

New to our worship service? Welcome! Please complete the Connection Card in this bulletin & place in offering container at the exit.

We would like to send you information about our church.

**Every Sunday for worship
you can come inside our building
or remain in your car**

Pastor Tom plans to be inside some Sundays and outside some Sundays.

If he is inside, you can still hear it outside
on FM 87.9 or on outdoor sound

If he is outside, you can still see it inside
on the TVs

**Every Sunday, please join us for
fellowship, discussions, & fun at 10:15 a.m
(Indoors for Children, Youth & Adults)**

The vaccine is not available to some children and adults with health conditions. **Therefore, while inside, please help keep us safe:** Masks are recommended. Only every-other pew will be available. Please remain 6 feet from other families. Special ventilation will provide safe outside air. Please use the hand sanitizer at the entrances. If you have a cough, nasal congestion, fever, fatigue, ear ache, or body aches, or if you have been exposed to someone with Covid or have a test pending, please do not come inside

Please do not park vans, trucks or SUVs in the front row of the front parking lot. People in cars behind you or beside you may not be able to see. If the sun is too bright, you can park in the side parking lot where the sun will be at your back.

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Hydesburg United Methodist Church



Creating followers of
Jesus Christ for the
transformation of the world

Sunday mornings:

Worship 9 a.m.

Discussions

10:15 a.m.

Sunday, November 28, 2021

Song leader: Joe Smith

Are You Ready for Christmas? Week 1 of 4 Faithful: A Carpenter Named Joseph

Matthew 13

⁵⁴ When he came to his hometown, he taught the people in their synagogue. They were surprised and said, "Where did he get this wisdom? Where did he get the power to work miracles?" ⁵⁵ Isn't he the carpenter's son? Isn't his mother named Mary? Aren't James, Joseph, Simon, and Judas his brothers? ⁵⁶ And his sisters, aren't they here with us? Where did this man get all this?"

John 6

⁴¹ At this the Jews there began to grumble about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." ⁴² They said, "Is this not Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I came down from heaven'?"

Sunday, Dec. 19. **Children & Youth Nativity** will be at the beginning of our 9 a.m. worship service. Children & youth should arrive at 8:40 a.m. in order to dress in costumes.

Order of Worship

Order of showing worthiness (of God) and connecting with God

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC...Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

BIRTHDAYS

School age & preschool people can come forward or stay in car

TIME FOR YOUNGER PEOPLE

JOYS, CONCERNS, PRAYER

READING OF SCRIPTURE

CONVERSATION TO HELP KNOW OUR CREATOR

PRAYER, INVITATION, OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND

MUSIC...The First Noel

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR RETURNING INTO THE WORLD

Offerings, Tithes, & Connection Cards may be placed in container at the exit or mailed to church address

Pastor Tom is available after worship for prayer, to answer questions, or to talk with you about being baptized, professing your faith in Christ, or becoming a member of the Hydesburg Church. Also, see his contact info.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

Prayer Requests (our service opportunities)

11-21 **Kay Holt** –health –P Milam mom, **Dan Griffen family** –
by L Griffen, **Sue Haynes** –by B Todd, **Jim Thompson**
family –by J Vahle, **Private prayer requests**

11-14 **Delaney & Elaina Carroll** –health –daughters of Jaime
(sound person), **Brant & Mason Ericson** –sound person &
son

11-7 **Nick Cunningham & Rachel Cunningham** – by L
Griffen, **Tim Cookson** –health –Trina husband –by J Vahle

10-31 **Dennis Graham family** –Doug Turner brother,
Barbara Ruhl –health –by M Brown, **Brandon Lemons** –
health –Tom & Judy son, **Jim Laack** –Robyn Atkins
stepfather, **Jack & Esther Williams** –by Betty Todd, **Junior &**
Jenny Muehring –by Joyce Vahle, **Daniel Wayne Clark**
family –by L&J Atkins

Ongoing: **Ben Sublette** –military- Roger & Marilyn son, **Baby**
Joseph Schmits –health –J Vahle great-grandson, **Jerry &**
Pat Ruhl –health –Tom's brother, **Patty & John Wagner** –
health, **Becky & Jim Maple** –health, **Brad Ruhl** –Tom &
Debbie son, **Kevin Craft** –health, **Caleb Ruhl**, **Ty Mount** –
health, **Brandon Murphy** –Susie & David son, **Sandy**
Schmits –health –J Vahle daughter, **Betty Todd** –health,
Marcia Farmer & Jim Reese –health –B Ruhl daughter,
Donnie & Archella Sharkey –health, **Jim & Mary Atkins** –
Luther Manor, **Jenny Herbig** –health –J&M Atkins
granddaughter, **Dick Wilson** –health –A Cunningham cousin,
Mel Lewallen –health –D&T Ruhl brother-in- law, **Jon Otten &**
Kent E. Todd –B Todd gsons, **Kent Todd** –health –Betty's
son, **William Michael Harlow** –health –T Turner gson, **Fern**
Arnold –health –at Pleasant View, **Bob & Ann Mount** –
health, **Sidney Schaller** –health, & **Roy Gillum & Chloe**
Gillum –by Kellee Gillum, **Jaime Todd** –by Betty T, **Chuck**
Hirner –health –by D Sharkey (family), **Jon Myron** –health –
S&B Mitchell nephew, **Amber McNamara Houston** –health –
T Ruhl cousin, **Chase Hickman** –health –by D Ruhl, **Bonnie**
Mayer McSherry –health –by D&A Sharkey, **Baby Asah See**
–health –by D Ruhl, **John Farmer** –health-by B Ruhl, **Kate**
Jones –health –Pastor Dan's wife, **Logan Bergman** –health –
by I Griffen, **Relief from pandemic**, **People who aren't**
trying to follow Christ

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

1. Come, thou long expected Jesus, born to set thy people free;
from our fears and sins release us, let us find our rest in thee.
Israel's strength and consolation, hope of all the earth thou art;
dear desire of every nation, joy of every longing heart.
2. Born thy people to deliver, born a child and yet a King,
born to reign in us forever, now thy gracious kingdom bring.
By thine own eternal spirit, rule in all our hearts alone;
by thine all sufficient merit, raise us to thy glorious throne.

