

Order of Worship

(*Please stand as able)

Gathering

Prelude
 Welcome & Announcements
 Invocation
 Hymn "To God Be the Glory" #98
 Affirmation of Faith "The Apostles' Creed, Traditional Version" #881
 The Children's Message
 Sharing of Joys and Concerns
 Pastoral Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

"Eagles' Wings"

Hearing of the Word

Scripture Reading Genesis 4:1-16
 Sermon "Born With a Scar" Rev. Sarah Locke

Response to the Word

Offering
 Offertory "Lord, I Need You" Choir
 Solo—Lynn Hughes

Doxology
 Hymn "O Christ, the Healer" (vs. 1 & 5) #265

*Benediction

Breakthrough Prayer

Heavenly Father, help us to **see** as you would have us see, to **be as** you would have us be, and **love** as you love. Empower me to build your kingdom today. Amen

*Choral Response "O How He Loves You and Me" All

*Postlude



Worship Helpers: October 22

Greeters/Ushers: Greg & Kathy Moyer and Joe & Kathryn King
Screens: Jason Brugman & Dylan Manning
Offering Counters: Celia White & Kim Schorr
Children's Church: Cindy Williams & Jennifer Tortone

Worship Helpers: October 29

Greeters/Ushers: Kim Schorr, Mike Colbert, Jane Williams & Doris Carawan
Screens: Kathy Moyer
Offering Counters: Michele Sutton & Greg Moyer
Children's Church: Alice James & Chessie Folan



For every .42 donated we can feed one hungry child! Consider giving and we will pack meals on November 18th with our partners at Hickory Elementary school. Our goal is a minimum of 10,000 meals for hungry children! Give online or in the plate and mark your envelope or memo line with "Rise Against Hunger". On November 18th, at 10 am, we will pack meals for children and families across the world!



Our Church Staff:

Administrative Assistant: **Susan Coard**, office@hickoryumc.org
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 Maintenance: **Steve Jennings**

Prayer Requests

Hickory Family:

Charles Vertigan	Bruce Mathews
Conor Clapsaddle & Crew of the USCGC Munro	
Teresa Mizell's mom & family	Darla Lawson's Mom
Catherine Munden	JoAnn Green
Ed Brakob	Don James
Ruth Brayman	Robin Gronemus
Grace McKee	Claude Mayer
Carl Hanbury	Don & Patti Bishop
Harry Faircloth	Mary Daughtrey
Carolyn Harrell	Gary Everton
Heather Parsons	Valerie Claus
Herb & Amy Fisher	Jennifer Foster
Andy Barnard	Dave McCullough

Hickory Extended Family:

Chris Walker	Ray Ives
Heather Martin	Donna Hill, Alanna Mayer's aunt
Sherry Cox	Fred Serode
John Curry	Courtney Bass
Shannon Jones	Patricia Mulcair
Henry Storm	Bernard Kocsis
Oscar Szczepanski	Dianne Kendall, Alanna Mayer's mom
Leeyah Jackson	Brenda Brayman
Beth Casey	Shirley Gryder
Debra Culpepper	Amie Gerloff
Chelsea Musick	William Becknell
Alan Johnson	Kelly Christunas
Brooke Edwards	Pam Winkler-Godwin
Brandon Miller	Earl Waddell, Sr.
Michele Gilmore	Jeremiah James
Zoey Foster	Alyssa King
Chip McKean	Elizabeth McKean
Terri Poole	Margie Cannata—Elaine Hutto's aunt
Jaci Eybers	Billy Carey
Noah Corlette	Herbie Lewis
Margaret Pugh	Mary Love Walston
Clo Old	Joyce - Joan Walton's mother
Tylor Giovannone	Tracy Krismanich
Chris Grant	Donnie James
Carolee Jackson Bondurant	Mary Ellen & Nick Newlin
Kathy Boatright & Family	Dennis Fletcher
Donn Irby	Tom "Butch" Foster-Alan Foster's uncle
John Szyszko	Patricia Hannan
Jonathan Reed	Tori Bates
Donna Barham	Amy Massey
Bobby Lockett	Joseph DiNardo
Pete Ewell	Lori Cutchins
Billy Sullo	Sarah Buckland
Delna Antaki	Russell Heath—Rusty Heath's father



Prayer Request or Comments: Do Not Print in church media

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This Week at Hickory

Daily Prayer @ 8 am via Facebook live (Monday-Friday)

