Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, June 21, 2020

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The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

HCOC Daily Prayer – Build Your kingdom here. Let the darkness fear. Show Your mighty hand. Heal our streets and land. Set Your church on fire. Win this nation back. Change the atmosphere. Build Your kingdom here. I pray.

Those with weakened immune systems, for protection from the coronavirus. **Casey Allen** is facing challenges.

Barry Barlow, is in hospice care. Barry's wife and family (Billie Dennie, Barbara Eddins & Judy Cole) seek our prayers.

Bertrand Awana Belinguine is recovering from injuries to his wrist.

Bob Belville has been in the hospital some recently. Pray for his and Nancy's strength.

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

Art Burkhalter is under doctor's care for heart issues

Jerry Burton is back at work, after a heart attack.

Shirley Burton, Jerry's older sister in KY, has lung cancer.

Sally Cannon is under doctors' care for health concerns. Pray for her strength.

Karen Catlett, a dialysis patient, hopes to get a kidney soon.

Johnny Catlett, Ray's brother, has cancer.

Mary Nell Covalinski had a partial hip replacement.

Larry Duncan is continuing with physical therapy, after shoulder surgery.

Barbara Eddins is homebound.

Blanch Fitch, passed May 24 at Carolina Caring-Sherrill's Ford. Pray for comfort for her husband, **Scott Fitch**, & family.

George Floyd family, after he died in police custody in MN. **Pray for officers** charged with killing him.

Jennie Henman, Noah Franks & Danielle King's grandmother, passed Friday in Springfield, MO, after an extended illness

Ann Henry and family are coping with the passing of her husband, HCOC's former elder, **Ron Henry**.

Eadie Hopkins is staying with Larry & Sharon Duncan. She's unable to live alone now

Justin Kimes grandmother passed in West Virginia.

Jane Mays is at Elmcroft Assisted Living.

Mary Nichols is homebound.

Pam and April Roberts and family are coping with Mark's passing.

Pedro Sanchez, an elder in Santiago, Chile, is in critical condition with the coronavirus. He travels preaching the Gospel in Peru, the U.S and elsewhere in South America.

 ${\bf Marti\,Shirah}$ has eosinophilic pneumonia. Her weakened immune system inhibits interactions with their grandson.

Lewis & Edith Steelman - Bryan's Dad is not well at Abernethy Laurels. Bryan's Mom has worsening memory issues.

The coronavirus has affected many around the world. Pray for a cure; for strength for those with the virus; for medical workers; for comfort for those who lost loved ones to the virus and for all affected in any way by the pandemic.

Pray for **healing of our nation** after recent riots, protests, etc. George Floyd's death.

Pray that those **seeking employment** will soon find such.

Pray for God's protection and favor, as we resume meeting together.

Pray for God to reveal those who He would have shepherd us.

Pray for God to bless our families and to add others to our number.

Pray that we will all freely share Christ's Gospel and for hearts to be open to it.

Pray for men to rise up and let God be Lord of their lives.

Pray for students; school, police & military staff; and govt. leaders.

Lectionary Readings

Genesis 21:8-21; Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17 Romans 6:1b-11; Matthew 10:24-39

Announcements & Reminders

Our time Together in Worship is at 10:30am each Sunday at Hickory Church of Christ. If you're not able to meet with us, please watch the Facebook livestream at 10:30 or see the recorded worship later on Facebook. The Facebook link is at the top of the bulletin.

Kevin Bibbee's recent message and others can be found at: http://hickorychurch.org/sermons

Anyone who needs communion supplies can email hickorycofc@gmail.com and arrangements will be made to get these to you.

Sundays at **9:30am** - Adult Zoom Bible Class: Seth Powell will address topics on Christian Evidences. Join Zoom - https://us04web.zoom.us/ij/75119095194.

Meeting ID: 751 1909 5194

Gift Jars for our high school graduates (Morgan Bibbee, Madison Schmidt, Sara Watkins & Braden Wharton) are ready and being kept at the Bibbees' home. If you'd like to bring a card, gift card, etc. to the building for the grads., give these to the ushers. Otherwise, mail the cards to: Graduate Name c/o Bibbee Family, 4147 Hemingway Dr, Hickory, NC 28601 or drop them by the Bibbees' house. We will collect cards for seniors thru Sun. Aug. 2. The Bibbee will deliver jars to each senior (hopefully with Krispy Kremes and gifts from the church family).

Our college grads: Bertrand Awana Belinguine, Lucy Brown (Dec.), Dillon King and Nikki Steelman (Dec.). Lionel Ellis graduated from preaching school recently.

Please let Theresa Watkins, 910-512-4754, know if you have a microwave, end tables, twin bed or kitchen table and chairs you're no longer using.

Congratulations to Noah Franks and Ali Steelman who were married Sunday, May 24th. Please rejoice with and pray for them, as they begin their lives together.

When giving to HCOC, if you're not able to attend the Sunday worship:

- 1. Mail a check to Hickory Church of Christ, 1218 Fairgrove Church Rd., Hickory, NC 28602
- 2. Use on-line banking to set-up the church as a payee. Send an amount every week/month automatically or
- 3. Donate online: http://hickorychurch.org/donate/

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June 21 Kay Smith June 24 David Jernigan June 25 Kristen Killian

June 26 Kaylin Bibbee

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

June 22 Joey & Tonya Osborne June 23 Chuck & Retta Hughes

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June Hospitality Coordinator: Margaret Sigmon