

Haslett Community Church



HCC Connections

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

February 2023



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Jesus said, " 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets." - Matthew 22: 37-40

We talk a lot about love in February! You can't go into a store without seeing pink and red heart-shaped everything, at least for the first half of the month. When we think about Valentine's Day maybe we think about romantic love. But there are certainly many other kinds of love, as well. We can experience love in friendships, in families, and in communities, for example. All are valuable and all require us to give and receive in different seasons of the relationship. If you have a good friend whom you love and who loves you, I imagine there are times when they need to know you care for them and support them, and times you need to know that from them, as well. Jesus also reminds us that we are called to love God (who first loved us), and to love your neighbor as yourself.

I wonder, of the various kinds of love that have been mentioned (romantic love, friendship, familial love, love of neighbor/community, love for God, love of self), what kind(s) of love is/are the easiest for you to experience, and which is/are the hardest?

As you read this newsletter searching for those things that interest you, and as you participate in the life of this church, I hope you recognize echoes of the love God has for you, and the love you have for God already within you. I pray that this community offers you opportunity to share and receive love with neighbors and friends near and far, and that Haslett

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Community Church, United Church of Christ can be something of a family to you and for you. And might all of this contribute to you loving yourself, as well. Because all of us, flawed though we are, are made in God's image and are worthy of giving and receiving love. Even love of self.

Yours in the Journey,

Pastor Betsy

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LENT, the season that leads to Holy Week and Easter Sunday, begins with **Ash Wednesday on February 22**. Ash Wednesday invites us to recognize our own humanness and mortality, and to experience the imposition of ashes, if you choose. You are invited to our Ash Wednesday Service at 6:00 pm on February 22. This service will also be livestreamed.

Look for a full list of Lent and Holy Week plans in the March Newsletter.

Ash Wednesday Service with the imposition of ashes*:

Wednesday, February 22, at 6:00 pm in person, (with livestream and parking lot options) led by Pastors Betsy and Erin at Haslett Community Church, UCC.

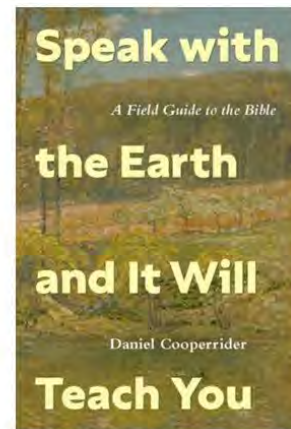
*Ashes provided in document holders for those wishing to participate via Zoom, livestream, or parking lot. Links will be shared at a later time.



**Tuesdays, 7 -8 p.m.
February 7 – March 28, 2023**

Grand Traverse Pie Co., E.L.
Community Room
1403 E. Grand River Ave., E. Lansing

Speak with the Earth and It Will Teach You: A Field Guide to the Bible by D. Cooperrider
Available from
Pilgrim Press and Amazon



**Book Study Group with
Addy Stuever, Environmental Justice Fellow**

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Environmental Justice Book Study

Join Haslett Community Church, UCC and Edgewood United Church, UCC as Addy Stuever, Climate Justice Fellow for both congregations, leads an 8-week, in-person, book study! "Speak with the Earth and It Will Teach You: A Field Guide to the Bible," was written by Daniel Cooperrider, a Pastor in United Church of Christ.

This event will take place weekly at Grand Traverse Pie Co. in East Lansing (1403 E. Grand River Ave.). The book is available at the links below, and reading will be just a couple of chapters per week. Come to the weeks you are able! Come early if you plan to order something, as the group has just an hour to meet and will begin at 7:00 pm.

Order the book from [Pilgrim Press](#) or [Amazon](#).



In 2014 we created a new way that we could organize all the opportunities folks have to serve HCC on Sunday mornings. We created the **Happy Heart** team- the greeters, ushers, Scripture readers, sound techs, coffee hosts and tellers who are so vitally important to our Sunday morning worship services.

