

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, October 7, 2018

Assembly: 10:30 am

(Wireless receivers available)

Sunday Classes, 9:30am

Adults: Prayer, auditorium

Teens: Kevin, hut

Grades 4-6: Bryan McDermott

4 Yrs – Grade 3: Debbie Killian

Ages 2-3: Patsy & Blanch

Wednesday Classes, 7pm

Adults: "The Holy Spirit",

Richard Rheinbolt,

Fellowship Hall

College / Young Adult: Tim &

Debbie, hut

Grades 1-6: Theresa Watkins

Preschool-K: Patsy Yoder

Food Pantry/New 2 You: 1st &

3rd Tuesdays 4:30-6:00

see announcement update

LIFT: First Sunday of the month. See Kamy or Janet for details.

LIME: "Unspeakable Hope", Max Lucado. Meets Mondays at 10:30am. See Georgiana Allen for info.

Wifi Password:

gentlesquash101

The Call of the Church

Prayer: Bob Belville

Reading: Psalm 8, Bryan McDermott

Sing: Great Are You Lord (PB 12)

Sing: You Are Worthy of my Praise (PB 45)

Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12, David Shuping

Sing: How Great is Our God (PB 13)

Sing: Amazing Grace (129)

Communion & Offering – Shelby A.

Sing: Sing to Me of Heaven (716)

Kingdom Kids

Message: 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Sing: You are my All in All (484)

Shepherds Prayer

Sing: The Battle Belongs to the Lord

Servers: Roy Henson, Tom Keever,

Scott Powell, Randy Pannell

Nursery: Mary Nell Covalinski

Kingdom Kids: Jesse McDonnell & Kayla P

Kingdom Kidlets: Danielle King

Sitting with the Sisters: Kamy

Greeters: Hickory Plus Action Team

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

Carolina Bible Camp will have a Lodge ribbon cutting / open house this Thurs at 4:30. 1988 Jericho Church Rd, Mocksville NC. All are invited.

October Senior Friends Luncheon at Parkway House (private room), Tues, Oct 9, 11:30am - 1640 10th Ave., NE, Hickory. It is located where 4 Peas in a Pod Restaurant was before it moved to Conover. Ph. 828-855-9189. Let Retta know by 5pm Mon, 10/8, if you will attend.

Sun. Oct 14, 12 noon, Conover East Action Team Lunch in Fellowship Hall - Bring food, drink and dessert to share.

The Young Adults have an outing to the Renaissance Festival (Huntersville, NC), Oct. 20- Please see Tim Duncan or the Kings, for info.

Annual Church Hayride - Sat, Oct. 20th, 5pm, at Tyler and Kristen Killian's.

4114 Hideaway Ct, Hickory. Bring hot dogs for your family, along with sides, desserts, drinks and chairs to sit in around the campfire!

Food Pantry/New 2 You - will be open 10/23, rather than 10/16, due to staff scheduling conflicts.

HCOF Family Fun Fest, Wed. Oct. 31, 5-7pm, in HCOF back yard. Games, Candy, Food, Bounce House & Prizes. We need: volunteers, unopened bags of individually wrapped candy (place in containers in foyer), 10 bales of hay to borrow, Autumn decorations, and real pumpkins to borrow - Invite friends, family and neighbors... [Our safe alternative to Halloween] - Questions: Contact Karen Catlett, Johnquavis Keyes or Theresa Watkins. This is for all ages... Brief meeting for volunteers following 10/7/18 worship assembly.

The church in Wilmington sustained 2 1/2 feet water in the basement, with hurricane Florence. To help, please send donations to Wilmington Central Church of Christ 215 S 17th St Wilmington, NC 28401, contact Mike Platt: 910-228-6939 or see the Watkins.

Please let Alice Lail know if you crochet, as help is needed with creating arm covers for dialysis patient

Teachers are needed for Kingdom Kids and Kidlets for November & December. See Patsy or Theresa

SAVE THE DATE! Annual Church Christmas Party will be December 1st in the Fellowship Hall. Please plan to attend — and wear a FUNNY CHRISTMAS HAT! More details to come

Save your change (\$) for AGAPE (foster & adoption agency) or donate online: www.agapeofnc.org/donate/. All will be collected later this year.

Prayer Requests

Angela Arnett is having trouble with her feet and a torn tendon.

Megan Bibbee will have surgery to remove gall stones, Thurs., Oct 11 at Baptist.

Lillie Brewer, Tonya Osborne's mom, is at home with around-the-clock care, managing w/ cancer.

Mary Ellen Bross, Dora McDonald's daughter in NY, is coping with cancer.

Sally Cannon was in ER recently with an upper respiratory infection.

Infant Grayson Chamberlain didn't need open heart surgery just yet. TYL. His father works with Patsy & Tracie.

Bart Clements, Retta Hughes' brother had a mini-stroke. He has had no residual effects and seems to be feeling much better now.

Anita Creekmore, Watkins' neighbor, is coping with cancer and treatments.

Billie Dennie is being monitored for potential heart problems.

Blanch Fitch will have 2 procedures Monday.

Florence, SC police officer was killed and seven wounded in shoot-out

Cathy Hall has pulmonary hypertension and is pretty incapacitated. A lung transplant is only cure. Her heart is ok. TYL!

Judy Hall, Joe's Mom, passed 9/24. Pray for Joe's Dad, TJ Hall; Joey and all the family. Memorial was 10/6/18.

Roy Henson needs prayers for a spiritual need.

Mike Jordan, Hester Burkhalter & Sharon Citsay's brother had surgery at Carolina Medical Center, Charlotte.

Susan Kelly (Theresa's spiritual mother), in AL, is taking chemo for leukemia. Pray for her husband, Mark, & family.

Tom Killinger will have nerve block Oct. 8, to address back pain.

Jane Mays is at Carillon Assisted Living.

Barbara, Deborah Miles' sister, has cancer and is at Brian Center long-term care facility.

Mary Nichols has pain still, after back surgery.

Debra Propst, mother of the Roberts' daughter's boyfriend, passed 10/1. Funeral is 10/12, 4pm-Jenkins Funeral Home.

Maddox Ritch (6), remains were found after he went missing from a Gastonia Park.

John Setzer, Anna's husband, is home and not walking as well, after a recent fall, hip surgery and therapy.

Marti Shirah has pulmonary fibrosis and COPD.

John & Ann Stasny are traveling to Connecticut.

Stasny Lewis Steelman, Bryan's Dad, is seeing doctors for skin cancer

Pray for drivers to present themselves, to help transport Sally Cannon, and Timmy and Tammy Rainwater.

Pray for those contemplating being baptized into Christ to be open to following Him.

Pray for the physically healthy who are spiritually-ill to be healed.

Pray for the precious children who come here Wed. nights and other times; for their parents and the community.

Lectionary Readings

Job 1:1, 2:1-10 ; Psalm 26; Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12 ; Mark 10:2-16

NOTES:

God is calling the church...

1. To _____
- Ephesians 1:11-12

2. To _____
- 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Apostle Paul uses an analogy of _____
to emphasize the importance of God's Call
- 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Who are the members?

- Mark 3:35

"By this all men will know you are my disciples, if you _____"

- John 13:34-35

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Oct 8, Eloise Burton
Oct 9, Debbie Killian
Oct 10, Bryce Hull
Oct 12, Rik Covalinski
Oct 13, Kevin Boggs



★October 8★

On Sunday October 8, 1944 the Church of Christ started meeting together in Hickory. So the Church Family is 74 years old!!!

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