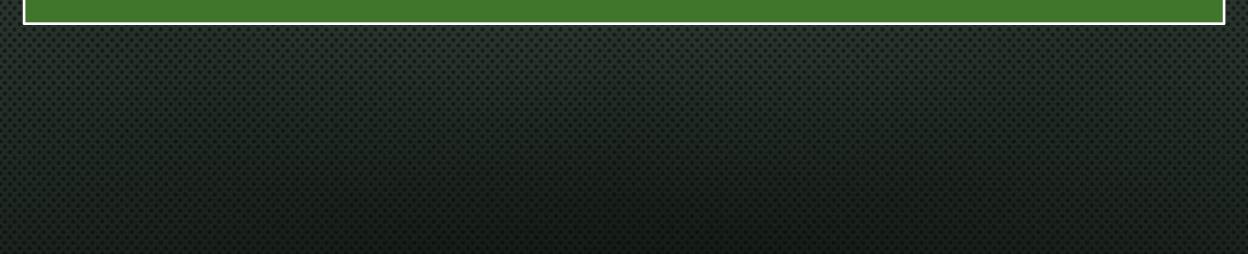
Welcome to Homestead Park United Methodist Church

Announcements ~ This Week ~



The CDC recommends that we wear masks when we gather indoors regardless of vaccination status.

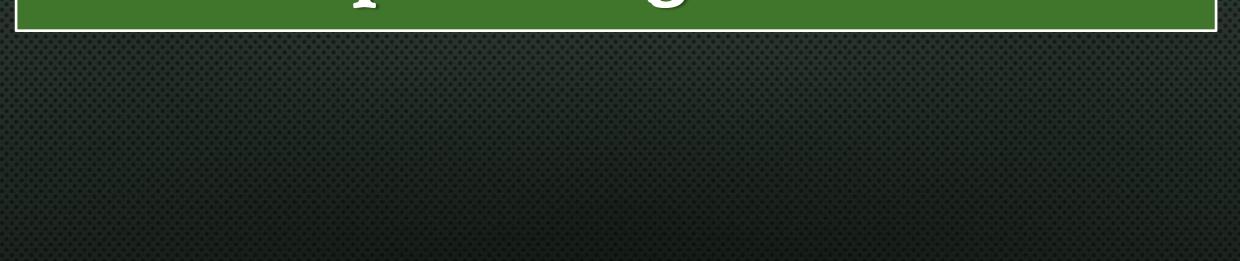
Thank you for your cooperation!

Prayers and thoughts go out to Mary and Clark Kass. Please remember them with a card. Their address is in the directory.



Today - Season after Pentecost - Worship - Nominations Committee (Lay Leadership) Meeting Saturday 09/18/21 - 9 am Homeless Lunch Prep

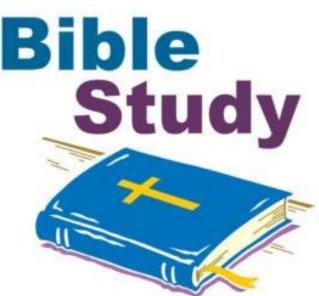
Announcements ~ Upcoming Events ~





How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth

- First and third Thursdays at 11 am beginning on October 7th. Please email Pastor Don by Sunday September 19 for a copy of the study guide - pastordonkephart@hpumc.com



Tuesday In the Word "Women in the Bible - Hannah" - 09/21/21 - 7 pm

We will meet in the Annex Fellowship Room upstairs.

Sunday 09/19/21 - Homeless Lunch Delivery Saturday 09/22/21 - 6 pm Church Council Meeting Saturday 09/25/21 - Fall Community Day



Sunday 09/26/21 - 6 pm Guest speaker from Operation Christmas Child

Hear an inspirational story from someone who received a shoebox at Christmas as a child and how it affected their life. Refreshments will be served.

Other Announcements

Opening Prayer (unison)

(Please stand as you are able)

We gather today, in the name of the One who is the Alpha and Omega, the First and Last. We gather today, in the name of the One who gives all the opportunity for repentance that leads to life.

We gather today, in the name of the One whose command created all things. We gather today, in the name of the One whose glory is far above earth and heaven. We gather today, in the name of

the One who will one day make his dwelling with humanity. We gather today, in the name of the One who will make all things new. Make us new, Lord. Make us new.

Call to Worship (responsive)

(Please stand as you are able)

Pastor: Come gather together here in the presence of Christ, who is our friend and healer.

People: We have entered here, and in our worship together, we yearn for hope and comfort.

