

HAPPENING AT HANOVER

July 1 Welcome Pastor Luke	July 11 175 Birthday Celebration
July 4 8:00 Worship (also on Facebook)	8:00 Worship (also on Facebook)
9:30 Sunday School and fellowship time	9:30 Sunday School/Fellowship
10:30 Worship	10:30 Worship
July 6 7:00 pm- Worship Committee	11:45 Pitch-in Lunch

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Calling all Singers

If you have EVER or NEVER sung in the HUMC choir or any other choir for that matter, you are invited to sing in our 175th anniversary choir on July 11th. We will have practice at 9:30 today. A song from the hymnal will be sung in parts with Yvonne providing a special arrangement. The choir will sing the benediction for the 8 AM service and the introit for the 10:30 service allowing singers to attend only one service if desired. If you have questions, contact Claudia Schneider at 812-866-4723.

Water for the Jefferson County Fair

We are asking for water donations to hand out at the 4-H fair as well as volunteers to work the booth. Please contact Claudia Schneider if you would like to volunteer. Please bring your donated water to the Fellowship Hall and place it on the table marked "Water for the Fair." The fair will be July 8-13th. This is a wonderful opportunity for HUMC to open our doors to the community.

Welcome Pastor Luke Richards

Pastor Luke Richards began his service as the new pastor of HUMC on July 1st. Pastor Richards will be introduced to the congregation on July 11th with his first Sunday in the pulpit on July 18th. We are preparing a welcome basket for Pastor Luke and his family. Pastor Luke and his wife, Pastor Carey have a 5-year-old daughter, Junia and a 2-year-old son, Matthias. We will present this to them on arrival in July. Local restaurant gifts cards, home supplies, welcome toys, etc. are all great gifts. We will have a box in the narthex to place your contribution.

Sanctuary Technology Upgrade

The Administrative Council agreed to a plan to upgrade various technology in the sanctuary to improve the worship experience for person attending both in-person and virtually. It includes a new projector, new microphones, cabling, and a rear-mounted camera. The camera will not only permit broadcasting of the worship service, but also to broadcast other events held in the sanctuary such as funeral and weddings. A generous gift of \$2,000 has already been given to the \$9,800 total cost. If you would like to help defray the costs of this upgrade, please write Sanctuary Technology Upgrade on your check or envelope. You can also give on-line as well.

HUMC to Host Blood Drive

In partnership with the American Red Cross, HUMC will host a blood drive on August 18th. We need 2 volunteers for that day, one to do the registration table and one to pass out snacks. Times are approximately 1:15-6:15. Please let Liz Webber know if you can help. Further information to be provided on how to sign up to give blood on this day.

HANOVER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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Pastor Luke Richards



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WELCOME TO HANOVER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Please sign the registration pad located at the end of the pew

July 4, 2021

8:00 am and 10:30 am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tom Webber

PRELUDE (8:00)
(10:30)

*OPENING HYMN

“America the Beautiful”

Hymn #696

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We see God in earth, water, sun, air -- everywhere!

P: The heavens are telling the glory of God; and their expanse is declaring the work of His hands.

L: Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night reveals knowledge.

P: How much more we could learn about Him if we would listen -- if we were open to the knowledge that pours into us every minute!

L: Creator is in all He has made. What beauty there is in the opportunity to interact with Him in everything we do.

P: Such a life indeed, becomes a living prayer. We say our prayers in unspoken language and respect whenever we harvest, plant, work, or play.

ALL: When we see God in all things, we live in reverence with everything around us. We enter now into His worship in reverence and in praise!

FIRST HYMN SING

At this time, we will sing limited verses of two hymns chosen by the congregation.

SCRIPTURE READING

Galatians 5:1 and 13-26

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PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory (8:00)

Offertory (10:30)

*Doxology (Hymn #95)

*Prayer of dedication ,concluding with the Lord’s Prayer

SECOND HYMN SING

At this time, we will sing limited verses of two hymns chosen by the congregation.

HOMILY

“Freedom”

R. Keith Howard

CLOSING HYMN

“The Battle Hymn of the Republic”

Hymn #717

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE (8:00)

(10:30)

Leading Us in Worship Today

Worship Leader: R. Keith Howard

Organist: David Hottel (8:00 am) **Pianist:** Yvonne Davis (10:30 am)

Praise Team: Jacob DeAtley and Dean Crafton (10:30 am)

Celebrate with us Our 175 Birthday Next Sunday!

Join us next Sunday as we celebrate our 175 birthday! Former pastor, the Reverend Allen W. Amstutz, will be in the pulpit for both services. Pastor Luke and his family will be introduced to the congregation at this time. Former pastors have been invited to attend or share memories of their time with us. Communion will be served in each service. A birthday celebration choir will perform at both services.

A pitch-in meal will be served following the 10:30 service. Please bring your favorite dish to share. A highlight of this meal is that several members have agreed to bring a dish made from recipes from cookbooks printed over the many years.

There will also be a display of pictures and other remembrances from our past. Our youth have a surprise for us as well. We welcome you to share your favorite memories of Hanover United Methodist Church and what being a part of this church family has meant to you and your family.

Invite your family and friends to join us for this special celebration!

*(Indicates please stand if able)