

Praise & Prayer Request

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You may contact the Prayer Team directly for prayer concerns or contact the church office. Terry Lupo at terry@lupofamily.org is the contact person. Anyone that is interested in joining is welcome!

Florence Crittenton

An ongoing mission of Hibben is support for Florence Crittenton Home where young pregnant women come to have their babies. The following items below are needed and cash donations can be made through Hibben. If you have questions about other items, please call Donna Johnson at (336) 404-6734.

Diapers	New slippers
Wipes	New robes
Formula	New socks
New baby clothes	New large bath towels
New blankets	New stuffed animals
	New baby toys/books
	New yoga pants/sweatshirts/t-shirts M-XXL

Operation Christmas Child

Please see below the following items that are still needed for our shoe boxes: pediatric toothbrushes, plush animals, small toys, new clothing, bar soap in the original package and washcloths, and size 4 or 5 soccer balls with pumps.

Also, be on the lookout for school supplies on sale. We will need 500+ spiral notebooks, 400 "24 pack" of crayons, glue sticks, pencils, sharpeners, scissors, 6" rulers, pens, colored pencils."

Spiral notebooks are .35 cents with a limit of 30 at Staples and 3/\$1.00 at Dollar General.

We do not need anymore Rx bottles for this year!

Little Free Pantry

Thank you for your continued support of Hibben's pantries. Our boxes are always in use. Please be on the lookout for the following items:

Peanut butter	Canned chicken
Grape jelly	Canned tuna
Chef Boyardee	Vienna sausages
Canned items with pop tops	

Please remember that anyone can stock the pantry.



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Realm is an interactive church portal that is used by staff and ministry groups for communication, as well as a way to set up online giving. Once you have become active in the ministry at Hibben United Methodist Church, you may request an invitation to sign up by emailing thaigler@hibbenumc.org.



Attendance & Giving - July 21, 2024

Stephen Ministers serve because no one should have to suffer alone.

If you need a Stephen Minister please call the church office for assistance. 843-884-9761

10:30 Morning Worship	
In Person	146
Online - households	25

2024 General Budget	\$947,048.00
Needed Each Week	\$16,744.58
Received last week (operations)	\$8,800.00
Received last week (Miscellaneous)	\$682.32

Online Giving: hibbenumc.org/give

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July 28, 2024

Backpacks

Just 3 1/2 more weeks; it's back to school time! Can you believe it? Hibben will be blessing backpacks on Sunday, August 11. Students and teachers are invited to bring their bags to service so we can pray for a safe, fun and educational year for everyone.

Please also consider purchasing a few extra supplies while you shop to benefit Operation Christmas Child. Each box that Hibben packs includes a spiral notebook, a pencil pack, crayons or colored pencils, and a pencil sharpener. Extras like rulers and scissors are great too! We will bless these supplies along with our own students, teachers, and backpacks!

JULY 28, 2024

Prelude **Jesús Toro**

Gathering and Welcome **Rev. Kathy Hudson**

Please fill out the pew pads to let us know you are here.

***Call to Worship**
L: God created all things visible and invisible;
All: God provides food for our stomachs and bread for our spirits;
L: God is able to accomplish abundantly more than we ask or imagine;
All: Let us worship our God.

***Hymn** **UMH 98**
To God Be the Glory

Children's Moment **Amanda Moore**

Anthem **by: Dube & Zinzi**
Spirit of Praise
Liturgical Dance
Harmani & Symphani Clark

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer **Rev. Katie Brock Lesh**

Offering Call **Rev. Kathy Hudson**

Offertory **by: H. United**
Oceans
Harmani & Symphani Clark

***Gospel Lesson** **Rev. Katie Brock Lesh**
John 6: 1-21

***Hymn** **UMH 526**
What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Sermon **Rev. Kathy Hudson**
Let Nothing Be Wasted

***Hymn** **UMH 397**
I Need Thee Every Hour
Vs. 1, 4, 5

***Benediction** **Rev. Kathy Hudson**

***Festival Doxology** **UMH 94**

***Postlude** **Jesús Toro**
The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Linda's parents by Craig and Linda Jones.

