#### Haslett Community Church



### HCC Connections

*"We strive joyfully and prayerfully to warmly welcome all, freely share our blessings, and humbly explore God's love."* 

May 2021



#### UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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"How many are your works, O Lord, in wisdom you made them all; the earth is full of your creatures." - Psalm 104:24

As we enter the last month of the program year, and go careening toward summer, Haslett Community Church will continue to offer numerous remote options, while also offering ways to connect and convene (with proper distanc-

ing!) outside. With all of the unpredictability of the continued pandemic, there seems to be one fact that remains constant: visiting outdoors is a safer place to be with people than indoors, even more so when safety measures are taken.

So, as weather improves, look forward to opportunities to safely be together in the outdoor space of the church that we love.

The most immediate opportunity is the return of Outdoor Office Hours. Every weather permitting Wednesday, from 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., I'll sit outside the church in a spot visible from the parking lot and just welcome whomever comes to chat! I realize this timeslot is not convenient to everyone, so please get in touch if you would like to schedule a time to meet with me. We can meet at church, or I can come to you. I am fully vaccinated against COVID-19.

In addition, outdoor worship is planned for the last Sunday of June, July, and August. The services on June 27 and July 25 will be in the outdoor space of Haslett Community Church. The outdoor service on August 29, will take place at Lake Lansing Park North, as is a long standing tradition of HCC and the Spiritual Life Committee. All three services will be followed by Outdoor Coffee Fellowship, provided by the Spiritual Life Committee! Not ready to gather in-person yet? We will also provide a remote/ live-stream option. More info about the June service and coffee hour will appear in next month's edition of this newsletter.

Finally, HCC will be home to outdoor, free, family-friendly concerts!

Yes, Summer 2021 will be the inaugural season of the Haslett Community Church Summer Concert Series. Bring a lawn chair or blanket to HCC at 7:00 p.m. each weather permitting Thursday evening from July 8 – August 12 and enjoy an hour of music and community building. We will invite our neighbors and show them what HCC welcome and hospitality is all about! Meridian Township is on board with this idea as well, and loves the community and family focus of the event. There is a good chance you will recognize many performers.

The downside of outdoor stuff is that they are weather dependent. But the upside is that when the weather cooperates, God's creation is our Sanctuary, our Friendship Hall, and our concert venue! We have a great summer planned!

We are keeping an eye on vaccination rates and other data markers, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back to our Sanctuary. In the meantime, let us give thanks for creative adaptation and summer sun.

Yours in the Journey, Pastor Betsy Aho P.S. Thank you for maintaining distance and wearing a mask (when not eating/drinking) out of care for community, even when outdoors. And know that bathrooms are accessible at all of our outdoor functions.

Phone:	517.339.8383 x11
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Email:	aho.betsy@att.net



#### Flowers & Foundations are Growing at Haslett Community Church

Friends, at publishing time, we are nearly to our Flowers & Foundations Fundraising goal! Thank you for your generosity and support of the goal to make Haslett Community Church an inviting, safe, and beautiful place for members, friends, and the community to experience the welcome and grace of God.

Here is where the numbers stand:

Goal:	\$65,000
Transfer from fund balance:	\$21,000
Contributed as of 4/26/2021:	<u>\$41,368</u>
Amount left to reach goal:	\$ 2,632

While we are wrapping up our fundraising push, we will continue to accept donations and add names to the Garden Wall of Gratitude. If we surpass our goal, the monies will rollover year to year, and hopefully continue to build so that we can prepare for future needs. For details on how you can help contribute to "our home", including instructions on how to make a tax-deductible donation online or by check, and how to give in honor or memory of a loved one, click <u>HERE</u>.

Your gifts to this fundraiser, your continued generosity to our general fund through pledged and other giving, and your involvement in, prayers for, and connections with Haslett Community Church are what make this a church with and without walls!