The idea behind **Happy Heart**, is that when we serve others, not only are our own hearts filled with joy, but we also make happy the hearts of those we serve, and as a result, they make happy the hearts of those around them as well- the joy ripples outward into our community.

Folks were invited to indicate which roles they would be happy to serve in on Sunday mornings and a year-long calendar was created. If you were assigned a date that did not work for you, switching with someone else on the list was easy to do - you had a whole list of folks in front of you who you could call or email to easily switch Sundays (this helped lighten the load of our office staff). This easy-to-use calendar replaced the overlooked, often left blank, dust collecting sign-up sheets that hung in Friendship Hall.

After 9 years, especially post-pandemic, we've decided to have a **HAPPY HEART SUNDAY** to remember the reasoning behind it, to refresh some of the practices, and to RECRUIT new folks to join our **Happy Heart** Teams! At the start, we hoped no one would have to serve in any role more than TWICE per year. The more folks who sign up for each role, the closer we can get to that goal. ONCE per quarter in each role would be great

What follows are descriptions of each of the **Happy Heart** roles. Even if you've served on the **Happy Heart** team for years, please take a minute to read through it as some of the roles have been refreshed or changed (in response to feedback we've received from volunteers and other changes).



Greeters: Our Greeters are the first to welcome folks into the building. They're encouraged to stand in Friendship Hall, near door #1 and the church office (this prevents too much of a bottle neck where the nametag table is now, near the sanctuary doors).



Ushers: Ushers distribute worship bulletins before the service. They also count everyone in attendance, as well as close/open the sanctuary doors. During the offering, they pass the offering plates and a basket for prayer requests, placing the offering plates on the communion table during the Doxology.



Scripture Reader: This person will do the first Scripture reading of the Service. The church office emails you the reading for the week so you are able to become familiar with it and practice it prior to Sunday morning.



Sound Techs: These folks (usually 2 per Sunday) run the sound system. The people who work the system have been/ will be trained and are on a rotating schedule.



Coffee Hosts: Coffee Hosts host our time of fellowship following the worship service. The coffee materials and instructions are posted in the kitchenette in Fellowship hall. Hosts are encouraged to arrive 45 minutes prior to worship to get the coffee started. Treats are not a requirement, but are enjoyed by the congregation when offered. Juice or punch (non-red) is nice for the children & non-coffee drinkers. There are also usually GLUTEN FREE options to use in the freezer in the HCC Main Kitchen.

Two recommended changes that we're making for our coffee hosts:

1. You can now **CHOOSE** which method of making coffee you are most comfortable with: brewers & air pots or the traditional percolators. Directions and supplies will be provided for both.
2. You can also **CHOOSE** whether to use one-time-use cups or washable mugs and cups.



Tellers: Tellers are specially-trained to count the offering. They are on a rotating schedule. If this is something you are interested in doing, and aren't already on the team, please contact Pastor Betsy or Pastor Erin.



You are invited to fill out the ways you would be interested in serving the Happy Heart team in 2023. Return it to the HCC office, place in the offering plate, or email the church office at hcc1@att.net to sign up.

NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____

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|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter | <input type="checkbox"/> Coffee Host |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usher | <input type="checkbox"/> Sound Tech |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reader | <input type="checkbox"/> Teller |

Happy Heart Sunday will take place on Sunday, February 12!



This month in Sunday school is all about The Lord's Prayer!

There will be Sunday school on February 5th, 12th and 19th.

Sunday, February 26th is the first Sunday of Lent, which means we will be celebrating Holy Communion. Children will be in worship for the entire service and will collect a Joyful Offering.



LENT EVENT begins in March! Like ADVENTure Club, LENT EVENT meets on Wednesday evenings from 5:30-7pm (during Lent). This year's dates are March 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd. Sign up through church office!



