Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, July 18, 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.

Bill Barnette, Jennifer Steelman's Dad, had heart valve replacement. **Megan Bibbee (25)** passed into eternity Tues. 6/29; she is with Jesus now. Prayers for her parents, Kevin & Kamy Bibbee; sisters, Kaylin & Morgan; grandmother, Kay Smith and the rest of the family and all who loved her are greatly appreciated.

Ellen Boyle, Ann Stasny's friend, has low energy, after a vocal cord implant.

Eloise Burton had her pacemaker replaced Thursday.

Art Burkhalter seems to have been bothered recently by meds he was taking.

Mark Byers, Ashley Lowman's uncle in FL, is undergoing a third trial for Leukemia. The previous trials were unsuccessful. Doctors feel his remaining options 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.

Ralph Carmen, Ann Stasny's cousin, passed from a stroke.

Paul Caldwell had a successful rotator cuff surgery July 8th.

Mary Nell Covalinksi will have a complete hip replacement Aug. 9th. Please pray for her strength amid a lot of pain. Please call, write or visit her and Dick.

Megan Rae Hollar's Aunt Kellie Vinson passed last night.

Myra Hill has many problems in her ankle and leg, after a fall.

Juanita Hobbs is in declining health. Pray for strength for her daughter, Anita Creekmore, the Watkins' neighbor and friend.

Juanita "Eadie" Hopkins (94) went home to be with the Lord, Thurs. June 24. Pray for her daughters: Sharon (Larry) and Linda (Gary) and all the family.

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

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

Regina and Rolando Llanos, Rossana Lecaros' sister and brother-in-law, are in Lima, Peru, wanting to go to Ilo, Peru rather than the US. They seek second opinions on Regina's health issues (chronic leukemia, facial paralysis, etc.)

Mary Nichols has been bothered by several ailments recently.

Oak Forest Church of Christ (Goldsboro, NC) has several members struggling with Covid and has been unable to meet some lately.

Our Children's Ministry seeks to help families connect their children with Christ. Please pray for God to add more young families & volunteers to our number.

Stacey Patterson, Barbara Gnann's coworker, went home to find her husband had passed away most unexpectantly. No cause of death is known, as yet.

Marti Shirah has pulmonary fibrosis that is steady for now; pray affordable meds are found.

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

Ken Yearwood, Patsy Yoder's stepmother's husband who fell and hit his head, is now home and seems to be recovering to a very near-normal level. Praise God for his wondrous love and care! Patsy's stepmother & Ken are grateful for prayers.

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

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

<u>Happy Birthday</u>

Happy Anniversary

July 19 Sharon Kime

July 21 Will & Brittany Snyder

July Hospitality Coordinator – Dora McDonald

Announcements & Reminders

Happy and blessed 2021 to everyone! 2021 Appeal: "Open the Eyes to My Heart, Lord"

Sunday at 9:30 - Adult and Kids' Bible Classes Meet at the Hickory Church of Christ Building. Please join us.

Sunday Worship Together at 10:30am – Kevin Bibbee will speak on "Together in Fellowship," from 1 John 5:13. 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.

Megan Nicole Bibbee's Celebration of Life Service is Sat. Aug. 14, 1-3pm, at Conover School Cafeteria, 108 7th St Pl SW, Conover, NC. Packaged PB&J's, chocolate milk and Zingers will be served. There will be an open mic for sharing how Megan impacted your life. https://www.bennettfuneralservice.com/obituaries/Megan-Nicole-Bibbee?obId=21593628#/obituaryInfo

Jerome Williams will be our guest Worship Minister for the song service on Sun., August 15th at 10:30am.

Book order for "King Jesus & Obedience Based Discipleship" is being planned. To purchase a copy, please sign-up on table in the foyer.

Please meet and welcome Bill and Christy Davis who have decided to worship and serve with us here!

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

Youth Studies – "Childhood Evangelism" are on Thurs on Zoom at 6:15pm (ages 4 and up). Email office@hickorychurch.org to have children participate.

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

Ladies' Discovery Bible Study Discussion - "The Life" series, Mon. at 7pm on Facebook Messenger. Email office@hickorychurch.org to participate.

Carolina Bible Camp, Mocksville, NC, is open for campers, 9-19 years old, NOW - July 31, 2021. See https://carolinabiblecamp.com/ for more info and to register as a summer camper or adult volunteer. Make a special gift to the camp via the website.

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. July 25 Pizza Provided; August 8 - Tacos Provided; Aug. 22 - Burgers & Ice Cream Provided.

Mary Nichols has a car seat and base available for free. Full-size mattresses are needed. Contact Theresa W.

Parents Night Out Volunteers are needed to serve our young families and those of the community. Please include your name and birthday on Bulletin Board Sign-Up sheet, to have the needed background check done.

Our Back to School/College Prayer Time and Worship & Cookout is Sun. Aug. 8th at 10:30am. Please invite school & college teachers and staff, administrators, students and parents to share with us. Members, please sign-up on bulletin board to bring salads, drinks and side dishes for the cookout.

NEW DAY CONFERENCE - Sept. 9-10, 20201 Onsite & Online - North Blvd Church of Christ, Murfreesboro, TN. https://www.newdayresources.org/

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