

# Welcome to Hickory Church of Christ!

## “Following Jesus Together”

Sunday, June 16, 2024



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.

### Kevin Bibbee's Message

Message: “Good Good Father” - Text: Psalm 34:8

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

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#### 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 -

**Sun. Adult Bible Class** – Please join us at 9:30am on Sundays for our new study of 1 John. We meet in the church Auditorium.

**Ladies' Discovery Bible Study** - Mon. at 6:45pm on Messenger, study of Isaiah. See Theresa Watkins or Ann Stasny

**Darrell Clark's Bible Study on Facebook**, "Search for the Truth in Isaiah" Tues. & Thurs. at 7pm. See Darrell to join the group.

**Small Group** – Wed. at 6:30pm in Fellowship Hall. Bring dinner. Adults are studying Romans. Kids' Bible classes at 7pm.

**HCOC Millennials (mid 20's to late 30's)** – Wed. June 19 at 7pm in the hut, watching “The Storm.” The Millennials will be alternating weeks between watching “The Storm” series and doing other activities (service projects, meeting with the homebound or others in the church, fellowshiping, etc.). See Ali Franks for details.

**Seniors' Lunch (Rescheduled) in honor of Sally Rousseau** – Fri. June 28, at 12noon – Parkway House Restaurant –1640 10<sup>th</sup> Ave NE Hickory. RSVP with Ann Stasny – 828-310-6404 or Kevin Bibbee.

**Carolina Bible Camp** - Seven wonderful weeks (Jun. 16 - Jul. 20) for ages 9-19 years. Register: [carolinabiblecamp.org](http://carolinabiblecamp.org).

### - COMING UP-

**Sliding Rock (Natural Waterslide):** Sun. 07/27 at 3pm in Brevard. **Cost:** \$5 per person. Read through event info on Facebook.

**Virginia Creeper Trail Bike Ride (17 miles, downhill):** Sat. 08/10 at 9:45am in Damascus, VA. Attendees are responsible for RSVPing in advance. Please contact Ali Franks for reservation details. **Cost Per Ticket:** \$40 + tax, paid in person.

**Catawba County Hunger Walk**, Sun., Oct. 13, downtown Newton. Contact Kevin Boggs (828-381-9105), to participate in the Walk

### Church Information

**Preaching Minister:** Kevin Bibbee **Church office:** 828.464.4983

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**Website:** [www.hickorychurch.org](http://www.hickorychurch.org) | **Sun. Worship Live:** [www.facebook.com/HCOC111/live/](https://www.facebook.com/HCOC111/live/)

**Email Prayer Requests & Announcements to:** [bulletin@hickorychurch.org](mailto:bulletin@hickorychurch.org) | **Wi-Fi:** Netgear69 or Hickory\_Education: gentlesquash101

**The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying**

**Pray regularly for our unsaved loved ones** that they would believe in and follow Christ.

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

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

**Foreign Wars.** Pray for all in the **Ukraine - Russia War**. And for those involved with the **Israel-Hamas War**.

**Casey Allen** has made great strides in overcoming his challenges. Pray for his continued success in this area.

**Georgiana Allen** still has a lot of pain in her legs. She appreciates our prayers for her.

**Amanda**, Ron Gemperline's friend, is dealing with housing issues.

**Margaret Burns** has immense back and leg pain.

**Curt**, the Watkins' neighbor, is home now, after coping with a collapsed lung. He appreciates all of our prayers.

**Jerry Burton**. Continue remembering Jerry and all of the family in these difficult days after Eloise's heaven home-going.

**Muggy Davenport**, Tony and Cynthia Lipford's brother-in-law, is in Lenoir Living Center due to his Sickle Cell Anemia.

**Billy Davis'** sister is in a cancer battle. His brother-in-law has a hole in his heart and will have tests this week.

**Barbara Eckard** is coping with life struggles and seeks wisdom for daily challenges.

**Carol Ferrell** was home last Sunday with problems with her legs.

**Cathy Hall**, Joe's wife, had a successful cornea replacement in Durham. Praise the Lord.

**Myra Hill** is in a lot of pain in both legs and can barely walk. Pray for pain relief.

**Little Olivia Hunter** is well after a recent surgery.

**Nicole Hyatt** has physical and financial struggles.

**Dennis Jaschob**, our faithful, servant-hearted brother, passed May 25 in Mobile, AL. Pray for his wife, Gayle, of 59 years and their daughter, Jeannine Herrera and their family. Write Gayle and Jeannine at: 3913 Camellia Dr., Mobile, AL 36693.

**Andrea Keast**, a Lenoir Rhyne student who was in a terrible car accident, had brain and spinal damage. She remains hospitalized. Per her family, she has made amazing progress since May 15, thank you Jesus! Now is the time to turn our prayers towards her future and the best facility to treat her injury.

**Andrew Layton's** co-worker's family is having life struggles.

**Harley Mayfield's Uncle Bud and her mom, Marlene**, for their hearts to turn back to God.

**Tommy Mayfield**, Dustin's brother, is incarcerated.

**Zahn McCaslin**, Patsy Yoder's brother, A treatment plan has been given to him, for his lung cancer. Because the cancer has been contained only to his left lung, a "new" treatment will be used IF insurance approves it. Please pray that insurance will approve, and that the treatment will be successful in killing and containing the cancer.

**Dora McDonald** and her daughter, Mary Ellen, in NY need our prayers. Mary Ellen is dehydrated and has a UTI and is routinely checked for return of her cancer. Pray for Sister Dora, as she supports Mary Ellen and for Mary Ellen's healing.

**Deborah Miles** is struggling with back pain and life struggles.

**Mary Nichol's** sister, Nancy Wiley, passed quietly this week from an extended illness. Keep Mary's family in your prayers.

**Steve Shirah** requests prayers for his family. His son's significant other, Aimee Hicks, and their four children (ages 3-10) are living with him. Aimee's mother, Theresa Hicks, died Thursday (cause unknown). Aimee lost her job today and they learned today that their car was totaled after a wreck last month. Steve is their only mode of transportation.

**Timmy Rainwater** covets our prayers, as he copes with his sister's, Sally Rousseau's, passing.

**Leon Rousseau** Continue to pray for Leon and all of Sally's family.

**Annie Salter**, Theresa Watkins' aunt, had squamous cell removed. Pray for her healing and help with daily struggles.

**David Shuping's** stepfather, Guy Byrd, passed recently. Please pray for David's mother, Carol Byrd; for David; and for all the family to be comforted.

**David Watkins'** friend Hunter has difficult family issues.

**St Martin:** Praise God for moving along the immigration paperwork for Kim Jones. Sydney and Kim Jones have plane tickets and are to fly from Trinidad to St. Martin on Monday, June 17. Let's be prayerful for a smooth and productive transition for the couple, as they get settled and as Sydney begins his full-time work of ministering with the Cole Bay Church of Christ.

**Shut-Ins:** Margaret Burns, Alden Dixon, Barbara Eddins, Mary Nichols, and Kay Smith. Ella Jane Mays is at Terra Bella Sr. Living – Memory Care. Ruth Cloninger The Greens Lincolnton

**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,  
6/20 Tyler Lowman, 6/21 Kenneth Lail, 6/21 Kay Smith**

**Anniversary**

**6/19 Eddie & Margaret Sigmon  
June Hospitality Coordinator – Margaret Sigmon**