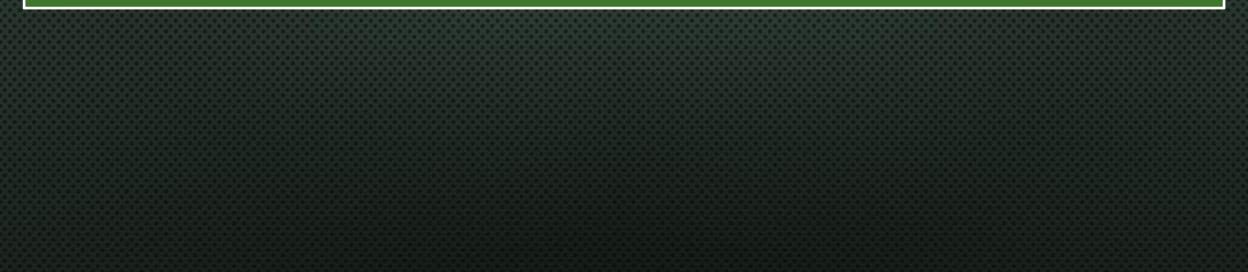
Pastor: Let us reach to the heart of Jesus, who is our life.

People: We encounter our Lord, who makes us whole.

Pastor: Here we are welcome and loved and cherished.

People: Here we are the people of God. Let us rejoice and give God praise.

Songs of Praise







Children's Message



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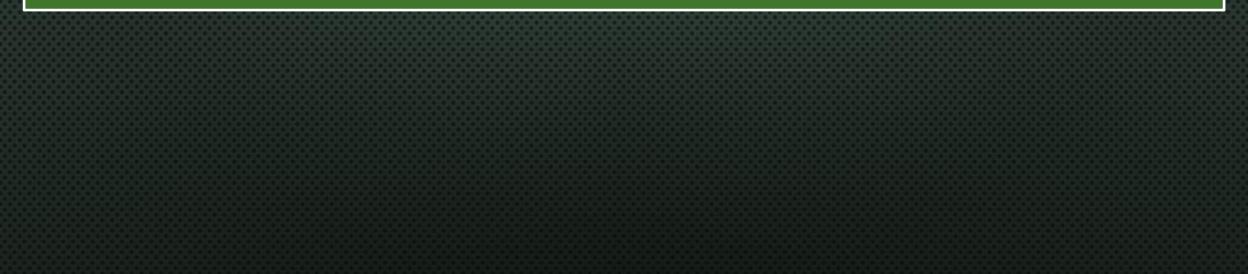


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Praise God from Whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye, heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Our Time of Prayer

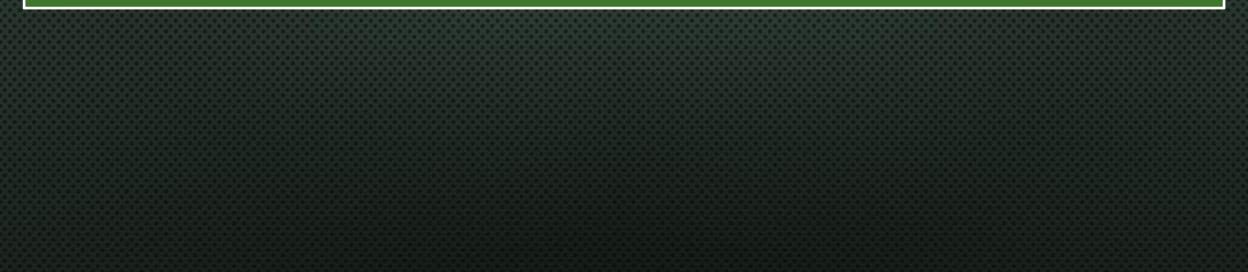
Prayers & Praises



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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Song of Praise





Our Scripture Isaiah 5: 1-7 NIV

I will sing for the one I love a song about his vineyard: My loved one had a vineyard on a fertile hillside. ²He dug it up and cleared it of stones and planted it with the choicest vines.

He built a watchtower in it and cut out a winepress as well. Then he looked for a crop of good grapes, but it yielded only bad fruit. ³ "Now you dwellers in Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge

between me and my vineyard. What more could have been done for my vineyard than I have done for it? When I looked for good grapes, why did it yield only bad? ⁵Now I will tell you what I am going

to do to my vineyard: I will take away its hedge, and it will be destroyed; I will break down its wall, and it will be trampled. ⁶I will make it a wasteland, neither pruned nor cultivated, and briers

and thorns will grow there. I will command the clouds not to rain on it." ⁷The vineyard of the Lord Almighty is the nation of Israel, and the people of Judah are the vines he delighted in.

And he looked for justice, but saw bloodshed; for righteousness, but heard cries of distress.

Message Good Grapes! Pastor Don Kephart

Hymn #354 I Surrender All

All to Jesus I surrender; all to him I freely give; I will ever love and trust him, in his presence daily live.

All to Jesus I surrender; humbly at his feet I bow, worldly pleasures all forsaken; take me, Jesus, take me now.

All to Jesus I surrender; make me, Savior, wholly thine; Let me feel the Holy Spirit; truly know that thou art mine.

All to Jesus I surrender; Lord, I give myself to thee; fill me with thy love and power; let thy blessing fall on me.

All to Jesus I surrender; now I feel the sacred flame. O the joy of full salvation! Glory, glory, to his name!



Benediction

Thank you for joining us in worship!