

"Psalms, Hymns, & Spiritual Songs" **David Jernigan**
 ("PB" designates our Praise Book)

♪ <i>I Will Call Upon the Lord</i>	63
♪ <i>As the Deer</i>	71
♪ <i>Humble Yourself</i>	745
Prayer	Bob Belville
♪ <i>Low in the Grave He Lay</i>	44
Communion	Dick Posey
Offering	
♪ <i>When We All Get to Heaven</i>	853
"Seek First the Kingdom" Matthew 6 ¹⁹⁻³⁴	
	Percil Watkins
♪ <i>Hark the Gentle Voice</i>	907
♪ <i>To Canaan's Land</i>	867
Prayer	Dick Covalinski

Pass Communion & Collection Plates:
 Randy Adcox, Blake Eckard, Lionel Ellis, David Watkins
...to the Nursery Bryce Hull
Nursery:

2011/12 averages	Last Week
69/72	Sunday School 70
110/119	Assembly 130
51/61	Wednesday 63
\$2,863/ \$2,935	Contribution \$2,299 (~\$3350 meets our Expenses & Commitments)

9:30 Sunday
Adults: 2 Corinthians auditorium Bob **Belville**
Adults: Living on the Edge "r12" lower level Keith **Fox**
Young Adults (ages 19-29) office building Joe **Hall**
Grades 7-12: education wing Foyle & Tracie **Perkins**
Grades 4-6: education wing Kevin & Nancy **Boggs**
Grades 1-3: education wing Janet **Stiles**
Ages 4-5: education wing Kim **Adcox**
Ages 2&3: education wing Jon & Jessica **Strange**
Birth thru age 2 education wing Harriett **Stephenson**
 (& we care for special needs children at both hours)

7:00 Wednesday
Adults: Peter lower level Foyle **Perkins**
Adults: "40 Things..." auditorium Bob **Belville**
Teens library Kevin **Bibbee**
Grades 1-6 education wing Margo & Cole **Hull**
Preschool education wing Kamy **Bibbee**

Lay Up Treasures in Heaven
Matthew 6

¹⁹ "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, ²⁰ but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

²² "The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is healthy, your whole body will be full of light, ²³ but if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness!

²⁴ "No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

Do Not Be Anxious

²⁵ "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? ²⁶ Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? ²⁷ And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? ²⁸ And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, ²⁹ yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ³⁰ But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? ³¹ Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' ³² For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. ³³ But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

³⁴ "Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.

HICKORY CHURCH OF CHRIST
IMPERFECT PEOPLE... LEARNING TO LOVE PERFECTLY **MARCH 25, 2012**

YAHWEH!

- [Matthew 6:33](#)
 But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.
- [Acts 17:27](#)
 God did this so that men would seek him and perhaps reach out for him and find him, though he is not far from each one of us.

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Happy Birthday the week:
 30th Friday **Sparkle Lipford**

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Sunday School 9:30; Assembly 10:30; Wednesday 7:00
 Pantry distribution: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 4:30-6:30
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 Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9-3

"...let him call the **elders** of the church..." James 5¹⁴
 Jim Valentine ☎328-6446 Ron Henry ☎256-8437 Steve Killian ☎256-9142 Keith Fox ☎322-2121 Bob Belville ☎221-0356

Post your prayer requests or download our current prayer list @ www.hickorychurch.org or use the back of a visitor card.

...pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. James 5¹⁶

Sympathy:

Sharon Brownlow passed away Tuesday night from leukemia, as shared by Ben Posey and family.

Special Prayers This Week:

Eloise Burton had successful heart shock, last week, to correct its rhythm.

Mary Nell Covalinski is suffering from back problems-treatment plans tbd.

Eva Dellinger is still recovering from stent put in her kidney last week; seeks prayer for breathing problems.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting:

Theresa LaFavre (friend of the Lipfords) is having significant family and medical difficulties.

Murray Davis is experiencing cold and sinus symptoms.

Retta Hughes is being treated for tracheal bronchitis.

Joyce Champion, a friend of Retta's, who is on the prayer list for melanoma surgery, has received the wonderful news that her 26 lymph nodes that were removed two weeks ago are cancer-free!!! Praise the Lord!!!! She really appreciates everyone's prayers on her behalf, and now needs prayer for continued healing from the surgery.

Samantha Hall's friend, **Adam**, has been deployed to Afghanistan.

The **Hulls** are praying for spiritual strength and safe traveling.

Please pray for Lads to Leaders & Leaderettes convention preparation- Bible Bowl, puppets, song leading, speeches, etc.

Our Members are Job Seekers (let us know, we'll pray and network!)

Tony Graham previously owned a home improvement business; he is open to any job utilizing those skills.

[Our shut-ins are not out of our mind or prayers:](#)

Georgia Adcox – Abernathy Center.

Kathleen Kirby – Abernathy Rehab Center.

[God bless those serving in distant lands:](#)

Robert & Regina Lewis – Chemitz, Germany.

Craig & Teresa Phillips – Mumbai, India.

Eduardo & Veronica Beltran – Ilo, Peru.

