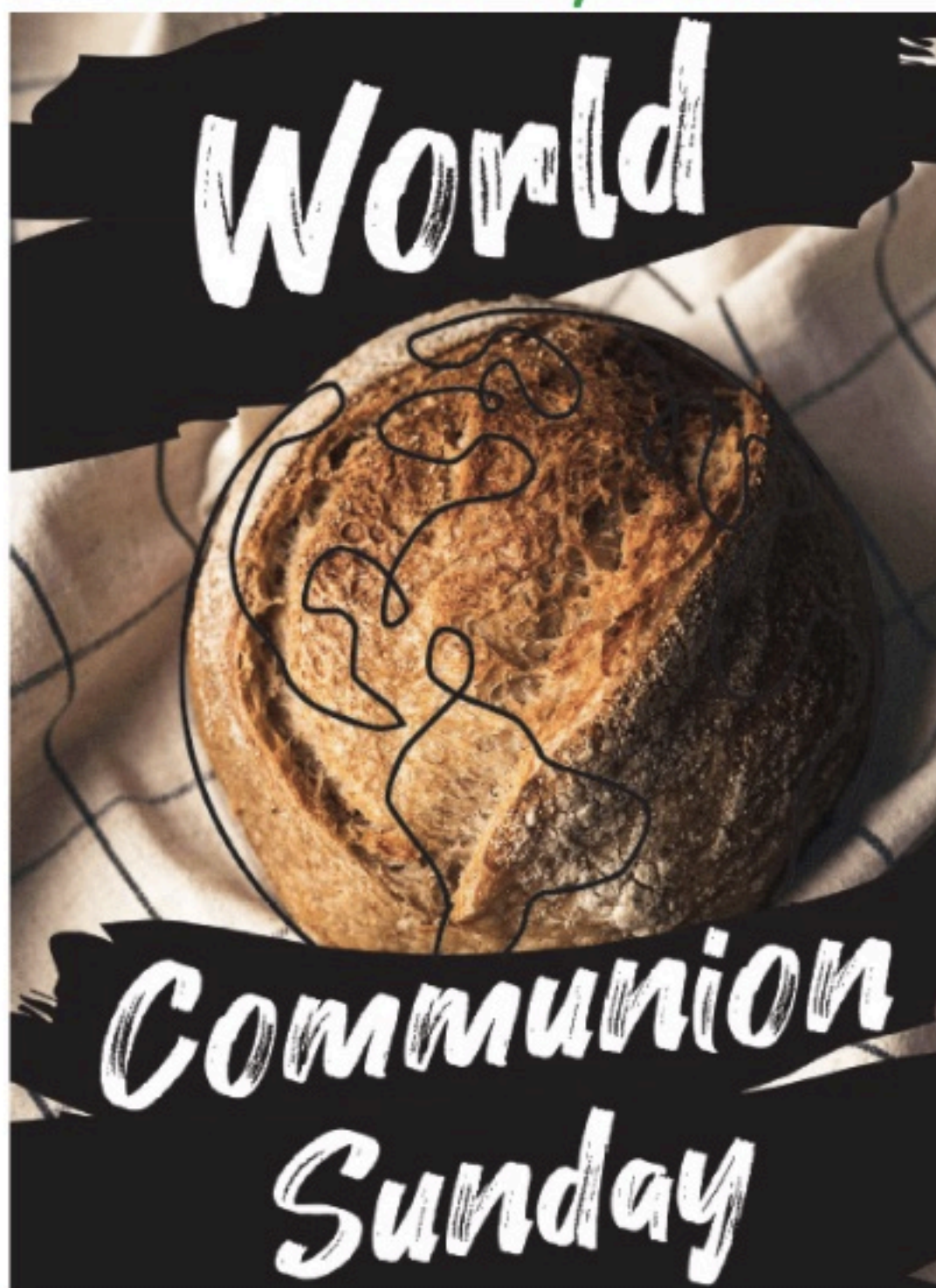




Hibben United Methodist Church

October 4, 2026



Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

World Communion Sunday

October 4, 2026

Announcements (10:25am)

Amanda Moore

Prelude

Jesús Toro

You are encouraged to sign the Pew Register, then pass it to all in your row. As it goes back to where it started, you will have the opportunity to make note of those seated with you. If you are visiting, we would like to send you a card, text or email. It would be a pleasure to know you!

***Call to Worship**

Rev. Cathy Mitchell

Across every land and language, God prepares a table of grace.

**We come to taste and see that the Lord is good, trusting in the
love that binds us together.**

God has heard our cries, seen our tears, and invites us to a rich
banquet of mercy.