Sunday, February 26th is a Communion Sunday, which means our children are in worship for the entire service. As a way of including them in the service, and to give them a time to be more active, they will collect their **Joyful Offering.**

In the past, our Joyful Offering has gone to support the child we sponsor through World Vision. The child, Salima, we sponsored for over 10 years has "graduated" out of the World Vision program. Her graduation gives us the opportunity to use our Joyful Offering in new ways!

For 2023, each time we collect our Joyful Offering (on Communion Sundays), it will go to support a different organization, ministry or non-profit. This will give our children and our congregation the opportunity to learn about many different organizations that are doing important work in our world!

In January, we collected \$100 during our Joyful Offering which went to support Heifer International. You can learn more about Heifer International and check out their gift catalog [HERE](#) (or by clicking on the logo below).



Our \$100 purchased what Heifer calls a "Basket of Hope" which provides 2 rabbits and a starter flock of chicks for a family. In addition we also were able to

purchase a flock of ducks as well as honeybees (bees, hive, equipment and training for families) with our donation!

Our February Joyful Offering will go to support the Books for Kids program by Next Door in Milwaukee.



Next Door was one of the service sites on the 2022 mission trip to Milwaukee. Next Door focuses on education and their Books for Kids program has volunteers reading to kids of all ages (from infants up through school-aged). Every time kids attend (which is weekly in the summer) they get to take home two books to build up their own library! It was one of our favorite service sites on the Milwaukee mission trip and we knew that it was one we would want to have a continued relationship with. Knowing how many educators we have in our congregation, we had a hunch this would be an organization HCC would gladly support!

You can read more about the Books for Kids program (and all of Next Door's programs) [HERE](#) (or by clicking their logo above).

Help us by bringing your loose change to worship on Sunday, February 26th!





We have so much happening in February that it won't all fit on this page! More important than ever to watch weekly emails & Remind texts!

YOUTH GROUP in Feb.:

On February 5th and 26th both groups meet at their regular times:

Middle School 5-6:30pm
High School 7-9pm

*if you have students in **both groups**, feel free to do drop off and pick up at **6:45pm**.*

On Sunday, February 12th youth groups will not meet in the evening due to the Super Bowl. Instead they will sled at Meridian Hill (if we actually have snow by then).

On Sunday, February 19th we will have Youth Group Olympics (middle school 6-8pm, high school 8-10pm).



10th Grade Dinner Wednesday, February 15th 6-7:30pm at HCC

For all dinners we eat at the large table by the kitchen, please use door #3. Please RSVP to Erin by that morning!



Tuesday, February 28th
7-8:30pm

All youth invited to gather for a time of fun conversation together. Please bring money for your food. We are usually in one of the corner booths.



Sunday, February 12th
Sledding @ Meridian Hill

Bundle up. Grab a sled, toboggan, saucer, tube, whatever and come sledding with us at Meridian Hill. We will meet at the hill. Time to be determined. This will take the place of youth group on the 12th (it's Super Bowl Sunday).



Monday, February 20th
No School means
BREAKFAST AT BLONDIES!
Meet at Blondies at 10am. Please bring money to buy your breakfast.

We are trying to get ICE SKATING on the calendar for February, but at the time this is written, Munn & Suburban have not yet released public skate times for February. Stay tuned.



Middle School Youth Group
Winter Retreat
Friday, February 10th –
Saturday, February 11th

Cost is \$50/person

We will meet at the church at 4pm on Friday afternoon. We will return to HCC by 8pm Saturday evening.

Drivers & overnight chaperones are needed!

We will be staying at the United Church of Wayland. More information, including suggested packing list and parent waiver will be handed out at youth group!

SIGN UP BY SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH!



IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO SIGN UP FOR THE MISSION TRIP!

ALL YOUTH (all ages) are invited to come on the mission trip to Nashville, Tennessee June 17-24th.

