

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 the Bellas.

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

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.

Numbers

Attendance

In-person on 6/30/24: 54

Online views (through 7/3): 9

Giving

Online: (6/23/24-6/29/24): \$255

In-Person on 6/30/24: \$310 for general, \$2,500 for building improvements

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!



Give Online



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Matthew 9:1-2

And getting into a boat he crossed over and came to his own city. And behold, some people brought to him a paralytic, lying on a bed. And when Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, "Take heart, my son; your sins are forgiven."


Hillside
MISSIONARY CHURCH

Welcome!

July 7th, 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, we're talking about a difficult passage in Chapter 8, where Jesus casts out demons.

Announcements

KIDS MINISTRY: Have you considered helping with the kids, but haven't wanted to make the full-time commitment? Consider taking a station at our VBS in July! VBS runs during church so there will be no extra time commitment needed and ideas to lead the station will be provided. See Brittney for more information.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES: Mark your calendars! On Sunday, August 4th, we are helping serve lunch to those in need at Miami Village Church. On Saturday August 17th, we will be helping hand out school supplies in Chicago with Devon Oasis. Please See Pastor Josh for more details.

PROJECTS: We are currently working on 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.

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO

Matthew

FROM TAX COLLECTOR TO APOSTLE

Week 24 - Matthew 9:1-8 - 7/7/24

What Miracles Teach Us about Jesus

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2. Jesus gives us _____
Matt. 9:2, 2 Cor. 1:3, Rom. 5:5, Is. 9:6, 1 Tim. 2:5
3. Jesus gets to the _____ of our problems
Matt. 9:2, Phil. 4:6-7, Ps. 34:17, Rom. 8:28, James 1:12
4. Jesus _____ us better than we know ourselves
Matt. 9:3-4, 10:30, Ps. 139:1-24, John 10:14-15, Heb. 4:13
5. Jesus has the ultimate _____
Matt. 9:5-7, 28:18, Rev. 19:16, James 4:7
6. Jesus gives us everything we _____
Matt. 9:4-7, 2 Pet. 1:3, Eph. 1:19-21, 2 Cor. 12:9
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Reflecting on God's Word

Getting Started

- Take some time to read over Matthew 9:1-8 and pray.
- Have you ever read or heard about this before? What stood out to you as we were talking about it?
- What surprised you as we talked about it?
- Take some time in prayer, specifically asking God to help you in your relationship with Him, and thanking Him for His sacrifice that made a way of salvation possible.

Diving In

1. Read Matthew 9:2 again. It must of taken a lot of faith to bring this man to Jesus, and Jesus notices that faith of the people who brought the paralytic to Him. In what ways does it encourage you to know that Jesus notices *your* faith, and the things you do out of faith?

- In what area(s) of your life do you need encouragement in, to keep on doing what God has called you to do?
- How can you remind others of the truth of Jesus noticing their faith?

2. Read Matthew 9:2 again. Even though the paralytic man was brought to Jesus to be physically healed, Jesus first encourages him, and forgives his sin. Have you ever gone to God with a problem, and He instead got the root of your problem, instead of healing a symptom of it?

3. Read Matthew 9:4-7 again. Not only does Jesus give the scribes what they need, by talking to them, and showing them that He surely does have the power to forgive sins, but He also gives the healed man the full strength to get up, pick up his bed, and go home. How does recognizing that Jesus gives us everything we need comfort you and encourage you in your faith?

4. Read Matthew 9:8 again. The crowd glorified God, who had given authority to men. Romans 8:17 calls us co-heirs with Jesus.... which is an incredible gift that God has given us. Spend some time in prayer, thanking God for doing that for you.

Applying the Scripture

What are your biggest takeaways from this passage of God's Word?

- What practical step(s) do you need to implement in your life to apply what God has taught you in this passage of Scripture?
- How would applying this affect your life and your relationship with the Lord?
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