

# WORSHIP GUIDE

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, April 7, 2019

# **Call to Worship**

Psalm 40:1-3

"Our God Saves"

#### **Corporate Confession**

1 John 1:8-9

"The Blood of Jesus Speaks For Me"

"It Is Well With My Soul"

# **Pastoral Prayer**

## Offering

"Awesome"

### Sermon

Romans 1:26-32

"Grace Greater Than Our Sin"

#### **Benediction**

## CALL TO WORSHIP

The Scriptural call to worship at the beginning of our service reminds us of the centrality of God's Word. God reveals Himself to us through His Word and invites us to respond corporately to Him in worship.

I waited patiently for the Lord; He inclined to me and heard my cry. He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure. He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the Lord.

Psalm 40:1-3

# **CORPORATE CONFESSION**

In light of God's holiness, wrath, and grace, we acknowledge that we have all sinned against God and are in need of His sanctifying grace. This confession occurs in the context of a covenant relationship made possible through the perfect life, substitutionary death, and victorious resurrection of Jesus. As Christians, our confession is not so that God should forgive us, but because, through Christ, He has already forgiven us.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:8-9

# **OFFERING**

Giving is an act of worship in which the members of Hickory Grove give generously of our substance to further the mission of the church and to bring glory to God.

# MISSION TEAM COMMISSIONING

#### **Mission Trip**

Student Spring Break Mission Trips: Pittsburgh and Washington, D.C.

#### Serving:

Vintage Church in Pittsburgh & Redeemer City Church in Washington, D.C.

#### Dates:

April 13-17

### **Prayer Requests:**

- That students are able to see the lostness of people that would propel the bold proclamation of the Gospel.
- That students would gain a vision for living a life on mission.
- That we would provide encouragement to sister churches living in predominantly non-Christian cities.

### **Pittsburgh Team:**

Riley Aiken Blessing Akihola Ben Beason Kaleigh Beason Pete Ceccarelli Jessica Church Olivia Church Daniel Coker Julius Coker Daniel Crowe Melody Crowe Ansley Day Ashlyn Day Andrew Durrette Noah Ellis Andrew Flynn Nolan Godfrey

Sophia Gotta Sabrina Healy Michael Honrine Jorgia Juettner Joshua Kendall Stuart Lewis Gracey Libby Jamey Libby Billy Lowder Sierra Lowder Gerald Malloy Miles Malloy Carolyn Nelson Corinne Nelson Micah Parker Samuel Reavis Seth Richardson

Alex Riesenberg Jeanette Riesenberg Jeff Riesenberg **Austin Roberts** Nicholas Roberts Cassidy Scott Kennedy Scott Waits Sharpe Anna Shelton Dorv Smith Zeke Smith **Grant Sylvester Bailey Taylor** Kalyn Taylor Christian Wilson Byron Wray

# Washington, D.C. Team:

Ashleigh Aberly Emma Askins Erin Askins Amber Barker Sarah Beverage Ayrton Bury Remmi Carlton Aubrey Cooler Caleb Davis Faith Day Rebekah Gouch Nathan Hackett Rick Hackett Brandy Harris Juliana Herberg Mackenzie Inman Melissa Martin Madison Massie

Blake Maxwell Celie Nelson Emma Perrotti Sera Perrotti Jordan Pracht Seth Pracht

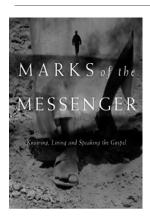


Imagine if everyone at Hickory Grove could answer that question with the name of a person who is lost—a person for whom they're praying and with whom they're seeking to share the Gospel.

That's the intention behind *Who's Your One*? We believe God's people don't merely need another method for evangelism—what we need is a passion to see people who are lost experience the new life He offers through Jesus Christ.

Use the 30-day prayer guide to pray for that one lost person.

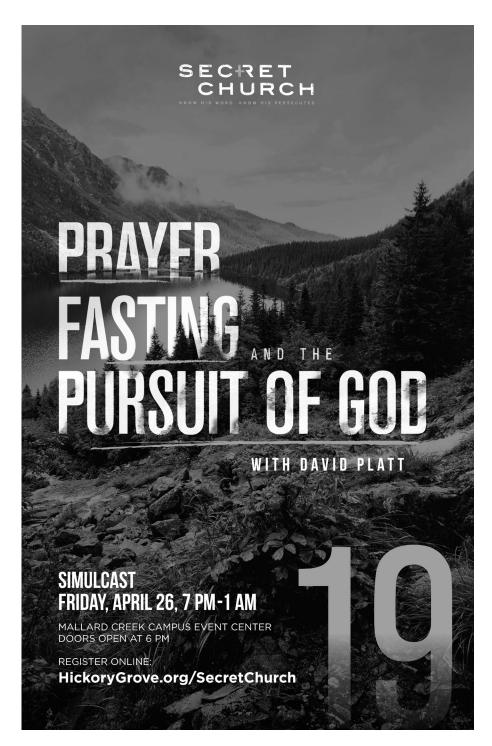
# RESOURCE RECOMMENDATION



Marks of the Messenger: Knowing, Living and Speaking the Gospel by J. Mack Stiles

Many think evangelism is rooted in a method. It is rooted in something much deeper. It is found in what makes us whole and healthy messengers of God's truth about Jesus. Mack Stiles has lived the life of the healthy evangelist in homes and coffee shops, at universities and farms.

What he has learned around the world and at home is summarized here in a few basic truths that can shape any of us into faithful people who bring good news to needy and hurting friends. Join Mack Stiles in a life-giving adventure of boldly knowing, living and speaking the Gospel.



# **SCHEDULE & ANNOUNCEMENTS**



# Guest Information

If you are a guest, we welcome you and invite you to stop by any Guest Information Area to learn more about Hickory Grove and to get answers to your questions. Be sure to pick up a Guest Information Card, fill it out, and either drop it in the offering plate or leave it at any Guest Information Area.

# **Schedule**

#### Sunday, April 7

Worship: 8 & 11 AM Sunday School: 9:30 AM

Adult Choir Rehearsal: 4 PM HG Kids Choir: 5:15 PM

#### Wednesday, April 10

Senior Adult Choir: 10 AM

Dinner: 5 PM AWANA: 6:15 PM

Infant-4 years old: 6:30 PM Student Worship: 6:30 PM Pastors' Class: 6:30 PM Orchestra Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

#### **SENIOR ADULT LUNCHEON**

Thursday, April 11, 11 AM, Cost: \$7 RSVP at (704) 531-4035 by noon on Monday, April 8.

#### **GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE**

Friday, April 19, 6:30 PM, Worship Center Join the Worship Ministry team for this somber service as we mourn our sins and glory in the redemption that is ours through Christ's atoning death on the cross.

# HICKORY GROVE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, April 29

HGCS Tournament will be at Pine Lake Country Club to benefit academics, athletics and fine arts. Register at HGChristian.org.

# FALL 2019 WEE SCHOOL & PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

Mallard Creek Campus
For more info or to register your child,
email mallardcreekeec@hgchristian.org.

# **FATHER & CHILD CAMPOUT**

Friday, May 3-Saturday, May 4 Mallard Creek Campus

For more information and to register, visit HickoryGrove.org/Campout. Cost is \$15 per person or \$40 max per family.

# **VBS: "IN THE WILD"**

June 17-20, 6-8:30 PM Volunteer for VBS or register your child at HickoryGrove.org/VBS.

#### **HGCS SUMMER CAMPS**

Begins June 3

Summer camp is open to HGCS students and HGBC members. Sign up at HGChristian.org.

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