

Director of Music: **Ledford Wilson** Organist: **Betty Winslow**
 Administrative Assistant: **Susan Coard** Contemporary Worship Leader: **David Springstead**
 Directors of Youth: **Andy Barnard & Ginny Owens** Nursery Worker: **Mary Fenno**
 Director of Children's Ministry: **Cindy Williams & Chessie Folan** Sexton: **Michael Colbert**
 Acolyte: 8:30 **Carson Tortone** 11:00 **Chloe Folan**
 Next Week: 8:30 **Gabriel Mayer** 11:00 **Christian Rosser**
 Children's Church: 8:30 **Jennifer Tortone** 11:00 **Stephanie Davis**
 Next Week: 8:30 **Elizabeth Lovelace** 11:00 **Lynn Jordan**
 Offering Counters: **Kim Schorr & Michele Sutton**
 Next Week: **David Magyar & Sharon Magyar**

Report of Stewardship for November 3, 2019

Attendance	183		
Weekly Budget	\$ 7,702.00	Budget to Date	\$ 353,916.00
October Online Giving	\$ 784.90		
General Offering	\$ 9,023.12	Received to Date	\$ 303,220.45
Tanzania Well Project	\$26,672.26		

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday	3:15-4:00 pm	Autumn Care Nursing Home Visit
	4:30 pm	Choir Practice
	6:00 pm	"The Hickory"
Monday	6:45 pm	4-H Meeting in Fellowship Center
Tuesday	10:00-11:30 am	Good & Beautiful God Bible Study
	6:00 pm	Mature Men's Basketball
	6:30 pm	Ladies Bible Study
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Disciple 3 Bible Study
	7:00-8:30 pm	Good & Beautiful God Bible Study
Thursday	7:00 pm	Scout Meeting in Fellowship Center
Saturday	7:00 pm	"The Hickory" band rehearsal

Offering Counters: Help is needed on our Counter Team. If you are interested in helping to count the offering on Sundays after the 11 am service, please contact Michele Sutton (642-2373) or Ed Hughes (482-3635). Thank you.

You can now donate to HUMC Online! Through our new online system, you can now send in your donations or tithes wherever you are. You can even specify the area where you would like your money to be used or set up recurring payments so you never have to bother with tithe checks again! Just go to and click the "Donate Now" button to get started.

Our Chancel Choir needs you! The choir is looking for new members and it's okay if you can't be here every Sunday because we are flexible. There is a one hour practice on Sundays at 4:30 pm. If you are interested or need information, please call Ledford Wilson at 252-775-1866.

The Flower Chart for 2019 is in the Welcome Center. Payment is due when you sign up. Please make your check FOR ALTAR FLOWERS ONLY payable to HUMW and put it in the UMW box in the Choir Room or give your check to a member of the UMW. Please do not put your check in the offering plate. PIANO OR ORGAN FLOWERS: you will be responsible for these; see additional information on the Flower Chart.

Hickory United Methodist Church

2708 Battlefield Boulevard, South, Chesapeake, Virginia 23322

Rev. Sarah Locke

Church 421-2778 - Pastor's Cell Phone 897-8142

Worship Services: 8:30 & 11:00 am, 6 pm - Sunday School 10:00 am

22nd Sunday after Pentecost - November 10, 2019



Hickory United Methodist Church Mission Statement:

"To live and proclaim the Gospel, seeking, encouraging and equipping all to become disciples of Jesus Christ."

Welcome to Hickory United Methodist Church! We hope today is a blessing and invite you to worship with us again soon. The Pastor, Staff and people of Hickory will be glad to share with you about opportunities for Christian growth. Please call the church office for more info. You may also email the church at office@hickoryumc.org or visit our website at www.hickoryumc.org. On Facebook: www.facebook.com/hickoryunitedmethodistchurch.

If you need help hearing today's service, hearing aids are available. Please see an usher.

The flowers on the altar are given by Jimmy & Linda Calhoun in honor of their granddaughter's birthday.

Ruritan Breakfast to benefit CAST: TODAY, 8-11 am. Please come out and support CAST!

HUMC Annual Charge Conference: Sunday, November 24th, 2 pm, at Good Hope UMC.

SAVE THE DATE: Premier Jewelry, November 14th, at 7 pm, in Joyful Noise room; Fund Raiser for Youth Mission trip to Harrisburg, PA. Michelle Gamboni will be our Jewelry Designer that evening. Online catalog: <http://online.pubhtml5.com/ggcg/urnu/> Online ordering:

<https://premierdesigns.com/ShopForEvent/18715/286187>

Bible Trivia Contest: The Education Committee is hosting a Bible Trivia Contest on Sat., Nov. 23rd, at 4 pm. We have invited other churches to form teams and compete. We would like several teams from our church as well. For more information or to register your team, please call Meredith Steadman (567-1551).

