

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, February 26, 2017

Assembly: 10:30am
(Wireless receivers available)

Sunday Classes, 9:30am

Adults: Gospels, Percil, auditorium

Teens: Tom & Janet, hut

Grades 4-6: Barbara Eckard

Grades 1-3: Kelsie Powell

Ages 4-K: Dora McDonald

Age 2-3: Tonya & Margo

Wednesday Classes, 7pm

Adults: Foyle, fellowship hall, "What's Next?"

Adults: Bob, auditorium, "The God Who Saves"

College/Young Adult: Tim & Debbie, library

Teens: Kevin & Kamy, hut

Grades 1-6: Theresa Watkins & Margaret Sigmon

Preschool-K: Missy & Joy

Food Pantry/New 2 You: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 4:30-6:00

Watkins Small Group: Sundays 7pm, 234 8th St NE, Conover. Call 828.994.4138 to confirm times.

LIFT: First Sunday of the month at 5:30pm. See Janet or Kamy.

LIME: Mondays 10am in the church library. Meets weekly. See Theresa or Georgiana.

What I Need the Most: Sure of God's Assurance

Opening Prayer: Cole Hull

Reading: Rev. 19:1,3-7, Tim Duncan
Shout Hallelujah
I Worship You

Communion & Offering: Jerry Burton
Days of Elijah

Message: Kevin Bibbee, Matt. 6:33
My Life Is In You

Closing Prayer

Everybody Will Be Happy Over There

Worship Leader: Rik Covalinski

Communion Servers: Tom Keever, Art Burkhalter, Austin Wallace, Tim Stroud

Sitting with the Sisters: Steelmans

Nursery: Ann Stasny

Kingdom Kids: Patsy Yoder

February Greeters: Hickory Plus

February Hospitality Coordinator: Tonya Osborne



Welcome Visitors!

We're glad you're here today! Please fill out an information card and place it in the collection plate. Thank you!

Hickory Church of Christ Vision Statement:

We exist to connect people to the power of God. We desire to be a church family that imitates Jesus Christ, so others can find love, service, community, and hope.

Announcements & Reminders

- Today at 12pm - Congregation Meeting
- Teacher needed for Wednesday night Pre-K bible class. See Patsy Yoder.
- Fri-Sat. 3/3-3/4 - Women of Hope conference, Lebanon TN.
- Sat. 3/4, 10am-1pm - 5th Annual Blood Drive at HCOC. Sign up sheet for appointments in foyer. We need at least 20-25 donors! Must bring official photo ID to donate. Please wear purple in honor of Megan Bibbee!
- Sun. 3/5, 5:30pm - LIFT
- Mon. 3/6 - LIME begins new study - *Just Like Jesus* by Max Lucado. Buy books online or from Lifeway. See Georgiana for info.
- Sun. 3/12, 12pm - Conover East Action Team Lunch at the Watkins'

Prayer Requests

Foyle Perkins needs strength for chemo and other treatments.

Megan & Kaylin Bibbee are struggling with colds and respiratory problems. Pray the rest of the family stays well.

Kay Smith's vertigo is improving due to meds; she will have more tests soon.

Fran Lindberg (Wylma's daughter-in-law & Nancy Belville's sister-in-law) came thru aneurysm surgery well. Two coils were inserted in the aneurysm, to prevent continued swelling.

Hazel Howard and her grandson, **Nicholas Robbins**, have respiratory infections. Hazel's daughter, **Teresa Robbins** is still fighting dizziness and vision problems and is to have a spinal puncture and more tests possibly related to cancer she had last year.

Leo Lipford, Tony's Dad, is in hospital in Atlanta w/ breathing problems. Tony is in ATL helping his parents.

Melissa, Pam Roberts' daughter, has a Group Home client who has multiple cancers.

Nellie DeVault (88), mother of Pat Kidd, passed.

Retta Hughes has a lingering virus.

Bobbi Henson was back with us last Sunday. We praise God for her Spirit.

David Jernigan was with us Sunday and doing well after recent emergency hernia surgery.

Tom Killinger praises God that no colon cancer was found, after being diagnosed in December.

Mary Nichols continues coping with her 29-year-old granddaughter's recent passing.

