



MAKING THE KINGDOM OF GOD REAL AND VISIBLE

### Ways of Discipleship - Secret Service

One of the ways that we can grow to become more like Jesus is to serve others. Jesus was a servant who gave His life and He invites us to the joy of being servants as well. This morning we'll think about a special kind of service that has a powerful effect in shaping us — secret service.

Text: Matthew 6:1-4

Message by Pastor Ron Kool

Offering: General Fund

sermon notes

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### WEEKLY CALENDAR

#### Sunday, February 2

- 9:30 & 11:00 am Stepping Stones
- 11:00 am Kids ROCK
- 4:00 pm Scripture Reading

#### Monday, February 3

- 6:30 pm Hand2Hand packing
- 7:00 pm Outreach Team
- 7:00 pm Depression Support Group

#### Tuesday, February 4

- 6:30 am Men's Bible Study group
- 8:00 am Senior Men to Russ'
- 9:30 am Women in the Word
- 6:00 pm Single & Parenting
- 6:15 pm Skeptics Welcome
- 7:00 pm Women in the Word

#### Wednesday, February 5

- 6:30 am Open Prayer Time
- 9:00 am Open Prayer Time
- 6:30 pm GEMS / Cadets

#### Thursday, February 6

- 9:30 am Moms Connect
- 7:00 pm Zumba

#### Friday, February 7

#### Saturday, February 8

## WELCOME!

February 2, 2020

We are so glad to have you as our guest today and would love to be able to serve you. If you have questions or would like more information, please visit our Welcome Center in the lobby.

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Hillside will increasingly become a community where the kingdom of God is real and visible in every aspect of our lives. Living out the reality of the values and priorities of the Kingdom of God means at least that.

**Communal Reading of Scripture** will meet today at 4:00 in the church library. All are welcome to come explore God's Word.

**Giving statements** for 2019 for your tax purposes are in your church mailboxes.

**The *Inside Hillside***, February edition, is in your church mailboxes today.

**Skeptics Welcome!** Invite a friend to explore questions about faith on Tuesday nights, 6:15—8:00 pm in the library. RSVP for a free dinner to Pastor Daniel, (616)882-3372.

**Attention Golf lovers:** Hillside will open our Indoor Hitting Facility for all golf lovers and golf teams in February, during office hours, M-F 9 am to 4 pm. We will NOT be sponsoring the annual golf clinics this year.

**Take Heart**, a support group for care givers, will be returning to their Wednesday night schedule beginning February 12 and meeting the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of every month from 7—8:30 pm in the church lounge.

**Exploring Hillside Class:** Are you wondering if it's time to join Hillside or you just want to have some of your questions answered? Are you starting to walk to "your seats" each week or refer to Hillside as "my church"? Exploring Hillside may be right for you! Join us on Wednesday, February 19 from 7-9 pm for our next class. This is the first step in the membership process but in no ways obligates you to join. Meet some new people and learn a little more about Hillside. If interested, call the church office at 698-0122 or sign up at the sign up center. Looking forward to seeing you there!

**Evangelism Training!** This will take place on Saturday, February 15, from 9 am to noon at Hillside Church. This is for everyone who might be interested in refreshing their skills in presenting the gospel during everyday conversations. Our trainer is Jon

Shepherd, evangelist to unreached people groups. Please RSVP to Pastor Daniel, (616) 881-3372 or [dbud@hillsidegr.org](mailto:dbud@hillsidegr.org).

**IF:Gathering** provides an opportunity for women to hear from God's Word, dive into authentic conversations, worship Jesus, and hear stories that will compel them to take next steps in God's plan for their life. This year we are excited to announce that we will be hosting this annual event at the new Special Olympics Michigan building (formerly South Christian High School)! We will gather with women from other local churches on Friday, March 6 (6:30-9:30PM) and Saturday, March 7 (9:00-4:00PM). Register at [ifonefaith.iflocal.com](http://ifonefaith.iflocal.com) or connect with us at [facebook.com/ifonefaith](https://facebook.com/ifonefaith).

**Volunteers Needed** for the Children's ministry front desk. Greet families and welcome children as you check them in on Sundays. Connect with Dawn at [dwierenga@hillsidegr.org](mailto:dwierenga@hillsidegr.org).

**Children's Communion Class** will be offered on Wednesday, February 26 at 6:30 pm in the Kids Rock room. We ask that a parent attends the class with his/her child. Register with [dwierenga@hillsidegr.org](mailto:dwierenga@hillsidegr.org).

**Euchre Tournament!** Join us on Saturday, February 22 for our rescheduled Euchre Tournament from 6:30 - 9:00 pm. You will be playing with your partner the whole night this time! You have plenty of time to practice if you need to brush up on your skills over the next month! Sign up in the foyer or by the mailboxes in the back hallway.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please keep **Frederick and Shirley Fleischmann** and their family in your prayers at the passing away of Shirley's mother, Gaye Hekman, this past weekend.

Please keep **Joe and Anne Frankovich** and their family in your prayers as Joe's 98 year old father passed away early this week.

Pray for **Mary Feyen** who was hospitalized on Monday at Metro Hospital. Thankfully, she was able to come home again on Thursday.

Please keep **Rich Iwema** in your prayers as he recovers from pneumonia.

Pray for those undergoing treatment for cancer: **Brent VerBurg, Bob Tiesma, Laura Fredericks, Deb DeBoer.**

Pray for those who are living with ongoing health concerns: **Connie Riggs, Mike and Mary Deppe, Dave Zylstra, Mark Babich, Doug Sisco, Jane Iwema, Betty Slobe, Bev Elzinga, Chuck Quist, Tom Dykema.**

Pray for those in the military. Those from Hillside are: **Zac Sinnerma, Ian Fleischmann, Matthew VanderHill and Travis Martin.**

PRAYER LINE | 616.698.PRAY (7729)

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Please keep our many missionaries in your prayers: Win Gritter, John & Elaine DeJager, Alex & Hanna Verseput, Pablo & Cheryl Canche, Micah & Betsy DeKorne, Stan & Bessie Kruis, Chan Thleng, John Kuilwin, and Noah SaungChar.