We will keep you informed about progress with the projects funded by Flowers & Foundations as well. First up is the sewer line replacement, retention wall replacement (with poured concrete), and porch replacement on the south side of the building. This work will begin this month! There is a chance that the honey locust tree near the south entrance to the parking lot will have to come down for the sewer work. If this is the case, we may not know until the day the decision is made. However, we will replace the loss by having at least five trees planted in U.S. National Forests.

Thanks to the Scouts and Cub Scouts for getting our South Side Projects started with the removal of stones from the window well on Saturday, April 24! The stones had to be removed prior to the new retaining wall being poured and we are grateful to the Scouts for their hard work!

[Photo Credit to Rich Newport who helped organize the day.]



# **Haslett Community Church** Youth On A Mission Golf Outing

at Meridian Sun Golf Club 1018 Haslett Road, Haslett, MI 48840

## **Event Details:** Sunday, May 23rd Check-in: 12:15-12:45pm Shot-gun start: 1:00pm **R**egister Your Team:

## Cost: \$180/team (\$45/golfer)

Includes: 9 holes of golf with a cart, sleeve of golf balls and a boxed lunch.

Space is limited to 18 teams! Register ASAP!

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Please send registration form & team payment (checks can be made out to HCC-"golf" on memo line) to : Haslett Community Church Attn: Rev. Erin Heisler 1427 Haslett Road Haslett. MI 48840

#### Not a golfer? That's okay!

We are looking for sponsors! Sponsor a mission trip scholarship \$500. Hole Sponsorship is \$100. Cart Sponsorship is \$50. Golf Outing Patron is a \$25 donation.

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On Sunday, May 23rd, Haslett Community Church is partnering with Meridian Sun Golf Club to host a golf-outing to benefit our youth mission trip fund.

We are looking for individuals, families & businesses to help sponsor this event.

## Sponsorship Opportunities:

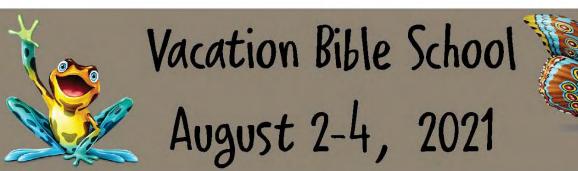
Golf Outing Patron (\$25)	Ask about the
Name will appear on a list attached to the score-cards.	opportunity to
Cart Sponsor (\$50)	sponsor a
Name will appear on a sign on the cart.	mission trip
Hole Sponsor (\$100)	scholarship!
Name will appear on a sign at the tee-box.	ship!

All golfers will be given a complete list of all sponsors. Feel free to send in your business' logo with your registration for it to appear on the sign as well. (or send logo electronically to erin.heisler@att.net)

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Please make checks out to HCC & write "sponsor" on memo line. Send registration form & payment to: Haslett Community Church, Attn: Rev. Erin Heisler 1427 Haslett Road, Haslett, MI 48840

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Come learn about how much you are loved and treasured by God!

# KEADUKE

Discovering You're Priceless to God

Open to all children from preschool through fifth grade! Older youth are invited to help out as group leaders!



If you are interested in being an adult helper for VBS please reach out to Pastor Erin.

#### May 2021



#### Our Church Family

Thanks to these individuals who have recently served the church in special ways:

- To the Loaves and Fishes team for May: Ann McGrath, Nancy White, Kelly Flagg, Carol Cramer, and Paula Fry.
- To David Vietti for all his work with the smoke detectors.
- To Pat Dalton, Dave Vietti, and Rich Baumgartner for helping with setup for the memorial for Patsy Zimonja.
- To David Tuffs for tearing down after the memorial.
- To Sarah and Sally Garrod for providing all the seeds for the Flowers & Foundations campaign.
- To Mike Parent for tackling a wasp problem at the parsonage.
- To Pat Dalton for hanging the Alleluia banner on the cross in the sanctuary.
- To Sally Heisler for helping with the Easter flowers.
- To the youth & Pastor Erin for the creative Alleluia messages during the Easter service
- To Rich Newport for repairing the post of the remote door opener on the North door.
- To Leah Potter-Weight for her wonderful presentation on soil regeneration and social justice.

