

# Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, August 30, 2020

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## The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

**HCO 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.

**Angela Arnett** is progressing well, after leg surgery.

**Nancy Belville** is coping with her husband, Bob, passing.

**Mary Ellen Bross**, Dora's daughter, had brain radiation. She will have CT scan, to assess radiation effectiveness.

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

**Paul Caldwell** has fibrosis in his left lung. There's no cancer. TYL! He & Jan are thankful for all prayers. Paul & Jan's daughter and grandson, Elizabeth and Gage, are recovering from the coronavirus.

**Sally Cannon** is waiting for her arm fistula to be sturdy enough to begin dialysis.

**Brother Arnold Camacho**, (ILO-Peru's preacher) and his wife, Yasnuary, are doing better from Covid 19.

**Johnny Catlett**, Ray's brother, has cancer.

Billie Dennie - is feeling better since getting home from the hospital

**Pam Dennie's stepfather** had a kidney biopsy and are waiting for the results.

**Alden Dixon** seeks emotional strength during good days & bad days in missing Lucille

**Barbara Eddins** still has a lot of health issues; pray together for God's healing  
Lionel Ellis is working in Mooresville; pray for safe travels to and from work, especially during very early morning hours

**Ann Henry** covets our prayers and welcomes visitors.

**Aaron & Emily Holmes & kids** (Barbara Gnan's daughter) leave for Mauritius Island Sept. 17, as they have raised funds to begin their three-year mission assignment. Please pray for their efforts. Thanks to all contributors to their mission. Other donations can be given to HCO or at <https://teachbeyond.org>, include Aaron and Emily Holmes in donation box.

**Eadie Hopkins** is selling her home; pray the sale goes quickly and the transition to living permanently with Larry and Sharon goes well for all

**Dennis Jaschob** is regaining strength slowly from a UTI and kidney infection.

**Kristen & Tyler Killian's** baby, Georgia Mae, was born Mon., Aug. 24<sup>th</sup>.at 7:58am. She weighed 7lbs, 13oz and was 21inches long. Mom & baby are doing well. Pray for them and Dad and brothers to keep doing well.

**Tracy Hughes Linton**, former daughter-in-law of Retta and Chuck Hughes, had a double mastectomy.

**Jane Mays** is at Elmcroft Assisted Living.

Doris and Faith Moss had a possible exposure to COVID

**Brother Pedro Sanchez** (preacher in Chile) recovered from Coronavirus and is preaching again using social media.

**Daniel**, Anna Setzer's brother, has painful eye problems.

**Marti Shirah** has eosinophilic pneumonia.

**David Shuping's friend** has an unknown growth in her kidney and is 8 months pregnant. She is afraid and needs prayer.

**John Stasny** has immense pain from a herniated disc in his back; he'll see doctors in Sept.

**Lewis & Edith Steelman** - Bryan's Dad is at Abernethy Laurels. Bryan's Mom has worsening memory issues. Pray for **Bryan's** strength, in caring for his parents.

**Bryan Wilfong** had repair surgery for his torn bicep.

**Mike Wilfong** had a heart ablation, because of AFib issues.

*Thank you to our HCoC family for all the diapers, wipes, and gift cards for our little one. All are so useful as we adjust back to having a newborn in our household.*

*Thank you to those who have brought us warm meals throughout the week and week to come as well. Most of all, we appreciate everyone's love, prayers, and support as we welcome our little girl, Georgia Mae, into the world. She truly is an example of how good our God can be! Love the Killian crew- Tyler, Kristen, Koen, Landen, and Georgia*

## Lectionary Readings

Exodus 3:1-15; Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b

Romans 12:9-21; Matthew 16:21-28

## Announcements & Reminders

**Our Worship is at 10:30am Sun. at HCO.** Attend or watch Facebook livestream or see recorded worship later on Facebook. The Facebook link is at the top of the bulletin.  
**Seth Powell is speaking today.** We will be opening and closing our Time Together with singing!

### Sundays at 9:30am - Adult Zoom Bible Class:

Larry Duncan will address topics on Christian Evidences.

Meeting ID: 751 909 5194

<https://uso4web.zoom.us/j/75119095194>

### HCO Back to School Virtual Prayer Meeting,

Sun. Aug. 16 - 3pm, on Zoom. Register:

<https://forms.gle/nSEExPqzpnur6tPm8>. Zoom link will be emailed to registrants. Invite others to join us.

**Jenna Powell's Parents**, David & Lisa Mitchell, would like assistance moving into their new home Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6pm. Pizza will be present to sate the hunger of those assisting. Help would be appreciated.

**FLU SHOTS** will be available at HCO parking lot on Sun. Sept 27 from 10-10:30am and again following the service. High-dose vaccines for ages 65 and up. Quad vaccines for ages 10 and up. Tables will be set up outside to assist with social distancing; please keep mask on when completing paperwork and vaccine administration. Bring insurance card. Contact Jessica (Knoske) Van Kuren or Kamy Bibbee with questions.

**James Book Study.** "The behavior of belief; An exposition of James based upon the original Greek text" is a book Archdale Church of Christ will study Mondays at 7pm, beginning Sept. 7th. Purchase the book on Amazon and contact their minister for meeting info: [RUSSELL MCCULLOUGH](mailto:RUSSELL MCCULLOUGH), [rmcculls6@bellsouth.net](mailto:rmcculls6@bellsouth.net).

**New Day Conference** - Sept. 10-11. We have registered as a church, so you can register for free. Go to [newdayresources.org](http://newdayresources.org) to see schedule & register. Sign-up to reserve your spot. Use HICKORY as the Discount Code.

### Congrats to newlyweds Eli & Jessica (Knoske) Van Kuren!

**When giving to HCO** (if not on Sundays)

1. Mail check to church address listed below
2. Use on-line banking to set-up the church as a payee. Send weekly or monthly
3. Donate: <http://hickorychurch.org/donate/>

September Hospitality Coordinator: Debbie Killian

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Aug 30 Marlene Matney

Sept 1 Alyssa Lipford

Sept 5 Johnquavis Keyes

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Sept 4 Robert & Jimmie Link

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