Mary Nell Covalinski is doing well after having skin cancer removed recently.

Jane Mays has upper respiratory issues.

Ann Stasny is mending from shoulder surgery.

Billie Dennie & Barbara Eddins were having several health challenges.

Dennis Jaschob needs prayers for strength.

Lucille Woodrum has vertigo.

David Bierce had foot surgery & is having therapy at home. He needs our encouragement.

Mina Naceanceno, Anna Setzer's Mom, has immense pain, after neck surgery 2/16. She's in TX. Pray for her pain relief.

Oliva Mounts is in hospital with breathing problems.

Thomas Howell, a friend of Jane Mays, needs salvation from Christ.

Howard Rainwater's CNA's aunt passed suddenly from a massive heart attack.

Sally Cannon has problems with right knee; will need knee replacement.

Church of Christ in Ilo, Peru needs ongoing prayers regarding delays with new minister.

Ann Henry continues with occupational therapy, after recent stroke.

Ron Nonamaker, Kevin Bibbee's cousin, is now in reg. room at Cleveland Clinic; he's very weak. Pray for wife, Sharon.

Howard & Tammy Rainwater need prayers for health challenges.

Alden & Lucille Dixon have health struggles. She has fractured pelvis- will take mos. to heal.

Brenda Deal, Jerry Burton's sister, had stroke & is having complications. Another sister broke her hip.

Vicky Hurley's husband, Mark, passed suddenly. She's Kevin Boggs' Fed-Ex co-worker.

Kayla & Ethan Booms, friends of the Roberts' family, are expecting 1st child in April; the baby is not developing properly

Guy Martin, Art & Hester Burkhalter's son-in-law, has cancer. Pray for his wife, Lisa, too.

Verna Jordan (88), Hester's mother, is not coping well with recent move from TN to NC, to be with her daughters.

Percil Watkins, for safety in work travels – praises God for His protection.

Kaleb Hoffer (5) is recovering from heart surgery. His grandparents, Clyde & Dolly Griffith, are grateful for prayers 4 him.

Larry Duncan is doing well, as he adjusts to walking again. Pray for continued healing. TYL!

Sharon Duncan is healing from toe surgery.

Marlene Matney is in Arizona with family, for several weeks.

Billie Lail, Debbie Duncan's mom is recovering from basal cells removal.

Frances Davis, Debbie's Aunt, is in a Taylorsville Rehab facility. Pray she works hard and can go home soon.

Harold Connelly, the Watkins' neighbor, needs strength to take chemo.

Casey Allen needs prayers for complete healing. God is working.

Brenda Taylor, Kamy Bibbee's friend, has breast cancer and is recovering from surgery.

Brian Pasch, Mark Roberts' brother-in-law, in in hospice care and has had some good days.

Kevin Bibbee may need cataract surgery.

Lectionary Readings

Exodus 24:12-18 Psalm 2 1 Peter 1:16-21 Matthew 17:1-9

Scripture Reading

Revelation 19:1,3-7 After this I heard what sounded like the roar of a great multitude in heaven shouting: "Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belong to our God." And again they shouted: "Hallelujah! The smoke from her goes up for ever and ever." The twenty-four elders and the four living creatures fell down and worshiped God, who was seated on the throne. And they cried: "Amen, Hallelujah!" Then a voice came from the throne, saying: "Praise our God, all you his servants, you who fear him, both great and small!" Then I heard what sounded like a great multitude, like the roar of rushing waters and like loud peals of thunder, shouting: "Hallelujah! For our Lord God Almighty reigns Let us rejoice and be glad and give him glory! For the wedding of the Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready."

Notes from the Lesson:

What I Need the Most is to be....

1. Sure that God is _____ Me.

Matthew 28:20; John 14:16; 2 Cor. 4:8-9; Joshua 1 5

2. Sure that God _____ to Me.

Psalm 4:3; Psalm 6:8; Psalm 34:15

3. Sure that God has _____ Me.

John 3:16; Acts 2:21; Romans 10:9; John 5:24

4. Sure that God will _____ for Me.

Philippians 4:19; Ephesians 3:20; 1 Corinthians 10:13; Matthew 6:33

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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