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Visual Techs Needed

The Worship Arts ministry is looking for visual techs for our 9 & 11am Sunday services. Hands on training is provided - no experience necessary. For more information please contact Matt Jones at mjones@missionhillschurch.org.

Spring Forward

Don't forget to move your clocks one hour forward this Saturday, March 11th before going to sleep.

Small Groups >

Many of us go through life believing we have to pretend to be something we are not, to perform a certain way to be accepted, and to look a certain way to fit in. Some of us have even given up hope that a community could really exist where we could lay these heavy burdens aside. We believe that Jesus himself, by his Spirit, is preparing exactly this kind of place for all those who would follow him. Our groups are smaller communities within our church where we learn and grow together in becoming exactly this kind of place; a place of honesty, acceptance and welcome in the name of Jesus. To join a group, please visit our website at www.missionhillschurch.org.

Wednesday Night Ministries >

GameLife & GameLife Jr. - 4 years old to 5th grade

Spring session has begun and new registrations can be filled out at any kids check-in counter. For more information, email kids@missionhillschurch.org or call 760.759.2242.

Middle School & High School

Wednesday night for Middle School and High School meets on campus from 6:30-8pm. For more information contact Nick Perkins (High School - nperkins@missionhillschurch.org), Nate Kowallis (Middle School - nkowallis@missionhillschurch.org) or JoLyn Harris (jharris@missionhillschurch.org) or call 760.759.2233.

Phone: 760.759.2233
Office Hours: M-Th: 8:30am-5pm
www.missionhillschurch.org



THE WAY OF JESUS

Mission Hills
CHURCH

Welcome >

We are so glad that you joined us today. We realize going to a new church can be a big step. Perhaps you are just hearing about Jesus for the first time and figuring out what this church thing is all about. Perhaps you are already a follower of Jesus, but are looking for a new church home. Or, maybe you aren't quite sure why you are here today, but you know you need care and support. No matter who you are, you are welcome here! We encourage you to take a moment and fill out a Connection Card so that we can get to know you a little bit and answer any questions you may have about our church family.

In the name of Jesus,
Pastor Jamin and Pastor Sam

Who We Are >

Our Calling

We are a church family called in love to share in and be shaped by Christ our hope.

Our Commitments

Prayerfulness

Because God in Christ shares his life of love with us, we are committed to continuously remain in his love.

Wisdom

Because God in Christ shares his life of love with us, we are committed to cherish and discern the truth in love.

Reconciliation

Because God in Christ shares his life of love with us, we are committed to pursue relationships defined by repentance and forgiveness for the sake of love.

Compassion

Because God in Christ shares his life of love with us, we are committed to move toward the poor, the marginalized and the broken in love.

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Town Hall Meetings - Today at 10:30 & 12:30pm in Room 104

The Elders are proposing changes to the Mission Hills Church Constitution and Bylaws. There will be Town Hall Meetings today at 10:30 & 12:30pm in Room 104 to discuss these changes and answer any questions. The proposed changes are available at www.missionhillschurch.org/elderupdate and at the Connection Center.

Child Dedication Class - March 12th, 11:15am

Child Dedication is March 19th. If you are interested in dedicating your child during one of our services, please attend our dedication class on Sunday March 12th at 11:15 in the staff kitchen upstairs. Sign up at any of the children's check in counters. If you have any questions please contact Ashley at kids@missionhillschurch.org or 760.759.2230.

Baptism - March 19th

Are you ready to take that next step? Please mark your connection card or email baptism@missionhillschurch.org if you would like to receive baptism information.

Summer Splash - July 10th-14th, 8:30am-12noon

We are excited to share with you that Summer Splash is back! Children's Ministry is asking for your help to make this camp possible. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Ashley at alalkin@missionhillschurch.org. Partner with us for Summer Splash 2017!

Silent Retreats

You are invited to a 3 hour guided quiet retreat here on campus on March 6th 1-4 pm, March 11th 9-12 or 1-4 pm, or March 19th 1-4 pm. Retreats will include a brief teaching on the purpose of retreat in the life of a Christian, an extended time of silence for reflective prayer and sharing our experiences with one another. For more information or to sign up please contact Lori Hopkins at lhopkins@missionhillschurch.org.

Preschool Position Available

A full-time Snack Coordinator/Assistant Teacher position is available at Mission Hills Preschool. If you are interested in applying, please visit our website at www.missionhillschurch.org/employment for a complete job description and necessary qualifications. For other questions, contact Carol Kranz at HR@missionhillschurch.org.

Quarterly Business Meeting - March 26th, 1:30-3pm

The next Mission Hills Church quarterly business meeting will be in the chapel on Sunday, March 26th from 1:30 - 3pm. Childcare will be provided from birth thru 5th grade. RSVP for childcare to Ashley Lalkin at alalkin@missionhillschurch.org or 760.759.2230.

Worship Service

March 5th, 2017

Songs of Invitation

As you enter the worship service this morning, we encourage you to open your heart to God with this simple prayer: "Speak Lord, for your servant hears (1 Samuel 3:9 ESV)."

Welcome

"... seek to show hospitality." Romans 12:13 ESV
The church is the household of God and because of this, we seek to show one another hospitality by welcoming each other as brothers and sisters in Christ, and by welcoming those who are new as honored guests.

Call to Worship

"...singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God." Colossians 3:16 ESV
Our Call to Worship is the welcome extended to us by God, because of what Jesus has done for us, to join in the joyful sound of God's heavenly household.

Songs of the Family

"...sing and make melody to the Lord with your heart."
Ephesians 5:19 ESV

Offering and Church Life

"Contribute to the needs of the saints..." Romans 12:13 ESV
We take an offering each week in which we all sacrifice our own money to serve and love others through the ministry of the church. During this time we also stay connected to what is happening in the life of our church family.

Scripture Reading

Matthew 4:1-11 ESV

Sermon

"Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you." James 4:7-8 ESV
Pastor Jamin Goggin

THE MAIN POINT:

The Way of the Cross is opposed to the Way of the Devil

Scripture References: Genesis 3:1-7, Deuteronomy 6:10-19, Deuteronomy 8:1-10, Hebrews 2:17-18, James 4:7-8

Sending Blessing

"...man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord." Deut. 8:3 ESV
Parting Reflection: Where are you facing temptation in your life right now and what would it look like to cling to God's Word in these places?