The First Noel

1. The first Noel the angel did say
was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
in fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
on a cold winter's night that was so deep.

Refrain: Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel,
born is the King of Israel.

2. They looked up and saw a star
shining in the east, beyond them far;
and to the earth it gave great light,
and so it continued both day and night. **(Refrain)**
3. And by the light of that same star
three Wise Men came from country far;
to seek for a king was their intent,
and to follow the star wherever it went. **(Refrain)**
4. This star drew nigh to the northwest,
o'er Bethlehem it took its rest;
and there it did both stop and stay,
right over the place where Jesus lay. **(Refrain)**

5. Then entered in those Wise Men three,
full reverently upon the knee,
and offered there, in his presence,
gold and myrrh and frankincense. **(Refrain)**
The perfect father would:

A perfect parent would have what qualities?

L_____ G_____
H_____ C_____
T_____ J_____
D_____ H_____ **the weak**
A_____ **when wrong** F_____
F_____ F_____

Other notes:

Have you ever considered leading the learning time / giving the sermon on a Sunday when the Pastor is away?

An online Zoom class is available. Held on five Wednesdays 6:30-8:30 p.m. beginning January 19. Limited to 20 participants. Registration deadline is December 20. Talk with Pastor Tom for more info.

Joy in our church

Ed & Anna Cunningham celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on November 25.

Dear Hydesburg Methodist Church,

On behalf of the HHS Key Club, thank you for your \$300 donation to our club! We enjoy working your popcorn booth at the annual Folklife Festival each year; it has become a tradition! We hope to see you again in 2022!

Sheryl Gamble, HHS Key Club Sponsor
And signed by 38 students

Are you in need of urgent prayer or know someone who is? Call or text our Prayer Connections lead, Carol Wallen at 573-795-5623 or Pastor Tom at 573-248-4349.

Are you ready for Christmas?

Advent 2021

Advent is a season of four weeks including Sundays. *Advent* derives from the Latin *adventus*, which means “coming.” The season proclaims the coming of the Christ – whose birth we prepare to celebrate once again.

This year our Sunday 9 a.m. worship & 10:15 a.m. discussion & fellowship time will be guided by the book “Faithful: Christmas Through the Eyes of Joseph” by Rev. Adam Hamilton. Hamilton is the pastor of The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection in Kansas City, which averages about 25,000 people each Sunday for worship. His books have been very popular with our Hydesburg people in the past.

Week 1: November 28:	A Carpenter Named Joseph
Week 2: December 5:	Whose Child Is This?
Week 3: December 12:	Raising a Child Not Your Own
Week 4: December 19:	The Journey to Bethlehem
Christmas Eve. 4 p.m.:	The best Good News ever!

For those of you who want to read the book, copies are available to pick up on Sunday or you can order the book from Amazon or Cokesbury.com or 800-672-1789.

For possible winter weather cancellations: Check TV Channel 7 or www.khqa.com. If in-person worship service is cancelled, we still will have worship on www.Facebook.com/HydesburgUnitedMethodistChurch.

Memory verse for December

Luke 2:13-14 Suddenly a great assembly of the heavenly forces was with the angel praising God. They said, “Praise God in heaven! Peace on earth to everyone who pleases God.”

Wesley Covenant Prayer

I am no longer my own but yours.
Put me to what you will, rank me with whom you will.
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.
Let me be employed for you or laid aside for you, exalted for you or brought low for you.

Let me be full, let me be empty.
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.
I freely and wholeheartedly yield all things to your pleasure and disposal.

And now, glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, you are mine and I am yours. So be it.
And the covenant now made on earth, let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

Please bring food pantry items: canned or packaged items, especially those that are quick & easy to prepare.

Looking for a Christmas present:

The Chosen (DVD). Season 1 & 2 are available. \$25.
More Than a Carpenter (book by Josh McDowell). \$7
The Case for Christ (book by Lee Strobel). \$17.
Life Application Study Bible. \$28.

Are you receiving the Hydesburg Church update texts or emails? They are sent about twice per week. If you would like to be added or know someone else who would like to receive, email Hydesburg@gmail.com or text 573-248-4349. If you do not use email or text, please contact Pastor Tom and he will get the updates to you another way.

Do you have a favorite Christmas song you would like for us to sing during our worship hour? Contact Pastor Tom.

Connection Card

Please place this page in the offering container at the exit

Name(s) _____

Email _____

Text _____

Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Guests: How did you hear about our church (Name of person who invited you, internet, ad, etc.) _____

_____ The above is a change in contact information.

_____ I would like the pastor to call me.

_____ Send me info about becoming a follower of Jesus

_____ Send me info about becoming a member of this Church

Prayer requests

Please check one:

_____ Please share this prayer request with the church

_____ Please keep this request private