#### Virtual Check-in with Betsy

Pastor Betsy hosts a weekly informal congregation check-in via Zoom every TUESDAY at 12:30 pm.



All are invited to use this time - it's good to hear familiar voices, see familiar faces, and be together as we can! Betsy looks forward to connecting with you!

> Zoom Meeting ID: 885 3274 6045 To Call In\*: 646.876.9923 or 301.715.8592 \*Long Distance charges may apply

It is with sadness we share the news of the passing of one of our HCC family.



#### **Eleanor Otis**

May 18, 1922 - April 3, 2021

Click Here for obituary

Eleanor, one of the founding members of HCC, passed away peacefully in her home,

with her loving daughters by her side.

The family had a small outdoor service, and condolences can be sent to Eleanor's daughter:

> Diane Otis 4713 Naubinway Rd. Okemos, MI 48864

#### Brown Bags & Beliefs Will Return Fall, 2021

BBB is the Wednesday evening Spiritual Life program lead by Pastor Betsy. Each series has a different focus. During the 2020-2021 Program year, Brown Bags & Beliefs did a "Let's Talk TED Talks" series, a "Make Time for Mindfulness" series with Becky Womboldt, LMSW, and a Lenten Series on Racial Equity. All involved good conversation, learning, and spiritual growth.

This spring, with more congregants getting vaccinated, Betsy is investing a good deal of time visiting and connecting with people, and she will continue to focus time and attention in that way and not offer a BBB series this spring (BBB typically takes a break in the summer). But stay tuned as plans are made for more Brown Bags & Beliefs series coming in September!

Have an idea for a series? Share it! Contact Betsy at 517-282-7443 or <u>aho.betsy@att.net</u>

The Red Cross, due to COVID-19 creating a shortage in blood drives, has an immediate need for blood donations.

There will be a blood drive at HCC Friday, May 21, from Noon - 6pm

Red Cross already has stringent safety protocols, and they've implemented additional COVID safety protocols as well, including:

- Donation by appointment only (NO WALK IN appointments). Visit www.redcrossblood.org/give. then scroll through the Drives listed in the left panel to find Haslett Community Church and an appointment time that works for you.
- Face masks required
- Health screenings/temperature checks upon entering building
- Physical Distancing (NO guests with donors)
- Hand sanitizer use before and during donation process / sanitization between donors



#### **Garden Updates**

Spring has sprung at HCC. Under the supervision of Sally Garrod, our Native Plant Specialist, we have weeded and mulched the Memorial Garden,

as well as the "Mary Nelson" garden on the west side of the church. Tom Nelson is so excited to see the area get native plants implemented into the garden site.

You all know how one thing leads to another ....while weeding and trimming, we noticed that we have overgrown trees and diseased bushes near our west entrance. The good news is the Garden Team is excited and energized to take on the challenge of updating these areas with native plants, trees, and bushes in mind.

If you feel like playing in the dirt and weeding, come join the fun. Please contact Kelly Flagg (ki.flagg@icloud.com) for scheduled times. If you are unable to help...drive by and check out our progress.

Special thanks to Wonderful Weeders and Mulchers: Mark and Sally Garrod, Dan and Stephanie Bollman, and Zsa Mahon. Also, thanks to Rich Newport for the use of his trailer.



Hello HCC Family,

I have missed all of you so much and can not wait until we can be together again.

I want to invite you to change a life

this spring. Join the world's largest GLOBAL 6K for Water May 22, 9am at Lake Lansing Park North, or wherever you are. 6k is the average distance people in the developing world must walk one or more times a day for dirty water. Now more than ever, clean water is essential to protect those who need it most.

This is a great time to safely enjoy the park and trails with family and friends while changing lives. \$50 brings life-changing clean water to one person. May 1 - 22 we have a promo code to take \$10 off your registration. The promo code is: RUN6KTODAY.

Every step you take is one they won't have to. Will you join us?