UPCOMING

East Cooper Community Outreach Sunday
Every month, hundreds of local families in need are fed through ECCO's Wellness Pantry. Grocery bags with a suggested list of needed items will be in the sanctuary for pick up on **TODAY**. Collection Sunday will be the following week on August 4.

Men's Ministry

Please join us for our first Men's meeting of the fall on August 13 at 6:00 in the CLLC (please note our new day and time for meetings going forward). Our speaker will be Linda Rhyne with Operation Christmas Child. **ALL ARE WELCOME!** Please use sign up genius or RSVP to Johnny if you plan on eating. johnsnowmcallister@gmail.com

Choral Festival

All singers are encouraged to join Hibben at a Mount Pleasant Community Choral Festival on August 24 at Eastbridge Presbyterian Church. The day will include rehearsals, breakouts, lunch fellowship and conclude with a festival worship service at 3pm open to the public. \$30.00 registration by August 18 includes lunch and materials. See or email Aimie Morris to register.

East Cooper Faith Council

The East Cooper Faith Council is offering a study of videos and conversations about Beloved Community. Dates for these conversations are September 3,10,17,24 and October 1 from 6:30-8:00 pm at Greater Goodwill AME Church (2818 Highway 17 North, Mt. Pleasant). For more information contact Terry Lupo or Bonnie Bruins.

Altar Flowers

Just a reminder that the calendar to sign up for altar flowers is located on the Apostles Hall next to the Baptism pictures. The cost to place altar flowers in the Sanctuary is \$80.00.

Staff Announcement

Join us in wishing our Office Manager, Tammy Haigler, a "bittersweet" farewell. Tammy and her family are relocating to the upstate. Tammy leaves with our sincere gratitude for her gifts and graces in office administration. Her last day will be July 29th. We send her forth with a blessing of adventure in her new job, purpose and happiness. Godspeed, Tammy! We will miss you!
New address: 555 Mill Park Way; Spartanburg, SC 29307

Children and Youth

August 11 - Blessing of the Backpacks

August 25 - Beach Day on Sullivan's
We will have our family beach day on Sullivan's at Station 18 from 3-6!

Youth News

Youth group meets on Sundays from 5:00 - 7:00 pm in the CLLC.

July 28 - Mission

If you would like to support our youth group by providing dinner, please let Rev. Katie know.

GLOW and Youth Mission Day

On **Wednesday, July 31**, from 9:45-1:00, GLOW and Youth Students will participate in a mission day with Neighbors Together. This organization is located in North Charleston and supports the community by offering a pantry, clothes boutique and meals four days a week. Volunteers will serve meals, greet guests and help in their grocery store. Ages 4th grade and up are invited to participate. We will meet at the church at 9:00 am. Please let Amanda or Rev. Katie know if you and/or your student will participate.

August 4 - Youth Pool Party

Join us for a youth pool party and cook out at the Saito-Donaldson home from 5-7. Rain or shine; if it rains we will move inside for games. Youth, please bring a bag of chips and a drink to share!

August 25 - Youth Bonfire

Our youth bonfire will be at Station 18 on Sullivan's from 6-8.
Details to follow!

Hibben Preschool

Hibben Preschool has a number of open staff positions for the 2024-2025 school year. Work hours are 8:30-12:45 beginning in late August. If you love children, this may be the perfect part time job for you. Benefits include paid time off, some paid holidays and free (for parents) or discounted (for grandparents) tuition for preschool aged children. The ideal candidate would have a background in early childhood education or at least 5+ years of relevant experience. Open positions include:
M-F Lead 4K teacher
MWF Assistant 3s teacher
M-F Assistant 2s teacher.
Subs are always needed as well. Please email Ms. Sarah Appleby at preschool@hibbenumc.org if interested.