

HEYWARD STREET UMC

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Welcome and Call to Worship

In a world where, thoughtlessly, we repeat patterns from generation to generation,

free us from ignoring that which needs to change.
In a world, where we show favoritism & one-sidedness,
free us from overlooking those who deserve a chance.

In a world, where we take away freedom,

open our eyes to see where our choices cage and bind. In a world, where grace, mercy, and kindness can heal wounds and empower the future,

enable us to change patterns that we thoughtlessly repeat. Amen.

Song *Magnify the Lord* Praise Team

Scripture Genesis 37 Pew Bible p 34

Receiving of the Offering

Sermon Playing Favorites Rev. Blom

Song Day for Singing Praise Team

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Closing Song God be the Glory Praise Team

A Story of Generational Favoritism

The story of the favorite son of a favorite son is our starting point for our Worship Series about faith ancestors who we may not know well. Joseph was the favored son and he wore a visual reminder in the form of a beautiful coat. What happens when a favorite



child picks a favorite child? As you may guess, problems arise.



Tickets are on sale for "Putting on the Ritz", an evening of food, music,

fashion, and silent auction. This gala, supporting Killingsworth's ministry to women, will be November 14 at Seawells from 6:00-9:00 pm. Tickets are \$62.50 per person. Make checks to HSUMC or pay online on church website using drop down box. HSUMC purchased a table. We have 8 tickets available.

Charge conference is this Thursday, October 17, at 6:00 pm in the fellowship hall. Our district superintendent, Rev. Fran Elrod, will officiate this meeting, and we, HSUMC, will celebrate how we have supported our mission and ministry in the past year. All are invited to attend. Committee and Team Leaders are requested to attend.

Praying for Church Friends and Family

Bill Bauer, medical tests this week

Karen Goodale Lamonica Hampton

Dixie Jenkinson Marlene Sipes



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