Join the team, Haslett Water Warriors at: https://www.teamworldvision.org/team/haslett waterwarriors2021

Any questions, call or email me: cathymrowe@gmail.com or 517.242.3895

Thanks for your support, Cathy Rowe





**Social Committee** is here to guide and encourage us to stay connected, even while we all practice physical distancing. The members of the Social Committee are keeping our minds a-brewing with ideas for creative ways to bring us together during this time of staying apart. Most of these events are weather and restriction dependent. Please keep a lookout for fun events that we are trying to bring your way when the

weather is best and they can be done in a healthy way. We know that emotionally, we all need to be together, and physically, we all need to stay in our own space. We are planning to bring you more in the coming months. **Call or text Kim Carnes at (517) 331-3586** if you'd like to be involved, or have ideas.

We typically meet at 7:30pm on the 1st Tuesday of each month, via Zoom. **NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, May 4, @ 7:30pm** 

Zoom Meeting ID: 330 584 4904 Passcode: 48451



The social committee is excited to announce a

#### Spring Pick a Party!

Our hosts will be Lynn and Russ Wilson, and they will be hosting a great time outside with a **Bonfire**!!

Everyone of all ages is invited to join. It will be held **May 22, from 6pm to 9pm**.

Drop in any time, and bring a chair and your own snacks and beverages. There is plenty of room to spread out and be safe during this COVID time, but be sure to have a mask available.

There is also space to bring toys for the little and big kids, both! We are looking forward to getting together and having some fun!

Their address is: **408 E. Shoesmith Rd. in Haslett.** Pull in the driveway and find parking in the side yard.

If you have any questions you can call Lynn, 517-243-0065 or Russ, 517-243-1861.

#### Women's Group

Our group meets **Tuesday**, **May 4**, **at 10 am.** Please join us if you can - we love connecting with you!



If you can't join us Tuesday and want to connect with us in the future, please contact Michele at the church office at <u>hcc1@att.net</u> or 339-8383.

> Zoom Meeting ID: 872 9362 4318 To Call In\*: 312.626.6799 Long distance charges may apply

#### HCC 2021 Camping Weekend is coming in August!

The Social Committee has reservations for 16 sites at **Pioneer County Park in Muskegon for August 19 - 22.** They're



back-to-back and side-to-side, near the bathrooms and just a short walk to the beach of Lake Michigan.

Come join in a fun tradition in the making for over 30 years!. We'd love to share in beach time, campfires, potluck breakfast, swimming, hammock reading, the famous garbage can dinner, s'mores, and more with you!

The price is **\$96 for 3 nights**. You can:

- **Pay online <u>HERE</u>** (choose "Social Committee" as the fund, then "Camping2021" as the Sub fund you're donating to).
- **Pay by check** Make it out to Haslett Community Church, with "Camping2021" in the Memo. Get it to Kim Carnes as soon as you decide to come. After you reserve (with payment), you will be included in the Camping Details mailing we send out by the end of July.

If you are hesitant because of all the unknowns right now, please know you can change your mind and cancel up to 7 days before and get back all but \$10.

We will be using up-to-date protocols, current at the time, to keep all of us safe and healthy...more on that in the July letter.

Any questions you may have, please text or call Kim: 517-331-3586.



The various groups sponsored by the Spiritual Life Committee help us reflect on, and grow in, our spiritual life, as well as foster closer ties between us. The committee currently consists of Donna Ellis Cornell, Don Flagg, Karen Klein, Carolyn Lucas, Katie Riley, and Angie Wilson. Please feel free to contact any of us with questions you might have, to get involved, or with your ideas for other groups or events we might sponsor.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, May 18, @ 7:15pm, via Zoom:



Coffee With Jesus (Exploring our Questions about Faith, Life, and Spirituality)

A new adventure is coming to Coffee

with Jesus! We'll be having a new focus each meeting so that you may come to whichever week you choose, to sample our discussion and the supportive spiritual community our little group shares. All are welcome!

Instead of meeting every Sunday after church like we have since the beginning of the pandemic, we will begin meeting **every other Sunday around 11:15am**. Join us sometime in May: **May 2, 16, and 30**.

