

HOLLYWOOD UMC

Baptism
of
The
Lord

JANUARY 12, 2025

WELCOME

JOIN US IN PERSON OR ONLINE AT 10:00 AM

PRELUDE “Brethren, We Have Met to Worship” Mary Jane Seanor

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Children’s Church Dismissal

* **OPENING HYMN** “When Jesus Came to Jordan” UMH #252

* **CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 29:1–4; 9–11

Leader: Ascribe to the Lord , O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

**People: Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name;
worship the Lord in holy splendor.**

Leader: The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; The God of glory thunders,
the Lord, upon many waters.

People: The voice of the Lord is powerful, the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.

Leader: The voice of the Lord makes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare;

People: And in his temple all cry, “GLORY!”

Leader: The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as Ruler forever.

**People: May the Lord give strength to his people!
May the Lord bless his people with peace!**

* **OPENING PRAYER** UMH #253

Father in heaven, at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan, You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Grant that all who are baptized into His name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess Him as Lord and Savior, who with You and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, One God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 64:1–4, 7–10a

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

Children’s Church Dismissal

CHORAL ANTHEM

“Surely, the Presence of the Lord is in this Place”

A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer



* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** TFWS #2118
"Baptized in Water"

* **NEW TESTAMENT READING** Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

SERMON Rev. Matthew Tate

TITHES & OFFERINGS

See the back page for a variety of ways to give.

Offertory "III" Mary Jane Seanor

* Doxology UMH #95

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

COMMUNION

WESLEY COVENANT PRAYER UMH #607

O God, you know that I make this covenant with you today without guile or reservation. If any falsehood should be in it, guide me and help me to set it aright.

And now, glory be to you, O God the Father, whom I from this day forward shall look upon as my God and Father. Glory be to you, O God the Son, who have loved me and washed me from my sins in your own blood, and now is my Savior and Redeemer. Glory be to you, O God the Holy Spirit, who by your almighty power have turned my heart from sin to God.

O mighty God, the Lord Omnipotent, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, you have now become my Covenant Friend. And I, through your infinite grace, have become your covenant servant. So be it.

And let the covenant I have made on earth be ratified in heaven. Amen.

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION** UMH #545
"The Church's One Foundation"

* **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "The Church's One Foundation" Mary Jane Seanor

* We stand in body or in spirit to give glory to God.

PRAYER REQUESTS

*Pray for the healing of our church family,
friends & relatives*

Lailon Dorsey (12/17)	Sue Rehder (12/23)
Estelle Elmore (10/15)	Nancy Rehder (12/23)
Brian Frounfelker (12/23)	Ethan Reuter (12/5)
Johnny Gatton (10/15)	David Roberts (12/23)
Nelson Houchens (10/9)	Keith Southworth (8/7)
Kathryn Liebschutz (12/18)	Douglas Tucker (10/3)
Jim & Carole Lupis (12/20)	Nancy Williams (12/18)
Kyle Reed (9/23)	

Pray for those who are battling cancer

Mike Britt	Pam Grace	Steven Nourse
Tim Buckheit	Curtis Graves	Leanne Riley
Christine Clontz	Nathan Gray	James Rothwell
AJ Davis	Harold Insley	Rob Sutor
Melvin Dean	Gene Keller, Jr.	Yvonne Tabor
Sandy Denison	Mike Knight	Janet Taylor
Jason Duke	Lance Lupis	Denny Woodruff
Connie Evans	Bob Napier	Sarah Zsak

REJOICE
ALWAYS,
PRAY
WITHOUT CEASING,
GIVE
THANKS
IN ALL
CIRCUMSTANCES

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NRSV

Pray for our Homebound

Robert & Sharon Hayes	John Porter
Connie Langford	CD & Judy Wood

Pray for Pastor Matthew & Danielle, and Amelia, Simon, and Ambrose

To request prayer, fill out a Keeping in Touch card or call or [email the office](#).

Please keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests.

Names in bold indicate new prayer requests or those who need extra prayer this week.

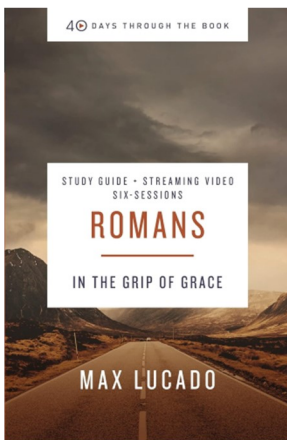


Help us get a jump on next year's wreaths! Through this Tuesday, January 14, due to a matching program, sponsor two wreaths and we will receive FIVE!



HOLLYWOOD YOUTH GROUP TONIGHT 6:00 PM IN THE YOUTH ROOM

Happy New Year! We look forward to seeing you tonight! Talk with Ryan if you are interested in sharing a testimony or providing dinner with the teens at one of our monthly Taste-imony nights! Stay tuned for more youth news!



