

Hamilton Mill Presbyterian Church

December 4, 2011

Songs of Praise *“Sing, Sing, Sing”*
“Angels We Heard On High”

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Welcome

Scripture and Sermon Pastor Tom Bagley

OPEN BEFORE CHRISTMAS
 Gifts for Our Neighbors

Affirmation of Faith Apostles’ Creed

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

Special Music *“Away In a Manger”*

Sacrament of the Lord’s Last Supper

Song *“Go Tell It On the Mountain”*

Blessing

Gifts for Our Neighbors

Luke 10:30-37 (p. 1613)

“Love your neighbor as yourself.” Luke 10:27

Who Is My Neighbor?

Obvious Answer:

Suprising Answer:

Why Is It Important?

1. _____ Matter to God.

Easy to

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2. God Wants to Develop _____.

How?

1. Ask _____.

2. Determine to _____.

3. Remember God’s _____.

*Resources from churchleadership.com and John Ortberg, “Compassion”

PRAYERS

Concerns

Nancy Simpson’s Dad, hospitalized
 Karen & Edward Mercer death of Karen’s brother, Todd
 Rena Cooper’s Mother, liver cancer
 Alan Collings, travel mercies
 Jeremy Whigham’s mother, success of new treatment
 Tayong Family, death of friend, Mrs. Sikot
 Katie Knoblauch, that we can help spread joy and love
 Emily Cain, death of friend, Laine’s, grandmother
 Those seeking employment & relief from financial worries
 Sara & Lloyd Ruff, death of neighbor’s child, Ansley
 Families on Angel Tree
 Pat Weaver’s friend, Ed Colvin, cardio issues
 Lukat family, death of friend, Glen & injuries to wife, Sandra
 Nancy Coker, Advent and those God is leading to HMPC
 Karen Roggenkamp, outreach through Night in Bethlehem
 Eunice Obianwu, son’s health and education
 Darren & Erica Harris, Darren’s brother, brain tumor

Joys

Those that are renewing their commitment to Jesus
 Commitments to serve others during this holiday season
 Volunteers for Night in Bethlehem
 Ministry teams at HMPC
 Linda Stevenson, recovering

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

Adults-151 Children- 44 Total-195

FINANCIAL UPDATE

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year To Date</u>
Needed	\$8,450	\$401,320
Giving 11/27/11	<u>\$5,798</u>	<u>\$367,623</u>
	(\$2,652)	(\$ 33,697)

Monthly Mortgage Payment: \$8,329 Building Fund Balance: \$26,264

Announcements



Some gifts are meant to be opened only on Christmas, but other gifts need to be opened before then. God wants us to open His gifts of love for family, neighbors, and people in need – not just at Christmas, but every day of the year. Bring a friend to this special sermon series.

Dec. 11 - Christmas Musical "We Have Our Savior"
Dec. 18 – Gifts for Our World

Christmas Musical "We Have Our Savior", Sunday, Dec. 11.
A powerful service of worship for Christmas that includes familiar songs along with new seasonal modern worship songs.

Christmas Eve Worship Service, 4:30 and 6:00 pm
Family-friendly Candle-light Communion Services. A nursery for small children is provided.

The Bible in 90 Days

Whole Church Challenge

Have you wanted to get the BIG picture of Bible?

To understand the main events?

To see how God puts it all together?

Join us January 22, 2012 for this exciting challenge.

We're Glad You're Here!

At Hamilton Mill Presbyterian, we love guests! If this is your first time here, stop by the Welcome Table in the back of the sanctuary for a gift just for checking us out!

Please fill out the Connection Card;
we're glad you're here and enjoy the visit!

Children's Church and Preschool Praise

Children are a priority at Hamilton Mill Presbyterian. Nursery/Childcare is available for infants thru age 2. Children ages 3 thru 5th grade are invited to attend our Preschool and Children's programs which begin at 10:15am.

Student Ministry

Wednesday 6:30-8:00pm

Come join us for our Middle School and High School mid-week program. All 6th-12th graders are invited.

Wednesday Night Youth Leadership Team

Mike Holderfield, Lynn Bagley, Emily Cain, Chris Davis
BJ Knoblauch, Danielle Whigham, Anne Marie Shapiro

HMPC Staff

Tom Bagley – Pastor

Beth Williams – Director of Worship Ministries
Emily Cain, Coordinator of Elementary Children's Ministries
Karen Roggenkamp, Coordinator of Pre-School Ministries
Nancy Kinsey – Financial Secretary
Pat Weaver – Administrative Assistant

Office Hours

Tuesday – Thursday
9:00am-2:00pm