PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray for those in need of healing and those with health concerns.

Addy; (Karen H); Amanda and Angel; Bob; Bob F (Ar); Brad (Andrew); Cindy (Jeni); Cindy (Katie); David (Karen H); DeSean (Kim); Gabriel (Katie); Gary and Valarie (Kim); Gene (Grace); Greigh (Sue D); Ivy; Jackson; Jerry (Joan); Janet (Evelyn); Joe (Shirley D); Joyce (Sandy B); Julie W (Andrew); Justin (Karen H); Kathy (Bernie); Katie B; Ken (Rev. Edie); Kiley (Katie); Kyle W; Lynn (Diane); Mackenzie (Bernie); Marj (Charlie); Meagan Z; Michael (Karen H); Mick D (Bernie); Mike (Kim); Pat (Gert); Patty (Katie); Peter (Katie); Phyllis (Katie); Rae (Karen G); Raymond (Diane C); Rick (Sandy B); Rose (Katie); Sandy (Mel); Shannon; Sharon (Tom); Suzanne (Bernie); TJ (Katie); Tim (Charlie); Tracy (Noelle L); Trevor (Donna); Wanda (Jeni); Willa (Diane)

We pray for those in need of strength and healing.

Aiden (Debbie); Bob (Dave D); Bob Z (Carla); Dick (Jeni); Diane and Nancy (Jeni); Edward (Evelyn); Erin Beal and children; Guy K; Gwynn (Katie); Harry (Katie); Isaiah; Jessica (Joan); Joan; Karen K (Ar); Marj and Dar (Melanie); Pam (Katie); Patti (Jeni); Peggy (Katie); Sandy D (Ar); Stephanie and Savino; Vance (Rev. Edie); Vickie (Bernie)

We pray for groups who are in need.

Healthcare providers and others in harm's way, especially **Jean, Kaitlyn, K, and Mollie**; those in hospitals and facilities with other health needs besides COVID-19 who cannot have loved ones with them; those in lockdown and isolation; teachers, students, and parents challenged with e-learning; those living in domestic violence situations; all who are coping with being furloughed from their jobs or who have lost their jobs; those battling addiction; fire and police departments tasked with keeping the peace; the systemic racism and social challenges in our country

We pray for those who mourn.

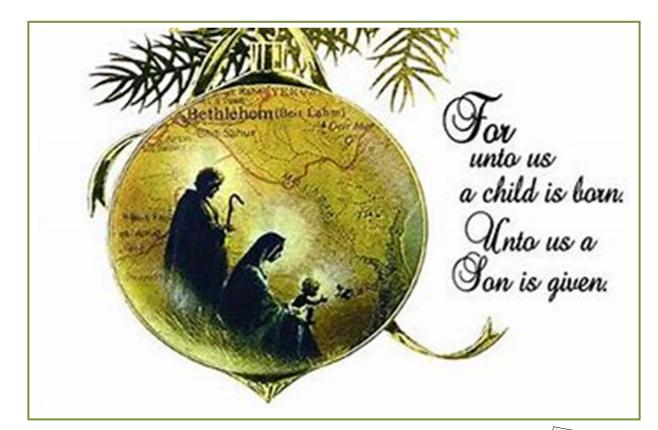
For family and friends of **Kim Graham** who passed away (Melanie); For family and friends of **Ivy Taebel** who recently passed away; For family and friends of **Michael Kincaid** (Melanie's cousin); for family and friends of **Richard** (Diane Ciametti's father) who recently passed away, for family and friends of **Theresa** A (Rev. Edie); for family and friends of **Eva Mason** who passed away November 28; for families who have lost loved ones in this time and cannot mourn for them as we normally would; for victims and families affected by violence

We pray for those in need during miscellaneous circumstances.

Central America flooding; Coronavirus upsurge throughout the world; for wildfires out West and those in need on the Gulf coast; **Jenny** D (Andrew); those who provide essential services we need; churches who are struggling to reach members and care for people; the injustice and violence around the country

We give thanks for the faithfulness of God.

<u>We cling to the promises that God is always with us;</u> that there is NOTHING that separates us from the love of God in Christ.



HICKORY HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOTE: Due to the current Coronavirus upsurge, worship will be online only until further notice.

December 24, 2020 — Christmas Eve

9:00 a.m. Morning Devotion on Facebook Live (available on recording any time after) **4:00 p.m.** Virtual Christmas Eve Worship (with Communion) (Livestreamed on our Facebook page at Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church and rebroadcast on Facebook at 11:00 p.m.)

Note: Please be sure to have bread and cup available at home during virtual worship.

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WORSHIP NOTES

Welcome to worship today. We're excited you've decided to join us.

During this time, your tithes and offerings can be placed in the wooden box in back of the church as you leave or mailed directly to Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church at 8426 West 95th Street, Hickory Hills, IL 60457.

If you miss a part of our services, or if you want to hear something again, visit <u>www.hickoryhillspres.org</u> or visit our Facebook page at *Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church*.

Pastor Edie is regularly sharing meditations, questions, ideas and resources during the Pandemic. The church voicemail is being checked regularly. If you are in need of assistance or want to connect, feel free to contact us at 708-598-3100.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The *Tree of Warmth* will be in the narthex **through December 27**. If you are able, donations of hats, gloves, mittens, scarves and socks are appreciated.
- Micro-pantry food items and monetary donations are still being accepted.
- Committee Reports for HHPC 2020 Annual Report are due January 10. Please e-mail them to Rev. Edie at pastor@hickoryhillspres.org
- Any requests for announcements, etc., can be e-mailed to the church at <u>hhpc@hickoryhillspres.org</u> or dropped off in the office.

A PEEK AT THE WEEK AHEAD

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25

9:00 a.m. Morning Devotion on Facebook Live (available on recording any time after)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27 10:00 a.m. Virtual Morning Worship with Rev. Liz Hulford (*No REV Worship*)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30 9:30 a.m. Prayer and Care in our homes

FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 2021 9:00 a.m. Morning Devotion on Facebook Live (available on recording any time after)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3 10:00 a.m. Virtual Morning Worship with Rev. Edie (*No Rev Worship*)

ATTENTION

Masks are required at all times while in our building. Let's keep ourselves and everyone safe! During the Pandemic, we will continue to monitor and communicate as any changes are made. Information can be found at <u>www.hickoryhillspres.org</u> or contact the church office. Rev. Edie will be on vacation December 25 – January 2. Bernie will be in the office on Tuesdays and Wednesdays for the week of December 27.



A blessed and very Merry Christmas to all our members and friends!