The focus of our meetings will be on short chapters from *An Altar in the World, a Spiritual Geography* by Barbara Brown Taylor, described as "The most practical but everyday mystical book I have ever read," by singer-songwriter Kate Campbell.

Taylor wonders with us about being religious or spiritual, or maybe both? She asks, "Have you ever become 'tired of arguing about your religion, tired of reading about spirituality, tired of talk-talk-talking about things that matter without doing a single thing that matters yourself?' If so, this book is dedicated to you." Another reviewer says: "with a delightfully deft touch, [Barbara... goes to the heart of her matter and of ours] finally a recovery of genuine prayer, the prayer of a heart awakened to God's Presence - here, and now, and ever." -Scott Cairns, author.

We would love to have you join us! The book has been ordered through Schuler's and should be on the book club table under Haslett Community Church with Coffee with Jesus. Zoom Meeting ID: 327 644 165

To Call in\*: 253.215.8782

\*Long distance charges may apply Zoom Meeting ID: 865 4533 1263 Passcode: usual HCC passcode

The **Men's Group** continues to meet regularly this year in



different ways, including online Zoom meetings every Saturday morning during physical distancing at 9:00 am (see info on how to join below).

Please **contact Dave Vietti** if you're interested in connecting with this group:

517-339-5731 <u>vietti@msu.edu</u>

Zoom Meeting ID: 416 360 920 To Call In\*: 301.715.8592 \*Long distance charges may apply



Bring Your Own Book

Come join us! All are welcome to the easiest

book club ever! That's because we don't read and discuss a common book together. Instead, we talk about whatever we've each been reading lately. It's fun to share, and we learn about a variety of books, authors, and each other. Feel free to drop into Zoom and give it a try!

We meet next on: **Thurs., May 13, at 7:15 pm, via ZOOM** (see below).

Any questions, contact Karen Klein: <u>kklein76@aol.com</u>.

Zoom Meeting ID: 872 2559 0098 To Call In\*: 646.558.8656 \*Long distance charges may apply



**We would love to see and hear you in church!** If you would like to participate in worship by reading a weekly scripture, please sign up <u>HERE</u> using our SignUp Genius form. If you are unable to sign up online, or need help, please contact Michele at the church office (hcc1@att.net or 339-8383).

Once you sign up, we will be in touch with details. You will have the option of recording yourself at home or coming to HCC to be recorded. If you would like to participate in a way other than reading scripture, please reach out. We'd like to have your participation!



"The sun is shining more, and the light of daytime seems to be extending, so with temperatures warming, we hope to get the

chime choir rehearsing outside again. Almost everyone in our musical groups is now vaccinated, so hopefully we can start up a few other things. If you are interested in "chiming" please watch for further announcements as to a starting date.

We are in the process of producing our next virtual choir piece for sometime in May. Easter and spring break have slowed us down a bit, but now the piece is coming along – hopefully you will enjoy a different arrangement of the spiritual "Peace Like a River".

Our prayer is "let joyous voices sing out together again soon".

Until then, we have another Virtual Choir Gathering planned on Wednesday, May 19, at 7pm via Zoom:

Meeting ID: 878 6642 5968 Passcode: usual HCC code To Dial in\*: 301-715-8592 \*Long distance charges may apply

Barbara Freeman is generously offering Music to Soothe the Soul for us on **Friday mornings at 11:00 am**!



If you enjoy hearing her play, you can join in by Zoom meeting:

Meeting ID: 816 7318 9681 To Call In\*: 312-626-6799 \*Long distance charges may apply



#### Outdoor Office Hours are Back!

**Every Wednesday** (when weather permits), Pastor Betsy will conduct weekly outdoor office hours, from **11:30am - 1:00 pm outside the church** in a spot visible from the parking lot.

Betsy is fully vaccinated, and ready to welcome whomever comes to chat! If this time doesn't work best for you, please reach out to Betsy to schedule a different time to connect.

 Phone:
 517.339.8383 x11

 Cell:
 517.282.7443

 Email:
 aho.betsy@att.net

#### **Accessing Remote Worship**

Each Sunday, worship is aired on the church <u>Facebook page</u> at 10 am and all are welcome!! The service can also be found on our <u>YouTube channel</u>. Below are ways you can join us in worship.