Cost for the trip is \$500/person (with a discount offered for families with more than one participant attending. Each additional family member is \$400/person).

We are still in need of adult chaperones! It is an amazing experience to be a part of! Alumni- scholarships available!

Our Church Family



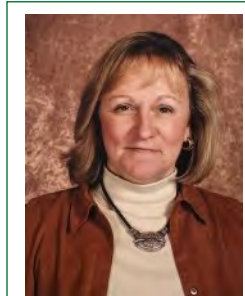
Thanks to these individuals who have recently served the church in special ways:

- To outgoing Council members: Barb Szkotnicki, Don Flagg, and Ruth Linnemann for their work and service!
- To the Loaves and Fishes team for February: Nancy Ferguson, Nancy White, Carolyn Solomon, Sally Heisler, and Paula Fry
- To everyone who participated in Laity Sunday: Carolyn Lucas, Don Flagg, Lee Dudasik, Becky Leefers, Jon Lineberry, and Cambria Decker-Larkin

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Information you'd like included in the March 2023 Newsletter is due to Michele no later than February 21, (the 3rd Tuesday of this month)

Please send to: hcc1@att.net



Karen S. Klein
July 13, 1956 -
January 26, 2023

Memorial Service

Saturday, February 4, 11:00 am
With Reception and Fellowship to follow

Obituary:

[https://www.paradisefuneralchapel.com/obituaries/Karen-S.-Klein-\(East-Lansing\)?obId=27140055#/celebrationWall](https://www.paradisefuneralchapel.com/obituaries/Karen-S.-Klein-(East-Lansing)?obId=27140055#/celebrationWall)



Big Thanks to all who participated in the January Red Cross Blood Drive at HCC!

There were 50 donors and 47 total units of much-needed blood collected.

Our **next drive** is scheduled for: **Friday, March 17**. You can schedule to donate by Finding our drive here:

<https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/ind-drive>



Dear Friends,
Choir is always open to all who would like to try it!

It's a new year, and the perfect time to see if HCC Choir is for you. You don't need to be a musician or have choral expertise to try.

We practice each Wednesday from 7-8:30 pm. Join us!

~ Barbara (517-881-9976, call or text)



Meijer Simply Give Winter Campaign

The Haslett Community Food Pantry has been selected by the Bath Meijer store to be a beneficiary of the **Winter Simply Give** campaign.

The campaign will run in Bath Meijer from now through April 1, 2023.

Meijer will **double donations** on the following days:

**Saturday, March 4, and
Saturday, March 25, 2023**

On those days for every \$10 donation card purchased, Meijer will provide an additional contribution of \$20, resulting in a total donation of \$30. Donation cards are available on the HCC kitchenette counter or at the Bath Meijer store.

While other days are not double matched, a Simply Give donation on any day is welcome as the total campaign produces much valuable food pantry assistance!!

Thanks to generous customers and Meijer Foundation support, the Simply Give campaign generated over \$77 million in food donations for more than 430 food pantries throughout the Midwest since November 2008.



Happy Heart Schedule for February


Sunday, Feb 5	
Ministry	Name(s)
Reader	Steve Decker
Greeters	Sylvia Davis & Jean McIntyre
Ushers	Ann Pierce & Sylvia Davis
Coffee Hosts	Steve & Barb Decker
A/V Techs	Helen & David Jones
Tellers	Sylvia Davis & Jim Durr

Sunday, Feb 19 – President’s Day Weekend	
Ministry	Name(s)
Reader	Don Flagg
Greeters	Don & Kelly Flagg
Ushers	Jim Gornick & Jewell Muller-Gornick
Coffee Hosts	Ron & Cathy Rowe
A/V Techs	Rich Newport
Tellers	Don Flagg & Jim Gornick


