

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, October 25, 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.

Betty, mother of Sandra, who recently visited HCO111, fell and broke her hip. She is in ICU at CVMC, after hip surgery, as doctors work to stabilize her oxygen levels

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

Winter Brooks, who was with us at HCO111 on several occasions, is recovering from being shot in her abdomen by her boyfriend. She is in Critical, but stable, Condition at CVMC. Pray for her young children and for her boyfriend to repent.

Jerry Burton was hospitalized for several days, while doctors assessed his heart, following an episode of excessive chest pain. Doctors ruled out a heart attack. His known heart conditions are being treated.

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

Sally Cannon started dialysis Friday, after a long period of doctors making efforts to prep her body for such.

Johnny Catlett, Ray’s brother, has cancer.

Conya, a recent visitor to HCO111, seeks to get an apartment soon, so she will no longer be homeless.

Barbara Eddins has several health issues.

Ann Henry is continuing physical therapy at home and welcomes visitors.

Aaron & Emily Holmes & kids (Barbara Gnant’s daughter) left for Mauritius Oct. 22, for a three-year mission trip. They will be quarantined at a hotel, for two weeks, because of Covid-prevention guidelines. Pray for God’s blessings on and guidance for their efforts in this undertaking.

Eadie Hopkins is living with Larry & Sharon & is requiring more assistance lately

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

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

Mary Nichols now has an implant, to stimulate her nerves to reduce or eliminate her lower back pain.

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

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

Michael Sheridan, Valerie Streeter’s grandfather, passed Monday in Greenville NC

Marti Shirah has a tumor, where she recently broke her arm. Doctors think the tumor may be her breast cancer coming back. She begins radiation again soon.

Ann Stasny has been having leg problems

Lewis Steelman (87), Bryan’s Dad, passed 9/28 at Abernethy Laurels. The graveside service was held Oct. 24, to celebrate his life and military service.

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

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

Summerville (SC) Church of Christ lost three members in a horrible car accident.

Chad and Andrea Freeman and Chad’s mother, Meredith, all passed away. The Freemans, who were incredibly involved in the church’s Children’s ministry, leave behind four daughters. The church, community, and Kelsey Fecteau’s parents, the Tuckers, are all saddened by this loss.

James (Jim) M. Valentine, a former Hickory Church of Christ elder, passed 10/11. Please remember his wife, Deane, of over 60 years; their daughters, Schell Rice and Paige Valentine; and other loved ones. Jim was remembered for being a most faithful prayer warrior, among other things. His life and military service were celebrated in a graveside service on Oct. 24.

Logan Ward, David Shuping’s stepson, is taking antibiotics for a lymphatic condition which contributed to his respiratory problems.

Lectionary Readings

Deuteronomy 34:1-12; Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8; Matthew 22:34-46

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. Seth Powell is speaking on "The Destruction of Christianity" from John 2.

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 is targeted for Sun. Nov. 8 - Anyone, male or female, who just wants to know more about the role of the shepherd, should see Kevin. The time will be announced, based on availability of those interested.

A Full Bed was donated and delivered to a nearby family in need. Thanks to all who helped make this possible

Young Adults' Yard Sale, Sat. Nov. 21, 7am-12noon at HCO111. Please bring items to donate for the yard sale at 6pm on Fri., 11/20. If you can't bring items at this time or need to have items picked up, please contact Ali (828-855-5712) or Seth (423-598-1836). The Yard Sale rain date is Sat., 11/28 and rain date for donations will be Fri. 11/27. Please wear a mask, if possible, for the Yard Sale and social distance. Donations of hand sanitizer, plastic gloves, cups, hot chocolate, coffee, creamer and napkins are also needed.

We are thankful for the love and support we were shown during our wedding shower. Thank you for the wonderful gifts we received and the company we got to share. Thanks especially to Debbie and Janet for organizing and hosting the shower. We really appreciate it. Love, Noah and Ali Franks

Many FREE Bibles and related Bible study books from the library of the late Bob Belville are in the church library in boxes. Please take any of these that you can use and/or contact Nancy Belville, as she has more FREE Bibles/Bible study books to choose from.

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.

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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 26 Cynthia Lipford

Oct 28 Barbara Pannell

Oct 28 Leon Rousseau

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Oct 28 Sara Stanley

Oct 29 Liam Snyder

Preaching Minister: Kevin Bibbee 828.228.1641

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