HCC LEADERSHIP

*denotes chairperson

Please check out the Church App for the complete list of all members who are involved in the following areas of leadership at HCC. There are <u>Care Elder</u> and <u>Leadership</u> tabs in the app where you can find this information.

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MARCH 24, 2024 PALM SUNDAY

WORSHIP SONGS

Rejoice

Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)

This Is The Day

Man of Sorrows

The Power of The Cross

King of Kings

WALK OUT WORSHIP

*children ages 3-5 are dismissed to WOW

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 2:1-12; Luke 2:25-38; Matthew 21:1-11

MESSAGE

"Seeking The King"
Pastor Caleb Nykamp

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEK OF MARCH 24, 2024

Welcome! We're so glad you're here today!

- We will be engaging in discussions around church "membership" in April. We will be thinking about what it means to be a part of the church from a Biblical perspective and seek to model our understanding from God's Word. Stay tuned for more on this!
- HCC will have a Maundy Thursday service on March 28 at 6 PM
- Our Easter Worship service will be at the normal time on Sunday, March 31 at 9:30 AM

The HCC Board's monthly report and financial update will be made available on the table in the church foyer. Please feel free to take a copy as they will no longer be distributed to every mailbox.

HCC is excited to host Vacation Bible School August 5-7 from 6:00-8:00 PM for all children entering Kindergarten through 5th grade in the fall of 2024. In order to pull this off, we will need an army of volunteers (high school students and older) using their gifts in many different areas! Please sign-up by April 14 for any area that corresponds to the unique way God has wired and gifted you and our VBS leadership team will reach out to you!

hopkinscommunity.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/2206822

FOR YOUR CALENDARS:

- March 24: Easter Fellowship Breakfast at 8:15 AM
- March 28: Maundy Thursday service at 6 PM
- March 31: Easter Sunday (Spring Break and no Sunday School)
- April 6-15: Kathy will be on vacation
- April 7: No Sunday School or HSYG
- April 21: Last Sunday School for the season/ class parties

PRAYER REQUEST

Eric and Sue Porter are requesting prayer for their daughter, Jenny. She has struggled with depression and a host of other things that have stemmed from that. A few weeks ago, the Porters made the decision to send Jenny to "the Refuge", a home run by Teen Challenge. Teen Challenge is a Biblically-based program that helps young women (and men) by giving them structure and Biblical teaching to equip them for life. The goal would be to give those there the tools they need to navigate life, emotions, relationships, etc. This is a 12–15-month program.

Please Pray:

- 1. For Jenny's heart to be softened to her need to be there. She is not happy to be there and misses home.
- 2. For Jenny to accept the help and support of the staff at the Refuge.
- 3. For Jenny to be free of depression.
- 4. For God to work mightily in Jenny's life to restore her!
- 5. For Eric and Sue as they continue to wrestle with Jenny being gone.

Additionally, this will be a heavy financial burden for the Porters. The Refuge costs approximately \$3,500 a month. HCC has decided to partner with the Porters through the use of our HELP Fund to offset some of the costs for them. Please pray about joining with the Porters in this way and if you feel led to partner with them financially, you can contribute to Jenny's tuition through their website directly: refugegirlsacademy.com/give/ and then be sure to select the tuition option. You will receive a tax donation receipt from them directly. Contributions to the HCC HELP Fund may also be given by cash, check or donate online in the app. Checks should be written to "HCC" and in the memo section, please only write "HELP Fund" and nothing else. Questions about the HELP Fund may be directed to Jim Fredricks or any of the Care Deacons. Thank you!

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