Sunday, Feb 12 – Happy Heart Day	
Ministry	Name(s)
Reader	Becky Leefers
Greeters	Ann McGrath & Cindy Meteyer
Ushers	Tom Nelson & Sylvia Davis
Coffee Hosts	Carol Cramer & Kelly Flagg
A/V Techs	Jon Lineberry & Ambrose Meteyer
Tellers	Cheryl Edwards & Bob Heisler

Sunday, Feb 26 – 1 st Sunday of Lent	
Ministry	Name(s)
Reader	Carol Reid
Greeters	Rebecca Reagan & Susan Schwaderer
Ushers	Kim Carnes & Liz Newport
Coffee Hosts	Pam & Todd Maxwell
A/V Techs	Helen & David Jones
Tellers	Rich Newport & Dave Ferguson







Member Caring
will meet next on **Sunday, March 19**, after Worship, in the HCC Library.



Property Committee meets next:
Monday, February 13, @ 6:00pm via Zoom.
Contact Laura Clark-Roupz if interested.



Knitters, Crocheters, & Wannabees
Our Next Meeting will be **Sunday, February 12, at 11:15 am** after worship, in the Library.



HCC Green Team meets next on: **Monday, February 13, at 7pm**, via Zoom:
<https://msu.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 910 9450 8188
Passcode: 48840



Church Council meets on the second Tuesday of most months.
Our next meeting will be: Tues., February 14, at 7:15 pm
If you would like to join us, please be in touch with Michele, Office Manager, for details: hcc1@att.net or 517-339-8383.

Safety Team meets next: **Tuesday, March 28, at 7pm** in Fellowship Hall.



Please contact Sally Heisler for details about this group: 517-230-4043 or sally.m.heisler@gmail.com



Social Committee is here to guide and encourage us to stay connected. The members of the Social Committee keep our minds a-brewing with ideas for creative ways to bring us together. Many of these events are weather dependent. Please keep a lookout for fun events we are trying to bring your way. We are looking forward to spending time with you!

Call or text **Kim Carnes** at **(517) 331-3586** if you'd like to be involved, or have ideas. **We usually meet at 7:30pm on the 2nd Monday** of each month. **NEXT MEETING: Monday, February 13, @ 7:30pm** in HCC's Friendship Hall



The Social Committee would like to invite you for some fun! Please join us for an evening of bowling!

When: Friday, March 3, 2023 @ 6:30pm

Where: City Limits Bowling Center- East Lansing
2120 E. Saginaw Hwy. East Lansing, MI 48823

Who: All ages are welcome!

Price: \$12 / person (includes bowling & shoes)

Pizza will be provided by the Social Committee.

Please sign up by Saturday, February 18, on the clipboard on the wall outside the church office in Friendship Hall.

Contact Jewell Muller-Gornick at 517-242-4842 with any questions.



Breakfast in April!

It may not seem like it now, but Spring will be here before you know it!

At HCC, that means it's time for Lent, Holy Week, Easter, and... Breakfast in April!

This annual tradition returns in 2023, with our Social Committee (and friends) preparing breakfast **on three Sunday mornings in April: April 16, April 23, and April 30**, before worship.

Many people come together to make this event possible. **If you'd like to assist** with food prep, serving, set-up, clean-up, or you have new ideas for the menu, we'd love to have you.

Please contact Kim Carnes (517.331.3586) to let us know how you'd like to help.

Social Committee



- Social Committee Meets Feb 13, 7:30 pm Fellowship Hall
- All HCC Bowling March 3, 6:30 pm City Limits, East Lansing
- All HCC Camping August 10-13, 2023 Pioneer County Park Muskegon



Spiritual Life’s members, Don Flagg, Cambria Decker-Larkin, Carolyn Lucas, Katie Riley, Jenn Tafel, and Kris Belonge meet each month to envision ways of carrying out our three-part mission: supporting our clergy and staff in liturgical activities, creating and enhancing individual spiritual growth opportunities, and facilitating spiritual connections among our community. Our committee expresses appreciation for the hard work of our pastor and staff for the many details attended to (e.g., implementation of new nametags, and many other details) as well as overall planning and direction of our worship and programming!

