

Order of Worship

(*Please stand as able)

Gathering

Prelude
 Welcome & Announcements
 Invocation
 Hymn "Now Thank We All Our God" #102
 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.

"Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus"

Hearing of the Word

Scripture Reading Proverbs 15:1-2; Matthew 5:38-42; Romans 2:4
 Sermon "Inflation: Anger/Gentleness" Rev. Sarah Locke

Response to the Word

Offering
 Offertory "I Will Give Thanks" Choir
 Doxology
 Hymn "I Surrender All" (vs 1-4) #354
 *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



With Christmas Eve being a Sunday, we are trying to figure the best way to share the Christmas Story while also caring for our Pastor and Staff on Christmas Eve. Please respond to this One question survey to help us plan. If you already responded in worship, there is no need to

respond here as well.

<https://hickoryumc.breezechms.com/form/dc9e2a>

Worship Helpers: November 19

Greeters/Ushers: Linda Calhoun, Greg Moyer, Ed Huges & Don Brewer

Screens: Kathy Moyer

Offering Counters: Kim Schorr & Kathy Moyer

Children's Church: Alice James & Chessie Folan

Worship Helpers: November 26

Greeters/Ushers: Dennis & Cheryl McCall, Darla Lawson & Jennifer Yoast

Screens: Jason Yoast

Offering Counters: Linda Calhoun & Susan McKee

Children's Church: Cindy Williams & Chessie Folan

The flowers on the altar are given by the Leist Family in honor of Sabrina Leist's birthday.



Be an Angel, to an Angel in need.

Angel Tree tags are available in the church foyer. Please consider helping a child in our local area this Christmas with a special purchase. We realize that clothing sizes listed are not always as clearly stated as we would like them to be, so just do your best in your selections. Toy wishes are also listed on the tags and the Salvation Army has asked that we pick at least two pieces of clothing listed and a small toy from the list. Thank you for helping another child feel the warmth and love of Christmas! **All gifts are due back to Church by Friday, December 8th.**



Pecans are available: \$10 for halves or pieces.



Our Church Staff:

Administrative Assistant: **Susan Coard**, office@hickoryumc.org
 Director of Music: **Karen Nemeth**, karen.nemeth@verizon.net
 Accompanist: **Glenda Brown**, glendabrown5@gmail.com
 Contemporary Worship Leader: **David Springstead** (757) 284-1801
 Director of Youth Ministries: **Jason Brugman**, jasou9@gmail.com or 540-840-1423
 Director of Children's Ministry: **Chessie Folan** (757) 778-0168
 Nursery Worker: **Katie Moyer**
 Sexton: **Michael Colbert** (757) 410-9369
 Custodians: **Kim Higerson & Kathy Heath**
 Maintenance: **Steve Jennings**

Prayer Requests

Hickory Family:

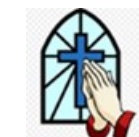
Charles Vertigan
 Conor Clapsaddle & Crew of the USCGC Munro
 Teresa Mizell's mom & family
 Catherine Munden
 Ed Brakob
 Ruth Brayman
 Grace McKee
 Carl Hanbury
 Harry Faircloth
 Carolyn Harrell
 Heather Parsons
 Herb & Amy Fisher
 Andy Barnard

Hickory Extended Family:

Ginger Hoyos, Tim Mizell's sister
 Jack Gayle
 Peggy & Earl Waddell, Sr.
 Chris Walker
 Heather Martin
 Sherry Cox
 John Curry
 Shannon Jones
 Oscar Szczepanski
 Leeyah Jackson
 Beth Casey
 Debra Culpepper
 Chelsea Musick
 Alan Johnson
 Brooke Edwards
 Brandon Miller
 Jeremiah James
 Chip McKean
 Terri Poole
 Jaci Eybers
 Noah Corlette
 Margaret Pugh
 Clo Old
 Tylor Giovannone
 Chris Grant
 Carolee Jackson Bondurant
 Kathy Boatright & Family
 Donn Irby
 John Szyszko
 Jonathan Reed
 Donna Barham
 Bobby Lockett
 Pete Ewell
 Billy Sullo
 Delna Antaki

