

# HILLSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

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“Fulfill Your  
Ministry”  
Colossians 4:17

## SUNDAY

8:15 AM Sounds of Grace  
WLEA—AM 1480

10:00 AM Morning Worship Service  
Jr. Church

6:00 PM Bible School  
(Classes for all ages)

## Wednesday

7:00 PM Prayer Meeting

## FIVE THINGS GOD WANTS YOU TO KNOW:

### 1. God loves you dearly.

John 3:16 “For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”

### 2. We are all sinners and need to be saved.

Romans 3:2 “For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.”

### 3. God provided the only way of salvation.

Romans 5:8 “but God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”

### 4. Salvation is not earned. It is a gift.

Ephesians 2:8,9 “For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.”

Romans 6:23 “For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

### 5. We must receive God’s salvation personally.

John 1:12 “But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name.”

Romans 10:9 “If you declare with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

## Please remember to pray for our teachers throughout the week:

**Nursery:** Missy Brittingham

**2-4 year olds:** Rachel Kellogg

**Pre-K-6:** Marie Paduano & Jerry Schmitt  
**Jr/Sr High:** Nate & Michelle Ahrens; Mark  
& Vicki Hoffman

**College & Career:** George Andrews/  
John Falci

**Adults:** Pastor Craig A. Brittingham

**Children’s Church:** Sharon Francisco

**Welcome** to our church! We are happy to have you here today and hope that you will come back again. Please fill out this information slip and place it in the offering plate or give it to one of our ushers. Thank you!

Today’s Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Group:  13-18  19-25  26-35

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  36-45  46-55  56-65  65+

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all that apply:  I am new in the community.  I would like to know more about being saved.

I am interested in information about Hillside.  I would appreciate a visit from the pastor.

**10:00 AM**

*"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, 4 who comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort those who are in any trouble, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God."*

*2 Corinthians 1: 3,4*

Welcome/Announcements

Meditation: 2 Corinthians 1: 3,4

"To God Be the Glory" - 56 (Cel.)

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 12:1-11

Prayer

Video: "I Have Decided"

"In Christ Alone"

Prayer

Worship in Giving

Special Music: Richard Dickinson

"Speak, O Lord"

Message— "Fulfill Your Ministry"  
Pastor Craig A. Brittingham

"O Jesus, I Have Promised"- (vs. 1,2,4) 676 (Cel.)

\*Postlude

## WELCOME TO HILLSIDE

**New to Hillside?** Our ushers have an information packet that we would like you to have. It will help you get acquainted with our church. We are excited that you are our guests; we would love to greet you after the service!

### Fulfill Your Ministry

In the final greetings at the end of his epistle to the Colossians, Paul mentions a man named Archippus who may very well have been the pastor of the church at Laodicea. Paul exhorted him to be a faithful minister. "And say to Archippus, 'Take heed to the ministry which you have received in the Lord, that you may fulfill it'" (Col.4:17). He was to give the necessary time and attention to the ministry so that he might fulfill or accomplish it. It was important that he fulfill it because this ministry he had not received from men, but from the Lord.

Evidently, Archippus knew what it meant to fulfill the ministry God had given him, but Paul did not give any details as to what fulfilling that ministry looked like. But, if in fact he was a pastor, we can find in the scriptures a pretty clear picture of the pastor's role in the local church. His ministry is primarily a ministry of the word of God and prayer (Acts 6:1-7). Through the ministry of the word of God, he is to equip the saints so that they can do the work of the ministry (Eph.4:11-12). Two of his other functions related also to the ministry of the word of God are shepherding and overseeing the church of God (Acts 20:28; I Peter 5:2). Using the analogy of a shepherd of sheep, the pastor is to see that the flock is fed the word of God, and to generally care for and comfort them especially during times of difficulty. His oversight of the church may specifically be related to watching over the flock so that none go astray in sin or false doctrine (Heb.13:7&17). He must not drive the sheep, or be a lord over them, but lead them by example (1Peter 5:1-4). His authority is found not in dictating to the church, but in the proclamation of God's word (Hebrews 13:7, 17). The pastor's work is never done, and yet he is urged to fulfill his ministry. Please pray for your pastor that he might accomplish the ministry he received in the Lord!

### HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

**Sunday 6:00 PM:** Adult Bible class; Young Adults; Teens (Word of Life); 2-4 year olds; Pre-K-6th grade; Nursery provided.

**Wednesday:** Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

### FUTURE HAPPENINGS

**March 4:** Communion

\*Weigh in for cars for Pine Wood Derby after the morning service.

**March 10:** Pine Wood Derby 9:00 a.m. Cookies are needed. Please bring in and put in kitchen.

**March 11:** Daylight Saving Time begins

**March 20:** Deacon's Meeting 7:00 p.m.

**March 25:** Church service at Elderwood 2:30 p.m.

**April 1:** Easter

- Have some fabric laying around not being used? Jessie Haenisch is making the bags for Operation Christmas Child and could use some fabric to make more. If you can help please see Jessie.
- \*Due to the safety of our congregation during Sunday services both the upper & lower doors will be locked ten minutes after the start of service. Thank you for your cooperation.