

Hickory Grove – Church Profile

Overview	
<p>Hickory Grove Presbyterian Church (PCA) is a committed and close-knit congregation planted just east of Nashville. The congregation is small, but we have a large childcare (infant through pre-K). Our worship is driven by the content of the Gospel.</p> <p>A defining characteristic is the love God has given us for His Gospel. We have a desire to share it to make disciples in the childcare and the community, and we seek a Spirit-filled pastor to lead us into our next season. We trust that God is preparing him now. We need him—with Him—to release our untapped potential, encourage us out of complacency, and mobilize us into mission and discipleship.</p>	
Mission Statement	
<p>By God’s grace and for His glory, our desire is to be a loving family that builds up people in Jesus.</p>	
Core Values	Desire: to become disciplers so that we ...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rooted in the Gospel • Growing in Grace • Renewed by the Spirit • Connected in Community • Branching Out in Missions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increase reliance on the Holy Spirit • maintain Gospel fluency • reach unchurched people • build up ministries of the church • champion children’s and youth ministries
Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christ-centered teaching • Devoted core • Active women’s group • On-site childcare ministry • Caring congregation • Solid financial position and stewardship • Untapped potential for outreach 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-year attendance decline • Few families with children • Burned-out active members • Discipleship • Low outreach • Few visitors, fewer returns • Inconsistent communication • Campus in need of updates
Ministries We Operate	Other Ministries We Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covenant Family Childcare • Harvest Prison Ministry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advance Memphis • Reformed Evangelistic Fellowship, Philadelphia • Mission to the World, Madrid • Reformed Presbyterian Global Missions, South Sudan • Rafiki, Africa
Local Ministries We Support	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pregnancy Care Center • Kurdish and Uzbek Outreach, South Nashville 	

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Demographics at a Glance

Church (EOY 2020)	Childcare (EOY 2020)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Members = 68 Average Sunday attendance = 63 In-person/Zoom about equal TEs = 2; REs = 3; Deacons = 3 Tithes = \$146,000 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff = 25 Children = 92 Families = 81 (2 with single parent) Unchurched children/families = 50% Net revenues = \$955,000
Mt. Juliet	Tennessee
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residents = 37,000+ Fastest growing city in the fastest growing county in Tennessee Low taxes compared to Nashville Churches in or next to Mt. Juliet = 57 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Baptist = 18, Nondenominational = 11, Church of Christ = 7 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residents = 6,900,000 60% of US population within 11 hours by car Higher inbound migration than most states Lower taxes than most states

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