

# Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, June 20, 2021

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## The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

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

Pray for a neighbor or friend to follow Christ.

Casey Allen needs strength to overcome challenges.

Nancy Belville is moving to Georgia this week, to be with her daughter.

Ellen Boyle, Ann Stasny’s friend, got a vocal cord implant. Thank God. Pray her energy level increases soon. She is thankful for all our prayers.

Mark Byers, Ashley Lowman's uncle in FL, is undergoing a new trial for his Leukemia. He has been hospitalized for weeks, as part of the trial. Pray the Leukemia goes into remission or that he be able to get bone marrow transplant.

Mary Nell Covalinksy is recovering from hip surgery that resulted from a fall. She is grateful for flowers from the church, prayers, meals, and all contact made with her, during her recovery.

Emma Doss is having more stomach issues. She is in Texas and is Anna Setzer's sister.

Myra Hill fell, pulling tendons and ligaments in her ankle and leg and inflammation, bone Spurs and Arthritis.

Sharon Hyatt, Ann Stasny's cousin in CT, needs more tests to diagnose her heart problems.

Guy Martin has lung cancer. He is the Burkhalter’s son-in-law.

Mauritius Island is off lockdown, after a Covid outbreak, while school is still meeting virtually. Emily & Aaron Holmes (Barbara Gnann’s family) are missionaries there.

Janet Keever’s Uncle Wayne passed due to complications from being pinned between his dump truck and a car, in Roanoke, Va.

Rossana Lecaros seeks prayers for the new President of her native Peru.

Alisha Lipford seeks prayers for favor, as she takes her science GED exam Monday.

Regina and Rolando Llanos, Rossana Lecaros’ sister and brother-in-law, are in their 80's and live in Ilo, Peru. They have decided to move to the U.S. – South Carolina to be with their daughter. Pray for a smooth relocation for them. Regina’s Leukemia is some better. Thank God.

Tammy Rainwater has difficult back pain.

Timmy Rainwater is experiencing reoccurring leg pain and seeks prayers for Joyce, a friend’s wife, who will have to undergo a repeat back surgery due to problems with the first surgery.

Marti Shirah has worsening pulmonary fibrosis. Pray her new meds work and cancer numbers remain low.

Lonnie Sigmon is Eloise Burton's nephew who had throat cancer. He is to receive a voice box soon.

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

Shut-Ins: Barbara Eddins and Eadie Hopkins are at home; Jane Mays is at Elmcroft Assisted Living

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Pray for the church; families; students & school/college staff; police & military; govt. leaders & our nation.

## Announcements & Reminders

Happy and blessed 2021 to everyone!

2021 Appeal to God: "Open the Eyes to My Heart, Lord"

Sunday at 9:30- Adult and Kids' Bible Classes are Meeting at the Hickory Church of Christ Building. The adult class is also available on Zoom. Please email [office@hickorychurch.org](mailto:office@hickorychurch.org) for the Zoom link.

Sunday Worship Together at 10:30am - Kevin Bibbee will speak. The worship can be seen on Facebook Livestream or the recorded message heard on the church website. The Facebook and church website links are at the top of the bulletin. Today's message is: "Life in His Name: Son of God," from Matthew 17:1-5.

Our Shepherding Course will meet next Sun., June 27, at 2pm around back in the Fellowship Hall - Everyone wanting to know more about God's role for men serving as shepherds should attend. Contact Kevin Bibbee [kbibbee@hickorychurch.org](mailto:kbibbee@hickorychurch.org) for the class materials and homework assignments, even if you cannot attend these sessions

Wed night, 6pm, Young Adult Bible study - under the picnic shelter behind the church building.

Youth Studies - "Do Right," based on the Whole Armor of God take place on Thursdays on Zoom at 6:15pm (ages 4 and up). Please email [office@hickorychurch.org](mailto:office@hickorychurch.org) to have children participate.

Teen-Early 20's Zoom Bible Study - contact Bryan McDermott, [bmcdermott@hickorychurch.org](mailto:bmcdermott@hickorychurch.org), to participate in the Saturday 7pm Zoom Connection

Ladies' Discovery Bible Study Discussions, We are looking at "The Life" series, Mondays at 7pm on Facebook Messenger. Email [office@hickorychurch.org](mailto:office@hickorychurch.org) for information and to participate.

Family Movie Night - Friday, June 25 at 6:00pm Double Movie Night in church Fellowship Hall. Look for emails for the movie titles

Young Adults Yard Sale. Bring items to donate Friday June 25 at 6pm. Yard Sale begins Sat June 26 at 6:30am

Carolina Bible Camp, Mocksville, NC, will be open for campers, 9-19 years old, June 13 - July 31, 2021. See <https://carolinabiblecamp.com/> for more info and to register as a summer camper or adult volunteer.

Northview Church of Christ Celebration Summer 2021 - Singing, Prayer and Reading of God's Word. 2nd & 4th Sundays this summer - 5pm - 2615 Amity Hill Rd, Statesville, NC. - June 13 - BBQ & Sides; June 27 Bring a Picnic (Cookies Provided); July 11 - Hot Dogs Provided; July 25 Pizza Provided; August 8 - Tacos Provided; Aug. 22 - Burgers & Ice Cream Provided.

NEW DAY CONFERENCE - Sept. 9-10, 2020 Onsite & Online - North Blvd Church of Christ, Murfreesboro, TN. <https://www.newdayresources.org/>

King Jesus and the Beauty of Obedience-Based Discipleship Books will be ordered in bulk soon, depending on interest. Please let Kevin Bibbee know or sign-up on bulletin board, if you would like a copy ordered for you. Cost will be ~\$15.

When giving to HCOC

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/>

Preaching Minister: Kevin Bibbee

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Website: [www.hickorychurch.org](http://www.hickorychurch.org)

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Prayer requests and announcements:  
[bulletin@hickorychurch.org](mailto:bulletin@hickorychurch.org)

### Happy Birthday

June 24 David Jernigan

June 25 Kristen Killian

June 26 Kaylin Bibbee

### Happy Birthday

June 20 Ray Catlett

June 21 Kenneth Lail

June 21 Kay Smith

### Happy Anniversary

June 22 Joey &

Tonya Osborne

### Lectionary Readings

1 Samuel 17: 32-49; Psalm 9:9-20

2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41

June Hospitality Coordinator - Margaret Sigmon