Order of Worship

(*Please stand as able)

Gathering

Prelude Welcome & Announcements Invocation

*Opening Hymn "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" #158

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"

Offering Offertory Doxology

Hearing of the Word

Scripture Read	ing Genesis 14:14-20; Exo	Genesis 14:14-20; Exodus 23:14-19;				
Proverbs 3:9-						
Sermon	"Put God First in Everything"	Stan Best				
Response to the Word						
*Closing Hymn	"Standing on the Promises"	#374				
*Benediction						
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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



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

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Prayer Requests

Carolyn Harrell Hickory Family: 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 Bravman Robin Gronemus Grace McKee Claude Mayer Carl Hanbury Don & Patti Bishop Harry Faircloth Mary Daughtrey **Heather Parsons** Valerie Claus Jennifer Foster Herb & Amy Fisher Andy Barnard Dave McCullough

Hickory Extended Family:

Youshwa Javed Joan Barnes Bristol Jackson Johnny Day Christie Newman Wright Amy Hurst Danny Pallister Becky Eagleson—Marty Ginger Hoyos, Tim Mizell's sister James & John Hodges Jack Gayle Alan Perry, Janet Mani Peggy Waddell Mary Cardwell Chris Walker Ray Ives Heather Martin Donna Hill, Alanna May Sherry Cox Fred Serode John Curry **Courtney Bass** Dianne Kendall, Alanna Shannon Jones Leeyah Jackson Brenda Brayman Beth Casey Shirley Gryder Amie Gerloff Debra Culpepper 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—Elain Jaci Eybers **Billy Carey** Noah Corlette Herbie Lewis Margaret Pugh Joyce - Joan Walton's Tylor Giovannone Tracy Krismanich Chris Grant Donnie James Carolee Jackson Bondurant Mary Ellen & Nick New Kathy Boatright & Family **Dennis Fletcher** Donn Irbv Tom "Butch" Foster-Ala John Szyszko Patricia Hannan Jonathan Reed Tori Bates Donna Barham Amy Massey Joseph DiNardo Bobby Lockett Pete Ewell Lori Cutchins **Billy Sullo** Sarah Buckland Delna Antaki Russell Heath—Rusty I



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ayer's aunt			
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NAME: Address: E-mail: **Best Phone Number:** I would like a weekly e-mail update January 14, 2024 State: 0 11:00 Zip: am

Connection Card (Please place Check all that apply: I would like a visit from Pastor. Interested in Joining Regular Attendee First Time Visitor Member **Returning Guest** the

> Other Advertisement

Friend

Website/Facebook

How did you hear about us?

in the offering plate.)

This Week at Hickory

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

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

Tuesday, January 16

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

Wednesday, January 17

7 pm Disciple 1 in Walston Room

Thursday, January 18

- 7 pm UM Women's Meeting in Sanctuary 7 pm Volleyball
- 7 pm Cub Scouts

Saturday, January 20

8 am Men's Breakfast & Fellowship in Fellowship Center 11 am—2 pm Basketball in Fellowship Center

Sunday, January 21

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

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).



We need your helplike a lot of help! We will host our homeless brothers and sisters in our community Feb 7th - 14th and we need help.

More info in the sign up! https://www.signupgenius.com/ go/30E0A4CA9A929A5FA7-47186386-cast

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



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



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 January 7, 2024

Weekly Budget	\$ 8,678.00
Offering	\$ 7,364.10
Received to Date	\$ 7,364.10

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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 14, 2024

11:00 am

Morning Worship Services: 9 am & 11 am Modern Worship Service: 5:00 pm Sunday Supper: 6 pm