

What on Earth Am I Here For?

Called to Become

For God knew his people in advance, and he chose them to become like his Son, so that his Son would be the firstborn, with many brothers and sisters. Romans 8:29 NLT

We become like Christ by...

1) _____ our lives.

Let us strip off anything that slows us down or holds us back, and especially those sins that wrap themselves so tightly around our feet and trip us up... Hebrews 12:1a TLB

2) _____ it is a process.

Let us run with patience the particular race that God has set before us.
Hebrews 12:1b TLB

3) _____ on Jesus every day.

We do this by keeping our eyes on Jesus, on whom our faith depends from start to finish. Hebrews 12:2a TLB, GNT

And as the Spirit of the Lord works within us, we become more and more like him and reflect his glory even more. 2 Corinthians 3:18 NLT

4) _____ to give up.

Jesus did not give up because of the cross! On the contrary, because of the joy that was waiting for him, he thought nothing of the disgrace of dying on the cross, and he is now seated at the right side of God's throne. Think of what he went through; how he put up with so much hatred from sinners! So do not let yourselves become discouraged and give up.

Hebrews 12:2b-3 GNT

5) _____ with other believers.

Since we are surrounded by such a huge crowd of witnesses to the life of faith...
Hebrews 12:1a NLT

Let us think of ways to motivate one another to acts of love and good works. And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but let us encourage one another... Hebrews 10:24-25 NLT

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Memory Verse for this week:

We know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them. Romans 8:28 NLT

Sermon Notes

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I want to know more about...

- ☐ ***Joining the Church***
- ☐ ***Joining a Life Group***
- ☐ ***Baptism/Salvation***
- ☐ Children's Ministries (K-5th)
- ☐ Student Ministries (6th-12th)
- ☐ Ways I can serve

Prayer Requests

- ☐ Please keep this matter confidential

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Name(s): _____ **Date:** 5/2/2021

Check one: ☐ 8:30 am Service ☐ 10 am Service

Check one: ☐ 1st time guest ☐ Out of town guest ☐ Regular Attendee ☐ Member

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Saturday, May 8

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Mark your Calendars!
Vacation Bible School is set for June 27-July 1...
More details coming soon!

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WEEK 4: CALLED TO BECOME

Pastor Craig Carter | May 2, 2021

Welcome to Lynn Haven United Methodist!

We're glad you're here!

2021 High School Graduate Recognition: We want to honor the 2021 high school graduates who are connected to our church! If you are a graduate or parent/guardian of a 2021 graduate and would like to be included in a special recognition on May 16, please email Kris Nelson, Kris@mylhumc.net, by May 7 with the following info: graduate's name, school graduating from, and a recent photo.

Confirmation Sunday: Students participating in our current Confirmation class and those who attended the retreat at the Vineyard last March are invited to participate in Confirmation on May 23 during the 10 am service. If your student attended the Vineyard retreat and would like to be confirmed, please email Heather Howell, Heather@mylhumc.net. All students being confirmed and their immediate families are invited to a lunch following the service. If planning to attend the lunch, please RSVP by May 16 to Heather@mylhumc.net.

Ready to go public with your faith? Our next Baptism Sunday will be Baptism in the Bay at Kinsaul Park on May 23 at 1 pm. Adults interested in being baptized should email Pastor Terry Tatum, Terry@mylhumc.net, to set up a time to discuss the process. If you are the parent or guardian of a child or student who is interested in being baptized please reach out to Heather@mylhumc.net.

Wednesday Nights at Lynn Haven UMC: It's almost summer which means our regular schedule will soon look a little different, especially on Wednesday nights. The 2021 AWANA Club will wrap up on Wednesday, May 5 with the annual Awards Ceremony for all Clubbers. Then on May 19 we will conclude our church-wide study of *The Purpose Driven Life* with the final teaching video from Pastor Rick Warren during our Wednesday Night Bible Study. Wednesday evening childcare will continue to be available but will end after May 19. Our Wednesday evening Bible Study, AWANA Club and childcare will resume in September.