

Welcome to Hickory Church of Christ!

“I Surrender Myself”

Sunday, June 18, 2023



VISIT OUR INFO. TABLE AFTER THE WORSHIP AND PICK UP A GUEST PACKET

If you are new to HCOC, please share your contact info with us.

If you would like to commit your life to Christ, receive prayer or learn more about our church family, please let us know.

– TODAY –

Today's Message

David Shuping “Abba Father” Text: Romans 8:15

BAPTISMS may be scheduled at any time. See Kevin Bibbee or an elder to set a time to be clothed with Christ.

When giving to HCOC:

1. Drop Offering in Box on Back Wall of Auditorium. Envelopes are available on the Foyer Credenza.
2. Mail check to church address listed below
3. Use on-line banking to set-up the church as a payee
4. Donate on Church Website: <http://hickorychurch.org/donate/>

– THIS WEEK -

Ladies' Discovery Bible Study - Mon. at 7pm on Messenger – Study of the book of Acts. See Theresa Watkins or Ann Stasny to join.

Small Group – Wed. at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. Bring dinner. Bible Talk and Prayer. Kids' Bible classes are at 7pm.

HCOC Millennials (mid 20's to late 30's) – Next Meeting Wed. June 28th at 6:30pm in the Hut.

Place Plastic Grocery Bags in the basket in the church foyer for making sleeping mats for the homeless.

T-shirts – Shelly Wharton & Barbara Eckard have shirts available to offset their expenses St. Martin mission trip.

HCOC Millennials will continue to make care packages - Updated list for the summer is in the foyer and on the bulletin board.

DragonSlayer Men's Fellowship - Sat. June 24th at 11am in the Fellowship Hall. Graduation lunch. First time attendees are welcome.

– COMING UP –

Seniors' Lunch - Thurs. July 13th at 12pm at Village Inn - Hwy 127. RSVP with Ann Stasny, 828-310-6404.

Roan Mountain State Park Hike (TN/NC) Saturday July 22 at 9:00 am in Roan Mountain, TN. Please read through the hike info prior to attending. RSVP to Ali Franks on Facebook.

Vacation Bible School, Sun. - Tues., August 6-8, 5:30pm-8pm. Register for VBS: <https://tinyurl.com/HCOCVBS23>. For kids and adults.

Join our Church Team for the Eastern Catawba County Hunger Walk, Sat. Oct. 15. Contact Kevin Boggs 828-381-9105 to participate.

Church Information

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Website: www.hickorychurch.org | **Sun. Worship Live:** www.facebook.com/HCO111/live/

Email Prayer Requests & Announcements to: bulletin@hickorychurch.org

The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

HCOG Daily Prayer: May God's Kingdom Grow Here...

Pray for a neighbor or friend to follow Christ.

Pray for God to be honored and souls drawn to Christ, by and with those listed below:

Pray daily for our shepherds: Scott Fitch, Tom Keever, Steve Killian and Percil Watkins.

The Ukrainian War. Pray for all in Ukraine and Russia. Donate to relief for Ukraine: <https://www.hhi.org/ukraine>

Casey Allen needs strength to yield to God's plan for his life.

Sally Cannon praises God for all the car accidents and more He has brought her through.

Ruth Cloninger, Anita Wilfong's mother, has eye trouble resulting from Bell's Palsy.

Christy Davis was not feeling well this past Sunday.

Elle Decoe will do a two-year residency with outreach to Gardner-Webb University Starting Aug. 1.

Cathy Hall is recovering from neck surgery in Winston-Salem.

Janet Hawn, Debbie Killian's sister, had complications after her hip replacement, but is improved and having rehab at Trinity Village.

Lewis Hollar, Megan Rae's grandfather, is in remission, but taking lower doses of chemo for his Leukemia.

Megan Rae Hollar is seeing some improvement with her heart, migraine and GI issues.

Mohammed Karimi will have his neck artery cleaned July 3 in Concord.

Penny Lopez, Pam Dennie's mother, is recovering from heart valve replacement.

Dot Mayo, Jean Brown's mom, is undergoing chemo for ovarian cancer.

Johnella Morris (90) and her daughter, Henrietta, need prayers for healing and for care giving, respectively.

Thomas Pope, 1 year old, may have no vision or need special glasses. The family prays to trust God during this.

Anna Setzer's mom, Mina, has seen miraculous relief from chronic acute neck pain.

Sharon, Sherry Smart's neighbor, had a successful surgery for cancer. She faces a difficult recovery.

Justin Smith needs prayers for his health.

John Stasny had squamous cell skin cancer removed.

St. Martin Mission Trip – July 2023 is less than a month away. Please pray for these effort to reach souls for Christ. Please make donations to the mission with your offering, by June 25, 2023.

David Watkins is thankful for part-time employment, while looking still for full-time programming position.

Sam Watkins, Percil's brother, is home from the hospital adjusting to the start of 1-2 months of IV nutrition before having colon surgery.

Shut-Ins: Barbara Eddins and Mary Nichols. Ella Jane Mays at Terra Bella Sr. Living – Memory Care.

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

Happy Birthday

6/14 Alice Lail , 6/14 Andrew Layton, 6/15 Jon Bohm, 6/16 Tom Keever, 6/18 Kamy Bibbee 6/20 Ray Catlett, 6/21 Kenneth Lail, 6/21 Kay Smith, 6/24 David Jernigan, 6/25 Kristen Killian, 6/26 Kaylin Bibbee, 6/27 Sherry Smart

Happy Anniversary

6/19 Eddie & Margaret Sigmon

June Hospitality Coordinator – Margaret Sigmon