NEW BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL

Our next Bible study **for all** will begin on January 27 and 28. Two options each week will be available: Mondays and Tuesdays at 7:00 PM, in the Youth Room. The study will be centered on Max Lucado's book *Romans: In the Grip of Grace*.

The core idea of the book of Romans is that we are saved from sin by the grace of Christ. The apostle Paul unpacks the power of grace in a way that can completely change your life...

In this six-session Bible study (streaming video included)—the first of the 40 Days Through the Book series—Max Lucado welcomes you and your group into the knowledge and freedom of grace with his exploration of Paul's letter to the Roman church. Throughout the study, you'll explore the book of Romans with Max to gain a deeper understanding of its context and content, focusing on central truths such as:

- The extent and power of sin
- The amazing reality and availability of God's grace
- The battle we're still in, and the hope we have despite the enemy's lies
- The grand story that we're all a part of—from creation to restoration
- The call to live in fellowship with each other and with Christ

The book was originally published in 1996. If you have an original edition, or the later re-release, it will “work” for the study. If not get a copy with the cover shown from Amazon, Cokesbury, or ChristianBook.com.



January 20 at Tia's Cantina
Let Terri Van Asdlen or Janet Cook
know you are coming.

**SPECIAL
SUNDAY**



On Sunday, **January 19**, the day before Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday, we celebrate and take up a special offering to help bring his vision of a "beloved community" to life.

Your gifts support important programs like Community Developers, United Methodist Voluntary Services, and Youth Offender Rehabilitation

HUMAN RELATIONS DAY

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays	10:00 AM 6:00 PM	Morning Worship Service (In-Person/ YouTube) Youth Group
Mondays	7:00 PM	Bible Study for All (Youth Room)
Tuesdays	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	Jazzercise (GH) Bible Study for All (Youth Room)
Wednesdays	10:00 AM 6:30–8:00 PM	Wednesday Bible Study (Youth Room) Choir Rehearsal
Thursdays	9:00 AM 10:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH) Deadline for Bulletin Info for Next Sunday
Fridays	9:00 AM	Pastor’s Sabbath Jazzercise (GH)

~~Event~~ indicates a weekly event that will not be held this week.

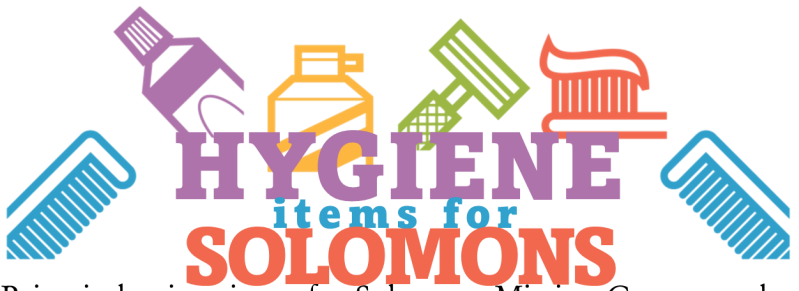
UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, January 15		HUMP&K Registration for HUMC Families Begins
Thursday, January 16	5:-00–7:00 PM	HUMP&K Cold Stone Creamery Fundraiser
Saturday, January 18		HUB Retreat
Sunday, January 19		Human Relations—UMC Special Sunday
Monday, January 20	Noon	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—Office Closed Ladies Lunch at Tia’s Cantina
Tuesday, January 21	3:30 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Youth Room)
Monday, January 27	7:00 PM	“In the Grip of Grace” Study Begins (Youth Room)
Tuesday, January 28	7:00 PM	“In the Grip of Grace” Study Begins (Youth Room)
Friday, January 31		Statistical Reports Due
Saturday, February 1	10:00 AM	Kitchen Clean Up (COME HELP!)
Sunday, February 2		Solomons Mission Center Collection
Sunday, February 9	After Worship	Souper Bowl
Monday, February 17		Presidents’ Day—Office Closed—No School <small>(SMCPS)</small>
Sunday, March 2		Solomons Mission Center Collection
Tuesday, March 4		Pancake Supper



Filling Empty Little Tummies
Thank you so much for supporting this ministry! These are the items we currently need in our pantry for local school children who need food during weekends of the school year.

- ♥ Oatmeal Packets
- ♥ Pop Tarts



Bring in hygiene items for Solomons Mission Center on the first Sunday of each month! Deodorant, soap, brushes, combs, toothbrushes, toothpaste, razors, shaving cream, shampoo, etc. Thanks!

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WAYS TO SUPPORT HOLLYWOOD UMC

✚ Mail a check to us at the address above!

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✚ You can give indirectly to HUMC through [iGive](#) as you shop online!