Anyone interested in our group’s activities, please contact current chair, Carolyn Lucas.

We meet **next on Thursday, Feb. 2 and Thursday, March 23, at 7:15 pm in the Sanctuary and on Zoom**. If you would like to attend, please send your request to Carolyn Lucas at csrlucas@aol.com or text her at 517.881.4241.

Connect & Reflect:

A Retreat for All Ages

**Saturday, February 4, 2023
2:30 pm**

Join us for a time of connecting, small Spiritual learning, and activity groups, & activities for kids!

At the end of the afternoon, we’ll share in a singalong, simple supper, & enjoy an evening of games.

Sign up on the clipboard outside the HCC Office or e-mail hcc1@att.net to sign up.



Households of Every Size and Age Welcome!

- Walk a Labyrinth
- Explore New Ways to Pray
- Discussion Groups on Various Topics
- Children’s Activities
- Sing Along
- Simple Supper
- Games & Fun



Brown Bags and Beliefs is becoming Wednesday Wisdom and Wonderings

Our mid-week program, formally called “Brown Bags and Beliefs” is becoming: “Wednesday Wisdom and Wonderings!”

Our first program of W³ will be our Lenten Series starting in March. So stay tuned, and look for opportunities to engage with other Spiritual Life offerings until then!



MEN’S GROUP

Men’s Group continues to meet regularly in different ways, including **online Zoom meetings on most Saturday mornings at 9:00am** (see info below).

**** On Saturday, February 11, we will be meeting in-person for breakfast at Blondie’s Restaurant in Haslett, at 9am.**

Please **contact Dave Vietti** if you’re interested in connecting with this group: 517-339-5731

vietti@msu.edu

Zoom Meeting ID: 416 360 920
Passcode: 48840
Call In** 301.715.8592



Coffee With Jesus is a group sponsored by the Spiritual Life Committee to help us reflect on and grow in

our spiritual life, as well as foster closer ties between us.


We meet, study, and share our experiences as we seek to deepen our practice of prayer. Our group is open and welcoming for any who would like to find a place to give and receive support. We have become an all women's group, but are open to all genders joining us!

We usually meet on the third Sunday each month, **after worship in Mary & Martha's room** (next to Youth room downstairs). **Our next Meeting is: Sunday, February 19, at 11:15 am.**

Sermon Preview Bible Study
Thursdays 9-9:45 a.m.
Via Zoom

Weekly Bible Study based on the Scripture for the upcoming Sermon · Lead by Betsy

Meeting ID: 879 0122 4109
Passcode: 48840

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Sermon Preview Bible Study Continues!

Did you know:

- Sermon Preview Bible Study happens every Thursday
- You can drop in any weeks you want and do not have to attend regularly to benefit
- You are not expected to study the texts in advance and do not need to have a history of Bible study to attend
- No one is put "on the spot" to share or contribute
- Our learning is rich, and our discussions often help shape the sermon that week
- The Zoom format of this group makes it accessible to people near and far
- We stick to the 45-minute window of time
- You are invited to give it a try any time

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, and we receive your gifts with gratitude.

There are several options to make giving more convenient:



1. You can mail checks, which are accounted for weekly.
 2. You can also PayPal us at: HCCgenerosity@gmail.com.
 3. Online Giving, Text Giving, and Giving via Mobile App are all available to help make your support of HCC even easier! Visit www.haslettcommunitychurch.org/giving for more information, or use the QR code above to access our Giving page.
- **Online Giving** - is available through our relationship with easyTithe™ and is accessible through our website.
 - **Mobile Giving** - utilizes the easyTithe™ Giving App which you can download from [The App Store](#) or [Google Play](#).
 - **Text Giving** - Just text GIVE to our secure giving number: 517-200-3995

Thank you for your generosity & support!

