November 8, 2026 **9:45 A.M.**

**Please stand if able*

***Greet Your Neighbor**

***Call to Worship** Psalm 9. 1-10

***Songs of Praise** "Great Are You Lord"

***Opening Prayer**

Welcome and Announcements

Offering *"There Was Jesus"*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scripture Matthew 9. 18-19, 23-26

Message Jesus (Almost) Never Broke a Sweat
Rev. Rich Morris

We Pray Together

***Closing Song** "Trust in God"

***Benediction**

October 25, 2026 REPORT:

In-Person Worship	287	
Online Attendance	48	
Building Fund		$ 722.00
General Offering		$ 15,172.49
Weekly amount needed to meet budget		$ 11,612.00

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

November 9	Dinner Church 6pm
November 11	Bible Study 7pm
November 12	Finance Team 6:30pm
November 16	Prayer Night 7pm
November 18	Women in Faith Luncheon
November 21	Night of Worship 7pm
November 22	Thanksgiving Dinner 5pm
December 4	Christmas Tree Lighting

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

COLLEGE STUDENTS. The names of our college students are needed by the Women in Faith as they prepare to fill college gift bags. Sign up on the Connection Desk or contact the church office before Nov. 15. A box for donations of snacks and school supplies is by the stairs to the back exit.

WOMEN IN FAITH LUNCHEON. Wednesday, Nov. 18 noon in the church social hall. Program "This and That" presented by Sonia Keiper and Donna Fruth. If able, bring a covered dish to share. After the program, bags will be filled for our college students. All women are welcome.

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER. Sunday, November 22 at 5pm. Once again we will host this at the Duncansville Community Center. Sign up at the Connection Desk. If you can volunteer to help please sign up or contact Bella Wetter 814 330 1085.

FIRST TIME GUESTS. Welcome to Hicks Church we're glad you're here! We'd love to welcome you with a small gift bag that includes some information about our programs here at Hicks! Please feel free to grab a gift bag from our Welcome Desk (next to the Nursery) during your time here!

MEAL TRAIN COORDINATOR. If you or someone you know is having a baby, grieving the loss of a loved one, or having surgery, please reach out to Carolee Hajnosz at chajnosz1@gmail.com.

AMERICAN RESCUE WORKER NEEDS. ARW can use shampoo, conditioner, hand soap, bar soap, any dry goods.

ONLINE GIVING. Making a one-time or recurring tithe to the church is so easy and safe. Go to hickschurch.org or use the QR code below and select online worship. There is a dropdown tab for online giving. This is a great way to tithe and give consistently and faithfully to the church.

The Altar Flowers are presented by Melaine Depetro and Family in Memory of George Depetro

HICKS CHILDREN'S
ministry

Our Children's Ministry's purpose is to assist parents with their children's lifelong journey to know, love and follow Jesus. We want to connect children to God and to each other as we teach and equip them to become disciples and create community. Need more info? Contact the church office at office@hickschurch.org

- Children in preschool through **6th grade** are encouraged to attend Sunday School Classes designed for their specific age group. All classrooms are located downstairs; specific grades are marked with hanging signage.
- The first Sunday of the month, Family Worship Services are held at the 9:45 worship time. During these services, we take a break from our classrooms to offer families the opportunity to worship, sing and pray together in the sanctuary.
- Our **Nursery** is fully staffed and is happy to take care of your babies and toddlers during today's worship service
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Why join a Community Group?

Relationships, far more than church attendance are what God uses to grow and mature our faith in Him. One of the best ways we are able to grow as believers is by joining a community group. The Christian life was never meant for us to live alone. Joining a Community Group is a perfect way to connect with others to pray and explore God's word together. Interested in starting or joining a community group? Contact Pastor Allyce at allyce@hickschurch.org.

community groups

HICKS MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

"Building Communities of Devoted Followers of Jesus"



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Hicks Memorial Methodist Church Values
Jesus First, Living Faith, Care Full,
Self Forgetting, Mission Forward