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COMPLETE JOY

“Although I have much to write to you, I would rather not use paper and ink; instead I hope to come to you and talk with you face to face, so that our joy may be complete” (2 John 12).

We have so many ways of getting in touch with each other, and yet not much can beat a face-to-face visit. This verse from the Second Letter of John points at that joy that is made all the more possible when people you know and care about are together in the same place at the same time.

Even though I have been in touch with some of you through text messages, Facebook, and email, I haven't seen many of you in person. It is really a joy to be back with you where in-person visits will again be the norm! On my first day back since being seminarian here one of the first joys was the Seniors Ministry Tea. I got to spend some time talking about my Clinical Pastoral Education unit and all else I have been up to and also heard a bit about what has been going on in the church and in the lives of those who were there.

As I return to the Hills Church during these few months of Rev. Judy's sabbatical, I hope to see many of you face-to-face in worship, in my office, at church events, on pastoral visits, and just out and about!

Please do get in touch with me, and let's plan our next face-to-face visit.

Peace,

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