This month, there will be a special Pentecost Sunday worship on May 23, that includes Communion, so plan on having bread and drink nearby to join in. And let's wear **red** to celebrate!





- Enter <u>www.facebook.com/HaslettCommunityChurch</u> into your web browser, then scroll down until you see the worship video.
- Visit our webpage, <u>haslettcommunitychurch.org</u> and click the **1** In the upper right corner, then scroll down until you see the worship video.
- There is also a worship link shared at <u>haslettcommunitychurch.org</u> at 10:00 am that will take you to that morning's worship video on <u>YouTube</u>.

If you need help connecting with us, please reach out to Michele, our Office Manager, at <u>hcc1@att.net</u> or 517.339.8383. Thank you for continuing to join us for worship! Please share our Facebook service widely if you are a Facebook user, as we want all to know they are welcome.



**One Great Hour of Sharing** 

This year's One Great Hour of Sharing theme is "Let Love Flow". When you "*let your love flow*" through OGHS, in partnership with others across the world, a greater impact can be brought to respond to a variety of global and local concerns.

- Let your love flow to help create sustainable development
- Let your love flow to help refugees
- Let your love flow to help in recovery from natural disasters
- Let your love flow to help bring clean water to communities without

Among the many needs, this year's focus is on bringing clean "*flowing*" water to communities where there is none. When water comes to a village, everything changes. It touches every area of life. Women and children will not have to spend whole days walking to a (not necessarily clean) water source and then carry heavy buckets home. Sanitation is improved to slow the spread of disease. There is less food insecurity because crops can thrive. With clean "*flowing*" water, children can go to school and families can train for new vocations to support themselves and their communities.

When we share the gifts God has given us, we "*let love flow*". That love flows over all sorts of spaces and dividing lines, knitting together a better human story, and opening a glimpse into the Kingdom of God. When we give to OGHS, we support water and other sustainable development projects all over the world. When you "*let love flow*", lives can be saved and transformed!

We will be highlighting OGHS through May 16, by collecting our usual One Great Hour of Sharing Special Offering through donations this year instead:

- Donations can be made by check: to HCC, with "OGHS" in the Memo line
- Donations can be made online <u>HERE</u> by choosing "OGHS" from the Funds dropdown menu.

On May 16, we will offer special prayers of thanksgiving for this opportunity God has given us to share our gifts and offer hope to others.

So, open up your tap and ...

#### LET LOVE FLOW!



If you would like to learn more about becoming a member of Haslett Community Church, join us for the **Inquirer's Class on May 16th at 11:00 a.m. via Zoom.** 

This is an opportunity to learn about HCC; there is no obligation to join. New Member Induction will take place at a future date for those who decide to pursue membership. All are welcome!

Meeting ID: 876 7675 9204 Passcode: *usual HCC code* 

#### **HCC Generosity**

Thank you for continuing to support Haslett Community Church as you are able. We are still The Church with a mission and a staff, even as

we gather in new ways, and we receive your gifts with gratitude. There are several options to make giving more convenient:

- 1. You can mail checks, and they will be accounted for weekly.
- 2. You can also go to <u>PayPal.com</u> or use the PayPal app and use your existing account or register for a new one, and enter <u>HCCgenerosity@gmail.com</u> to route payments to Haslett Community Church.
- 3. Online Giving, Text Giving, and Giving via Mobile App are all available to help make your support of HCC even easier! Visit <u>www.haslettcommunitychurch.org/giving</u> for more information.
  - Online Giving This secure option is available through our relationship with easyTithe<sup>TM</sup> and is accessible through our website.
  - Mobile Giving This secure option utilizes the easyTithe<sup>™</sup> Giving App which you can download from <u>The App Store</u> or <u>Google Play</u>.
  - **Text Giving** Just text GIVE to our secure giving number: 517-200-3995

Thank you for your generosity & support during this time!

