

*HYMN OF INVITATION No. 277
Tell Me the Stories of Jesus

SERMON TEXT
 Matthew 21: 1-11
 Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.
 People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Rev. Dr. Ray Litts
 What is Going on Here?

*HYMN OF DEDICATION No. 261
Lord of the Dance

*BENEDICTION
 *POSTLUDE
Ceremonial March H. Sumsion
 Rodney Pendell

*If able, please stand
 ~ Sanctuary Flowers ~
 The flowers have been placed on the altar today by Beau & Amanda Moore to the glory of God in honor of their children Evie, Leighton & Barrett Moore.

~This Week's Prayer List~

Mike Taylor	Kim Lehman	John Jordan
June Bohac	Derrick Lauren & Family	Heath Moore
Kristy Wise	Meredith Matthews	(bro/Beau Moore)
(dghtr/Radcliffes)	(frd/Jessica Rodman)	Lisa Ristau
Gil Holmes	Donna Hunt	(niece/Tim,Margo Ristau)
(grdson-in-law/Pat Cronk)	James Kirby	Aria Lupo
Kathy Harper Family	Kay Kilpatrick	(grdtr David, Terry Lupo)
Lucy Morrow	(sil- Brad Kilpatrick)	David, Sallie Smith

Please add to the Hibben Prayer List:

Name: _____

Prayer requests will remain on our list three weeks.
 Names may be resubmitted after that time.

May the Holy Spirit grant peace and healing
 as you are lifted in prayer by the Hibben family.

Today & This Week

****Our church office will be closed this Friday and the Monday following Easter.****
April 14: 9:15 Sunday School
2:00 Memorial Service for Eugenie Valdez in the Sanctuary
4:00 Traditional Plan Church-wide Discussion
4:30-6 Confirmation
6-8 UMYF in the Gym
**** No UMYF Easter Sunday**

Graduation Sunday Deadline

May 19th is Graduation Sunday. We are asking all Seniors and their families to contact Jonathan Shettler by 04/21. We are also asking for 5-7 pictures to be sent to Amanda Moore for the slide show on that Sunday morning! You can email those to: Amoore@hibbencmc.org

Lenten Meditation

Use your Wednesday lunch break to quiet down during our Lenten Meditation service. We meet every Wednesday through April 17 at noon in the Chapel.

Today

There will be a church wide meeting and open discussion to talk about the United Methodist Church's recent passage of the Traditional Plan at a Special General Conference in February. Now that a decision has been made in the UMC, we would like to have a healthy, church-wide discussion about what the plan means for the UMC internationally and Hibben. Please join us with open hearts and minds today, Sunday April 14 at 4 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

THIS WEEK'S OPPORTUNITIES:

Sunday, April 14	
8:15am	Early Worship
9:15am	Sunday School
10:30am	Traditional Worship
4:30pm	Confirmation
6-8 pm	UMYF
Monday, April 15	
10:00am	OCC Crafts
6:45pm	BSF
Tuesday, April 16	
9:30am	Yoga
2:00pm	Joy Circle
6:30pm	Young Adults
7:00pm	Boy Scouts
7:00pm	Cub Scouts Pack Meeting
Wednesday, April 17	
9:00am	Morning Bible Study
10:30am	Morning Bible Study
12:00pm	Lenten Meditation
6:00pm	Evening Bible Study
6:15pm	Handbells
6:30pm	Men's Bible Study
7:30pm	Chancel Choir
Thursday, April 18	
10:00am	Companions Study
7:00pm	Maundy Thursday
Saturday, April 19	
8:00am	BSF Leaders
8:00pm	Alcoholics Anonymous
9:00am	Hospitality Shelter

Announcements

There are two special offering opportunities coming up. On April 28, we will collect for our Mallard-Sweatt Scholarship, which goes to our graduating high school seniors. On Mother's Day, May 12, we will collect for Epworth Children's Home. Please prayerfully consider donating to these ministry opportunities.

Children's Ministry

The Children's Ministry is in search of a second nursery staff member to share responsibilities with Julee Johnson. This is a paid position and applicants must be 21.

We are also looking for teachers in the K-1 and Preschool Sunday School classes beginning in August. With more volunteers, the load will be lighter, not requiring every Sunday.

Please contact Amy McCurley if you are interested in any children's opportunities.

Get Involved

Bring a Friend

April is Bring A Friend To UMYF. Earn a point each time you bring a friend (even the same friend). Rack up as many points as you can! Whomever has the most points by the end of April, wins a \$25 gift card to a movie theater or restaurant of their choice.

VBS

Registration is online this year! Mark your calendars for April 16, when volunteers and attendees can register for this year's VBS, ROAR! A link to the sign-up is on our website and will be posted on social media. We have limited spaces for 2K. Those forms will be available in the church office.

New Study

What are you supposed to do when the new life Jesus promised doesn't turn out the way you expected? The Life of Jesus DVD study, from the Deeper Connection series, invites you to see the behind-the-scenes truth of key events of Jesus' life. Six professors with specialized areas of knowledge emphasize three components: 1) historical and cultural background; 2) an engaging, close look at the biblical text and its meaning; and 3) an accurate, encouraging, and challenging application of the Bible's message to us today. This study will begin April 25 meeting each week at 6:30 and concluding at 8. The cost of the participant book is \$5.99. Contact Pastor Walter for more information.

Ways to Serve

Wesley Foundation

Hibben continues to proudly support the Wesley Foundation college ministry twice a year, and we were asked recently if we might supply a meal for 120 college students on Monday, April 15. To do this we will need:
 25 dozen nut-free cookies or brownies ~ 14 large bags of chips ~20 two-liter bottles of soda

Monetary donations, if you prefer, and we will do the shopping. Please deliver donations to the copy room (next to church office) by 1:00 on Monday, April 15. The Charleston Wesley Foundation and the students we serve are sincerely grateful for your generosity.

Contact Linda Yaeger with questions at 843-607-2823

OCC

Our Operation Christmas Child team is now collecting for November. This month's items are combs, toothbrushes, bar soap and washcloths. There is a basket in the Narthex for donations. Thank you for your support.

Little Free Pantry

Our Little Free Pantry continues to be of great use to our community! Hibben appreciates your continued support through monetary and food donations. Current needs are canned meats and canned pastas. Thank you!

Bread Ministry

Welcoming visitors to Hibben and showing them the love of Jesus is one of the greatest gifts we can give. Elaine Woodward heads up the bread ministry and needs some help! You do not have to bake, just bring bread, a booklet, and a welcoming spirit to visitors of Hibben. If you feel called to this ministry please contact Elaine Woodward at ewoodward728@bellsouth.net or Doreen Eager.