Church Office Hours



Have some church business you'd like to take care of in person? Have a question that's easier face-to-face? Just want to say hello?

Grab a mask and stop by for office hours!

The church office is open for On-site Office Hours Tuesday & Thursday 10:30am - 1:00pm.

Pastor Betsy is usually in the office Tuesday - Friday. You can make an appointment or swing by during her drop-in office hours on Wednesdays, 11:30am - 1:00pm.

We love to see you, so please stop by!

Your staff continues to be available to serve you by email and phone outside these on-site hours as well.

What's Happening at HCC in January

What's Happening no longer shows individual committee meetings. Instead, you can find specific committee meeting information on [pages 7, 8, & 9](#) of this newsletter and [HERE](#). Please remember to check with Michele in the office to coordinate building and grounds space use for your group (hcc1@att.net or 517.339.8383).

WEEKLY

Worship Service

Sundays, 10:00am Feb 26: 1st Sunday in Lent
Sanctuary, parking lot via 88.7 FM, [YouTube](#)
(Ash Wed Srvc, Wed, Feb.22, 6pm)

Sunday School (p4)

Sundays, during worship, Downstairs

Coffee Fellowship

Sundays after worship, Friendship Hall

Youth Group (p5)

Sundays, Youth Room*
5:00-6:30pm Middle School (MS)
7:00-9:00pm High School (HS)

*Feb. 12 & 19 - Different (check pg 5)

Onsite Office Hours (p10)

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:30am-1:00pm
HCC Office

Pastor Betsy's Drop-In Office Hours (p10)

Wednesdays, 11:30am-1:00pm
(She is also available by appointment Tue-Fri)
HCC Office

Choir Rehearsal (p6)

Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30pm
Sanctuary

Sermon Preview Group (p10)

Thursdays, 9:00 - 9:45am, Zoom*
*No group January 19 or 27 - Pastor Betsy is away

Men's Group (p9)

Saturdays, 9:00am
Zoom (except Feb.11 - in-person @ Blondie's)

Communion & Joyful Offering (p4)

Sunday, February 26 during 10am worship
1st Sunday in Lent

YOUTH: Culver's Night (p5)

Tuesday, February 28, 7:00 - 8:30pm
Okemos Culver's

ONCE THIS MONTH

Karen Klein Memorial Service (p6)

Saturday, February 4, 11:00am
HCC Sanctuary, reception following

CONNECT & REFLECT Retreat (p9)

Saturday, February 4, 2:30-8:00pm
All Church Retreat @ HCC

YOUTH: MS Winter Retreat (p5)

Friday-Saturday, February 10-11
UCC Wayland

Men's Breakfast (p9)

Saturday, February 11, 9:00am
Blondie's

Knitters, Crocheters, etc. (p7)

Sunday, February 12, 11:15am
Library

YOUTH: Sledding Day (p5)

Sunday, February 12
Meridian Hill (in place of Youth Groups)

Church Council Meets (p7)

Tuesday, February 14, 7:15pm
Fellowship Hall & Zoom

YOUTH: 10th Grade Dinner (p5)

Tuesday, February 15, 6:00-7:30pm
Fellowship Hall

Coffee With Jesus Meets (p10)

Sunday, February 19, 11:15am
Mary & Martha's room (downstairs)

YOUTH: Breakfast @ Blondie's (p5)

Monday, February 20, 10:00am
Blondie's Barn

Newsletter Items Due (p6)

Tuesday, February 21, 10:00am
Email to hcc1@att.net

Ash Wednesday Service (p2)

Wednesday, February 22, 6:00pm
Sanctuary

Leadership Retreat

Saturday, February 25, 9:30am-1pm

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



HCC Connections

February 2023

Haslett Community Church

Office Hours: Tue. & Thu., 10:30am - 1:00pm (HCC Office)
Wed., 11:30am - 1:00pm (Betsy Office Hours)

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