

# Hibben Summer Camps

Hibben will offer several camps this summer. The cost is \$160 per child per camp. All camps will take place from 9am- 12pm.

**Music Camp - June 2-6**

**Exploring Our World - July 7-11**

**Intro to Piano - July 14-18**

**STEM Builders - July 28- August 1**

Registration is limited and open on our website -  
Scan the QR code to access.

**Hibben Preschool** is offering a number of summer camps this June and July for ages 2-5. Camps run 9 am to noon and take place at Hibben. Registration opens on 2/24,  
email preschool@hibbenumc.org for more info

**Vacation Bible School** will be June 23 - 26 from 9am to 12pm  
Vacation Bible School is a free program.  
Registration will open April 11.

## Operation Christmas Child

The OCC team will be assembling hygiene kits for the shoe boxes. Needed items are washcloths (pack of 18 \$4.88 at Walmart), emery boards, nail clippers, combs, band-aids, and a toothbrush (need pediatric size, pack of 5 for \$1 at Walmart). Please bring them to the church office marked for OCC. The team is still collecting small plush, size 5 soccer balls with a pump and needles, and small solar lanterns.

## Wednesday Morning Bible Study

Starting April 23, the Wednesday Morning Bible Study will begin  
"The Third Day, Living the Resurrection" by Tom Berlin.  
All are welcome!

For more information, Contact Sharon Thompson.

## Praise & Prayer Request

Craig Rhyne

Paul Cross

Frankie Collins

Betty Staples

Guerry Taylor

Van Hewett

Wamsley Family upon the death of Susan's Father, Rodney Hogue

Asbury Hills Camp and Retreat Center

If you have a prayer request or are interested in joining the prayer team, please contact the church office.  
All are welcome!



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 office@hibbenumc.org.



### Sunday Services at 10:30

**Tech Free Tuesdays: unplug, reflect, connect** - Make time each week to limit your time with a screen. Use this time to meditate or reflect and grow closer to God.

**Mid-week Message** - Rev. Kathy will lead us through lent with a video posted weekly.

**Community Worship** - Area churches will gather each Tuesday of Lent from 6:30 - 7:30 to enjoy supper and worship at All Saints Lutheran Church. Each service will be led by a different congregation.

### Palm Sunday, April 13, 10:30

**Maundy Thursday, April 17** - Soup Supper at 5:30 in the CLLC Sanctuary Service at 7

**Good Friday, April 18 - Drop in for the** Prayer Labyrinth in the Narthex or reflect in the Sanctuary. Drop in 10-3.

### Easter Sunday, April 20

**Sunrise Service at 6:30** - Station 21, Sullivan's Island  
**Sanctuary Services at 9 & 10:30** (nursery provided)



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Mon. - Thurs.  
12 -2 pm

### Attendance & Giving - March 30, 2025

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| 10:30 Morning Worship |                |
| In Person             | 153            |
| Online - households   | 25             |
| 2025 General Budget   | \$1,001,514.00 |
| Received thru 1/31/25 | \$44,157.54    |
| Expenses thru 1/31/25 | \$65,598.79    |

### Online Giving: [hibbenumc.org/give](http://hibbenumc.org/give)

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**Church Office Hours:**  
Monday - Thursday  
9am - 4pm  
Friday  
9am - 2pm



April 6, 2025



### FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT



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| APRIL 6, 2025   |                       |
| FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT  |                       |
| Prelude   | Jesús Toro            |
| Gathering and Welcome   | Rev. Kathy P. Hudson  |
| <p><i>You are encouraged to sign the Pew Register, pass it to all seated in your row; and then, pass it back for review. If you are visiting, we would like to send you a card, text or email. It would be a pleasure to know you!</i></p>  |                       |
| *Call to Worship  | Rev. Kathy            |
| <p>We come to worship, remembering God’s goodness that has carried us and sustained us to this present moment.</p> <p><b>We remember the days when God covered us in love and filled us with joy.</b></p> <p>We come to worship, weary from stress, heavy with grief, and wondering when relief will come.</p> <p><b>We long for the days God covered us in love and filled us with joy.</b></p> <p>We come to worship to remember and remind one another that God’s love has never left us, and God’s joy cannot be extinguished.</p> <p><b>God, restore us that we know your love and your joy once again.</b></p> <p>We come to worship to remember and become the Body of Christ, a community called to restore the world around us. God, empower us to be your restorers of people who fill the world with love, laughter, and abundant life. <b>Amen.</b></p> |                       |
| *Hymn   | TFWS 2216             |
| <p><i>When We Are Called to Sing Your Praise</i></p>  |                       |
| Opening Prayer  | Rev. Kathy            |
| *Psalter  | Rev. Kathy            |
| <p><b>Psalms 126 - UMH 847</b></p>  |                       |
| Prayer of Confession  | Rev. Katie Brock Lesh |
| <p>Like Judas, God of new things, we like to complain about your generous ways, rather than living in your grace. The poor are always with us, we believe, which justifies our ignoring them. In our memories, we focus on a perceived golden past, and so we ignore the new things you do in our midst. We are so enamored with our achievements that we are not willing to throw them away in order to follow Jesus. Forgive us, Restoring God, and help us to notice the kingdom springing forth in our midst. By your grace, may our fears turn to faith, our seeds of grief produce a bumper crop of joy, and our tears turn into torrents of tenderness as we journey with Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, to Jerusalem.</p>   |                       |
| Assurance of Pardon   | Rev. Katie            |
| <p>Making a way through all the foolishness and mistakes of our lives, God leads us into new life, where we are restored to grace, to hope, and to peace. Do we notice what God has done for us, what God is doing in us? This is good news for everyone. Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! Amen.</p>  |                       |