Bag of Groceries Sunday – Nov. 17th. You are asked to bring a bag of non-perishable groceries for the needy on this special Sunday. Upon entering the sanctuary for worship, please take your bag to the altar rail. We will dedicate the bags to be used for missions at each service.

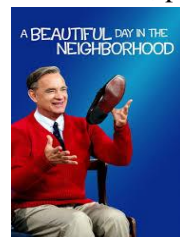
Bible Sunday–Nov. 24th. Hickory Church will be presenting a Bible to all 3rd graders associated with the church. Parents should call/email the church office to give their child's **full name** (please give correct spelling), as it should appear in the Bible. Children older than 3rd grade, who have never received a Bible, may also receive a Bible on this Sunday. Turn in all names by Nov. 11th.

Children's Church: Volunteers are needed for Children's Church. If you are interested, please see Chessie Folan (778-0168).

Host a Marine for Thanksgiving: There is a sign-up sheet in the Welcome Center. For questions, call Alan Foster (204-7235).

God's Kids: We are collecting candy to make treat bags to pass out to our Marines at Thanksgiving. Please help us by donating any of the following: gum, Lifesavers, peppermint patties, Mounds, Snickers and Kisses. We need the candy by Nov. 17th. We will meet on Nov. 24th to assemble the bags. Thank you in advance for your help!

Elizabeth River District Training Day 2020: Saturday, January 18, 2020, 8:30 am – 3:00 pm, at New Creation UMC, 4320 Bruce Rd., Chesapeake, VA. Lunch will be provided. For more information, please see Pastor Sarah. The deadline to register is January 8th.



MOVIE: We are reserving a time at Cinema Cafe to go together to see "It's a Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood", the new movie with Tom Hanks about Mr. Rogers. We have 60+ seats and tickets available at \$6.50 each. November 23rd; time is still TBA but will be between 10 am & 12 pm. Please sign up in the Welcome Center and money goes to the church office or Lynn Hughes marked "Mr. Rogers".

Save the Date: CAST, The Chesapeake Area Shelter Team, is busy gearing up for our eighth season. Our church will shelter the homeless January 8th - 15th 2020. Sign-up sheets will be out soon. Please pray and consider how you can use your gifts to support this worthy mission. If you have any questions please ask Teresa Mizell or Don Brewer. Matthew 25: 36-40.

The Chesapeake We Care Resource Center is now up and running five days a week. This center helps homeless people with job applications, housing, computer skills and much more. Our church is looking for a leader to coordinate volunteers for one week. Please see Pastor Sarah, Teresa Mizell, or Don Brewer if you have questions about leading or volunteering at the center.

HUMC After School Day Care: Our day care has expanded to include before school care for students at Hickory Elementary. We are looking for an additional employee to greet these smiling faces each morning. The hours of service will be from 6:00 am until 7:45 am. If you are interested, please call Carolyn Everton (406-1028). Thank You!

YOUTH

T-Shirt Sales - Don't be the only one at church without a "Hickory" Glow in the Dark shirt! Don't you want everyone to know where you go to church? Well, this glow in the dark will definitely make them notice you and what your shirt has to say. These are not only great to wear during the day but at night too. Wear your shirt at night and you will glow and grow in God's Love!! Adult T-shirts \$20.00 & Youth \$15.00. All proceeds go to help Ocracoke United Methodist Church. Cash or check (made out to HUMCYF).

The 2020 God's Creation Wall Calendars are available now! Each month has a beautiful photograph and features an NIV scripture verse. They are printed on heavy cardstock and are 9" x 12" in size. They make great gifts for only \$8.00 each. Will be sold between the 2 morning services and 15 minutes before the 6 pm service begins. Cash or check (made out to HUMCYF).

For more information about any of the above events please contact Ginny Owens at 757-621-8135 or email at humcyf@gmail.com.

We want to support your Student! Calling all parents, grandparents, mentors and students – give us your student's sports, dance, band, etc., schedule, so we can support them as a church. Please email or bring in their schedule or let us know when they have something big – a dance recital or concert, and we will show up as we are able! We would like to publish dates for the church to come support them doing what they love to do! Talk to Ginny Owens or Pastor Sarah for more details!

Prayer Requests for a Praying Church

New Requests for Members

New Requests Beyond our Congregation

Fred Serode

Members with Continued Concerns

Heather Brewer

Margaret Lanier

Sharon Williams

Wil Best

Andy Barnard

Aaron White

Wendy Boswell

Sean Folan

Ledford Wilson

Tim Mizell

June Vinson

Harry Faircloth

Leo Brayman

Raymond Murray

Lindsay Eck

Nancy Woods

Joyce Stukey

Annie McCullough

Valerie Claus

Carolyn Harrell

Stephanie Stahler

Olivia Cooper

Donnie Gray

Bishop Sharma Lewis

Brendan Best

Elaine Hutto

Bill Furlough

Bill Reed

Alice Jarman

Continued Concerns Beyond our Congregation

Russell Palmer

Jim Downing

Sydney Nichols

Sharon F.

