

# Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, October 4, 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 Boss**, Dora's daughter, had brain radiation. She will have CT scan, to assess radiation effectiveness.

**Art Burkhalter** is having eye trouble and sought help from doctors today.

**Danielle Burkhalter**, Art & Hester's daughter, is doing better after being injured from dogs knocking her down.

**John Burkhalter**, Art's brother, passed unexpectedly from a massive heart attack. The funeral service was Sunday.

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

**Paul Caldwell** has fibrosis. Pray for medications to help his condition.

**Sally Cannon** is to begin dialysis soon; she's on the kidney transplant list. She was able to be with us Sunday.

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

**Ray and Karen Catlett** are back in NC. Yay! They are sheltering at home and managing with their health issues.

**Judy Cole**, Barbara Eddins' sister and Billie Dennie's sister-in-law, tested positive for Covid.

**Richard**, Judy's friend, has Covid and double pneumonia.

**Pam Dennie's stepfather** learned all cancer was removed with his kidney. Thank God. Pam appreciates all prayers.

**Barbara Eddins** still has a lot of health issues.

**Ann Henry** is at Trinity Ridge Rehab in Mtn View, Room 204 (New Room). Call the facility at (828) 322-6995, to schedule a window visit with her. Request her phone number, so you can talk to her, while visiting at her window.

**Roy Henson** praises God for the many blessings in his life

**Aaron & Emily Holmes & kids** (Barbara Gmann's daughter) leave for Mauritius Oct. 22, for a three-year mission trip. Thanks for prayers and donations. Support their efforts through HCO111 or at <https://teachbeyond.org>, include Aaron and Emily Holmes in donation box.

**Eadie Hopkins** - pray the sell of her home goes well and her to settle in with Larry & Sharon.

**Retta Hughes** is recovering from successful cataract surgery on both eyes recently.

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

**Janelle**, Jeremy Yoder's grandmother-in-law, has a cancerous tumor on her spine. she will have radiation treatments to prayerfully shrink it, so she can regain some mobility.

**Juanita Lecaros**, Rossana's mother, went home from the hospital. She still needs a lot of prayers. She is very weak and in bed. Physical therapy will hopefully work with her soon.

**Sparkle Lipford** has yet to get an appointment at Duke, for what seems a rare disease she's dealing with.

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

**Vic Nichols, Jr.**, Mary's son, needs spiritual strength

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

**Seth Powell's** grandfather fell and is getting stronger daily.

**Charles Richey**, Angela Arnett's brother and Eddie and Margaret Sigmon's nephew, passed Sept. 10 from heart issues.

**Marti Shirah** broke her arm. She'll have MRI Oct 8 and surgery later. She'll see her oncologist later.

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

**John Stasny** is doing well after Thurs. cataract surgery; he has herniated disc in his back.

**Lewis Steelman (87)**, Bryan's Dad, passed Monday at Abernethy Laurels. **Edith**, Bryan's Mom, has memory issues.

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

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

**Franklin Wood (87)** passed in upstate NY. He was Ann Stasny's last uncle on her mom's side. He passed from cancer and pneumonia.

**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 (as the new school year begins); police & military staff; and govt. leaders.

## Lectionary Readings

Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19

Philippians 3:4b-14; Matthew 21:33-46

## 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. Kevin Bibbee is speaking on "**That You May Believe!**" from John 20:31, from new 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>

**TODAY: Drive-Thru Wedding Shower for Noah & Ali Franks** is Sun. Oct. 4, 2-3pm, at Hickory Church of Christ (front parking lot). They are registered on Amazon and at Target.

**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

Movie Night at HCO111, Thanks to Joey & Tonya Osborne for donating grounds treatment from their business, Mosquito Authority, in preparation for our 9/25 movie night, even though rain moved us indoors. Thanks to all for supporting this Children's Ministry event.

FLU SHOT Clinic - Thanks to Jessica Van Kuren and Kamy Bibbee, for immunizing many of the church on Sunday against the flu virus.

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

**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 8 Eloise Burton

Oct 9 Debbie Killian

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Oct 7 Cliff & Rhonda Dautrich

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