

"Psalms, Hymns, & Spiritual Songs" **Barry Smith**
 ("PB" designates our Praise Book)

♪ <i>I Love You, Lord</i>	779
♪ <i>There's a Garden</i>	793
♪ <i>Father, Hear the Prayer We Offer</i>	777
Prayer	Bryan Steelman
♪ <i>Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross</i>	383
Communion	Jerry Burton
Offering	
♪ <i>Thank You, Lord!</i>	781
♪ <i>I Will Pray</i>	840
"Jesus' Prayer in the Garden"	
<i>Matthew 26³⁶⁻⁴⁶</i>	Terry Northcutt
♪ <i>On Bended Knee I</i>	791
♪ <i>What a Friend We Have in Jesus</i>	800
Prayer	Steve Killian

Pass Communion & Collection Plates:
 Randy Adcox, Lionel Ellis, Joey Osborne, Randy Pannell
...to the Nursery: Jonathan Eckard
Nursery today: Alice Lail and Yadi Rivera
next week: Jimmie Link and Zoie Henry

2011/2012 averages	Last Week.
69/72 Sunday School	
110/119 Assembly	105
51/62 Wednesday	
\$2,863/ Contribution	\$2,465
\$2,940 (~ \$4000 meets our Expenses w/o an office building tenant)	

Bible Study Opportunities
Sunday 9:30
Adults: "Living Jesus" auditorium Bob **Belville**
Young Adults (19-29): office building Joe **Hall**
Teens: Girls: education wing Foyle/Tracie **Perkins**
 Boys: lower level Steve **Killian**
Grades 4-6: education wing Bryan/Jennifer **Steelman**
Grades 1-3: education wing Patsy **Yoder**
Ages 4-5: education wing Kim **Adcox**
Ages 2&3: education wing Ann **Stasny**
Birth thru age 2 education wing Mary Nell **Covalinski**
 (& we care for special needs children at both hours)


Monday
1:00 L.I.M.E. Ladies Class: "That You May Believe"
 lower level Tracie **Perkins**
7:00 Burke Plus Perkins home 397-5065

Tuesday small group studies
7:30 Burke Plus Jaschob home 874-0461
6:30 Conover East Watkins home 994-4138

Wednesday 7:00
Adults: "Spiritual Disciplines"
 lower level Foyle **Perkins**
Adults: "I Knew Jesus Before He Was a Christian..."
 auditorium Bob **Belville**
Teens library Missy **Stroud**
Grades 1-6 education wing Bryan **McDemott**,
 Murray **Davis**
Preschool education wing Kamy **Bibbee**


Thursday small group studies
7:00(?) Conover West Bibbee home 228-1641

Friday small group studies
7:00 Hickory Plus Fox home 320-8202




HICKORY CHURCH OF CHRIST

IMPERFECT PEOPLE... LEARNING TO LOVE PERFECTLY OCTOBER 7, 2012

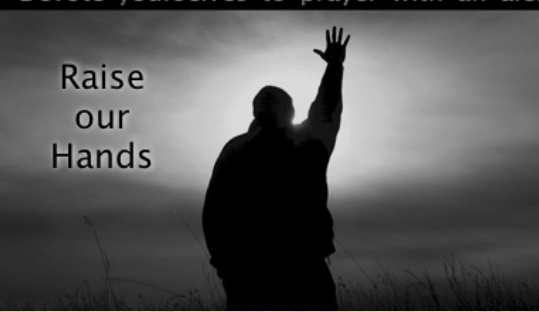


Bow our Heads

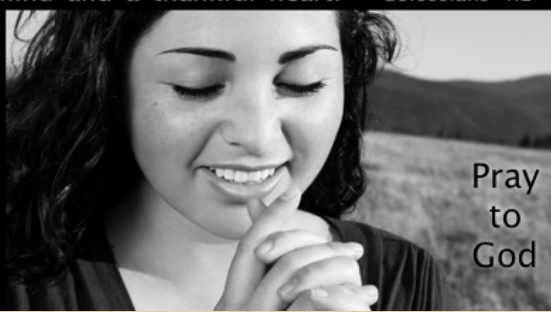


Hit our Knees

Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart. Colossians 4:2



Raise our Hands



Pray to God

Wireless receivers for hearing impaired are available in the mail room – ask a greeter

Sunday School 9:30; Assembly 10:30; Wednesday 7:00
 Pantry distribution: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 4:30-6:30
www.hickorychurch.org
 wireless network 61044571 Security 8284643747

Kevin Bibbee, Evangelist
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 Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9-3
 1218 Fairgrove Church Road, Hickory 28602

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

Our speaker this morning is **Terry Northcutt**. Terry and Glenda have been with us this weekend to conduct a Marriage Enrichment Facilitator Training Workshop.

As Director of Marriage Enrichment Programs at Family Dynamics Institute since 1995, Terry has conducted over 250 Family Dynamic Institute's *Marriage Ministry Training* weekends in almost all 50 states, the Bahamas, England, and Hong Kong.

In addition to conducting training, Terry upgrades all current marriage enrichment courses and workshops as needed, and is the primary designer of new curriculum for Family Dynamics Institute. He designed and wrote the workbook, *Marriage by the Book*, for FDI in 2009. He just finished designing, writing, and testing a second 8-week transformative curriculum for FDI entitled *United*. He also conducts monthly webinars with facilitators far beyond North America.

Before joining Family Dynamics in 1995, Terry served churches in Pennsylvania, Michigan, Texas, and California.

