie Nundy, Betty Schultz; Natalie Turner.

Ongoing Health Concerns: Bob Comstock; Ron Davies; Ed Earnhart; Betty Everts; Alea Floyd; Andrew Hardy; Margaret Hendershot; Michele List; Mike Postilli; Betty Sullivan; John Sweeney; Chris Wanjon.

Service people: Sgt. Michael T. Bigley; Gen. James Blackburn; St. Sgt. Jason Brackley; LCpl. Nathan Coffey; Sgt. FC David Colucci; Msgt. Matthew Emerson; Capt Scott Fuller; Pvt Annika Moody; Sgt. Nick Mucci; Maj. Jathan Payne; LCpl Scott Ponton; Maj Nathan Thompson; Sr Airman Steven Trembley; Sgt. Cody Wise.

* If you know of anyone that should be added to this list please let us know.

Dear Church Family – as most of you know Bill Hess now resides at the VA in Canandaigua.

What you might not know is that Bill's 82nd Birthday is on February 16th.

We would love to 'shower' him with cards... Please take a moment to send a card to

Bill at: Bill Hess, Sr.	or Sparky at: C/O Laurie Manzer
Canandaigua VA	1439 Creek Pointe
Bldg 7A Rm 129	Farmington, NY 14425
Canandaigua, NY 14424	

Pastor Jennifer will be away on a Mission Trip from February 13th to 22nd.

If you need pastoral care while Pastor Jennifer is away, please contact our Office Manager, Pat Van Vleck (office – 392-8761 or cell 355-1035) and she will put you in touch with our 'on-call' pastor.



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Following Christ ☆ *Connecting Generations* ☆ *Transforming Communities*

Welcome to worship. We pray you feel God's presence in this place. Please sign the attendance pad so we may get to know you and pray for you and your family. Please consider joining us for refreshments and fellowship immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall, which is located down the stairs near the entrances

This Week:

Today: Worship at 10:00am
 Coffee & Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall
 A **Disciples Path Study & Adult SS** – 11:30am in the Multi-Purpose Room (couch area)
 Youth Sunday School 11:30am – in the Youth Room
 Children's Sunday School 11:30 on the 3rd Floor

Monday: Prayer Group @ 9:15am
Chums 12pm FH

Wednesday: **Lenten Lunch 12pm FH**
 Choir Rehearsal following Service

Thursday: **NO** Bible Study this week

Friday: AA – FH 7pm

Saturday: PCF Worship – Sanctuary 5:00pm

Sunday: PCF Worship – Sanctuary 8:30am
Worship @ 10am
 Fellowship & Coffee hour
 A Disciple's Path Study – 11:30 MPR
 Sunday School 11:30am

Please make plans to join us on Sunday March 6th from 1p to 3pm for a Community Awareness Event on Human Trafficking. It doesn't just happen somewhere else. Come and hear how we're affected locally and nationally. Learn ways to protect yourself and your family, and help local survivors. There will be age appropriate educational activities for all kids and teens, plus adult viewing of a HT video followed by an open question and answer period. We will also be collecting items to fill Care Packs to be delivered to local survivors. If able, please bring a small donation of soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, haircare items, or other toiletries to support those rescued. Any questions feel free to ask Deb Bunt or Deb Pardi."

We will be having a pot luck dinner and game night on Friday, March 11. We will eat dinner at 6:00 and begin games at 7:00. Bring your favorite dish to eat and your favorite game to play. No sign up is necessary.

Staff at HUMC

Pastor: Rev. Jennifer Green
 Office Mngr: Patricia Van Vleck
 Music Coord.: Karen Bernhardt Kuntz
 Custodian: Bill Schubert
 Organist: Dr. Hye-Bin Song
 Youth Coord.: Angela Merrill
 Nursery: Amy Quartieri

Disciples Active In Worship This Week

Head Usher: Pat Holenbeck
 Greeter: Beth Mucci
 Guides: Deb Ortiz-Pardi & Sue Sutherland
 Nursery Ass't: Alex Pardi
 Sound Booth: Greg Schuler
 Coffeeshour: Manuela Groth & Lara Schuler
 Worship Coord.: Scott Campbell
 Financial Sec.: Sally Lee
 Ministers: The Whole Congregation

Lenten Devotionals are available on the table in the Narthex/Lobby. Also there is a special Africa 360 Lenten Devotional on the Conference website at www.unyumc.org

Lenten Luncheons 2016

Come join us for a simple lunch of soup and sandwich and a Lenten meditation. All lunches will take place at Hilton United Methodist Church on Wednesdays during the Lenten season at noon. Lenten Luncheon dates are as follows:



<u>Date</u>	<u>Hosts</u>
Wednesday February 17 th	Parma Greece UCC
Wednesday February 24 th	St Leo's Catholic Church
Wednesday March 2 nd	Hilton United Methodist Church
Wednesday March 9 th	Hilton Baptist Church
Wednesday March 16 th	St. George's Episcopal Church

The year's theme will be based on Adam Hamilton's book 24 Hours That Changed the World. We hope you will join us!