

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, November 24, 2019

Assembly: 10:30 am

(Wireless receivers available)

Sunday Classes, 9:30am

Adults: "Psalms", auditorium
2 Yrs – 12th Grade: Upstairs in education wing

Wednesday Classes, 7pm

Adults: "Practical Christianity", Percil Watkins, Fellowship Hall
College / Young Adults: "The Bible says THAT?!"
Bob Belville, Auditorium
Teens: Bryan McDermott
Grades 1-6: Theresa Watkins
Preschool-K: Patsy Yoder

Food Pantry/New 2 You:

In M-25 Building 1st & 3rd
Tuesdays 5-6pm

Ladies Studies:

LIFT: 1st Sun of every month at 5:30pm
LIME: Mondays at 10:30am

Wi-Fi Network:

Netgear69-5G
or
Hickory_Education_5G

Wi-Fi Password:

gentlesquash101

The Check Engine Light

Sing: Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus (648)

Sing: The Lord's My Shepherd (134)

Sing: I Love You Lord (779)

Prayer – Bryan Steelman

Reading: Psalm 46 – Noah Franks

Sing: When My Love to Christ Grows Weak (350)

Communion: Jerry Burton

Offering

Reading: Luke 1:68-79 – Bryan McDermott

Sing: To Canaan's Land (867)

Message

Sing: There is Power in the Blood (903)

Prayer: Steve Killian

Sing: No Not One (396)

Servers: Roy Henson, Shelby Abercrombie, Mark Roberts, Leon Rousseau

Nursery: Annie Stasny

Sitting with the Sisters: Steelmans

Kingdom Kids: Danielle King

Communion Prep: John & Ann Stasny

Hospitality: Margaret Sigmon



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

New Wednesday Young Adult Class - Please come out for a "No topic off-limits" style class on Wednesday evenings at 7pm, in the auditorium. The class is a time for discussing difficult questions and topics in the Bible.

No Mid-Week Classes will take place on Wed. Nov. 27. We pray everyone will enjoy this time with family & friends, while remembering Christ.

Young Adults Christmas Party. Sun. Dec. 8th, after the worship, in the hut! Wear a Christmas sweater and bring holiday food! Come enjoy games and holiday food. See Danielle King, with any questions.

Youth and Teens Christmas party, Sunday, December 8th, after the worship assembly. Please bring a snack or drink to share. Afterwards, everyone is invited to join this group in going caroling.

HCOC Food Drive is taking place thru Dec. 15th. Pick-up a brown paper bag with attached grocery list from the foyer, to help us provide needy local families. This will also help with restocking our church food pantry for the New Year.

Please save your change, in a cup from the foyer, to benefit AGAPE of NC Foster Care and Adoption Service. Take the cup home, collect your change and bring it back before year-end to Tom Keever. Other gifts to AGAPE of NC can also be given during this time.

Dragon Slayer, our new Men's Spiritual Battle Fellowship, will start meeting Jan. 18, 8am-9:15am, for Bible study and breakfast. Meetings will take place each 3rd Saturday, January - June of next year. See David Shuping for details and/or to order workbooks. Funds are available, if you cannot afford workbook.

Kingdom Kids and Youth Bible Class Teachers are needed. Please see Janet Keever, Patsy Yoder, Debbie Killian or Theresa Watkins, to get involved or sign-up on the bulletin board.

Tim & Debbie Duncan's new address: 436 Hillview Dr, Apt 101. Linthicum Heights, MD 21090. Please sign the book in the foyer, to wish him and Debbie the best, as they relocate to Maryland. Debbie will join him in September.

Carolina Bible Camp urgently needs donations, to pay for swimming pool repairs. The pool is used for baptisms, swimming and team competitions. Any donation would be appreciated. Help today by giving online: <https://carolinabiblecamp.com/donate/> or mail it to: Carolina Bible Camp & Retreat Center, P.O. Box 1234, Mocksville, NC 27028

Monthly prayer and song service, Wed., Dec. 4th at 7pm, in the church Fellowship hall.

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.

Casey Allen is facing challenges.

Mayson Archer, a high school senior, has Leukemia and is improving

Kaylin Bibbee is studying abroad in England.

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

Ray Catlett’s brother, Johnny, cancer.

Dick & Mary Nell Covalinski covet our prayers. See Margaret Sigmon, to help with providing meals for them.

Randy Dennie had ear surgery and can now hear. Praise God. Pray for his continued healing.

Barbara Eddins is homebound.

Scott & Blanch Fitch are homebound

Nick Hall is in Army Basic Training, in Ft. Benning, Ga.

Linda Hollar, Megan Rae’s grandmother, fell recently. Pray for wisdom for the family, in making decisions about her care.

Ken Johnson, Pam Joy’s brother, is seeing his left kidney is now functioning again.

Jane Mays is at Carillon Assisted Living in Newton and sends her love to all the church.

Mary Nichols has been homebound somewhat.

Mark Roberts seeks a liver and/or lung transplant.

Marti Shirah is homebound

Erika Wilfong is recovering from a tonsillectomy.

Pray for open hearts among those hearing the good news about Jesus.

Pray for all students, at all levels, and school, police and military staff

Blessings to all of our families, our community and nation, during this Thanksgiving season. 1 Thess. 5:18 - Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

Lectionary Readings

Jeremiah 23:1-6; Luke 1:68-79;

Colossians 1:11-20; Luke 23:33-43

Notes

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Nov 26 Dillon King

Nov 29 Marti Shirah



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Nov 25 Ken & Alice Lail

Nov 28 Art & Hester Burkhalter

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