## **Things to Pray for:**

**CHURCH FAMILY NEEDS:** Pray for Jerry Jamrozy, who has bone cancer. Pray for Sam who is recovering from a knee surgery.

MISSIONARIES: This month pray for Janyne Johnston.

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

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

**CURRENT HAPPENINGS:** Pray for the war in Israel. Pray for the war in Ukraine.



#### **Attendance**

In-person on 5/19/24: 54 Online views (through 5/20/24): 5

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Online: (5/6/24-5/12/24): \$495

In-Person on 5/19/24: \$1679 for general

Total general needed weekly to meet budget: \$1623

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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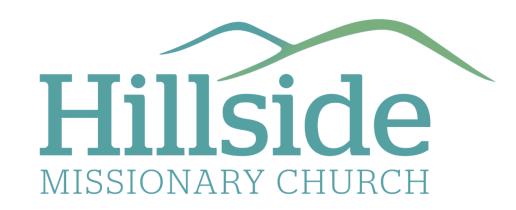
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#### Psalm 125:1-2

Those who trust in the LORD are like Mount Zion, which cannot be moved, but abides forever.

As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the LORD surrounds his people, from this time forth and forevermore.



# Welcome!

May 26th, 2024

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.



**EMAIL LIST:** If you would like to receive prayer requests, announcements, and our weekly email, feel free to scan the QR code above. It will take you to the "I'm New" page on our website, where you can fill out your name, phone number, and email.

**SERMON SERIES:** We are currently going through a sermon series in the Gospel of Matthew. Today, however, we have the privilege of hearing from a guest speaker, Joel DeSelm.

# **Announcements**

**PRAIRIE CAMP:** Are you interested in sending your child to summer camp this year? How about attending family camp, either for the day or the whole week? More information can be found about our denominational camp, Prairie Camp, at the welcome counter.

BAPTISM: Have you accepted Jesus as your personal Lord and Savior, yet haven't gotten baptized? We believe baptism is an outward expression of what God has done in your heart. If you would like to get baptized in the future, please talk to Pastor Josh.

**PROJECTS:** We are currently working on replacing our road sign, saving up for a new roof, and a repair to our gym floor. We are also trying to put a small group meeting area together. Would you prayerfully consider partnering with us financially to make these things happen? For more information, please talk to Pastor Josh.

## **Opportunities to Help**

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

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

**PRAYER GUIDE:** Will you be in prayer for Hillside? Prayer guides are available at the welcome counter. Also, if you would like to be a prayer advocate, please see Pastor Josh.

MAINTENANCE TEAM: Would you like to help out on the maintenance team? We need help inside and outside the building. Please see Jeff Soule for details.

### Lessons from Jerusalem

## Historical Background: Why is Jerusalem such a unique city?

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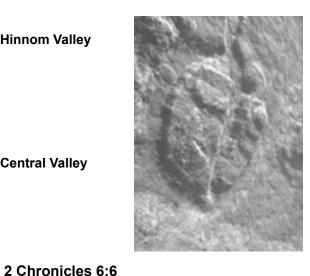
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