

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, August 18, 2019

Assembly: 10:30 am

(Wireless receivers available)

Sunday Classes, 9:30am

Adults: "Romans", auditorium

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: Bryan McDermott

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

Qualified by Qualities

Welcome

Sing: I Will Call upon the Lord (63)

Sing: I Love You Lord (779)

Prayer – Roy Henson

Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7 –Jerry Burton

Sing: We Praise Thee, O God (2)

Sing: Ten Thousand Angels (349)

Communion & Offering: Larry Duncan

Reading: Luke 12:49-56– John Stasny

Sing: To Canaan's Land (867)

Kingdom Kids

Message: 1 Timothy 3:1-7, Titus 1:10-2:2

Sing: Trust and Obey (915)

Prayer: Tom Keever

Sing: On Jordan's Stormy Banks (886)

Servers: Leon Rousseau, Roy Henson,

Mike Wilfong, Mark Roberts

Nursery: Georgianna Allen

Sitting with the Sisters: Nancy Boggs

Kingdom Kids: Janet Keever

Communion Prep: Ken & Alice Lail

Hospitality: Nancy Belville



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

Church-wide Back to School Cook-Out, - Sun.

Aug 25, following the worship assembly - (school starts 8/26) - Hot Dogs and Hamburgers will be provided. **Please sign-up on bulletin board** to bring salad, sides, drinks, and desserts and indicate the number who will be attending the cook-out. Please invite kids and their families to join us. **Parents, please complete forms on the bulletin board** indicating your children's names, school grade and school name, as they will be prayed for during the 8/25 worship service.

Seniors' Social. Fri. Aug. 30, 2-5pm, at the Smiths' home - 2007 13th St. NE, Hickory - See Barbara Gnann or Kay Smith for info - Bring a snack/drink to share and invite a friend or two. Please come out for this AMAZINGLY ENJOYABLE time

Burke Plus Action Team Gathering is canceled for August.

Monthly Prayer and Song Service - Wed. Sept. 4 - 7pm in the church Fellowship Hall (downstairs). Please join us for this uplifting time.

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

Sun. Oct. 27 (Date Changed) - **HCOG 75th Anniversary Homecoming Celebration** - More Details are Coming Soon - Please begin spreading the word and inviting former members and friends to be with us. Please pray too, as we hope to burn the mortgage at this time

School Supply Giveaway: we've give away about ten backpacks, filled with school supplies. Thanks for being part of this effort. If you know of anyone needing a backpack, please let Theresa Watkins know. We have a few still remaining.

The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

HCOG 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.

Mayson Archer, son of Morgan Bibbee's Bus Driver, has Leukemia and is taking treatments at Baptist

Jean Barnette, Jennifer Steelman’s Mom, is not doing well.

Kaylin Bibbee seeks peace for enormous preparations for 3-month college study abroad in England. She leaves Aug 28.

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

Hester Burkhalter fell recently

Paul & Jan Caldwell closed on their new home in Conover. Prayers for their smooth transition are appreciated.

Ray Catlett’s brother, Johnny, has throat cancer. Pray for his strength.

Billie Dennie is home from Carolina Rehab of Burke

Barbara Eddins is homebound.

Kelsey Tucker Fecteau is on temporary bed rest, due to an enlarged spleen and abnormal blood work. She'll have a CT scan soon and will be starting infusions to stay hydrated. Pray for her strength & healing, amid several challenges, including school starting soon for her and Eamon's kids.

Kimi Hall is in Army National Guard Basic Training. She studied the Gospel with her battle buddy and her battle buddy elected to be baptized into Christ. PTL! Kimi’s address is on the bulletin board. She yearns to hear from the church.

Tim Johnson, Pam Joy's brother, has melanoma and is to have surgery this month

Juanita, Rossana Lecaros’ mom, had a mini-stroke, after being off blood thinners, to allow her to have dental extractions.

Jane Mays is at Carillon Assisted Living in Newton.

Deborah Miles' great-aunt/“2nd mother”, Geneva Alexander, passed in Lincolnton. The funeral service was Sat. 8/3.

Deborah Miles had wrist surgery Wednesday; problems with her back will be addressed later.

Mary Nichols is homebound with back problems.

Norman Powell, (Scott’s Dad), is home, after rehab for hip fracture. Pray for him to have a good transition to home.

Paxton Powell is heading back to Lipscomb University this weekend.

Mark Roberts has fluid in his lungs

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

Marti Shirah is homebound.

Valerie Streeter is having respiratory challenges.

David Watkins is headed back to Harding University this weekend.

Logan Webb, Megan Rae’s friend and US Coast Guard member, is recovering from a stroke.

Azalee Rose Yoder, daughter of Jeremy & Brittney and granddaughter of Jerry & Patsy Yoder, was born Aug. 4, at 33 1/2 weeks gestation and is now home, after stay in NICU.

Several around us are thinking about being immersed into Christ. Please pray for their hearts to be open to God's will for their lives.

Lectionary Readings

Isaiah 5:1-7; Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19

Hebrews 11:29-12:2; Luke 12:49-56

Notes: Understanding Words Used:

Elder - _____

Shepherd/Pastor - _____

Overseer/Bishop - _____

Office - _____

Sound Doctrine - _____

Authority - _____

Qualities - _____

Qualities that Qualify:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Aug 18 Rhonda Dautrich

Aug 23 Anna Setzer

Aug 25 Randy Dennie

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Aug 21 Larry & Sharon Duncan

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