

# Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, July 22, 2018

**Assembly: 10:30 am**

(Wireless receivers available)

## Sunday Classes, 9:30am

**Adults: Gospels,** Percil, auditorium

**Teens:** Tom & Janet, hut

**Grades 4-6:** Bryan McDermott

**4 Yrs – Grade 3:** Debbie Killian

**Ages 2-3:** Patsy & Blanch

## Wednesday Classes, 7pm

**Adults:**

- Pepperdine Bible Lectures

“Holy Spirit” Message Videos

Bob Belville, auditorium

- Difficult Sayings in the Bible:

Richard Rheinbolt,

Fellowship Hall

**College/Young Adult:** Tim &

Debbie, library

**Teens:** Kevin & Kamy, hut

**Grades 1-6:** Theresa Watkins

**Preschool-K:** Patsy Yoder

**Food Pantry/New 2 You:** 1st &

3rd Tuesdays 4:30-6:00

**Wifi Password:**

gentlesquash101

## Called for a Purpose

*Unto Thee, O Lord (794)*

*Seek Ye First (555)*

*Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You (768)*

**Prayer:** Jerry Yoder

**Reading:** Mark 6:30-34, 53-56, Blake Eckard

*Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed (324)*

**Communion & Offering:** Percil Watkins

**Reading:** Psalm 23, Kevin Boggs

*When the Roll (852)*

**Message:** Colossians 1:27, Kevin Bibbee

*Hark the Gentle Voice (907)*

**Shepherd's Prayer**

*No Tears in Heaven (882)*

**Song Leader:** David Jemigan

**Servers:** David Watkins, Leon Rousseau,

Tom Keever, John Stasny

**Nursery:** Barbara Gnann

**Sitting with the Sisters:** Janet

**Greeters:** Conover West Action Team

**Hospitality Coordinator:** Dora McDonald



## 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

- Kingdom Kids and Kingdom Kidlets Children's Worship is canceled for July and August and will resume in September.
- There will be no scheduled gathering for July or August for Burke Plus Action Team.
- There will be no Conover East Action Team Lunch for August
- We will have two college students from Ohio Valley University here to help for a church work week, July 23-27. We NEED workers and supervisors, as the young men clean the parsonage and M-25 food pantry building and complete other projects. Please consider taking a day or more to help in cleaning and improving our facilities. Gloves and wheel barrows will be helpful. If any of the stored things belong to you, please pick them up right away. Please call Richard Rheinbolt at 828-284-1411, to help in the cleaning and painting.
- July 29 our young men will lead worship
- Kevin Bibbee will speak on Sun. July 29th at 4pm at Martin Luther King, Jr Park (911 Lakewood Dr, Statesville)
- Carolina Bible Camp, Mocksville, NC, is open for youths/teens 9-19 years old. Register online: carolinabiblecamp.com
- Tuesday, 8/14, the Senior Friends will meet at Olive Garden on Hwy. #70, Hickory, at 11:30am. Please let Retta know if you will attend by 5:00pm, Sun., 8/12, so she can make reservations.

## VBS

- VBS, 'Camp Out - Getting S'more of Jesus', is Fri-Sat, Aug 3-4, 5:40pm - 8:05pm, for Ages 2 years - Rising 6th Grade. Our Close-Out Picnic is Sun Aug 5, 12 noon, following the Worship assembly. Register your children, other family kids and friends at [www.hickorychurch.org](http://www.hickorychurch.org) or sign-up on the bulletin board. Thanks for praying for God's blessings on our VBS.
- VBS Donations needed: small water bottles; men's/women's toiletries: deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, and feminine products. School supplies for kids - pencils, crayons, glue sticks, pens, markers, colored pencils, erasers, paper... Please sign-up on bulletin board to donate items or cash. Place items in bins in the foyer. Cash donations can be given to Janet Keever, Kristen Killian, Theresa Watkins or Patsy Yoder. Artificial Christmas trees are needing to be borrowed.
- VBS Volunteers Needed- Adult Crew Leaders (to guide 5 students), Teen Assistant Crew Leaders. For our Sun., Aug 5, Church-Wide VBS Picnic, hot dogs & fixin's will be provided - please bring baked beans, potato salad, slaw, green salad or rotisserie chicken, dessert &/or drinks. Sign-up on bulletin board
- Teens will meet Wednesday, July 25 at the ridge crest Apartments Ross center, to pass out VBS flyers. After they will be devotional, pizza and fellowship at the Bibbees' home

**Prayer Requests**

**Pray for God’s Word to go forward with Power.**

**Mary Ellen Gross**, Dora McDonald's daughter in NY, is undergoing cancer treatments and doing fairly well.

**Rhonda Burton**, Jerry & Eloise's niece, has lung cancer and brain lesions. At present, she is not doing well.

**Billie Dennie** injured her arm during physical therapy; thankfully, she is still able to assemble with us.

**Barbara Eddins** has health concerns that keep her homebound. Please call, write or visit her.

**Scott Fitch’s** heart is in A-Fib again. He is taking new meds and had another shock treatment Thursday.

**Ann Henry** is regaining strength, after a stroke, and has completed therapy.

**William Jimenez**, John Stasny's brother-in-law, had heart surgery in CT—his 2<sup>nd</sup> heart surgery in just over a year.

**Tom Killinger** has a painful stress fracture in his right hip and is waiting to have a CT scan.

**Jo Lipford**, Tony’s Mother in Atlanta, Ga, is recovering from heart surgery.

**Ryan Lipford** had surgery to replace device to help control his seizures.

**Jane Mays** has some knee pain which affects her walking. Please visit her at Carillon Assisted Living.

**Mary Nichols** is staying with her daughter, Rhonda, temporarily, while completing therapy after her back surgery.

**Timmy Rainwater** is having GI issues

**Carol Shawn** (Tulsa, OK), Kay Smith's sister and Kamy & Shele’s aunt, has been falling and having health struggles.

**Ann Stasny** is recovering from recent illness and radiation treatment. Please encourage and pray for her.

**Heidi Tripp**, Keith & Sabina Fox’ daughter, is doing well after brain surgery

**Rose Ettia Tucker**, Cynthia Lipford's sister, saw doctors at Duke, for health issues.

**Haiti civil unrest** warrants our prayers. American missionaries returned home unharmed. TYL!

**Pray for all of our summer travelers, for safety and minimal interruption to travel itineraries.**

**Lectionary Readings**

**2 Samuel 7:1-14; Psalm 89:20-37; Ephesians 2:11-22; Mark 6:30-34,53-56**

**Notes:**

C2C2C stands for \_\_\_\_\_.

*In Numbers 14:24 - What does this passage say was so different about Caleb's mindset that set apart from others?*

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*David taught his son Solomon in 1 Chronicles 28:*

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

*How to Develop a different Mindset:*

1. \_\_\_\_\_

- Romans 8:29-30

2. \_\_\_\_\_

- Romans 12:1-2

3. \_\_\_\_\_

- Matthew 5:10-16

*"To them God chosen to make known among the Gentiles the glorious riches of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory" Colossians 1:27*

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Jul 26, Jennifer Steelman

Jul 26, Hazel Howard

Jul 26, Sadie Osborne

Jul 28, Deborah Miles



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