PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Addy; (Karen H); Bob; Bob F (Ar); Brad (Andrew); Bruce (Jeni); Cindy (Katie); Chris (Bernie); Chloe (Kim); Danny F (Jeni); Darlene's son and family (Andrew, Pam, Alex, Brandon, Savannah); who have tested positive for Covid-19; Dave D (Ar); David (Karen H); Dennis (Charlie); DeSean (Kim); Francie (Karen G); Gabriel (Katie); Gary and Valarie (Kim); Gene (Grace); Gert (Ar); Glenda (Melanie); Heidi (Diane C); Gracie (Kim); Ira and Kathy (Scott); Jackson; Janet (Evelyn); Jay (Susan); Jeanette (Debbie); Jerry (Sandy B); Jim V (Bernie); Jim (Bernie); Joe (Shirley D); Joyce (Sandy B); Julie W (Andrew); Justin (Karen H); Kathy (Bernie); Kathy (Linda L); Katie B and her husband Joe; Kim B (Jeni); Kyle (Jeni); Kyle W; Leanne (Karen H); Lynn (Diane); Lisa (Bernie); Mackenzie (Bernie); Marj (Charlie); Mark (Dianne); Michael (Karen H); Mike (Karen H); Mike (Kim); Mike B (Jeni); Nancy (Rev. Edie); Noreen (Jeni); Papa John (Jeni); Pat (Karen H); Patty (Katie); Paula (Bernie); Pete (Esther); Peter (Katie); Phyllis (Katie); Rae (Karen G); Rick; Roger (Sandy B); Rose (Katie); Ruth S (Jen); Sandy (Mel); Sandy J (Bernie); Shannon; Sharon (Tom M); Sherri (Peggy); Suzanne (Bernie); Tierney (Shirley D); TJ (Katie); Tim (Charlie); Todd (Charlie); Traci B (Jeni); Tracy (Bernie); Yvette (Kim); Wanda (Jeni)

We pray for those in need of strength and healing.

Billy (Grace); Bob (Dave D); Carol S (Ar); Dan and Sara (Rick); David (Bernie); Dina and Al (Cindy); Douma family (Evelyn); 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); John (Grace); Karen K (Ar); Kirsten (Kim); Martha (Bernie); Michelle (Katie); Mike B (Jeni); Nancy (Rev. Edie); Robert (Gert); Tabby, Grace and Christy (Kim); Tammy (Gordon); Natalie (Bernie); Pam (Katie); Patti (Jeni); Sandy D (Ar); Russell (Rick); Stan (Bernie); Stephanie, Mackenzie and Savino; Sue (Grace); Susan (Katie)

We pray for groups who are in need.

Healthcare providers and others in harm's way, especially **Jean, Kaitlyn, K, and Molly**; those in hospitals and facilities with health needs; those in isolation; 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 **Rusty** who passed away suddenly August 7 (Bernie); for family and friends of **Maureen** who recently passed away; for the **Panko family** in the death of Jerry; for the families of the children killed in the car accident in Hickory Hills; 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; for those who are being impacted by disasters and other environmental challenges

We pray for those in need during various circumstances.

For the current situation in **Afghanistan** with evacuations, violence against civilians and those living in fear; **Bill and Kathy** after a house fire (Jean); **churches who are struggling** to reach members and care for people; **Coronavirus upsurge** throughout the world; for **Dali, Nafe, and Yanko** awaiting custody hearing; **Dimmick family; those who provide essential services we need Gina** (Bernie); **Haiti; Holly** (Evelyn); the **injustice and violence** around the country; **Kaitlin** (Karen G); for **those who are struggling mentally and emotionally** at this time with the prolonged isolation; **students and teachers**

We give thanks for the faithfulness of God.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are called to SEEK God's Word, to SHARE and CELEBRATE God's love, and to SERVE Jesus Christ in the world.



HICKORY HILLS

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 29, 2021 — 14 $^{\rm th}$ Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 a.m. — In-person Worship

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

5:00 p.m. – In-person REV 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 www.hickoryhillspres.org 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

- "Where Are We Going?" visioning session is being held today, Sunday, August 29, from 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. in the gym. All are encouraged to attend. A time of fellowship with coffee and snacks will be held after worship followed by the visioning session.
- On Saturday, September 11 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., a **Faithwalking mini-retreat** will be held at HHPC. Everyone is welcome. Sign-up sheets are by the exit door.
- **Mission for this month** and throughout September is supporting the relief efforts of CWS for Afghanistan refugees and rebuilding efforts in Haiti. Monetary donations can be placed in the plastic container in the narthex.
- Women's Bible Study will resume on Monday, September 13 at 1:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.
- HHPC Drive-thru Community Meal will be held on Monday, September 13 from 5:30 6:00 p.m. Menu: Pasta, Green Beans, Garlic Bread, Dessert.
- REV worship will be held on the 2nd and 4th Sundays only, with 5:00 p.m. worship on the 2nd Sunday and dinner at 5:00 p.m. on the 4th Sunday through September.
- **M&M containers** are set out for you to take, enjoy and return filled with quarters for our August *Feed My Starving Children* collection. Thank you in advance for your generosity.
- 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 hhpc@hickoryhillspres.org or dropped off in the office.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Under Cook County's recent guidance from the CDC, we have now resumed the practice of wearing masks and keeping social distance at the 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in-person worship services so that we keep everyone safe.

If you have been to church and been diagnosed with COVID-19, please call the office immediately!

During the pandemic, we will continue to monitor and communicate as any changes are made. Information can be found at www.hickoryhillspres.org or contact the church office.

A PEEK AT THE WEEK AHEAD

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29, 2021

10:00 a.m. Morning Worship

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11:30 a.m. "Where Are We Going?" visioning session in the gym (until 1:00 p.m.)

No REV today

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

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

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

10:00 a.m. Morning Worship

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No REV today



Rev. Edie's work schedule for this week is as follows:

 Monday, August 30
 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

 Tuesday, August 31
 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

 Wednesday, September 1
 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

 Thursday, September 2
 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Bernie will be in the office on **Tuesday, August 31 and Wednesday, September 1** from 10:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.