Information for the June 2021 Newsletter is due to Michele on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of this month - May 18, 2021 Send to hcc1 @att.net





Zoom is a handy social-distancing meeting tool, no matter how technical you are. You can use anything from a home phone to the fanciest computer and still join! Until we can be together, we will use Zoom for meetings and programs to make them accessible to as many people as possible!

You can access Zoom at <u>www.zoom.us</u>.

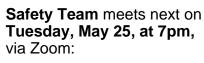
If you have questions, please reach out to Michele in the office - she's happy to help! hcc1@att.net or 517.339.8383.



Church Council meets on the second Tuesday of each month.

## The next Council meeting will be May 11, at 7:15 pm, via ZOOM.

If you would like to join us, please be in touch with Michele, Office Manager, for details: <u>hcc1@att.net</u> or 517-339-8383





Zoom Meeting ID: 826 2826 2157 To Dial In: 646.558.8656 or 301.715.8592 (long distance fees may apply)



HCC Green Team meets next on Monday, May 10, at 7pm, via Zoom:

> Meeting ID: 978 5308 7575 Passcode: *usual HCC code*



#### Mission Outreach meets next on Tuesday, May 4, at 7pm.

To join, or for info on this committee, contact Mary Trebilcock:

517.974.7142 trebil.jm@att.net

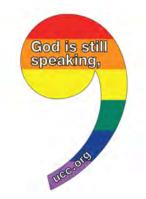
#### What's Happening at HCC

For everyone's safety, most meetings are happening by phone or computer, via ZOOM videoconferencing or Facebook Live, but there are also a few in-person opportunities. In place of the usual HCC Calendar, here is a list of meetings scheduled, online and other, so you can stay connected.

WEEKLY	ONCE THIS MONTH
Worship Service(p10)Sundays, 10:00am - (Pentecost is May 23)Facebook & YouTube	HHS Key Club Spring Food Drive Saturday, May 1, 10:00am - 1:00pm HCC
Virtual Sunday School(emails from Erin)Emails on Fridays	<u>Women's Group (p8)</u> Tuesday, May 4, 10:00am Zoom
Coffee With Jesus (p9) Every other Sunday, 11:15am -12:45pm (May 2, 16, & 30) Zoom	Mission Outreach Meets (p12) Tuesday, May 4, 7:00pm Contact Mary Trebilcock
Youth Group (emails from Erin) Sundays, 5:00pm / 7:00pm In-Person, small groups @ HCC	Social Committee Meets (p8) Tuesday, May 4, 7:30pm Zoom
Weekly Virtual Check-In with Betsy (p6) Tuesdays, 12:30pm Zoom	Green Team Meets (p12) Monday, May 10, 7:00pm Zoom
Outdoor Office Hours - Betsy(p10)Wednesdays, 11:30am - 1:00pmOutdoors at HCC	Council Meeting (p12) Tuesday, May 11, 7:15pm Zoom
Music To Soothe the Soul (p10) Fridays, 11:00am Zoom	Bring Your Own Book Discussion (p9) Thursday, May 13, 7:15pm Zoom
Men's Group (p9) Every Saturday, 9:00am Zoom	Inquirer's Class (p11) Sunday, May 16, 11:00am - Noon Zoom
Bonfire at the Wilson's(p8)Saturday, May 22, 6:00pm - 9:00pm408 E. Shoesmith Rd, Haslett	<b>Spiritual Life Meets</b> (p9) Tuesday, May 18, 7:15pm Zoom
Youth On A Mission Golf Outing (p3-4) Sunday, May 23, 1:00pm (chk-in by 12:45) Meridian Sun Golf Course	<u>Newsletter Info Due for June (p12)</u> Tuesday, May 18 - <i>email hcc1</i> @att.net
Safety Team Meets (p12) Tuesday, May 25, 7:00pm Zoom	<u>Choir Virtual Gathering</u> (p10) Wednesday, May 19, 7:00pm Zoom
Memorial Day Observed Monday, May 31 - HCC Offices Closed	Red Cross Blood Drive (p7) Friday, May 21, Noon - 6:00pm HCC

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