**We come carrying hope and longing, believing again
in belonging.**

In Christ, strangers become siblings, and distant neighbors become one body. We gather with the church around the world, one
Spirit, one faith, one Lord.

**Let us worship the One who welcomes, remembers, and feeds
the whole world with hope.**

***Hymn**

UMH 64

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

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

New Testament Lesson

Deena Flessas

Ephesians 4:1-6

***Affirmation of Faith**

UMH 881

The Apostle's Creed

*The Gloria Patri	UMH 70
Pumpkin Patch Blessing	Rev. Katie
Call to Tithes and Offerings	Rev. Katie
Offertory	J. Graham

Here Comes the Light

Aimie Morris, Julia Sorenson, Chris Morris, Zachary Henderson

*Festival Doxology	UMH 94
Children's Moment	Amanda Moore
*Gospel Reading	Deena Flessas

Matthew 21:33-46

Anthem	arr. J. Raney
<i>God of Creation</i>	
Chancel Choir	

Sermon	Rev. Cathy
<i>The Vineyard: A Kingdom Perspective</i>	

Call to Discipleship

*Hymn	TFWS 2272
<i>Holy Ground (2x)</i>	

Communion	UMH 12-15
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Ushers will guide you to receive. Gluten Free available.

*Benediction	Rev. Cathy
*Postlude	Jesús Toro

*Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and
in loving memory of her brother, James K. Blocker, Jr.*

By Nancy Blocker.

Praise & Prayer Request

Peggy Mitchem
Roger and Lucy Morrow
Charles Rhea
Craig and Linda Rhyne
Frankie Collins
Betty Staples
Esther Burlison

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



Scan the QR code with your smart phone to contribute to the general budget.

Attendance & Giving -
September 27, 2026
Morning Worship
In Person - 10:30 - 187
Online - households 25

2026 General Budget - \$1,010,278.00
Received thru 8/31/26 - \$645,867.00
Expenses thru 8/31/26 - \$603,974.00
Online Giving: hibbenumc.org/give

Staff Contacts (843) 884-9761 Church Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday
9am - 4pm
Friday
9am - 2pm

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Hibben Happenings For the week of October 4

We encourage you to take this happenings sheet home and place it on your fridge as a reminder of all of the activities and missions of Hibben!

Mark Your Calendars

Middle and High School

Youth Group

Every Sunday from 5pm - 7pm
In the CLLC Youth Room

Wednesday Morning Bible Study

Wednesdays at 10:30am
Contact Sharon Thompson for
more information.

Pumpkin Patch Important Dates

October 1-31 - 11:00am - 7:00pm
Pumpkin Patch Open
(opens after service on Sundays)
October 14 - 3:00pm
Second Delivery

Men's Club Meeting

October 13 - 6:00pm
Corey Moore speaking
Dinner provided,
donations accepted
Contact Johnny McAllister
for info.

Men's Club Fish Fry

October 17 - 11:30-2:00
Tickets \$15
OCC bake sale for dessert.
Contact Johnny McAllister
for info.

Party in the Patch

October 24 10am - 12pm
It's a party!

Costumes, games, crafts, candy
and Trunk or Treat!
Contact Amanda Moore for more
info.

Charge Conference

November 1 - 12pm
Contact Allan Morgan for info.

OCC Packing Party

November 14 - 10am
Contact Linda Rhyne or Nancy
Blocker for info.

Thanksgiving Covered Dish

November 22 - after church
More information to come!
Contact Nancy Blocker for info.

Scan the QR code
with your smart
phone to find all the
links from
this bulletin.



Pumpkin Patch

Pumpkin Patch season is here! Sign ups are available online for the October 14th Delivery, and daily shifts from October 1 - 31.

Contact Debbie Giammattei if you have questions!

Volunteer Here:



Christmas Cantata Singers Wanted

Love to sing? Join us for our Christmas Cantata on Sunday, December 20! Whether you sing with the choir regularly or would simply like to join us for the Christmas season, all singers are welcome!

Rehearsal Opportunities:

Wednesdays 7:30-9:00 PM

Sundays 9:15-9:45 AM

Rehearsals are held in the Choir Room.

Come lend your voice as we prepare beautiful music to celebrate the joy and hope of Christmas. We'd love to have you sing with us!

Special Thanks

Special thanks to the UMCSC for awarding a grant from the Hope Fund to Hibben of \$24,869.14 to upgrade the sound and video systems in the sanctuary. This work should begin soon.

Party in the Patch

Dress up and invite your friends because our annual Party in the Patch is Saturday, Oct. 24 from 10-12. Join us for a fun time with games, crafts, and candy. We are looking for church members to participate in a trunk or treat during this time as well. No creativity required- Amazon has some great, inexpensive kits. Let the office or Amanda know if you want to participate.