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 (Katie); Chris (Bernie); Chloe (Kim); David (Karen H); DeSean (Kim); Francie (Karen G); Gabriel (Katie); Gary and Valarie (Kim); Gene (Grace); Gloria and Heidi (Diane C); Gracie (Kim); Jackson; Jerry (Joan); Janet (Evelyn); Joe (Shirley D); Joyce (Sandy B); Julie W (Andrew); Justin (Karen H); Kathy (Bernie); Katie B and her husband Joe; Kiley (Katie); Kyle W; Lynn (Diane); Mackenzie (Bernie); Marj (Charlie); Michael (Karen H); Michelle (Grace); Mike (Karen H); Mike (Kim); Pat (Gert); Patty (Katie); Paula (Bernie); Peter (Katie); Phyllis (Katie); Rae (Karen G); Raymond (Diane C); Richard (Diane C); Rick (Sandy B); Roger (Sandy B); Rose (Katie); Sandi; Sandy (Mel); Shannon; Sharon (Tom M); Suzanne (Bernie); Tierney (Shirley D); TJ (Katie); Tim (Charlie); Tracy (Noelle L); Trevor (Donna); Wanda (Jeni); Willa (Diane)

We pray for those in need of strength and healing.

Andrew (Darlene); Bob (Dave D); Dick (Jeni); Diane and Nancy (Jeni); Dina and Al (Cindy); Edward (Evelyn); Erin Beal and children; Frankie (Bernie); Guy K; Gwynn (Katie); Harry (Katie); Irene and Tiffany (Katie B); Isaiah (Kim); Jessica (Joan); Joan; Joellen (Mel); Karen K (Ar); Marj and Dar (Melanie); Tabby, Grace and Christy (Kim); Tammy (Gordon); Natalie (Bernie); Pam (Katie); Patti (Jeni); Sandy D (Ar); Stephanie and Savino; Susan (Katie); 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 the Netter family in the loss of **Mollie's brother Benjamin and sister-in-law Futhi** who have passed away in South Africa from COVID and for their children, Dali, Nafe and Yankho who are orphaned and still very young; 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.

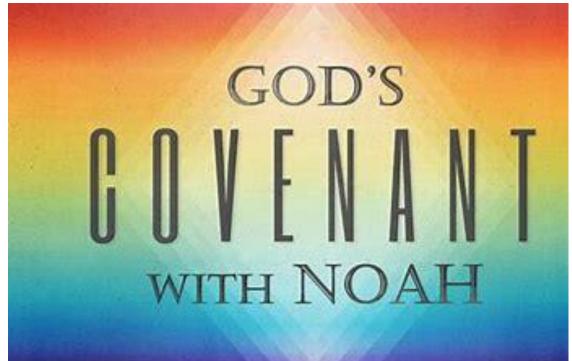
Coronavirus upsurge throughout the world; **Jenny** D (Andrew); those who provide essential services we need; churches who are struggling to reach members and care for people; the injustice and violence around the country

We give thanks for the faithfulness of God.

For the gift of our Savior and the hopes of a new year.

<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.

First Sunday in Lent



HICKORY HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 21, 2021 —1st Sunday in Lent

10:00 a.m.— <u>In-person</u> Worship

(Livestreamed on our Facebook page at Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church; Morning Worship is also recorded and available for viewing on our website at <u>www.hickoryhillspres.org</u> on Sundays by noon.)

5:00 p.m. — In-person REV Worship

Rev. Edie Lenz: pastor@hickoryhillspres.org Office: hhpc@hickoryhillspres.org Website: hickoryhillspres.org 8426 West 95th Street Hickory Hills, IL 60457 708 598 3100

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

- Join Rev. Edie for **in-person Lenten Devotions** on Wednesdays throughout Lent at 11:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall.
- Please send back to us your purple crosses that were mailed to you. They will be used as part of worship during Lent.
- Visioning meeting for Session and Deacons will be held on Saturday, February 27 in Fellowship Hall from 12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. and on Saturday, March 6 from 9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
- **Donations of socks and gloves** for our "Hands and Feet of Jesus" mission will be collected for BedsPlus through March 7.
- Micro-pantry food items and monetary donations are still being accepted and appreciated.
- Any requests for announcements, etc., can be e-mailed to the church at <a href="https://https//http

AS WE RESUME THE 10:00 A.M. AND 5:00 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICES, WE WILL CONTINUE THE PRACTICE OF WEARING MASKS AND KEEPING SOCIAL DISTANCE SO THAT WE KEEP EVERYONE SAFE.

IF YOU HAVE BEEN TO CHURCH AND BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH COVID-19, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE IMMEDIATELY!

NOTE: 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 in the office on Mondays and Tuesdays from 8:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Bernie will be in the office on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021

10:00 a.m.	In-person Morning Worship (available on recording any time after)	
(Livestreamed on our Facebook page at Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church; Morning Worship is also recorded		
and available for viewing on our website at <u>www.hickoryhillspres.org</u> on Sundays by noon.)		
11:00 a.m.	Bell Choir Practice	
5:00 p.m.	REV Worship	

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

9:00 a.m.	Morning Devotion on Facebook Live (available on recording any time after)
1:00 p.m.	In-person Women's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall) – Masks required.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

9:00 a.m.	Morning Devotion on Facebook Live (available on recording any tir	ne after)
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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

9:30 a.m.	Prayer and care in our homes
11:00 a.m.	In-person Lenten Devotions with Rev. Edie (Fellowship Hall)
	No food or beverages will be served.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

9:00 a.m.	Morning Devotion on Facebook Live (available on recording any time after)
10:00 a.m.	Newsletters mailed

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

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

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

12:00 Noon In-person Session and Deacons' Visioning Meeting in Fellowship Hall (*until 3:00. p.m.*)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

10:00 a.m. <u>In-person</u> Morning Worship

(Livestreamed on our Facebook page at Hickory Hills Presbyterian Church; Morning Worship is also recorded and available for viewing on our website at <u>www.hickoryhillspres.org</u> on Sundays by noon.)

- **11:15 a.m.** Bell Choir Practice
- **12:00 noon** Deacons' Meeting (*In-person*)
- 5:00 p.m. In-person REV Worship

A PEEK AT THE WEEK AHEAD