# **Contact Information**

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## **Sundays At A Glance**

Adult Sunday School 9:30 am Morning Worship 10:30 am

# **Sermon Series Outline**

- May 12—Revisiting The Return
- May 19—E3
- May 26—E3
- June 2—Summer Sermon Series

\*Be sure to join us on Facebook Live and YouTube on Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM if you're unable to join us in person.

## **Upcoming Events**

May 12—Mother's Day

May 13—HCC Board Meeting

May 19—Pentecost Sunday **HCC Spring Outdoor Service** High School Graduate Luncheon

May 21—CMF Dinner

# Find us online and on iTunes

We now have current and archived May 12—T. Lisenbee & M. Pace sermons available on iTunes. May 19—A. White & M. Varner Facebook, YouTube. and on CD.

Search for Harlan Christian Church and download the videos or podcasts.

Stream the sermon from iTunes or download it to your phone.

Help spread the word!



# **Service Schedule**

# Children's Church

May 26—G. Arwood & J. Brock

June 2—L. Johnson & T. McCurry

## **Communion to Shut-Ins**

May 12—R. Jones & C. Hendrickson

May 19—David Howard & Jeremy Lee

May 26—Tim & Justin Howard

June 2—R. Jones & C. Hendrickson

# **Van Drivers**

May 12—C. & L. Hendrickson

May 19—Scott & Misty Pace

May 26—George & Gwen Arwood

June 2—C. & L. Hendrickson

# Disciple Notes

Week of May 6, 2024



Last words are important and often tell us something about the person who spoke them. They are treasured by loved ones and sometimes recorded in history for all to know. As I was preparing for our next sermon. I ran across a list of famous last words as listed by Pastor Greg Laurie. Let me

share some of them with you.

Some last words aren't very memorable. At his death, Karl Marx scolded his housekeeper for wanting final words from the communist revolutionary. His final utterance was: "Go on, get out! Last words are for fools who haven't said enough!" And comedian Groucho Marx said, "Die, my dear? Why that's the last thing I'll do." He was right about that. And prognosticator Nostradamus? "You will not find me alive at sunrise." Great prediction. He was right, too. And, finally, Pancho Villa, another famous revolutionary said, "Don't let it end like this. Tell them I said something." Not the greatest quote to be remembered by.

And, then there are others such as John Wesley who on his death bed said, "The best of all is, God is with us." What a wonderful thought. The last words I remember my wife's grandmother speak were, "I'm not afraid." She knew Jesus.

This week, we'll reach the end of the Bible and read the last recorded words of Jesus: "Yes, I am coming soon." (Revelation 22:20b) What great words of encouragement and hope for all those saved by Christ.

I encourage you to read Revelation 21 and 22 again this week and allow those chapters to encourage and strengthen you. We look forward to worshiping with you on Sunday as we finish Revelation and as we celebrate Mother's Day. I invite you to bring a friend. Have a great week!

In Christ, David

### **HCC Prayer List**

Hospital

Vicky Howard

#### **Nursing Home/Rehabilitation**

Dan Forester

#### **Church Family**

Jerry Asher, Mikey & June Clem, Diane Corriston,
Dorothy Fultz, Maralee Holder, Ann Howard, Gayle
Huff, Judy Kersey, George King, Martha Lee, Darlene
Lemarr, Cade Lindsey, Shelba Malcomb, Pam Mize,
Marybelle Morgan, Ginger Parks, Don Parsons, Linda
Parsons, Alan Sutton, June Sutton, Ed Taylor

#### Friends & Relatives

Jesse Alcantar, Glenda Anderson, Earl Ball, Cathy Banks, Brian Brock, Patty Stallard Brock, Randy Brock, Eric Bowling, Marvenia Bowman, Ron Caldwell, Richie Carmical, Sonny & Brenda Cassim, Sybil Caswell, Danielle Caudill, Melanie Cooper, Johnny & Beth Creech, William Curry, Lana Daniels, Chris Delph, Brandi Evans, Tim Evans, Tammy Forrester, Homer Fortney, Brenda Henson, Steve Hensley, Lloyd Hill, Logan Hill, Ada Howard, Dr. Smith Howard, II, Jacob Hubbard, Amy Johnson, Sherry Johnson, Danny Lawson, Carolyn Luttrell, Joyce Luttrell, Ervil Mann, Eddie Manning, Sharon Marlin, Barbara McKinney, Jonah Miller, Tommy Miller, Steve Moore, Ron Pace, Conley Parker, Clarinda Phillips, Charles Saylor, Garfield Saylor, Pat Sellers, Mary Simpson, Stephanie Miracle Spradlin, Sara Stanton, Jan Stringer, Roger Surgener, Jerry & Wilma Swim, Dana Vanover, Kathy Wilson

#### Families of Bob Yost

#### Mothers-to-Be

Jourdan Ledford Harris, Anna Lee Nicholson, Brooklyn Sutton

#### Others

Military/families, Christ's Hands, First Priority, Hope Center, Lydia's House, Celebrate Recovery, E-House, Cindy's Place, Navigator Ministries, Christians and Church of Ukraine, Greater Piedmont Adult & Teen Challenge, Israel Crisis

#### **Prayer List Update**

Please notify the church office at (606)573-1314 if others should be added to or removed from the list.

#### Thanks!

# Attendance & Offering April 28, 2024

Attendance: 97

 General Giving:
 \$2,268.20

 Benevolence:
 \$25.00

 Nursery:
 \$50.00

 Total
 \$2,343.20

# Memorial Gifts

Gifts given in honor of

# Jim Morgan

by Ann Howard David & Cylisa Howard Lisa Johnson



# Thank You

Thanks, friends, for having us for another "Fish Fry" weekend. As always, we consider Harlan one of our favorite places. And thanks for your generosity. May God generously return the blessing to you all.

Love in Christ,

Tommy and John Thomas Oaks

### Please join us in praying this week:

"Behold I am coming soon! Blessed is he who keeps the words of the prophecy in this book."

(Revelation 22:7)

# **HCC Bible Studies**

HCC offers the following Bible studies throughout the spring:

Men's Study of "Tell Someone" Tuesdays at 6:30 PM

Women's Study of Revelation Wednesdays at 6:30 PM

Group Study of 2 Peter Wednesdays at 6:30 PM

Adult Sunday School Class Sundays at 9:30 AM



HCC Fellowship Hall

Students in grades 6-12

Dinner at 6:00 PM

Meeting at 6:30 PM

Harlan Christian Church

Children's Ministry

Join us on Wednesday
Dinner Begins at 6:00
Class Begins at 6:30
Preschool-5th Grade

# **Celebrate Our Graduates**

Join us to celebrate our HCC high school graduates after our worship service on Sunday, May 19. We'll have lunch on the grounds and a brief recognition ceremony for our graduates. See you there!



# **May 19**

Mark your calendar for May 19. That Sunday, we'll celebrate Pentecost with an outdoor service followed by our high school graduate luncheon.

# **Church Board Meeting**

May 13 6:30 PM