

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, July 21, 2019

Assembly: 10:30 am

(Wireless receivers available)

Sunday Classes, 9:30am

Adults: "Romans", 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 Gann

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 6pm-7:30pm (for
the summer months)

Ladies Studies:

LIFT: Next Meeting in Sept.

LIME: Next Meeting in Sept.

Wi-Fi Network:

Netgear69-5G

Wi-Fi Password:

gentlesquash101

A Shepherd-like Heart!

Welcome

Sing: Our God, He is Alive (23)

Sing: When We All Get to Heaven (853)

Sing: Holy, Holy, Holy (47)

Prayer – Steve Killian

Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a – Jerry Yoder

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

Communion & Offering: Larry Duncan

Reading: Luke 10:38-42 – Randy Pannell

Sing: This World is Not My Home (957)

Message: 1 Samuel 16:7

Sing: Love Lifted Me (453)

Prayer - Tim Duncan

Sing: Days of Elijah (PB 6)

Servers: Mark Roberts, Brett Citsay, Tom
Keever, Noah Franks

Nursery: Tonya Osborne

Sitting with the Sisters: Lisa & Sara

Kingdom Kids: Eamon & Kelsey Fecteau

Communion Prep: Blake & Barbara Eckard

Hospitality: 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

John Setzer (Anna's husband) passed away Wednesday. A memorial service is planned for 5pm Today, July 21st, at Hickory Church of Christ - Everyone is invited.

Burke plus will not meet in July

Happy 75th Anniversary, Hickory Church of Christ - Details for Events Related to the Church's Anniversary are coming soon... 📌

Fri. 7/26 - **Seniors Social**, 2-5pm at the Smiths' 2007 13th St. NE, Hickory - See Barbara Gann or Kay Smith for info - Bring a friend and a snack/drink to share

Northview Church of Christ Summer

Nights - Sundays this month at 6pm - 2615 Amity Hill Rd, Statesville - Pivotal Moments & Powerful Passages with various NC preachers speaking. Kevin Bibbee will speak July 28th at 4pm at MLK, Jr Park, 911 Lakewood Dr., Statesville. - Let Kevin Bibbee know if you will attend, to ensure adequate food is prepared.

School Supplies are being collected by Our Children's Ministry this month for families under financial hardship. Everyone is asked to donate cash or some of the following items: Book bags, notebooks, notebook paper, pencils, glue sticks & crayons. All donations should be turned in by Sunday, July 28th. See Kelsey or Eamon Fecteau for details or to make cash donations.

Directory Info/Photos: Please see Bob Belville, to get your directory info. and/or photo updated/taken for the directory.

Please encourage youths and teens (Ages 9-19) to attend a week at **Carolina Bible Camp**, Mocksville, NC this summer - Register: www.carolinabiblecamp.com. Invite those from the community to attend also. Email: randal@carolinabiblecamp.com, for scholarship info.

Please mark your calendar for **Carolina Bible Camp's Annual Bluegrass Festival** Fundraiser to take place, Saturday, Sept. 14- Info: www.cbcbbluegrass.com

Please write Erin (Kimi) Hall, as she completes her basic training for Army National Guard- she'll be in OK for about nine weeks
PV2 Hall Erin
2nd Platoon Savages
Charlie Battery, 1st BN, 79th FA
5970 South Boundary Road
Fort Sill OK 73503

The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

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

Areas of focus from our Congregation Meeting - 1) Leadership; 2) Children's Ministry & 3) Finances

Pray for more opportunities to share Jesus with others.

Pray for all on our prayer list to acknowledge the power of God in their situation. Praise God for answered prayers.

Jean Barnette, Jennifer Steelman's mother, is at Conover Nursing & Rehabilitation. She is hardly eating and has kidney failure.

Jody is in the military and is husband to one of John Setzer's caregivers. Pray for his service in Calif. and coming deployment to Iraq. Pray for his family's well-being too.

Megan Bibbee is nearly healed of a long-term pressure wound. God is good!

Mary Ellen Bross of NY, Dora McDonald's daughter; is undergoing cancer treatments.

Ray Catlett's brother, Johnny, has throat cancer that is worse than thought. Pray for God's favor to be with him, as he makes decision about surgery and chemo/radiation options.

Dwayne (Kevin) Davis is in ICU at CVMC, recovering from a heart attack. He's the husband of Cynthia and Theresa's hairdresser.

Kimi Hall is in Army National Guard Basic Training in Ft. Sill, OK. Pray for her endurance and spiritual focus.

Rossana Lecaros is recovering from cataract surgery

Ryan Lipford is no longer having frequent seizures.

Jane Mays is at Carillon Assisted Living in Newton.

Mary Nichols fell at home, after having hip surgery and a heart attack. Pray that her pain and discomfort soon diminish.

Norman Powell, (Scott's Dad), fractured his hip in a fall last week. He is recovering from 7/11/19 surgery.

John Setzer (Anna's husband) passed away Wednesday night at CVMC, surrounded by Anna and other family and friends. Please pray for continued strength for Anna, as she adjusts to John's absence. A memorial service is planned for 5pm Today, July 21st, at Hickory Church of Christ - Everyone is invited.

Marti Shirah is homebound.

Walter St. John, Bryan Steelman's friend, is having cancer treatments

Logan Webb, Megan Rae's friend and US Coast Guard member, had a stroke and is being moved from MD to a TN hospital closer to home.

Lectionary Readings

Amos 8:1-12; Psalm 52; Colossians 1:15-28; Luke 10:38-42

Notes:

(Outline from Lynn Anderson's Book - They Smell Like Sheep Volume 2)

Leading with a Heart of a Shepherd...

- A Heart _____
_____ - Psalm 63:1-3
- A Heart _____
_____ - Leviticus 11:44; Psalm 78:72
- A Heart _____
_____ - Genesis 1:27; Ezekiel 34:31
- A Heart _____
_____ - Psalm 119:105; 1 Timothy 3:2; 2 Timothy 2:2
- A Heart _____
_____ - Matthew 20:28
- A Heart _____
_____ - Acts 11:23-24
- A Heart _____
_____ - 1 Peter 5:2-4,6

*"The Lord doesn't make decisions the way you do!
People judge by outward appearance, but the Lord looks at a person's heart." - 1 Samuel 16:7*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

July 26, Sadie Osborne

July 26, Jennifer Steelman

July 28, Deborah Miles

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