

Worship Service, 9 a.m., October 10, 2021

1. Preparation in Prayer and Music – Steve Nixon
2. Welcome: “This is the day that the Lord has made ...” (Psalm 118:24)
Look toward the light as the acolyte, Aiden Williams, lights the candles.
3. Announcement: Pastor Paul Lee
4. Prelude: “Open Our Eyes” with “Open My Eyes that I May See”
– Nelda Chestnut
5. The Renewal of Our Faith in Unison: “The Apostles’ Creed”
6. Opening Hymn: “Here I Am, Lord” (vs. 1-3) UNCH 593
At this point, children dismissed to Children’s Sunday School/Church
7. Special Music: “10,000 Reasons” – Choir
8. Prayer: Ruth Dyer
9. Special Music: “I Will Sing of My Redeemer” – Choir
10. Scripture Reading: Matthew 25:31-41, 44-46 – Nancy Whyms
11. Sermon: “Acts of Outreaching Care out of Love” - Pastor Paul Lee
12. Closing Song: “Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service”
(vs. 1, 2, 4) UMCH 581
13. Benediction – Pastor Paul Lee
14. Postlude: “Crown Him with Many Crowns” – Steve Nixon

Sermon addresses two distinctive features frequently recurring in his frequent visits to their significances in Matthew: one as sincere care or mercy; the other as the final judgement. The former may be called the “ministry of mercy” while the latter is viewed as the judgement of Jesus at the end time. As we are called out of the world, Jesus sends us back to the world to live a life that resembles his life on earth. He reached out from heaven to earth, from the earth to the cross, and then from the cross to heaven and yet living among us in and through the Holy Spirit. Even amid tough situations, the sermon reflects on the significance of outreaching care with the love, which we have experienced with him. This outreaching, sincere care is humble, small, and unrecognizable just as the left hand does not know what the right hand does. Yet, it will be paid off greatly with the privilege of entering the kingdom of heaven.

Renewal of Our Faith in “The Apostles’ Creed” (on the Screen)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Scripture of the Day (from NRSV)

Matthew 25:31-41, 44-46 in the New Testament

³¹ “When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. ³² All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, ³³ and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left.

³⁴ Then *the king* will say to *those at his right hand*, ‘Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; ³⁵ for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶ I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.’ ³⁷ Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? ³⁸ And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? ³⁹ And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?’ ⁴⁰ And the king will answer them, ‘Truly I tell you, *just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.*’

⁴¹ Then *he* will say to *those at his left hand*, ‘You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; ⁴⁴ Then they also will answer, ‘Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?’ ⁴⁵ Then he will answer them, ‘Truly I tell you, *just as you did not*

do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.’⁴⁶ And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.”

A Warm Welcome to Our New & Returning Guests!

We appreciate if you leave your contact information for our Pastor.

Prayer & Celebration – New & Updated Requests

- Pastor Paul Lee – health
- Becky McDaniel - health
- Patty Dyehouse – knee surgery
- Larry Chandler (Janice) – rehab at Park Terrace Village in Evansville
- Larry Fravel (husband of Vonda) – health issue
- Lee McConnell – a speedy recovery
- Don & Debbi Kays; Wilma Richardson – health issue
- Amelia Grames - eye surgery
- Bruce Byers - knee surgery
- Mike Phillips - health
- Peg Jenkins - knee problems; Amelia Grames – eye surgery
- Teresa Barron (Pam Williams' sister) – recovery after her surgery
- Emma Middleton - rehab at Riley's
- Avonne Wilzbacher – mother of Andrea Kohlmeyer
- Justin & Andrea Kohlmeyer, a newborn baby (Grady & Dakota)
- The Family of Jean Kirk – Jean being a member of Hillside and having resided in Oklahoma for a few year

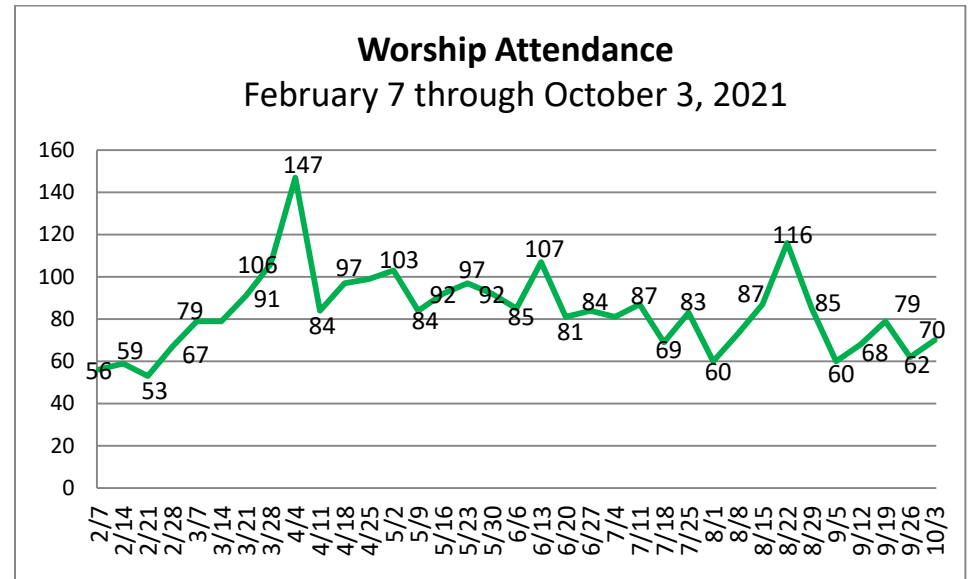
Prayer for Those at Health Campuses & the Homebound

- River Oaks Health Campus:
Betty Collins, Jean Eads, Mary Evans, Evelyn Lankford, Mary Key, Mary St. Clair, Mary Ann Tate, and Marilyn Williams
- The Waters of Princeton, Rehabilitation & Nursing Center:
Jim Sampson, Janet Grable
- Good Samaritan Home & Rehabilitative Center in Oakland City:
Bonnie Beasley (her brother, Wes)

Announcements

- **Children’s Sunday School/Worship with Susan Woods, TODAY:**
- **Youth Group Gathering, Today 4:30 p.m.**
- **The Second (11 a.m.) Worship Service:** an agreement/decision of the Board of Directors/Church Council will be shared.

