

Hickory Valley Baptist Church
Announcements – May 17, 2026

Bible study

Sunday night

At 6:00, Pastor David will continue the study of the effect of the Bible in people's daily lives.

Mid-week fellowship

Wednesday

Lunch will be served at 12 noon, followed by sharing of Scriptures, singing, a brief devotion, sharing prayer requests, and spending time individually in prayer.

Women's Bible study

Thursday

At 3 p.m. A 6-week Bible study - "Having a Real Relationship with God." For more information, please contact Miriam Epperson or Joy Martin.

Special speakers

Sunday, May 24

Pastor David and Carolyn will be out-of-town on Sunday, May 24. Veteran missionary Roy Seals will speak in the morning service that day, and Ken Andrews will speak that evening.

Gospel tracts and invitations to HVBC

In the lobby, there is an assortment of gospel tracts, including some written in Spanish and some designed to reach Jewish people. There are also business card-sized invitations to HVBC. Consider making it your goal to give out at least one tract and one invitation each day.

The King's Brass in concert

Sunday night, June 7

An outstanding group of instrumentalists who will play thrilling arrangements of hymns and patriotic music. Invitations to distribute are available in the lobby.

"Our Daily Bread" for June, July, and August

Free copies are available in the lobby.



**Vacation Bible School, ages 4-12
June 1-5. 5:45-8:00 p.m.**

Be thinking and praying about who you can invite. Workers are needed in some key areas. If you are interested in helping, please contact Pastor Frank.

Financial Report

Last week's tithes & offerings	\$3,345.84
Weekly operating budget	\$5,566.59
Year to date tithes & offerings	\$128,800.22
Year to date operating budget	\$105,765.21

sermon notes

**Waters Created by the Lord God, and Work Assigned by the Lord God
Genesis 2:10-15
May 17, 2026**

introduction: examples of significant rivers on earth today

1. The Lord God created a special _____ river _____ to water the Garden of Eden, and that river divided into four other rivers (Genesis 2:10-14).

2. There is a river of _____ life _____ in the place where all those who are saved will live forever (Revelation 22:1).

Jesus used the term “ _____ living water _____ ” to symbolize salvation (John 4:4-14; John 7:37-38).

3. _____ Work _____ has been part of the Lord God’s plan for human beings from the beginning (Genesis 2:15).

personal application: Work with all your _____ might _____ in everything you do, doing everything as unto the Lord.

supporting Scriptures: Proverbs 13:4
Proverbs 28:19
Ecclesiastes 9:10
Colossians 3:17
1 Timothy 6:1
Titus 2:9-10
Colossians 3:22-24