Terry and Glenda will celebrate 41 years of marriage in January. Their three grown children live in California and Texas where they're raising Terry and Glenda's three grandchildren.

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

Special Prayers This Week:

Kevin & Kaylin Bibbee are traveling home from WV today where Kevin did a family wedding.

Brenda Adams seeks our prayers for life decisions and for God's peace.

Dallas Hefner has extensive heart and other health problems; he is unable to work and has no insurance. Please pray for his wife Tina and family also.

Bobbi Henson is praying for her niece, **Rebekka Hadden**, who has an appointment at Akron Children's Hospital for October 9.

Glenda Johnson asks prayers to help her find the strength to take care of her mom whose health is in decline.

Amber Salter of Columbus GA, Percil and Theresa's cousin, is in ICU on life support after an auto accident. She has two young children.

Helen & Phyllis Winters truly appreciate the calls and cards. They say "God bless to all".

Celeste Belville is running the Chicago Marathon today to benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting:

Grant Goins, friend of the Eckards, is in WFUBMC with brain injuries after an auto accident.

Bryan Shelley, the Perkins' neighbor, is being deployed to Afghanistan.

Ann Stasny's relative, **Erma**, lost her husband recently and is grieving once more, as their anniversary passes.

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

Teresa Robins seeks part-time work.

Barbara Eckard is looking for ESL teaching positions.

Tony Graham has part-time handy-man work; seeks full-time.

Friends remain in our prayers

(Please keep the editor advised of any condition updates)

Anita Agnew † Casey Allen † John Alwran † Dan Anderson † Nancy Anderson † David Barnes † Roger Bass † James Belcher † Paul Berton † 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 † Lisa Deal † Eva Dellinger † Billie Dennie † Kevin Dill † Art Duncan † Tina Duncan † 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 † Valerie McCala † Gary McLean † Marsha McNeely † Patricia Meadows † 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 † 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 † Jim Sidbury † Alice Sigmon † Luke Wesley Sigmon † Richard Sigmon † Erin Sipe † Tom Slaughter † 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 † Frank Tucker † Jim Valentine † Isaac Walker † Jack Warner † Ben Watson † Melissa Johnson-White † Elaine Whitlock † Bobby Whitt † Faye Jean Wiggins † Kyler Wilfong † Ted Wilfong † Sam Wilfong † Helen & Phyllis Winters † Joyce Wright

Our shut-ins are not out of our mind or prayers:

Georgia Adcox – Abernathy Center.

Kathleen Kirby – Hickory Manor.

God bless those serving in distant lands:

Robert & Regina Lewis – Chemitz, Germany.

Craig & Teresa Phillips – Mumbai, India.

Eduardo & Veronica Beltran – Ilo, Peru.

ALL IN THE FAMILY...

☞ **Recycling! Tracie Perkins** wants us to know we are currently participating in two Terracycle contests. One is for chip bags, the other is for flip flops. We can win 10,000 points (\$1,000). Please keep all the trash coming!

☞ A big thank you to **Theresa and Percil Watkins** and others who hosted and participated in **Family Dynamics Marriage Enrichment Facilitator Training** here this weekend.

October:

☞ **7th Today, 5:30:** LIFT, at the building.

☞ **9th Tuesday, 11:00: Senior Friends Luncheon:** Bob Evans Restaurant in Hickory. The semi-private room is reserved for us so there will be plenty of room for friends and family that you may want to invite. Please let Retta know if you will be able to attend by 5 Monday. Come and enjoy the fellowship with us!

☞ **14th Sunday, ~12:00: "Conover East" Action Team (Zone 4):** Pot luck luncheon in the fellowship hall. Please bring enough for your family and to share. Eat, get acquainted with our new team and meet our new leaders.

☞ **14th Sunday, 4:00: Burke Plus Action Team (Zone 1):** Meeting at the **Eckard** home. Soups w cornbread, rolls.

☞ **20th Saturday, 8:00:** Men's Prayer, Bible Study and Breakfast.

☞ **20th Saturday, 5:00: Hay Ride and Wiener Roast** at the **Killian** home. Bring your hot dogs and fixings. And chairs. This annual event is great fun and fellowship. Good weather has been ordered.

☞ **21st Sunday 5:30: Lads to Leaders & Leaderettes Bible Bowl,** Proverbs chapters 1-15. Open to all; study questions are available.

April/May 2013:

☞ **April 30–May 3: Pepperdine Bible Lectures, Malibu CA: "Can I Get a Witness? Faithfully Following the Lamb in Revelation." Don McLaughlin, Randy Harris, Mike Cope, Rich Atchley & much more.** www.pepperdine.edu/biblelectures/

Happy Birthday this week:

Monday 8 **Eloise Burton, Elijah Breland**
Tuesday 9 **Debbie Killian, Tammy Breland**
Wednesday 10 **Nolen Henry, Bryce Hull**
Friday 12 **Rik Covalinski**
Saturday 13 **Kevin Boggs**

Happy Anniversary:

Monday 8 **Foyle & Tracie Perkins (18)**
Wednesday 10 **Rob & Susan Singleton (7)**

Need a hard copy of the church directory?

There are a few in the top drawer of the "east" credenza in the foyer.
PLEASE let us (Bob B. or Theresa Watkins) know of any changes we need to make.

We have MP3 audio from over 250 classes at Pepperdine Bible Lectures, 2012! See Bob for help with access.