



HOLIDAY HILL CHURCH

Intentionally Engaging the World with the Love of Christ

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
JANUARY 2024

A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Early last year I challenged us to embrace & capitalize on the opportunities that would come our way throughout the year. At the first of the year, we found ourselves moving forward with the Holiday Hill Early Learning Center, remodeling the Fellowship Hall, developing a Capital Campaign, as well as the normal day to day, week to week ministries that impact us. As we moved into all of these, I laid out three priorities.

First → Pray hard & seek where God was moving by allowing the Holy Spirit to guide us. We prayed hard together & showed flexibility throughout the year as new opportunities came up & existing responsibilities loomed, & we managed them well.

Second → Mission & unity were the top priorities.

Not only did we stay consistent with our mission – *To intentionally engage the world with the love of Christ* – but we sought not to add ministries that did not move the mission forward. To enhance the mission, we embraced the dream God gave us, which I will discuss below

Unity around the focus of mission, kingdom, & community was especially important in the midst of both church & cultural change. As 2023 ended, I sensed a unity within our church family that is authentic & which others noticed as well. We are not perfect, which is neither possible nor our goal, but we are serving & working together toward that to which God has called us. Thank you!

Third → Handle everything w/ humility, wisdom, & maturity. We kept drama out of ministry & worked together to solve problems & issues in healthy, mature ways.

Thank you for leading, doing your part, serving, not stirring the pot, etc., & enabling us to see God work in & through us.

Now we enter 2024, & similar challenges & the same priorities in meeting those challenges must be before us. As we do so, we will continue to press on toward the dream we have as Christ's church in our community: *"Our dream is for our community to see Holiday Hill Church as a first option when seeking a church home where they can grow in spiritual maturity, raise & influence their families for Christ, and minister to their neighbors."* I look forward to how God will lead us forward & am hopeful of how He works in & among us for His glory.

I love you, am so honored to serve as your pastor, & look forward to the days ahead.

In Christ, Pastor Albert

Worship With Us...

Sunday Worship Schedule

Worship Team Rehearsal

9:00 am

Community Groups

9:45 am

Morning Worship

11:00 am

Embers Ministry

5:00 pm

Wednesday Services

All Ministries Begin at 6:30 pm

Adult Bible Study

Embers Bible Study

Youth Bible Study

6th - 12th Grade

Children's Ministry

Kindergarten - 5th Grade

Preschool Ministry

Birth through Pre-K

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BRING YOUR BIBLES TO CHURCH!

All Aboard! Trains excite and fascinate us. This train themed series will show kids what it means to be followers of Jesus and "ride with Him." Our new memory verse is John 14:6, "Jesus answered, 'I am the way, the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.'"

SUNDAY Kidz Church 11am

- 1/7 Ticket to Ride (Ms. Cindy & Ms. Bethany)
- 1/14 One Way (Mrs. Maria & Mrs. Michelle)
- 1/21 Get Off at the Next Station (Mrs. Evelyn & Mrs. Caroline)
- 1/28 4th Sunday, sit in Big Church with your parents

WOW (Worship on Wednesday) 6:30pm

Hi-Yah! In this series, kids will learn how to be made new in their hearts and in their thinking as they take off the bad habits of the old self and train to put on the new self. Our hope is that kids will see how to be that new person who was made to be like God, truly good and pleasing to Him. Our new memory verse is Ephesians 4: 23-24, "You must be made new in your hearts and in your thinking. Be that new person who was made to be like God, truly good and pleasing to Him."

- 1/10 Take Off the Old; Put On the New
- 1/17 Take Off Lying; Put On Truth
- 1/24 Take Off Hate; Put On Love
- 1/31 Take Off Anger; Put On Self-Control

The Power of Us

With Dr. Rick Marks of RelateWell
- This Month -

The Essential For Mature Relationships

Dinner provided by Chick-fil-A Tinseltown
Monday, January 22nd 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

MUST RSVP www.cfatinseltown.com/power-of-us
730 Mandalay Road | Jacksonville, FL 32216



Mark Your
CALENDAR



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 6PM

DADDY daughter DANCE



JOSH'S WORLD

Happy New Year, Holiday Hill Family! Remember COVID-19? That was four years ago! Crazy! Remember the 2020 presidential election? That was also four years ago! Crazy! Time flies when you're having fun, we look forward to some fun things this January.

New Year New You. We here at HHC want to assist you in accomplishing your personal and spiritual goals for 2024. So on January 21 at 5pm we will have an event entitled, "New Year. New You." The goal of this evening is to see where God is leading us. What things interest us? What ministries do we wish to join? What insight or wisdom do we crave? Preschool, Children, and Youth ministries will have activities available during this time. So bring the family and let's see what God has in store for us in 2024.

I look forward to a wonderful year with all of you. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Take care and God bless.
In Him, Josh | Micah 6:8



Monday Night Community Group
Led by Chuck Rockholt
Will resume meeting on January 8, at 6:30 pm

Deacon
Meeting
THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 6:30PM

Neighborhood Association
Meetings
Thursday, January 11, 7:00 pm

Stewardship Meeting
Tuesday, January 16, 6:30 pm

Fellowship Hall Work Day
Saturdays at 8:30 am

Lead Team Meeting
Sunday, January 28, after church

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

PRAYERWALK



Monday, January 15

**MARTIN
LUTHER
KING JR. DAY**

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED



New Year Blessing

For I know the
plans I have for
you," declares
the Lord,
"plans to prosper you
and not to harm you,
plans to give you
hope and a future.

Jeremiah 29:11

in **MACHO93**

Cost: \$5.00
Pizza,
wings, &
drinks

PLAYOFF TAILGATING PARTY

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 6PM