Lorie Wilson

Bruce Mathews
 Darla Lawson's Mom
 JoAnn Green
 Don James
 Robin Gronemus
 Claude Mayer
 Don & Patti Bishop
 Mary Daughtrey
 Gary Everton
 Valerie Claus
 Jennifer Foster
 Dave McCullough
 Alan Perry, Janet Manning's stepdad
 James & John Hodges
 Family of Edna Kaye Downing
 Mary Cardwell
 Ray Ives
 Donna Hill, Alanna Mayer's aunt
 Fred Serode
 Courtney Bass
 Patricia Mulcair
 Dianne Kendall, Alanna Mayer's mom
 Brenda Brayman
 Shirley Gryder
 Amie Gerloff
 William Becknell
 Kelly Christunas
 Pam Winkler-Godwin
 Michele Gilmore
 Zoey Foster
 Elizabeth McKean
 Margie Cannata—Elaine Hutto's aunt
 Billy Carey
 Herbie Lewis
 Mary Love Walston
 Joyce - Joan Walton's mother
 Tracy Krismanich
 Donnie James
 Mary Ellen & Nick Newlin
 Dennis Fletcher
 Tom "Butch" Foster-Alan Foster's uncle
 Patricia Hannan
 Tori Bates
 Amy Massey
 Joseph DiNardo
 Lori Cutchins
 Sarah Buckland
 Russell Heath—Rusty Heath's father



Prayer Request or Comments: Do Not Print in church media

This Week at Hickory

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

Sunday, November 19—Bag of Groceries Sunday

- 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—Traditional Holiday Dinner

Tuesday, November 21

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

Thursday, November 23—Happy Thanksgiving!

Friday, November 24—Office Closed for Holiday



Saturday, November 25

- 11 am—2 pm Fellowship Center Reserved

Sunday, November 26

- 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—Favorite Childhood Recipe

Upcoming Events:

-  UMW Cookie Exchange—Sun., Dec. 3rd
-  Christmas Cantata—Sun., Dec. 17th, 10:30 am



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 November 12, 2023

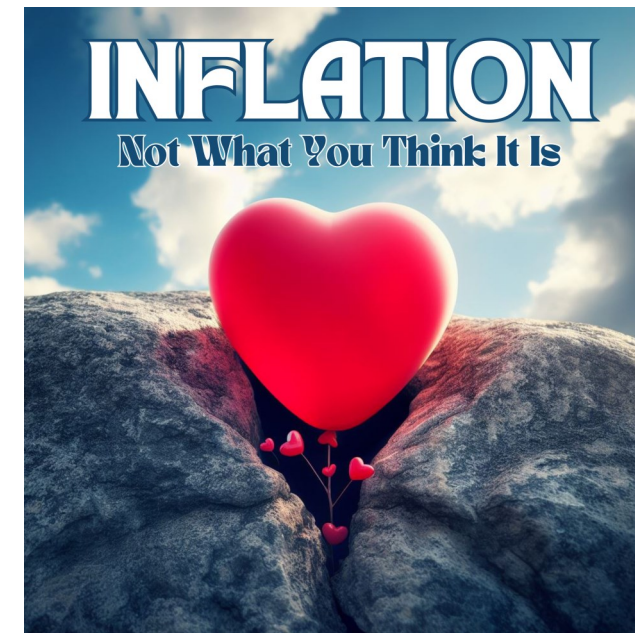
Weekly Budget	\$ 8,780.00
Offering	\$ 9,467.00
Received to Date	\$ 338,756.23

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 or 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 are available in the Welcome Center.



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.

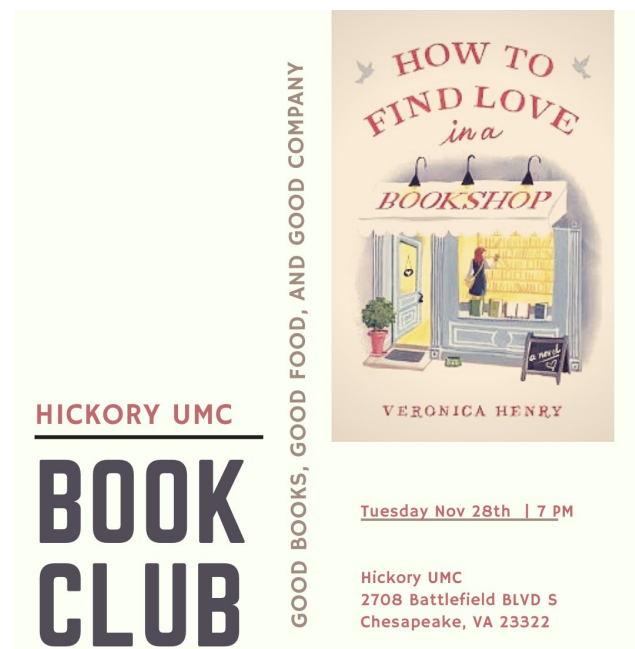
November 19, 2023

9:00 am

Morning Worship Services: 9 am & 11 am

Modern Worship Service: 5:00 pm

Sunday Supper: 6 pm



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Rev. Sarah Locke (757) 897-8142 (cell)
sarahlocke@vaumc.org

November 19, 2023 @ 9 am

NAME: _____

Best Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

Address: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

I would like a weekly e-mail update

Connection Card (Please place in the offering plate.)

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