

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, October 11, 2020

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The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

HCO111 Daily Prayer – May God’s Kingdom Grow Here...

Those with weakened immune systems, for protection from the coronavirus.

Pray for a neighbor or friend to follow Christ

Casey Allen is facing challenges.

Mary Ellen Bross, Dora’s daughter, had brain radiation and will have CT scan this fall, to assess her condition.

Art Burkhalter has eye troubles.

John Burkhalter, Art’s brother, passed from a massive heart attack.

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

Paul Caldwell has fibrosis in one lung.

Sally Cannon may dialysis soon; she’s also on the kidney transplant list.

Johnny Catlett, Ray’s brother, has cancer.

Judy Cole, Barbara Eddins’ sister and Billie Dennie’s sister-in-law, have Covid.

Richard, Judy’s friend, has Covid and double pneumonia.

Pam Dennie’s stepfather had all cancer removed from his kidney. Thank God.

Barbara Eddins has several health issues.

Ann Henry is home, after getting in-patient therapy. She is continuing physical therapy at home and welcomes visitors.

Roy Henson received an infusion treatment for his multiple sclerosis.

Aaron & Emily Holmes & kids (Barbara Gnan’s daughter) leave for Mauritius Oct. 22, for a three-year mission trip. Once there, they will be quarantined at a hotel, for two weeks, because of Covid-prevention guidelines. Support their efforts thru HCO111 giving or <https://teachbeyond.org>, include Aaron and Emily Holmes in donation box/check memo.

Eadie Hopkins is with Larry and Sharon, after selling her home. She is requiring more assistance these days.

Janelle, Jeremy Yoder’s grandmother-in-law, is improving after initial treatments for a cancerous tumor on her spine.

Juanita Lecaros, Rossana’s mother, is home. Her improvement is slow. She needs lab work to assess her sodium level, but it is difficult finding a nurse to come to the home to collect the blood sample. Pray she gets needed care to get better.

Sparkle Lipford is hoping for an appointment at Duke, regarding a rare condition she’s dealing with.

Jane Mays is at Elmcroft Assisted Living.

Molly McKearney is recovering from hip revision surgery (in Maryland). She is a friend of John and Ann Stasny’s.

Vic Nichols, Jr., Mary’s son, needs spiritual strength

Daniel, Anna Setzer’s brother, has painful eye problems.

Otis Nixon and family are grieving the passing of his wife, Karen. (Watkins’ friends in Wilmington, NC)

Phillips/Taylor family lost a husband/father, Walter Phillips (87), & daughter/sister, Yvonne Taylor-White (58), in Columbus, Ga. They are Theresa Watkins’ cousins.

Seth Powell’s grandfather is getting stronger daily, after a recent fall.

Marti Shirah broke her arm recently, on top of her other health challenges.

Doug, and his wife, Ann Stasny’s cousins in SC, have Covid.

Lewis Steelman (87), Bryan’s Dad, passed 9/28 at Abernethy Laurels. The graveside service for family and close friends is Sat. Oct. 24 at 10:30am, at Conover City Cemetery, with Kevin Bibbee officiating.

<https://www.bennettfuneralservice.com/obituaries/Lewis--Owenbey-Steelman?obId=18467292>

Edith Steelman, Bryan’s Mom, has worsening memory issues.

Jim Valentine, HCO111’s former elder, is home from hospital, still fighting UTI and dangerously low blood pressure.

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

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

Pray for students & school/college staff; police & military staff; and govt.

Lectionary Readings

Exodus 32:1-14; Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23

Philippians 4:1-9; Matthew 22:1-14

Announcements & Reminders

Our Worship is at 10:30am Sun. at HCO111. Attend; watch Facebook livestream or recording later; or listen to recording later from the church website. The Facebook link and church website is at the top of the bulletin. Kevin Bibbee is speaking on "Meet Jesus' Forerunner" from John 1:19-34, from series - "Jesus: God's Love in Action" - a look at how Jesus loved people through the book of John.

Sundays at 9:20am (New Time) - Adult Zoom Bible Class: - Hosea is being studied. Meeting ID: 751 1909 5194 - <https://uso4web.zoom.us/j/75119095194>

Shepherding Course - Involvement Interest Needed - Please see Kevin, so a Beginning Date, Place and Time can be determined. This is for all men interested in learning about the role of the church elder and/or desiring to serve as an elder

If anyone has a full or twin bed available, please let Theresa Watkins know

Nancy Belville has lots of FREE Bible study books, available to anyone who could use such

THANKS to all who participated in last Sunday's Drive-Thru Wedding Shower for Noah & Ali Franks at the church building. Please continue lifting up this young couple in prayer, along with other couples around us.

Our students need to hear from you. Please see our Online Church Directory and write to our college students and one distance high school student, to encourage them at this time.

When giving to HCO111 (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.
3. Donate: <http://hickorychurch.org/donate/>

October Hospitality Coordinator: Tonya Osborne

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Oct 13 Kevin Boggs

Oct 15 Dora McDonald

Oct 16 Retta Hughes

Oct 17 Jimmie Link

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Oct 13 Eamon & Kelsey Fecteau

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