Cara

Joyce

Cody N.

Billy Sullo

Terri Cumbia

Anita Thrasher

Ronnie Jones

Bob Zajack

Joyce James

Cindy Hughes

Devin & Ray Flaherty

Eva Delfenthal

Henry Storm

Eddie Etheridge

Brittany Bishop

Ginny Moritz

Bill Wright

Marvourneen Bryan

Katlyn Hughes

Nadine Neidermeier

Junior Ivey

Vivian Hodges

Bobby Lockett

Christine Hoyt & Family

Alan Johnson – Leo Brayman's son-in-law

Nick Smith – Ed & Lynn Hughes' friend

Chrissie Toll – Ed & Lynn Hughes' daughter

Jordan Andrews – Alice James' grandson

Tom Huhn – Gary Everton's friend

Nancy Hill – Carolyn Everton's cousin

Marcia Tilley – Lisa McKean's friend

Trent Earnhardt – Pastor Tim Earnhardt's son

Georgia Hoover – Jennifer Foster's mother

Russell & Bobbi Heath – Rusty Heath's parents

James Boyce – Heather Brewer's brother-in-law

Andrea Miller – Elaine Hutto's daughter

Joan Cottrell – Ed & Lynn Hughes' friend

Shirley Vildibill – Alan Foster's mother

Paige Nix – Phyllis Nix's granddaughter

Ann Stoudenmire – Marty Hutto's niece

Chris Grant – Kathy Moyer's brother

Kim Moyer – Alan & Jennifer Foster's friend

Shirley Walston Grimes – Celia White's mother

Patricia Bechthold – Cheryl McCall's mother

Ruth Vierra – Lindsay Eck's mother

Marie Edmonds – Eva Delfenthal's niece

Don Erickson – Bill Reed's friend

Our Deployed Military -Send a note of thanks to military overseas, go to www.letsaysaythanks.com

Our Friends in Continued Care

Autumn Care Residents

Nina Curling – Autumn Care

Marilyn Pratt – Chesapeake Healthcare

Our congregation hears all prayer requests during Sunday services. Please feel free to voice your request during the service. Please indicate your request on the Prayer Request cards found in the pews or call the church office (421-2778). On the Prayer Card, please list the person's name you would like to add to our Prayer List, their relationship to you, and the prayer concern. Place the card in the offering plate or the Prayer Request box on the organ. Names will remain on the List for 4 weeks unless otherwise requested.

Order of Worship

+++++ 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. +++++

THE PIANO AND ORGAN PRELUDE

THE WELCOME OF VISITORS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVOCATION

THE BRINGING IN OF THE LIGHT

Acolyte

THE CALL TO WORSHIP “We Have Gathered”

Chancel Choir

*HYMN

“Morning Has Broken”

No. 145

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH “The Apostles’ Creed, Traditional Version” No. 881

THE ORGAN INTERLUDE

Please register your attendance by using the form found in the red folder on each pew at the middle aisle. Visitors are asked to please include your complete address and phone number. **Please print.**

THE SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS OF OUR CONGREGATION

THE PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S 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

“On Eagle’s Wings”

**And God will raise you up on eagle’s wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of His hand.**

ANTHEM

“Song of Worship”

Chancel Choir

THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

(In addition to your offering, the person on the center aisle is asked to hand the attendance sheet from their row to the usher. Thank You.)

The Organ Offertory

*The Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

THE CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

(During the singing of the hymn, children, preschool-2nd grade may go to Children’s Church.)

PLEASE PICK UP YOUR CHILD(REN) AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE WORSHIP SERVICE IN THE CLASSROOM(S) BEHIND THE SANCTUARY.

*HYMN

“This Is My Father’s World”

No. 144

THE SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 2:10 & Psalm 19:1-6

In blue pew Bibles pages 1157 & 541

MESSAGE

“You Are Beautiful: Looking in a Mirror”

Pastor

*THE HYMN OF CELEBRATION AND COMMITMENT

No. 92

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE CHORAL RESPONSE “O How He Loves You and Me”

All

Oh, how He loves you and me, Oh, how He loves you and me.

He gave His life, what more could He give?

Oh, how He loves you; Oh, how He loves me; Oh, how He loves you and me.

*THE TAKING OF THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

Acolyte

*THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

*Denotes the Congregation Standing

Memory Verse:

Ephesians 2:10

¹⁰For we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.