

# Heavenly Notes

Jan. & Feb. 2021



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## Sunday Worship

Sanctuary 10:00 am

Live on Facebook 10:00 am

[or anytime on our website  
hartlandumc.org](http://www.hartlandumc.org)

Zoom Coffee Hour 12:00 pm

Zoom Discussion 11:45 am

**Meeting ID: 969 9365 4405**

**Password: 11111111**

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*Have A  
Blessed  
New Year!*

According to a Gallup Poll (pre-covid) the 4 most common New Year's Resolutions are (1) Personal Financial Gain, (2) Quit Smoking, (3) Lose Weight, (4) More Exercise...John Wesley developed from a chapter of a Puritan publication an extended order of worship to be used in the Methodist movement. It was and is often used as an extended New Year's watchnight service. What follows is a shortened and slightly modernized taste of the covenant service: It is presented as a responsive reading between a leader and people. The "resolutions" are numbered (x).

**L:** Give yourselves to Christ that you may belong to him as his committed servants. He has many services to be done. Some are easy, some difficult. Some are honored, some are not. Some fit with our natural interests, some do not. In some, we may please Christ and please ourselves. But in other works of service, we can please Christ only by denying ourselves. Deliberate, then; what it means to follow Christ -- in a guided responsive prayer.

**P:** Let me be your servant. I give up myself to your will in all things.

**L:** Trust that Christ shall give you just the right place and work.

**P:** Lord, make me what you will. I put myself fully into your hands: put me to doing, to suffering, to fulfill a task for you, or to step aside so you can call others to that mission. Let me be full, or empty. Let me have all, or nothing. I freely and willingly give all to your pleasure and disposal.

**L:** Christ will force no one to serve without their consent, but will not accept anything less than *full* consent to *all* that he requires. Christ will be all, or he will be nothing. Carefully consider the conditions needed to make this covenant a reality in your life. (1) Spend regular time alone with God, giving your life to Christ, confessing your sins, and choosing to follow *only* and *all* his holy laws.

**P:** We will be clear in these things, that we will not lie to God or ourselves.

**L:** (2) Practice your faith in a spirit of holy awe and reverence. (3) Claim God's covenant -- rely on his grace and strength so you can keep your promise.

**P:** We will not trust our own strength and power.

**L:** (4) Resolve to be faithful. You've given your hearts, confessed with your words, and dedicated your lives to God.

**P:** By God's power, we will never go back.

**L:** (5) Finally, then; renew your covenant with the Lord.

**P:** I bow my heart before you. Forgive my failures to fulfill your will. You promise mercy if I turn to you with my whole heart.

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## January Birthdays

6 - Jan Martin  
8 - Mickie Voight  
9 - Dani Toth  
Chris Cannaert  
Pat Schleh  
15 - Scott Jackson  
19 - Don Hansen  
20 - Andrew Cannaert  
Lane Rodocker



## January Anniversaries

7, 1977 - Charles & Debbie Kirkpatrick  
10, 1976 Gary & Rosemary White  
19, 1966 - Don & Marty Hansen  
25, 1974 Cheri Kowal



If we missed your special day, we apologize. Please let us know so we can update our records.

## February Birthdays

2 - William Palmer  
5 - Gary LaRoy  
7 - Seth Gruenberg  
12 - Joyce Eichhorn  
11 - Bill Martin  
13 - Ralph Wright  
14 - Karen Nowak  
16 - Shelia Daniel  
17 - Melissa Sneath  
18 - Cheri Kowal  
Linda Gordiner  
20 - Bruce Harton  
23 - Paige Rodocker  
25 - Jim Malott

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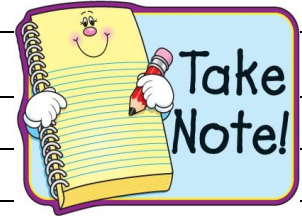
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## Regularly Scheduled Meetings in January and February 2021

(Chair/Leader will confirm meeting and whether it is Zoom or not)

January			
Mon	3	7:00 pm	Trustees Meeting (TBD)
Wed	13	12:30 pm	Worship Team Meeting
Thu	14	7:00 pm	Finance /Administrative Board (has moved to bi-monthly)
February			
Wed	3	9:00 am	Design Works
Mon	8	7:00 pm	Trustees Meeting
Wed.	10	12:30 pm	Worship Team Meeting
Thur	11	7:00 pm	<b>No</b> Finance / Ad. Board Meeting



## Weekly Regularly Scheduled Meetings in January and February 2020

Sundays	10:00 am 12:00 pm 12:30 pm (TBD) Group	Worship Zoom Coffee Hour Zoom Adult Sunday School Discussion
Mondays	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Knit, Crochet, and Pray
Wednesdays	7:30 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous
Wednesdays	9:30 am - 11:30 am	Bible Study (Zoom)
Thursdays	10:00 am	Alcoholics Anonymous
Saturdays	7:30 am & 10:00 am	Alcoholics Anonymous

**Worship Service Manuscripts** are available on request for those who might prefer to read than watch, or don't have easy access to online services. If you, or someone you know would be interested (if another person, please confirm their interest first) let the office know and we'll be happy to send a copy of any certain week or every week as desired. Manuscripts will also be available on our website.

**Heavenly Notes** is now published bi-monthly. Heavenly E-Notes is an e-mail that is sent most weeks (except when the paper version comes out) with a devotion from the pastor and timely church news, Information, and opportunities. Both will be more flush with content as the church begins to resume more normal activities. If you aren't getting the weekly email, request from the office that you be added to the church's email list.