- **Thank-You for Tithes and Offerings:** Mail your check to the church or give online at <https://www.hillsideprinceton.org/why-we-give>.
- **Prayer Requests & Announcement to the Pastor by Friday 10 a.m.:**
- **Our Weekly Stewardship - Giving and Attendance on Sept. 26:**
- General Operating Fund \$ 3,355.16; Other Fund Donations \$ 557.00
- Total \$ 3,912.16



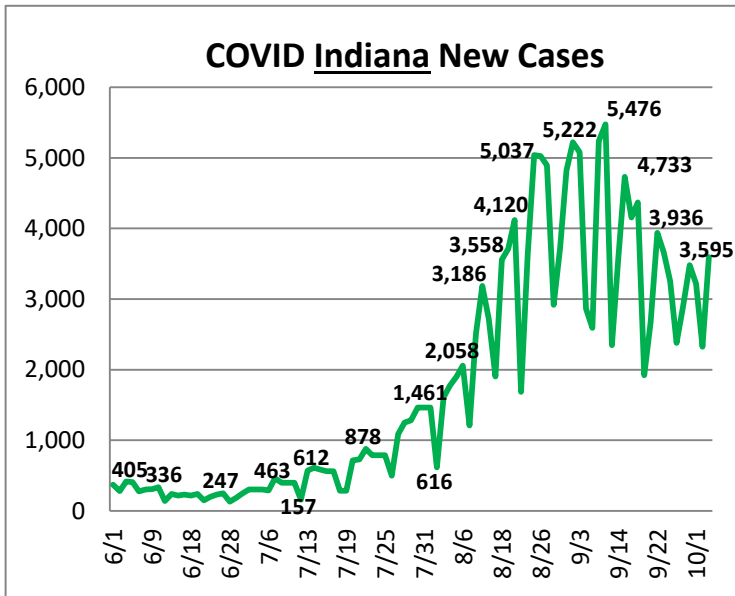
- **Giving to Southwest District & Indiana Conference through Aug.:**
- Southwest District \$0; Received to Date \$2,167.71
- Indiana Conference (10%) \$2,377; Received to Date \$18,281.00
- Total Received to Date \$20,188.00
- **Pastor’s Office Hours:** Tues, Wed, and Fri 10 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Feel free to call the parsonage (574-208-4088) or email the pastor. This week, the pastor plans to work at the parsonage regaining strength after his stay after a hospital. Please feel free to contact him as needed.

Connection Tools for Hillside Ministries:

- Church Main website: <https://HillsidePrinceton.org>
- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/princetonhillside/>
- Online Worship Bulletin: <https://hillside.clifej.net/worship>

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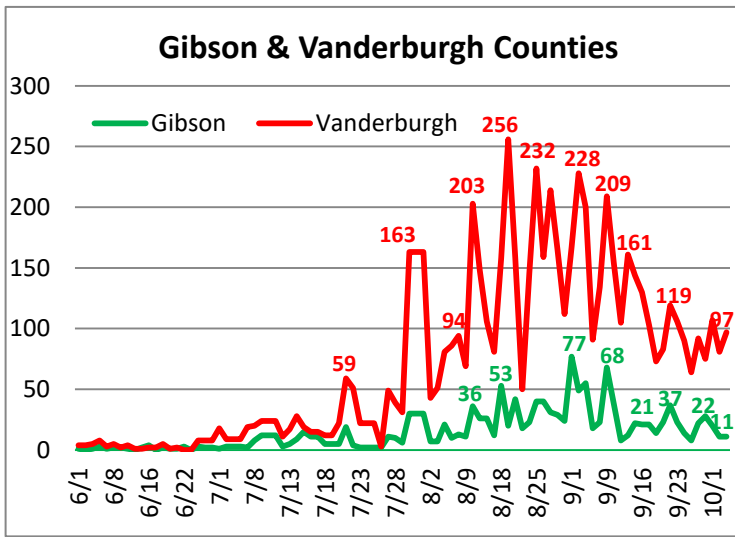
TRUNK OR TREAT TIME!

Please join us in supporting the children of Hillside United Methodist Church and community friends for a fun afternoon of treating the kids:

- *Sunday, October 31* in the church parking lot, 3:00-5:00 p.m. This will be a drive through trunk or treat event.
- *Set up at 2:00 p.m.:*
Please be ready for review at 2:50 p.m.



Wearing face mask is HIGHLY recommended!



Source: Indiana Department of Health Website)

- We will be following guidelines set by Gibson Co. Health Dept.
- All trunk participants will be masked and have hand sanitizer at their station.
- All candy will be placed in the bags/containers of the children as their cars drive by. Candy must be individually wrapped.
- Sign-up sheet for your space is available at the welcome desk or call/text Karen Smith 812-630-7680.