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| Call to Tithes and Offerings   | Rev. Kathy   |
| Offertory  | J.S. Bach    |
| <p><i>Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring</i><br/>Julia Bates- French Horn</p>   |              |
| *Doxology  | UMH 95       |
| Children's Moment  | Amanda Moore |
| *Gospel Reading  | Rev. Katie   |
| <p><b>John 12:1-8 NRSV</b></p> <p>12 Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. 2There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those reclining with him. 3Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus’s feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. 4 But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 5 “Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?” 6 (He said this not because he cared about the poor but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) 7 Jesus said, <b>“Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. 8 You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.”</b></p> |              |
| Homily   | Rev. Kathy   |
| <p>Overcoming</p>  |              |
| Anthem   | L. Larson    |
| <p><i>We Will Remember You</i><br/>Julia Bates - French Horn</p>   |              |
| Proclamation of Faith  | Rev. Kathy   |
| <p>We believe in God,<br/><b>The Maker and Lover of all things.</b><br/>We believe in God,<br/><b>The One who comes near, and rescues all people.</b><br/>We believe in God,<br/><b>The One who gives life to every creature, and fills us with strength and love. Amen</b></p>  |              |
| Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer  | Rev. Katie   |
| <p>Faithful God, full of Compassion, You have promised to be near us, and to listen to our prayers for ourselves and others. And so, we pray for our world, torn by hatred and division, broken by poverty and disease. <b>Let Your mercy fill our world.</b></p> <p>We pray for our country, still frightened by the memory of chains, struggling to become new. <b>Let Your mercy fill our country.</b></p> <p>We pray for our families and communities, places of celebration and suffering, places of joy and grief.</p> <p><b>Let Your mercy fill our families and our communities.</b></p> <p>And, we pray for ourselves, with so much need and so much pain, With so much hope and so many dreams.<br/><b>Let Your mercy fill us, O God. Amen.</b></p>  |              |

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| The Great Thanksgiving  |            |
| <p>Come, all you who are loved by God, Come to the table of the Lord, Come and eat food with no cost, Come and drink with no money to pay. <b>We come to eat, to drink, and our hearts are glad.</b></p> <p>Yes, Dear Lord our God, Our hearts truly are glad, and we are filled with thankfulness, Because in Your great love You did not abandon us in the dark and fearful places of this world, But in Jesus, You came to us, to rescue us, to restore us, and to give us new life.</p> <p><b>And all who are tired and burdened, all who are frightened and unsafe, all who are sick and broken, can come and find new life.</b></p> <p>We remember the way that Jesus showed us His love: On the evening before He died, He had supper with His friends. During the meal, He took the loaf of bread, gave thanks for it, broke it and then passed it around with these words:</p> <p><b>This is my body broken for you. Eat this and remember Me.</b></p> <p>And, after the meal He took the cup of wine, gave thanks for it and then passed it around with these words:</p> <p><b>This is my blood shed for you. Drink this and remember Me.</b></p> <p>And now, every time we eat bread like this, and every time we drink wine like this,We remember Jesus, and His everlasting love.</p> <p><b>Sharing of the Bread and Cup</b></p> <p><i>Ushers will guide you to receive.</i></p> <p><i>Gluten free available at the far left station.</i></p> <p><b>Prayer after Receiving</b></p> <p>Now come, all you who are loved by God, Hear His call to serve others as He has served you; Hear His invitation to be part of His plan to rescue the world; Join the community of those who walk in the foot-steps of Jesus.</p> <p><b>Lord God of World-Changing Love, We thank You for this meal, and for welcoming us to Your table. We remember that we are Your children, and that You have called us to share Your love with everyone we meet. Help us to receive Your life, walk in Your strength, and follow Your ways every moment of our lives.</b></p> <p>And now, may God's caring arms embrace us,Jesus' comforting words fill us, and the Holy Spirit's renewing Presence surround us today and always. <b>Amen.</b></p> |            |
| *Sending Hymn   | UMH 507    |
| <p><i>Through it All</i></p>  |            |
| *Benediction  |            |
| *Postlude   | Jesús Toro |
| <p><b>Maundy Thursday</b></p> <p>Make plans to attend Maundy Thursday Service, April 17th. We will begin in the CLLC with a delicious soup dinner at 5:30. Volunteers needed for Supper to help for 20 minute easy cleanup, Please signup in the Narthex.Many hands make a light load! Thank you! followed by a deeply meaningful service depicting the Passion of Christ at 7:00. We hope this expeience will be the highlight of your lenten season.</p>  |            |