

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, March 10, 2019

Assembly: 10:30 am

(Wireless receivers available)

Sunday Classes, 9:30am

Adults: "The One Anothers", auditorium

Teens: Kevin, Fellowship Hall

Grades 4-6: Bryan

McDermott

4 Yrs – Grade 3: Debbie Killian

Ages 2-3: Patsy & Blanch

Cradle Roll (Birth – 2 yrs):

Barbara Gnann

Wednesday Classes, 7pm

Adults: "A Spirit that Produces", Kevin Bibbee, Fellowship Hall

College / Young Adult: Dillon King, Hut

Teens: Percil Watkins, Library

Grades 1-6: Theresa Watkins

Preschool-K: Patsy Yoder

Food Pantry/New 2 You: In

M-25 Building 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 4:30-6:00

Ladies Studies:

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

LIME: Meets Mondays at 10:30am. See Georgiana Allen for info.

Wifi Network:

Netgear69-5G

Wifi Password:

gentlesquash101

Becoming the Attitude of...

The Merciful

Welcome

Sing: Praise the Lord (74)

Sing: Glorify Thy Name (77)

Prayer of Praise: David Eckard

Reading: Psalm 51:1-17 – David Shuping

Sing: Why Did My Savior Come to Earth (382)

Communion & Offering: Randy Pannell

Reading: Matthew 6:1-6;16-21– Bryan Steelman

Sing: As the Deer (71)

Sing: This World is not my Home (957)

Message: Matthew 5:7

Sing: There is Power in the Blood (903)

Prayer of Blessing

Sing: When the Roll (852)

Servers: Roy Henson, Art Burkhalter, Steve Killian, Leon Rousseau

Nursery: Mary Bell Covalinski

Sitting with the Sisters: Danielle K

Kingdom Kids: Janet Keever

Kingdom Kidlets: Danielle King

Communion Prep: Killians

Hospitality: Debbie Killian



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

The March Senior Friends Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 11:30 A.M., at Olive Garden in Hickory. Please let Retta know by 5:00 P.M., Monday, March 11, if you plan to attend.

Mark your calendar for Sun, Mar 17 for our next **Congregation Meeting** to take place after worship assembly.

Burke Plus Action Team 3/24/19 meeting will be at the Jaschob's

Youth and Bible Teachers Meeting- Sun March 24 following worship assembly. Youth and teen teachers are needed for Wednesdays and Sundays.

The sign-up sheet for the Mar. 24 (New Date) Annual **Community Blood Drive**, in honor of Megan Bibbee, is on the bulletin board. The drive will run: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm. Approx. 20-25 donors are needed. See Jimmie Link with questions.

Youth Rally- Lake Norman Church of Christ (17634 Caldwell Station Rd, Huntersville NC) will be April 5, 7pm – April 7, 11am

Please like HCOC on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/HCOC111/>

Consider being a volunteer with our Food Pantry (see Lisa Smith) and Clothing Pantry (see Mark & Pam Roberts)

Jerry Yoder seeks to meet each Sunday, with the men who are serving during the worship assembly. Please meet him in the library, if you're to serve.

Individuals are needed to prepare Communion trays for July and August. Please sign-up on the bulletin board

LIME – now studying "New Day" book by David Young- Ladies, please come join us.

Prayer Requests

HCOC Daily Prayer for 2019 – to grow spiritually and for God's kingdom to grow

Megan Bibbee for continued healing.

Lillie Brewer, Tonya Osborne's Mom, passed Thurs. Funeral plans are being made. Pray for Tonya, Joey & family.

Mary Ellen Bross, Dora McDonald's daughter, has cancer; pray she can tolerate infusion treatments.

Jerry Burton's brother (KY) has cancer and will begin radiation treatments.

Ray & Karen Catlett's son, Troy Roberts, has clots and diabetes. Pray for their loved ones, Alex and Keli Holt

Ruth Cloninger, Anita Wilfong's Mom, has ulcer that's causing dizziness. Pray the ulcer treatment will alleviate dizziness.

