# **Things to Pray for:**

**CHURCH FAMILY NEEDS:** Margie Gallay died a few weeks ago; please pray for the family. Patty Ewing's brother, Harley, also died a few weeks ago; please pray for the Ewings. Also, pray for Jerry Jamrozy, who has bone cancer.

MISSIONARIES: This month pray for the Bellas.

**FAMILY OF THE WEEK:** Each week we'll pray for a different family in our church. This week pray for the Erdels.

HILLSIDE HAPPENINGS: Pray that the church would continue to stay unified under Christ. Pray for our livestream and for the people joining us there. Pray that God would use us to bring His Kingdom here.. Pray for our children's ministry as it is getting built back up.

**CURRENT HAPPENINGS:** Pray for the current health pandemic in our world and in our country. Pray for medical staff and for our leaders as they navigate how to best help. Pray for students, teachers, administrators, and all other school staff. Pray for the recent destruction due to storms.

## **Numbers**

#### **Attendance**

In-person on 1/2/22: 45

Online views (through 1/5/22): 8

### **Giving**

Online (12/27/21-1/2/22): \$140 for general

In-Person on 12/26/21: \$4525 for general, \$80 for missions

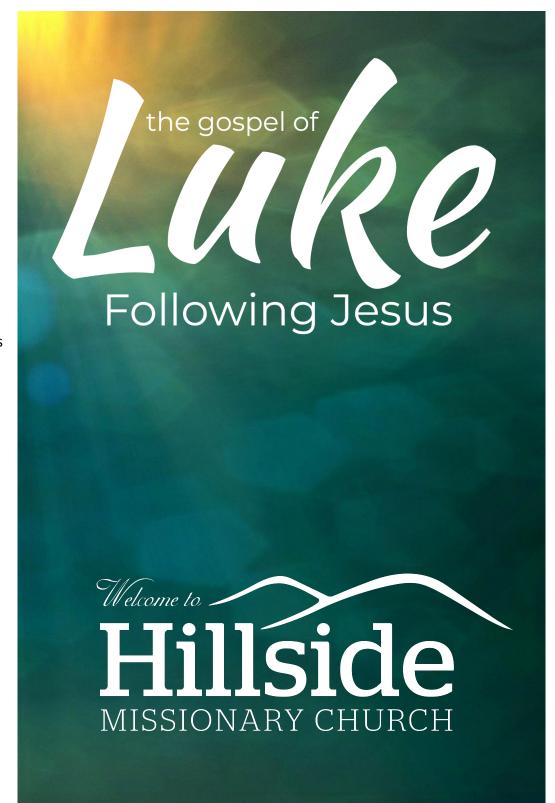
Total general needed weekly to meet budget: \$1480

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# Welcome!

January 9th, 2022

Whether you're a guest or a long-time attendee we're glad you're here with us. We're a friendly and caring group of Christians who are here to help people be CONNECTED with Jesus, CHANGED by Jesus, and COMMITTED to the mission of Jesus.

**GUESTS**: Thanks for joining us today! We truly believe that you're not here by accident and that God has some amazing plans for your life. If you'd like some information about who we are and how to get plugged in here at Hillside, please fill out the "I'm New" page on our website, hmcworship.com/im-new/

**SERMON SERIES:** Our sermon series is going through the book of Luke and is entitled, "Following Jesus." This Sunday's message is from chapter 17 and answers the question, "What do I need to know about the second coming of Christ?"

**CONNECT:** We'd love for you to connect with us online! Find a livestream of every week's service on our website, hmcworship.com. In addition to that, we encourage you to continue to reach out to your church family through letters, texts, phone calls, and on social media.

**COVID-19 CHANGES:** We are no longer be asking people to wear a mask and social distance. However, if you would still like to do either, we completely respect that, and we are asking for everyone to respect that as well. No one will judge you for your decision, either way (see Romans 14).

# **Announcements**

**BIBLE READING PLANS:** Bible reading plans, to help you read through the Bible in a year, are available at the welcome center. These plans come along with a podcast, and also connect with the Youversion Bible app, to make it as convenient as possible.

**EMAIL LIST:** If you do not receive our weekly emails, announcements, and prayer requests, please join our email list! You can do so by going to hmcworship.com/im-new

# **Opportunities to Help**

**OPEN SORTING HOUR AT THE FOSTER CLOSET:** Want to help out at the foster closet but can't commit to helping regularly? That's ok! Every Friday from 12:30-1:30 is an open sorting hour. If you'd like to help during the open sorting hour, please text Tammi Fisher at (216) 526-9974.

**KID'S CHURCH:** If you'd like to volunteer to help out at Kids' Church we'd love your help! No outside prep is required. Please contact Bonnie Walter or Brittney Savill.

**TECHNOLOGY:** We are looking for 2-4 people to help out running the worship lyrics, as well as the sound board during the worship service on Sunday morning. Please contact pastor Josh if you're interested.



## 1/9/22 - Week 52 - Luke 17:20-37

What We Must Understand about the Second Coming of Christ

In this passage of God's Word, we see Jesus being asked by the Pharisees when the Kingdom of God would come. This spurs Jesus to teach His disciples about His second coming, and gives us some really good insights onto what it will look like, as well as some actions steps for us to take:

- 1. Don't get led astray by false \_\_\_\_\_\_ Luke 17:23-25, 1 John 4:1, Matt. 7:15-20, 24:24, 2 Tim. 4:3-4, Col. 2:8, Jude 1:4, 1 Tim. 6:3-5
- 2. No one knows when Christ will \_\_\_\_\_ Luke 17:26-30, Matt. 24:36, 42, Rev. 3:3, Mark 13:32-35, Acts 1:7, Matt. 25:13
- 3. Don't get attached to this \_\_\_\_\_\_ Luke 17:31-33, 21:34-36, John 14:1-3, Matt. 24:45-51, 1 John 2:15-17, Col. 3:1-3, James 4:4, Rom. 12:2

### **Reflection Questions**

1. After reading and hearing about Jesus teaching His disciples about His second coming, does anything stick out? Did you learn anything new? What questions are you still wrestling with?

2. How do you think your life would change if you viewed everyday as the day that Christ could return?

3. At the heart of what Jesus taught His disciples about His second coming, is for them to remain ready for His return at all times. How well do you do at remaining ready? What could you do better?