Sunday, October 22

- 9 am Traditional Worship
- 10:15 am Sunday School
- 11 am Worship
- 3 pm Choir
- 4:30 pm Youth Group
- 5 pm The Hickory
- 6 pm Sunday Supper—Soup & Bread Night

Tuesday, October 24

- 6:15 pm Pick-up Basketball
- 7 pm Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, October 25

- 7 pm Alpha

Thursday, October 26

- 7 pm Cub Scouts
- 7 pm Volleyball

Saturday, October 28

- 11 am—2 pm Fellowship Center Reserved
- 4-6 pm Trunk or Treat (setup 2:30-4)

Sunday, October 29

- 9 am Traditional Worship
- 10:15 am Sunday School
- 11 am Worship
- 3 pm Choir
- 4:30 pm Youth Group
- 5 pm The Hickory
- 6 pm Sunday Supper—Spooky Food

Upcoming Events:



Discover the Magic of Old Salem this Christmas. This Christmas join us for a trip to Old Salem (Winston Salem), North Carolina, home to the Moravian Church. December 8th-9th. Cost: \$90 for transportation and tickets. We will only be able to take 11 folks on this trip so the deadline to sign up is October 22nd. For questions or more information contact Pastor Sarah or Vicki Bradner-Wilson. Sign up here: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfC2uPupKqNL3pw0qyT4h5CLktNP4E5xDTFV5YzP13t-QL-IA/viewform?usp=sf_link

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Scan me to support the mission and ministry of Hickory United Methodist Church. Or go to <https://hickoryumc.breezechms.com/give/online>

Report of Stewardship for October 15, 2023

Weekly Budget	\$ 8,780.00
Offering	\$ 7,357.44
Received to Date	\$ 306,521.22

Welcome to Hickory United Methodist Church! We are so thankful that you chose to worship with us this morning! We would love to connect with you through the week! Please fill out the connection card attached and place in the offering plate so we can follow up with you.



Volunteers Needed: Children's Church
Have you ever wondered of felt called to experience Children's Church! If you would like to check it out without a commitment, just contact Chessie Folan (757-778-0168).

Monthly Calendars with birthdays available in the Welcome Center.



Alpha is based on meeting together for food, talks, and discussion for those curious about Christianity, new and long time Christians alike. Every Wed. at 7 pm, we'll gather for drinks and desserts, a talk in the

form of a video addressing an important question about Life or Christianity, and open discussion where the only correct answer is whatever you'd like to share. Come join us as we explore topics about Life, Jesus, and Faith, no previous experience necessary! Give it a try and bring a friend!



Kids Undie Sunday—TODAY! We are collecting new underwear and bottoms for kids at Hickory Elementary School. Sizes needed Kids 6-8.

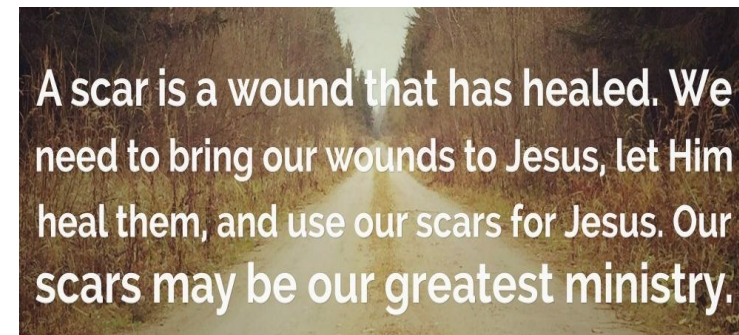


Trunk or Treat
At Hickory United Methodist Church
Saturday, October 28
4:00-6:00 p.m.

Please join us for some trunk or treat fun! We will also have a raffle with fun prizes to raise money for Rise Against Hunger!

Hickory United Methodist Church

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Hickory United Methodist

The mission of the United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

The vision Hickory United Methodist Church has received is to build God's Kingdom today, through connection, growth and service.

October 22, 2023

9:00 am

Morning Worship Services: 9 am & 11 am

Modern Worship Service: 5:00 pm

Sunday Supper: 6 pm

October 22, 2023 @ 9 am

Connection Card (Please place in the offering plate.)

NAME: _____

Best Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

Address: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

I would like a weekly e-mail update

Check all that apply:

- First Time Visitor
- Returning Guest
- Regular Attendee
- Interested in Joining
- Member
- I would like a visit from the Pastor.

How did you hear about us?

- Website/Facebook
- Friend
- Advertisement
- Other