Prayer Requests

Henry Crum, Ruth's son, has three kidney stones and is waiting to hear treatment plan.

Ruth Crum, a dear family friend of Scott & Blanch Fitch, has blood clots in her legs. She's able to eat solid food again.

Larry Duncan is recovering from respiratory illness.

Barbara Eddins is homebound.

Kelsey Fectueau is thankful for all phone calls, cards, food and prayers given to her family around her surgery. Kelsey's daughter, Roslyn, had stomach virus. Praise God that Kelsey's back tumor was benign.

Blanch and Scott Fitch have been sick with the flu and other illness.

Cathy Hall has a blood clot in her leg.

Ann Henry is at Brian Center, Tate Blvd – Room 512 taking physical therapy after a hip replacement.

Johnquavis Keyes is recovering from the flu and coping with his asthma.

Loretta Kramer passed; she's the Roberts' daughter-in-law's grandmother. She passed 16 days after her husband.

Ryan Lipford is having a rash of seizures again.

Rossana Lecaros seeks prayers for her mother, Juanita; her brother, Jesus; and herself, as they plan to move home to Lima, Peru. They need a wheelchair accessible house. Juanita should have more loved ones to care for her there.

Eric Luckadoo, Megan Rae Hollar's friend, fell from roof onto cement in '18 and is improving, after brain injury & surgery.

Jane Mays is at Carillon Assisted Living in Newton.

Dora McDonald was in a car accident; her vehicle was totaled

Mary Nichols has lingering health problems, but is thankful for the church's encouragement.

Tom Painter, cousin of Sally Cannon and Timmy Rainwater, is home from Baptist Hospital and his large intestine is working again. TYL!

Barbara Pannell had gallbladder surgery.

Scott Powell has been ill – diverticulitis

Claude Rainwater, Sally Cannon/Timmy Rainwater's brother, is in Morristown, WV hospital. His cancer returned and is not treatable. He's to be moved to hospice and is getting radiation to keep him comfortable. Pray for his wife, Kay.

Josh, Anna Setzer's nephew, is still trying to finish his last final exam with Harding Univ. He's been hindered by anxiety.

Marti Shirah is home with pulmonary fibrosis and COPD.

Erin Sipes, Megan Rae Hollar's friend, has stage 4 brain cancer; her prognosis is not good. She's a long history of cancer.

Walter St.John, a friend of Bryan Steelman, is undergoing tests for a serious health issue.

John Stasny will have heart bypass surgery likely on Monday. He has three arteries with 99% blockage.

Missy Stroud (back in TN) has shingles; her pain is diminishing.

Noah Tallent, Brett & Sharon Citsay's grandson and a new Christian, is homesick & struggling in Air Force basic training.

Ted Wilfong, Mike's Dad, is in the nursing home and is not doing well.

Ramona Williams, Theresa Watkins' sister, is having immense back pain

Please pray for **those affected by Sunday's massive and deadly tornadoes in Alabama and Georgia.**

Lectionary Readings

Deuteronomy 26:1-11; Psalm 91:1-2,9-16; Romans 10:8b-13; Luke 4:1-13

Notes:

THE _____ OF MERCY

Mercy is _____

Grace is _____

Psalm 145:8

THE _____ OF MERCY

1. If I am merciful, _____ -
1 Thessalonians 5:14; Romans 15:7

2. If I am merciful,
_____ -
Colossians 3:13

3. If I am merciful,
_____ -
Proverbs 3:27; 1 John 3:17-18

4. 4. If I am merciful,
_____ -
Luke 6:33, 35-36

THE _____ FOR MERCY

The motivation for being merciful is to be

_____ & _____
- Luke 6:36; James 2:13

"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy." -
Matthew 5:7

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Mar 12, Nicolette Steelman

Mar 14, Lisa Smith

Mar 17, Karen Catlett



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