

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 Jamrozys.

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 5/5/24: 60

Online views (through 5/8/24): 10

Giving

Online: (4/29/24-5/5/24): \$60 for general

In-Person on 5/5/24: \$1185 for general, \$50 for missions

Total general needed weekly to meet budget: \$1623



Give Online

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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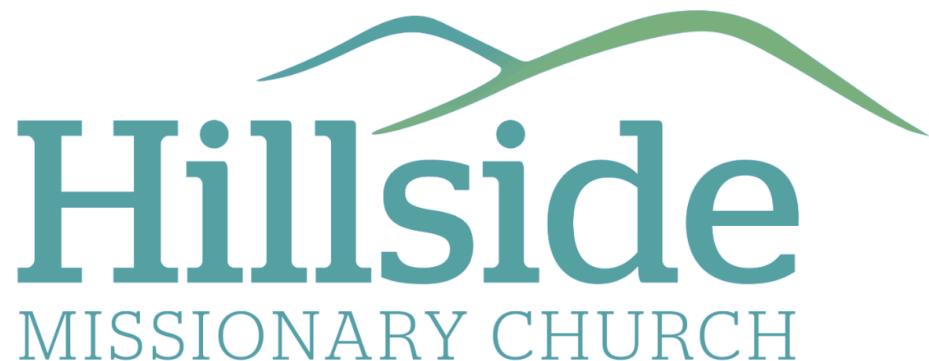
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Matthew 6:34

"Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble."



Welcome!

May 12th, 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 continuing in the Sermon on the Mount portion of Matthew, where Jesus teaches us what it looks like to be a part of His Kingdom.

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.



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Matthew

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Matt. 6:19-34, Ps. 26:2, 134:23-24, 1 Pet. 1:6-7

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Matt. 6:19-21, 19:16-22, Luke 12:16-21, 33, James 5:1-3, Prov. 11:26

2. What is taking up my _____ space?

Matt. 6:22-23, Prov. 16:3, 1 John 2:15-16, Luke 18:22, Phil. 3:12-14

3. What am I _____ towards?

Matt. 6:22-24, Prov. 11:4, 16:16, 23:4-5, Luke 18:24, Ecc. 2:26

4. What is taking up my _____?

Matt. 6:22-24, Col. 4:5, Ps. 90:12, James 4:14, Eph. 5:15-16

5. Am I focused on things outside my _____?

Matt. 6:25-27, John 13:7, 1 Pet. 5:6-7, Ps. 46:10

6. What do I find myself _____ about?

Matt. 6:25-34, 11:28-30, Prov. 12:25, John 14:1, 27, Ps. 55:12

7. When is enough _____?

Matt. 6:25-34, John 14:8-9, Ecc. 5:10-14, 1 Tim. 6:6-10, Heb. 13:5



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Reflecting on God's Word

Getting Started

- Take some time to read over Matthew 6:19-34 and pray.
- Have you ever read or heard about this before? What stood out to you as we were talking about it?
- What was your biggest take away from this message? Why?
- Take some time to think and pray about God helping you to take an inventory of your life and your heart. Ask God to point out the things in your life that don't honor Him.

Diving In

1. Read over Matthew 6:19-24 again. It is essential that we ask God for help when we take an inventory of what is taking up our physical space, brain space, and time. Which one of those is more difficult for you to control? Which one comes most naturally to control?

- What is taking up too much of your time during this season of your life?
- How can you be more intentional with what is taking up your brain space, physical space, and time during this season of your life?
- How would it change your life and your relationship with God if you were to better manage what takes up your physical space, brain space, and time?

2. Read over Matthew 6:22-24 again. What are the top 5 things you are working towards in this season of your life? Are those intentionally focused on what you feel like God has called you to do during this season of your life?

- If you are working towards something that you feel like God doesn't want you focused on (at least not during this season of your life), how can you be faithful to not be focused on that right now?
- If you feel like God wants you to focus on something that you're not focusing on right now, what do you need to eliminate in your life, in order to focus on what God wants you focused on right now?
- How would being focused on the right things during this season of your life change you, and change your relationship with God? What else in your life would change if you were focused on the right things?

3. Read over Matthew 6:25-34 again. Many of our tendencies as people is to worry about things. What are you most worried about in your life during this season?

- How can you hand over your worries to God better?
- How would being more content help you to worry less?
- How would worrying less change your life, and change your relationship with God?

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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