

Order of Worship

(*Please stand as able)

Gathering

- Prelude
- Welcome & Announcements
- Invocation
- *Opening Hymn "In the Garden" #314
- 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.

"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Hearing of the Word

- Scripture Reading Genesis 2:1-3; Ephesians 5:15-16; 1 Corinthians 13:1-12
- Sermon "Hurry Sickness" Rev. Sarah Locke

Response to the Word

- Invitation/Confession
- Passing of the Peace
- Offering
- Offertory "O Rest in the Lord" Miyah Speller
- Doxology
- The Great Thanksgiving
- Giving of the Bread and Cup
- *Closing Hymn "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" #420
- *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: January 7

Greeters/Ushers: Margaret Norfleet, Mike Colbert, Steve & Marj Barnes
Screens: Jason Yoast
Offering Counters: Kim Schorr & Susan McKee
Children's Church: Stephanie Davis & Chessie Folan
Communion Helper: Mike Kirby

Worship Helpers: January 14

Greeters/Ushers: Billy & Joyce Rhodes, Jane Williams & Doris Carawan
Screens: Jason Brugman & Dylan Manning
Offering Counters: Celia White & Kim Schorr
Children's Church: Cindy Williams & Chessie Folan



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 Higgerson & Kathy Heath**
 Maintenance: **Steve Jennings**

Prayer Requests

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| Hickory Family: | Carolyn Harrell |
| Alice Jarman | Marvin Powers |
| Charles Vertigan | Bruce Mathews |
| Conor Clapsaddle & Crew of the USCGC Munro | |
| Teresa Mizell's mom & family | Darla Lawson's Mom |
| JoAnn Green | Gary Everton |
| Ed Brakob | Don James |
| Ruth Brayman | Robin Gronemus |
| Grace McKee | Claude Mayer |
| Carl Hanbury | Don & Patti Bishop |
| Harry Faircloth | Mary Daughtrey |
| Heather Parsons | Valerie Claus |
| Herb & Amy Fisher | Jennifer Foster |
| Andy Barnard | Dave McCullough |
| Hickory Extended Family: | Joan Barnes |
| Bristol Jackson | Johnny Day |
| Christie Newman Wright | Amy Hurst |
| Danny Pallister | Becky Eagleson—Marty Hutto's daughter |
| Ginger Hoyos, Tim Mizell's sister | James & John Hodges |
| Jack Gayle | Alan Perry, Janet Manning's stepdad |
| Peggy Waddell | Mary Cardwell |
| Chris Walker | Ray Ives |
| Heather Martin | Donna Hill, Alanna Mayer's aunt |
| Sherry Cox | Fred Serode |
| John Curry | Courtney Bass |
| Shannon Jones | 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 | Michele Gilmore |
| Jeremiah James | Zoey Foster |
| Chip McKean | Elizabeth McKean |
| Terri Poole | Margie Cannata—Elaine Hutto's aunt |
| Jaci Eybers | Billy Carey |
| Noah Corlette | Herbie Lewis |
| Margaret Pugh | 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, January 7

- 9 & 11 am Worship
- 10:15 am Sunday School
- 3 pm Choir Practice
- 5 pm The Hickory
- 6 pm Sunday Supper

Monday, January 8

- 7 pm Administrative Council Meeting

Tuesday, January 9

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

Wednesday, January 10

- 7 pm Disciple 1 in Walston Room

Thursday, January 11

- 7 pm Volleyball
- 7 pm Cub Scouts

Sunday, January 14

- 9 & 11 am Worship
- 10:15 am Sunday School
- 3 pm Choir Practice
- 4:30 pm Youth
- 5 pm The Hickory
- 6 pm Sunday Supper

Upcoming Events:

HUMW Meeting-Thursday, Jan. 18th, 7 pm, in the Sanctuary
 Men's Breakfast & Fellowship—3rd Saturday of the Month—
 January 20th—8 am—Fellowship Center
 CAST—February 7-14



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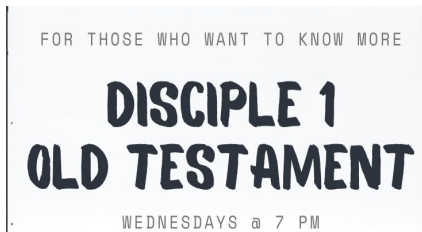
Report of Stewardship for December 31, 2023

Weekly Budget	\$ 8,780.00
Offering	\$ 9,087.00
Received to Date	\$ 402,819.03

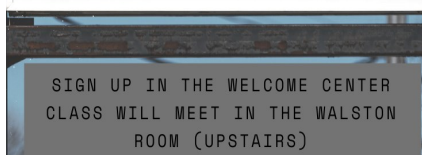
Welcome to Hickory United Methodist Church! We are so thankful that you chose to worship with us this morning! We would love to connect with you through the week! Please fill out the connection card attached and place in the offering plate so we can follow up with you.



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).



DISCIPLE IS A INTRODUCTION TO SCRIPTURE. THIS CLASS WILL LAST 12 WEEKS IS COMPLETELY FREE AND WILL BE TAUGHT BY STAN BEST



DISCIPLE: A sign-up sheet is in the Welcome Center for Disciple Fast Track Old Testament Bible Study starting Jan. 10th, on Wed. nights, 7-8:30 pm, at Hickory UMC. The study will last 13 weeks with a New Testament study planned in the Fall. Disciple is a great survey of the Bible for those who would like to know more about God's Word. Please sign-up, so we can order the correct number of books. (If you cannot meet on Wed. nights or have questions, please call Stan Best at 757-358-5521 to discuss any concerns.)

Book Club: Next book: Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt. Meeting at church January 25th at 7 pm.

Hickory UMC
Book Club
 JANUARY 25TH @ 7 PM
 Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt
 @ Hickory UMC
 Bring a friend!

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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.

January 7, 2024

9:00 am

Morning Worship Services: 9 am & 11 am

Modern Worship Service: 5:00 pm

Sunday Supper: 6 pm

January 7, 2024 @ 9:00 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