# HARTLAND UMC ZOOM MEETING INSTRUCTIONS

## IF YOU DON'T HAVE ZOOM:

If you have an meeting invitation link, click on the link.  
It will give you instructions for downloading.



If you don't have an invitation link, or the link doesn't work.

### **On your computer**

Go to Zoom.com

Click on "Join a Meeting".

It will give you instructions to download/install zoom.

### **On your smart phone**

Go to: app store, google play, etc..

Search for "Zoom" Install it.

## WHEN YOU HAVE ZOOM

If you have an meeting invitation link, click on the link.

If you don not have a link, open zoom.

Click/Touch "Join a Meeting"

Type in **Meeting ID: 969 9365 4405**

(include spaces if your application doesn't do it automatically)

**Password (8 "1"s): 11111111**

You will be asked if you want to join by video and by audio.

Click yes if you want to be seen and be heard.

There is an option of testing the mic and speakers.

## During/After a meeting

You can mute/unmute your microphone or camera by touching the microphone/camera icons on the task bar at the bottom of the zoom window. Hovering the mouse or tapping your phone may be necessary for the task bar to appear. In some applications this toggling option is found by hovering/tapping the upper right corner of your personal participant square.

When the meeting is over, find and click/touch the **Leave Meeting** button on the task bar. Click the confirmation button to leave.

# Thank You!!

Hartland United Methodist Church



## Missions Collection Distribution

Gleaners Food Bank	\$592.06
Samaritan's Purse	\$375.00
Lacasa	\$300.00
OLHSA Oakland, Livingston Human Service Agency	\$500.00
LCSNP Livingston County Senior Nutrition Program	\$200.00
Baldwin Center	\$200.00
Heifer International	\$180.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,347.06</b>

# HARTLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## **2021 CHURCH OFFICERS**

### **Administrative Council Members: Chair of Admin. Council - Terri Preiss**

- Pastor – Rev. Charles A. Williams
- Lay Member to Annual Conference – Becky Toth
- Lay Leader – Becky Toth
- Financial Chairperson – Charles Kirkpatrick
- Staff/Pastor/Parish Relations Chairperson – Mary Jo Bell
- Endowment Fund Chairperson – Ron Warthman
- Membership Secretary – Karen Nowak
- Memorial Fund Treasurer – Sherri Rice
- Financial Secretary – Karen Nowak
- Youth and Children’s Ministries Representative –
- United Methodist Men – Charles Kirkpatrick
- United Methodist Women – Becky Toth

### **Administrative Council Members at Large: Chairperson – Terri Preiss**

#### Class of 2021

Jo Campbell

#### Class of 2022

Mike Kenel

#### Class of 2023

Bert Honour

### **Board of Trustees: Chairperson – Randy Bell**

#### Class of 2021

Randy Bell  
Jerry Weaver  
Pat Coleman

#### Class of 2022

Jim Cleveland  
Don Cornell  
Jeff Jackson

#### Class of 2023

Jeff Gordinier  
Gary Sunderland

### **Pastor/Parish Relations: Chairperson – Mary Jo Bell**

#### Class of 2021

Mary Jo Bell  
Bert Honour

#### Class of 2022

Marty Hansen  
Ann Martin

#### Class of 2023

Terri Preiss  
Donna Webber

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## 2021 CHURCH OFFICERS

### Lay Leadership: Chairperson – Rev. Charles A. Williams

#### Class of 2021

Karen Nowak

Vivian Lemon

#### Class of 2022

Jan Martin

Shelia Daniel

#### Class of 2023

Pat Schleh

Donna Allmand

### Finance Committee: Chairperson – Charles Kirkpatrick

- Pastor – Rev. Charles A. Williams
- Administrative Council Chairperson – Terri Preiss
- Pastor/Parish Relations Chairperson – Mary Jo Bell
- Trustee Chairperson – Randy Bell
- Financial Secretary – Karen Nowak
- Lay Leader – Becky Toth

### Worship Team: Chairperson – Pat Harton

Shelia Daniel, Debbie Kirkpatrick, Jan Martin, Pat Schleh, Karen Nowak, Fran Warthman, Donna Webber, Carolyn Lynch, Donna Allmand, Janice Wright

### Endowment Committee: Chairperson – Marty Hansen

Mary Jo Malott, Marty Hansen, Pastor Charles A. Williams, Charles Kirkpatrick, Randy Bell.

### Communion



We have begun offering Communion on the first Sundays of the month through the online worship services. To participate with bread and cup, you can (1) use your Spirit given imagination as you follow along, (2) find something at home that will work for you (3) pick up from church office one sanitary juice and wafer set for each participating individual in your home (4) or if it is not possible for you to come to pick them up, contact the office and we will try to deliver them to you. .

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L: God requires you put away all idols.

**P: I renounce them all, and will guard against any temptation that leads me away from you.**

L: Through Christ, God offers to be your God again if you will let him.

**P: You are my Lord and God. I renounce my will and take your will as my law. I will give my body, soul, mind and strength and promise to serve you in holiness all of my days.**

L: God has given holy laws as the rule of your life. All his laws are holy, just and good.

**P: I take them as the rule of my thoughts, words, and actions, organizing my life according to your direction.**

L: The Almighty God searches and knows your heart and desires to be your covenant friend. Therefore, may the covenant you have made on earth be ratified in heaven.

**P: Amen.**

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