

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, October 24, 2021

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Link to Daily Lectionary: <https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/>

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.

Praise God for what He is doing in our midst!!!

Casey Allen needs strength to overcome challenges.

Angela Arnett’s friend’s son-in-law, Eric Teague, was hit and killed by a

car. Please pray for his wife, Tracie, and their sons: Michael and

Nathan. Angela’s brother-in-law, Luther Hicks, passed from lung cancer.

Please pray for Luther’s wife, Jean, and the rest of the family.

Bill Barnette, Jennifer Steelman’s Dad, has health challenges

Morgan Bibbee is home from Brenner’s Children’s Unit of Baptist

Hospital in Winston-Salem. Thank God! Specialists identified and resolved

causes for her aspirating when having her tube feedings.

Hulis Burton, Jerry’s brother in KY, passed from lung cancer and was

entombed in Illinois Monday.

Mary Nell Covalinski is taking physical therapy after a hip replacement.

Myra Hill has family members who are recovering from Covid.

Sharon Hyatt, Ann Stasny’s cousin, has stage 1 lung cancer.

Regina Llanos, Rossana Lecaros’ sister, is out of the hospital. She has

chronic leukemia, and facial paralysis, after having a stroke in May. Pray

for her physical health and soul needs.

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

Damion Medwinter is our new brother in Christ. He was baptized at

HCOC Tues. evening, 10/5/21. See his baptism here: [Video](#)

From Pam Roberts: Almost all family members dealing with Covid are

much better. My son in Michigan is the only one still struggling with

Covid, somewhat, however.

Leon Rousseau had outpatient surgery and will have gallbladder,

appendix and part of colon removed Nov. 8th.

Louise Scronce, per Scott Fitch, has heart and kidney problems and

Leukemia.

May Sigmon, Eloise Burton’s sister-in-law, has liver cancer.

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

Shut-Ins: Barbara Eddins - home. Jane Mays - Elmcroft Assisted Living.

Donna Davis – home. Marti Shirah – home.

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: "Open the Eyes to My Heart, Lord"

Sunday at 9:30 - Adult and Kids' Bible Classes. The

Adult class is also on Zoom and is studying 1 Peter.

Workbooks are available. Email

office@hickorychurch.org for the Zoom link.

Sunday Worship at 10:30am –The worship will be

Livestreamed on Facebook and the recording can be

heard on the church website. The Facebook and

church website links are at the top of the bulletin.

Kevin Bibbee will speak on: "Lost & Found: A Fresh

Look at Luke 15" – Luke 15:1-10, 17-24. Welcome all!!!

Hickory Elder Nomination –We are to hear TODAY

who is willing to serve here as elder. The entire church

family will be asked to pray and consider these names.

If any scriptural reason is found for objection, submit

this in writing with signature by: Oct 31, 2021.

Following this, the men who willingly make this

commitment will be presented by Nov 7th or 14th.

Cookout at the Watkins' Home, 234 8th St NE,

Conover, NC – TODAY, Sun., Oct. 24, at 5pm -

beef/vegetarian burgers. Bring side dishes, desserts

and lawn chairs. RSVP: Percil 828-292-0255 or Theresa

910-512-4754. Come for great fellowship. Invite a Friend

Young Adults' Campfire/Pumpkin Carving - Sat. Oct. 30

- 5:30pm - Wear a costume - Meet at the church

building, out back at the fire pit. Please bring your

dinner, a chair, a pumpkin and carving tools.

Young Adults' Outing - Carolina Renaissance Festival.

Sat. Nov. 6, 2021 - 9am. Meet at the Festival entrance -

16445 Poplar Tent Rd, Huntersville, NC. Tickets can be

purchased online, in-person or at Harris-Teeter.

Contact Ali Franks 828-855-5712 for more info.

LIME – Ladies' Bible Study Mon at 10:30am in the

church Fellowship Hall – "Living Stones" - 1 Peter.

Parents' Night Out - Sat. Nov. 20, 5pm-10pm – Thanks

to all who helped with the Oct. 16th Awesome event.

Free childcare in Fellowship Hall, for kids 0-16 years.

Register: <https://forms.gle/P9SFH5dVw3dZBYCA8>

Northview COC "Jesus Is" Sermon Series –5pm – Nov.

7 & 21, Dec 5 & 19 – 2615 Amity Hill Rd, Statesville, NC.

Virginia Creeper Bike Ride, Sat. Nov. 6th – Reserve a

Bike: <http://www.sundogoutfitter.com/> and meet at

9:45 AM in Parking lot of Lenoir Dunham’s Sports (847

Blowing Rock Blvd, Lenoir) or at Sundog Outfitter at

11:30am. See Bryan McDermott for info. 865-621-1674

Hay Ride, Sat., 11/13, 5pm at the Killian's home on

Hideaway Court NE in Hickory, 28601. (House number

not given, as GPS gets you lost) Bring hot dogs, side

dish, dessert & drinks. Bring chairs & roasting sticks!

Ladies' Discovery Bible Study - Mon. at 7pm on

Messenger. Email office@hickorychurch.org to join.

Young Adult Bible study – Wed. at 6pm in the Hut.

Youth Zoom Studies - Wed. at 7:30pm (Grades K-5).

Email office@hickorychurch.org to have kids join.

Lenoir-Rhyne Univ/Community Bible Study Thurs., at

7pm at Jorge Pacheco’s - 828-217-8995.

Grades 6-12 and Up Zoom Bible Study - Contact Bryan

McDermott, bmcdermott@hickorychurch.org, to

participate in the Saturday 7pm Zoom Connection.

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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/>

Happy Birthday

Oct 26 – Cynthia Lipford

Oct 28 – Barbara Pannell, Leon Rousseau & Sara Stanley

Oct 29 – Liam Snyder

October Hospitality Coordinator – Debbie Killian

Preaching Minister: Kevin Bibbee

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