Things to Pray for:

CHURCH FAMILY NEEDS: Pray for Randy Harmon, who suffered from a clogged carotid artery. Pray for Jerry Jamrozy, who has bone cancer.

MISSIONARIES: This month pray for the Bellas in Turkey.

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

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. Pray for Casa Del Alfarero, the Spanish-speaking Missionary Church 5 minutes from our building.

CURRENT HAPPENINGS: Pray for the recent earthquakes in Turkey. for the war in Ukraine. Pray for East Palestine, Ohio and the damage due to the recent train accident. Pray for the recent damage due to storms in the south.

<u>Numbers</u>

Attendance

In-person on 3/5/23: 56 Online views (through 3/7/23): 6

Giving

Online (2/27/23-3/5/23): \$155 for general In-Person on 3/5/23: \$667 for general

Total general needed weekly to meet budget: \$1480

Rather view this information on your phone? Feel free to scan this Q.R. code to view this on the Bible app! For future reference, we always have the QR code posted at the main entrance that will take you to that week's event in the Bible app!



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Welcome!

March 12th, 2023

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, which can be found by the QR code to the right.



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SERMON SERIES: Throughout this sermon series we are looking parts of God's Word that involve the church. We're talking about why we need the church, what the church is, what the purpose of church is, and common ways that the church gets off track.

HELP UKRAINE: Our denomination, the Missionary Church, has set a prayer guide, as well as a relief project fund for us to be able to help Ukraine during their time of need. Check out the links below by pointing your phone camera to the Q.R. codes:





Prayer Guide

Relief Project Fund

<u>Announcements</u>

DIRECTORY: We are using an app called "instant church directory." Simply download it on your phone, login with your email, create an account, and enjoy!

MEMBERSHIP CLASS: Are you interested in becoming a member? We will be starting a new members class soon. Please talk to Pastor Josh for details.

BAPTISM: Are you interested in becoming a baptized? Please talk to Pastor Josh for details.

EVANGELISM WORKSHOP: Join us for an exciting opportunity to learn how to share your faith with others! We are hosting an evangelism workshop on April 15th from 9am-noon. The event will feature experienced speakers who will share practical tips and techniques for effective evangelism.

Opportunities to Help

TECH: Our worship team is looking for someone who would like to run sound and/or slides. Please see Pastor Josh.

OFFICE HELP: Pastor Josh is looking for someone who can make and print bulletins and keep our website updated. If you are interested, please see Pastor Josh.

WORSHIP TEAM: Would you like to help out on the worship team? Please see Carolyn Dodd for details.

MAINTANANCE TEAM: Would you like to help out on the maintenance team? Please see Jeff Soule for details.

CLEANING: Do you have extra time in the week to help us keep our building clean? If so, we would love your help! Please see Pastor Josh for details.

Interested in helping out somewhere else? Please talk to Pastor Josh! There are a variety of needs around the church.

3/12/23 – Week 10 – Matthew 18:15-20 How to Handle Conflict

Throughout this sermon series we are looking parts of God's Word that involve the church, and what it looks like for us to be the church that God created us to be. Today, we're looking at a message in Matthew 18:15-20 that Jesus gives to His disciples about how to handle conflict. By taking a look at what He taught them, we can also learn how to handle conflict.

Realize that conflict is not inherently _____, but if left unresolved will affect your relationship with _____

Matt. 5:9, 1 John 4:20, 1 Pet. 3:7, James 3:18

So how do we handle conflict?

1. Evaluate and prayerfully consider what

needs to be _____

Matt. 18:15, Prov. 13:10, 19:11, Luke 23:8-9, Matt. 27:12-14, Eph. 4:31-32

2. Ask God for ______ Matt. 18:15, James 1:5, 4:1, Prov. 2:6, Mark 11:23

4.

Matt. 18:15, James 1:19, Prov. 17:28, 18:2, 13, Rom. 15:2

5. Focus on _____

Matt. 18:15, 2 Cor. 5:18, Col. 3:13-14, Matt. 6:15, James 5:16

6. If necessary, get ______ involved Matt. 18:16-17, Prov. 26:17, Phil. 2:3, 4:5

7. Know when to ______ or walk away Matt. 18:17, 21-22, 6:14-15, 10:14, Eph. 4:32, John 8:58-59, Matt. 12:14-16

Reflection Questions

1. Have you ever studied or hear this passage or topic preached on before? What stood out to you?

2. Do some reflecting on the conflicts that you have had in the past. Are there any common causes, patterns, or cycles of conflict in your life? If so, what step(s) could you take to break them?

3. How do you typically deal with conflict? How close is your way of dealing with conflict to the way that Jesus taught us to deal with it?

4. Of the 7 things Jesus taught us that we need to do to handle conflict well, which one do you need to work on the most?

5. How does love and compassion play into conflict management, and how can we cultivate these qualities in ourselves and others?

6. How would being a better listener help you to navigate conflict management in a more Biblical manor? How can you be a better listener?

7. What do you think a church would look like if everyone in the church dealt with conflict the way that Jesus told us to deal with it?

8. How can you help others (your kids, friends, people in the church, ect.) to handle conflict the way that Jesus taught us to?

9. What is your biggest take away from this message? What did God teach you? Do you feel led to put anything into action? If so, what, and what practical step(s) do you need to take to be obedient to what God has led you to do? Who can keep you accountable to accomplishing this?