

CELEBRATING OUR STEWARDSHIP

Hyde Park Community UMC		
2020 Operating Income and Expense		
November, 2020	Annual Budget	Actual YTD
Pledged Income	\$ 1,227,361	\$ 1,042,831
Unpledged Income	474,968	308,416
Endowment Draw	1,355,164	1,322,161
Other Income	167,883	129,182
Total Income	\$ 3,225,376	\$ 2,802,590
Admin Team	\$ 870,326	\$ 764,139
Staff Ministry	1,568,880	1,388,326
Apportionments	261,345	239,565
Communication Team	17,000	10,312
Bimel Outreach	217,500	198,385
Comm Min Global Out	186,800	151,124
Connecting Ministries	15,000	3,719
Discipleship Ministry	60,875	14,190
Worship Team	27,650	17,129
Total Expenses	\$3,225,376	\$ 2,786,889
Net Oper Inc vs Exp	-	\$ 15,701

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Merry Christmas! As we celebrate the twelve days of Christmas (yes that is a real thing) I offer the following prayer attributed to Robert Louis Stevenson.



*Loving God,
help us remember the birth of Jesus,
that we may share in the song of the angels,
the gladness of the shepherds,
and worship of the wise men.*

*Close the door of hate
and open the door of love all over the world.
Let kindness come with every gift
and good desires with every greeting.
Deliver us from evil by the blessing which Christ brings,
and teach us to be merry with clear hearts.*

*May the Christmas morning make us happy to be thy children,
and Christmas evening bring us to our beds with grateful thoughts,
forgiving and forgiven, for Jesus' sake. Amen. (attributed to Robert
Louis Stevenson)*

May the blessings of Christmas abound today, and in the days ahead, as God leads us into a new year. Stay healthy and safe!

Christmas Blessings,
Pastor Doug

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

December 28th Monday after
Christmas CLOSED

December 29-December 31st

9:00 am- 4:00 pm

January 1 CLOSED



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united methodist church**
PRESCHOOL



Register your preschooler, age 2.5 to 5,
NOW for the 2021-21 school year at
HPCUMC Preschool!

Registration materials are located outside
the Preschool office and on our website,
www.hydeparkpreschool.org.

Contact Julie Vail, jvail@hpcumc.org /
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ENDOWMENT ANNUAL REPORT

The Annual Report for the HPCUMC
Endowment is available at the Welcome
Center desk and in the various literature
racks.



NEW TESTAMENT CLASS

THE NEW TESTAMENT YOU NEVER KNEW

Begins January 7th

Thursday evenings, 6:30 pm (via Zoom)

8 sessions

Rev. Dr. Cathy Johns, Facilitator

Ever have a fascination for "the rest of the story?"

Join Pastor Cathy for this exciting 8-week study that explores behind-the-scenes facts about seemingly familiar stories of the New Testament. Two wonderful biblical scholars, N.T. Wright and Michael F. Byrd, will lead our tour of the explosive story behind the New Testament.

Class members will discover things they never knew about Jesus' baptism and journey into the wilderness, the meaning behind his parables and miracles, the significance of his death and resurrection, the incredible expansion of the early church into the Greco-Roman world, and how the transforming mission of Jesus can still turn the world upside down today.

Participants will view a video link prior to class discussion each week. A study guide and small group discussion will help us learn together, build community, and grow individually.

Classes will meet by Zoom at 6:30 p.m. the following Thursday: 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 3/4, and 3/11. Zoom links and video presentations will be sent electronically to participants. This study is designed for all who want to learn more about the New Testament. Beginners are welcome as we learn and grow together.

Join Pastor Cathy for this exciting adventure beginning Thursday, January 7, 6:30 p.m. Books will be available in the church office; please call Pastor Cathy to reserve your copy. Suggested donation is \$10.

Registration is open on Realm. If you have questions, please contact Cathy Johns: cjohns@hpcumc.org

2020 CHARITABLE DONATIONS

The IRS has strict rules governing the tax year in which charitable donations can be deducted. A donation mailed to the church with a postmark on or before December 31, 2020, will be recorded as a 2020 donation. A donation postmarked after January 1, 2021 will be treated as a 2021 donation even if the check is dated earlier.

Don't miss the opportunity to receive tax benefits and the satisfaction of supporting the mission and ministry of HPCUMC!



BIRTHDAY WISHES

Frank Iskra, a member of HPCUMC since 1983, will be 99 years on Tuesday, December 29th.

His address is 7611 Carriage Ln
Cincinnati, OH 45242 and his email is fjiskra@aol.com.

Let's give Frank a wonderful celebration!

