



HICKORY GROVE
BAPTIST CHURCH

W O R S H I P G U I D E

Harris Campus | Week of November 10, 2019

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, November 10, 2019

Call to Worship

James 1:17

“New Doxology”

Baptism

Corporate Confession

Proverbs 28:13

“Jesus Is”

“Worthy, Worthy”

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

“Something Happens”

Sermon

Romans 8:9-11

“How Deep The Father’s Love For Us”

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.

Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.

James 1:17

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.

Whoever conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will obtain mercy.

Proverbs 28:13

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.

ORPHAN SUNDAY



WHAT IS ORPHAN SUNDAY?

Today, all around our world, churches are observing Orphan Sunday. There is an orphan crisis in the world today. As compassionate and loving people - God's people - we cannot ignore the crisis of so many children in need. Orphan Sunday is a day for us to remember, pray for, and take

action on behalf of the millions of vulnerable children around the world.

DID YOU KNOW?

- There are over 153,000,000 orphans worldwide, comprising over 2% of the world's population.
- There are over 400,000 children in foster care in the United States, 123,000 of them are waiting for adoption.
- There are 15,500+ children in the North Carolina foster care system.

Data from The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Children's Bureau. AFCARS, FY 2008 - 2017. Submissions as of 08/10/2018.

A CALL TO ACTION

You can make an impact in the lives of vulnerable children. Use the following list to help you get started:

- Pray for orphans and children in foster care to know the love of the Father.
- Pray that the global church will heed the call to orphan ministry.
- Become a licensed foster parent/family in your county.
- Be active in ministry to your local CPS/DHR workers and office.
- Participate in your church's ministry to foster and adoptive families.
- Ask the Lord how He wants you to get involved in caring for orphans and vulnerable children in your community and around the world.

**For more information email KyleScarlett@hgbc.org
or visit HickoryGrove.org/AdoptionSupport.**

ORPHAN SUNDAY LUNCHEON

Orphan Sunday Luncheon

Today at 12:30 PM

Harris Campus, Event Center

Looking for a way to make an impact in the lives of vulnerable children? Join us for lunch and hear **President & Executive Director of Lifeline Children's Services, Herbie Newell.**

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Bless a child this Christmas season with a shoebox full of gifts! **Drop off your shoebox in the Welcome Center by November 24.** Learn more at HickoryGrove.org/OCC.



MISSION TREES

Visit one of the Mission Trees in the Worship Center Lobby and choose an ornament to benefit local schools, Single Mom's Ministry, Doves Nest or Present Age ministries. Purchase items listed on the ornament and bring gifts with the ornament attached by Tuesday, November 26.

VETERANS DAY

On Monday, November 11, our country observes Veterans Day, which is a National holiday. **We would like to thank all our veterans who have served our country in war or peace.**

In observance of Veterans Day the church offices will be closed, Monday, November 11.

CHURCH CONFERENCE

Wednesday, November 13, Event Center

The Proposed 2020 Church Budget will be presented in the Event Center following the Pastors' class. A vote on the budget (without discussion) will take place Wednesday, November 20, in the Event Center following the Pastors' class.

SCRIPTURE MEMORY

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.

Romans 8:1-2

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.

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Schedule

Sunday, November 10

Worship: 8 & 11 AM

Sunday School: 9:30 AM

Wednesday, November 13

Senior Adult Choir: 10 AM

Dinner: 5 PM

Awana: 6:15 PM

Student Worship: 6:15 PM

Pastors' Class: 6:30 PM

Equip HG Classes: 6:30 PM

LOVE LIFE CHARLOTTE

Love Life Charlotte exists to stand for truth and intercede for the unborn through prayer. If you are interested in participating Saturday, November 16, in the Week 40 Prayer walk visit LoveLife.org/week40.

THANKSGIVING DINNER & WORSHIP

Tuesday, November 26

Join us for a Thanksgiving dinner at 5 PM, followed by a worship service, at 6 PM, where we will observe The Lord's Supper. Cost for dinner: \$5 Adults / \$3 Children

ADORE NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Sunday, December 8, 5 PM

Mallard Creek Campus

Come join us as we sing and pray together this Christmas season. Followed by a dessert reception.

CHRISTMAS AT THE COVE

Monday, December 9, 6:30 AM

We invite all senior adults to come celebrate the birth of our Savior by singing your favorite Christmas carols and hearing an inspiring devotional thought from God's Word. Cost is \$45. Call Kim Shartzter at 704-531-4009 to register.

CHRISTMAS NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Sunday, December 15, 5 PM, Worship Center

The choir, orchestra and kids' choir will lead as we worship and praise the Lord this Christmas season. A cookie fellowship will immediately follow this event.

