

This Week

Today:

8:45 a.m. Traditional Service In-Person* and Livestream

10:00 a.m. Hillcrest University Classes

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Service In-Person* and Livestream

11:00 a.m. DiscoveryTown for Kids

7:00 p.m. Contemporary Service (Livestream only)

**reservations necessary*

Tue: Ladies Bible Study 10:00 a.m.; GriefShare and CE Team 6:30 p.m.

Wed: Preschool Mommy & Me Tea; Outbound 6:15 p.m. ; AWANA 6:30 p.m.

Thurs: MOPS 6:00 p.m.; Fresh Prayer Live on FB and YouTube, 7 p.m.

Giving 4/25/21

Actual giving: \$379,446

Budget: \$350,978

Weekly Need: \$8,154

Last week: \$8,791

Deep & Wide Total: \$5,311

Thank you for your faithful giving!

	Adult Classes
	10 a.m. Sundays

Revelation: Pastor Dan, concluding on May 26. In-person or online. North Room #170.

Knowing the Love of God: Dan & Shirley Swenson, discussion-based class. Room #350

Me and My Big Mouth: video series; led by Lyn and Kathy Osgood. Room #400-410

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

May 2, 2021



Guest Speaker—Sam Shreffler

While Pastor Mark is on Sabbatical we are blessed to have some special speakers to preach. Pastor Sam Shreffler will speak to us today from Luke 5:1-11. Take a moment to read this passage through to prepare your heart to receive his teaching.

National Day of Prayer Gathering

Join with others from the community to pray together on the National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 6. Local pastors will lead a drive-in gathering at the Chautauqua Mall from noon-1 p.m. Try to arrive before noon to be in place before the program begins; look for attendants to direct you park behind the mall and for signs indicating where to tune your radio for the live broadcast.



Bible Reading Plan

Pastor Dan will begin a new Bible reading plan on Monday, May 10 called **Rewire Your Heart: Ten Days to Fight Sin**. The author writes, “Many Christians believe the only way to fight sin is to grit our teeth and rise above temptation. But you can’t fight sin with your mind; you must fight it with your heart. This ten-day look at some of the most important verses about your heart will help you discover how to fight sin by allowing the Gospel to rewire your heart.” If you would like the link to join the plan email Wandy in the church office at office@hillcrestjamestown.com.

New and continuing Sunday School Classes will be offered in May!

- **Revelation:** Pastor Dan concludes the Survey of the New Testament in the Book of Revelation concluding on May 26. In-person or online. North Room #170.
- **Knowing the Love of God:** Dan & Shirley Swenson lead a discussion-based class. Marker Room #350
- **Me and My Big Mouth:** An Andy Stanley 4-part video series provides the basis for this class on communication; facilitated by Lyn and Kathy Osgood. East Room #400-410

And coming up for Summer:

- **Biblical Wisdom in Action:** Study accounts from the Old and New Testament of people with predicaments and how they acted to solve their dilemmas. Jim Faulk leads this study which will explore what Biblical wisdom was applied to the situation and whether the people involved acted in a wise way or not. North Room #170

Hillcrest Masks Available

Get them while they last. Hillcrest Masks are available at the Information Station today for a cost of \$2.00. Thank you for continuing to keep others safe around you by wearing your mask, sanitizing your hands, and by keeping a safe distance between you and others in the lobby and auditorium.



Hillcrest has a very active email prayer chain ministry. To ask for prayer, please call 483-3331, email prayer@hillcrestjamestown.com, or use the Church App. To sign up to receive prayer requests and pray over them email prayer@hillcrestjamestown.com and Wendy Roof, Prayer Chain Coordinator, will add you to the chain.

Pray for Muslims during Ramadan

Join a global movement to pray for Muslims each day during Ramadan (April 12-May 12, 2021). During this month Muslims around the world intentionally seek Allah through prayer and fasting which presents incredible and unique opportunities to encounter the Savior Jesus. Find a wealth of resources to guide your prayers at www.prayercast.com/love-muslims-landing.html

Ladies' Bible Study

All ladies are welcome to join our Tuesday Morning Bible Study group at 10:00 a.m. We are studying some of the women of the Old Testament and gleaning wisdom from their stories. Bring a friend and a Bible, if you have one. If you don't we will give you one! See Dora Wedlock (716-484-0539) with your questions!



Many Ways to Give

Missionary and Ministry Support continues to our partners in the community, across the country and around the world. The church family is encouraged to be faithful in giving through the website, mailing a check to the church or by downloading the Church Center App, available for iPhone and Android devices. Visit www.hillcrestjamestown.com for directions.



CONNECT



GROW



SERVE



SHARE

LUKE 5:1-11 -- EXPECTANCY!

Focus Question: What are you trying to do that you know, unless God helps you – you will fail?

Jesus is teaching crowds of people the Word of God

Jesus Encounters Simon

- Jesus is not only interested in crowds He is also focused on individuals
- Jesus is never too busy to meet with just YOU!
- Why would Jesus just approach one?

Jesus wants to take us from shallow to deeper faith

- How does Jesus take us from where we are to where He wants us to be?
- What is God's desire for us?

Jesus has a way of turning our view completely around.

- It is when we are in the deeper water that we begin to trust God more.
- What are you trying to do that you know, unless God helps you – you will fail?

What is our response to this message?

- Simon's (Peter's) response
- Your response
- Then Jesus said to _____, [put your name in that blank].

It will cost you to follow God.