[Friends remain in our prayers](#)

(Please keep the editor advised of any condition updates)

Brenda Adams † Anita Agnew † Casey Allen † John Alwran † Dan Anderson † David Barnes † Roger Bass † James Belcher † Paul Berton † Chuck Bibbee † David Bierce † Jim Birdwell † Madeline Blau † Michael Boggs † Mary Bolch † Eric & Carrie Bowen † Kathy Brookshire † Evelyn Brown † Jennifer Brown † Paul Brown † Rita Burns † Eloise Burton † Jane Cannon † Joyce Champion † Bart Clements † David Clements † Octavia Cook † Samantha & Sydney Cook † Marsha Cooper † Lincoln Cox † Allie Croft † Tonya Croy † Ry Darby † Eva Dellinger † Billie Dennie † Kevin Dill † Lisa Drum † Art Duncan † Tina Duncan † Ruby Ferrell † Hugh Fields † Curtis Forbes † Marie Forrester † Desiree & Ramae Foster † Tammy Fox † Kathy Gamble † Audra Gibson † Ernestine Gibson † Mary Bell Gouge † Norma Jean (Cookie) Green † Patsy Green † Marla Greer † Eric Hadden † Robert Hadden † Jim Hanlon † Heather Harrison † Paul Headrick † Bobbi Henson † Rachael Heater † Jennifer Heavener † Elizabeth Herman † Myra Hill † Ellen Hill † Nancy Hopkins † Shannon Horton † Marc Hull † Susan Hunnicutt † Sandy Kane † Deidre Keller † Sam Kenyon † Dora Knox & her daughter † Debbie Lawing † Serenity Lawrence † Adam Lewis † Tracy Linton † Robert Link † Mike Lipford † Zora Marley † Michael Martin † Gary McLean † Marsha McNeely † Cheryl Miller † Ellen Miller † Carol Monk † Paul Moody † Adam Moore † Warren Newberry † Jerry Olsen † Mary Jane Patton † Julie Phillips † Eddie Pippin † Ashlyn Pope † Martha Plott † Clarence Posey † Grady Rector † Daniel Reid † Kayla Revis † Jeff Rikard family † Charlotte Rogers † Kelly Rogers † Hettie Santymire † Brigham Sapp † Mark Schmidt † Sue Sexton † Roger Shanks † Rose Mary Shepherd † Charles Siburt † Jim Sidbury † Alice Sigmon † Boyd Sigmon † Luke Wesley Sigmon † Richard Sigmon † Charles Siburt † Erin Sipe † Jim & Kathy Smith † Joel & Michelle Smith † Gwen Smith † Michael Smith † Mary Smith † Steve Smith † Tony Smith † Marsha Speigle † Nate Steele † Mike Stroud † Tim Stroud † Jim Teague & family † Joyce Thompson † Debbie Tucker † Jim Valentine † Isaac Walker † Jack Warner † Ben Watson † Melissa Johnson-White † Elaine Whitlock † Bobby Whitt † Faye Jean Wiggins † Tyler Wilfong † Ted Wilfong † Sam Wilfong † Helen & Phyllis Winters † Joyce Wright

ALL IN THE FAMILY...

March:

- ☞ **25th Today, after Assembly:** A covered dish and baby shower for **Emily** and **Aaron Holmes** and their daughter **Ezra**. They're registered: Target and Babies 'R' Us.
- ☞ **28th Wednesday, 7:00:** Missionary **Craig Phillips** & his growing family will be with us! Not to be missed.
- ☞ **31st Saturday: Lake Norman CoC Youth Rally.** "Cornerstone"

April:

- ☞ **1st Sunday:** Everyone is invited for a sandwich lunch followed by an egg hunt sponsored by the NE Catawba A.T. The 5th and 6th graders will "hide" eggs for the 5 years-4th graders. Menu: sandwiches, chips and/or fruit and finger food desserts. Ann Henry is looking for donations of wrapped candies for filling eggs. She and any helpers who show up will be preparing eggs at 2:00 on Saturday. The plan is for 5th & 6th graders to hide the eggs for the younger kids.
- ☞ **1st Sunday 5:30: LIFT – Seeking a Heart like God's.**
- ☞ **6-8th LTL Convention, Atlanta.** "We'll Work 'til Jesus Comes"
- ☞ **10th Tuesday: Seniors' Luncheon: J&S Cafeteria. Details to follow.**
- ☞ **21st Saturday evening: Back by popular demand... "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner!"** If you are interested, please fill out a form and put it in the **glass pumpkin**. It would be great for all adults to be involved. See **Janet Stiles** for details.
- ☞ **22nd Sunday: Good News Messengers** meet after assembly at the **Bibbee** home.
- ☞ **27-29th Palmetto BC Youth Rally.**

May:

- ☞ **1-4th, 69th Annual Pepperdine University Bible Lectures!** Malibu in May costs much less than you might think. It is not too late to register, see **Bob** or **Nancy**.
- ☞ **8th Tuesday: Seniors' Luncheon: Abernathy Center. Details to follow.**
- ☞ **26th Teen Yard Sale fundraiser for IMPACT**

June:

- ☞ **10-16th CBC week for our 9-12 year olds.** www.carolinabiblecamp.org
- ☞ **18-23rd: IMPACT! Lipscomb University, Nashville,** 9th-12th grade teens.