

AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH, SEPTEMBER 6, 2015, 10:30 AM

WORD OF WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR JASON

OPENING PRAYER

PRELUDE WITH LIGHTING OF CANDLES

****CALL TO WORSHIP: (CONGREGATION SPEAKS RESPONSES IN BOLD PRINT)**

We can trust God.

God is like the mountain: rock solid.

God loves all the people:

the poor, the disabled, the outcast, the stranger.

We can depend on God.

God feeds the hungry, heals the sick, and restores relationships.

Praise our Loving God.

Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah.

HYMN: "TIS SO SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS"

BLUE HYMNAL #462

CHILDREN'S SERMON:

CALL TO OFFERING*****

*HYMN: "PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW"

BLUE HYMNAL #95

****PRAYER OF DEDICATION:**

All that we do is in your holy name, O God. Even as we share the riches of our labors, may we continue to honor your name in all that we do. Bless these gifts given freely, that your justice and mercy may prevail in a weak and weary world. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

RESPONSE: "GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS" (VERSE 1 ONLY)

BLUE HYMNAL #140

CALL TO CONFESSION:

Patient Lord, you know us so well. We are fascinated by healing and can talk all day about the miracles, but we do not understand the compassion of Christ. We often say, "Just heal us; or Just make me rich; or Just make things go better at work" or other such deals and then we promise our faithfulness and witness.. But in our hearts, we just don't get it. Please forgive us, Lord, when our greed and fear gets in the way of understanding. Help us to know the transformational power of your love. Get us ready to be faithful witnesses to you in all that we say and do. It is in Jesus' Name that we pray. AMEN.

SILENT INDIVIDUAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

In the Name of Jesus Christ you have been healed. Praise be to God who has given you new life. AMEN.

SCRIPTURE: JAMES 2:1-17

RED BIBLE PAGE 278

MESSAGE: "FWOWID"

PASTOR JASON COLLIER

HOLY COMMUNION

BLUE HYMNAL #12

CALL TO RESPONSE

****HYMN: "LORD OF THE DANCE"**

BLUE HYMNAL #261

(WHILE THIS IS SUNG, THE LIGHT FROM THE CANDLES IS CARRIED OUT INTO THE WORLD.)

****THE BENEDICTION**

****A REQUEST TO STAND, IF YOU ARE ABLE.**

*****If you are a new attendee please complete one of the orange "Connecting with ACC" cards in the pews. Place the completed card in the offering plate as it passes. We look forward to seeing you again! (Extra Orange Cards at Snack Table – leave completed card with Sound Booth Operator).

Thank you, The ACC Worship and Membership Committees

Restrooms, water fountain, nursery area, and baby changing table are all located in the Fellowship Hall which can be found downstairs through the front and back entryways.

For a hearing assistance device, check with persons in the sound booth at the rear of the sanctuary.

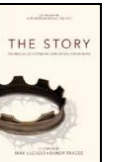
Sources: Liturgy and prayers provided by website "Ministry Matters"

PARISH COUNCIL FOR 2015: Myron Rees; Liz Kaufman, Dan Klinzman, Dwight Miller, Jenny Yoder, Kris Anderson, and Laura Temple. Youth Representative: Kylene Anderson

STAFF/PASTOR PARISH RELATIONS: Steve Anderson, Dave Kaufman, Marg Colthurst.

"THE STORY": WORSHIP MESSAGE & STUDY- 9/13

Sunday, September 13 "The Story" resumes starting with Chapter 10 "Standing Tall; Falling Hard". To own a copy of "The Story", see Jan. (\$5 donation, if possible). Wynne and Oscar Steele will continue to facilitate our adult Bible Study group using "The Story" materials. This group will **NOT meet on Sunday, September 13 at 9:15 AM**, but they **WILL meet on Monday, September 14 at 6:30 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. In the weeks that follow, the classes are offered at two different times each week (Sunday mornings at 9:15 and Monday evening at 6:30). You may attend either or both. All classes will be held at the South Church. The classes will coincide with the sermon series. If you miss one of the classes, the DVD material is available through "rightnow MEDIA". Contact Jan if you need access to the site. AND all the sermons are available the following week on the church website.



FAMILY FUN DAY: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Join us for a carnival on the church grounds! EVERYONE is invited! Tickets are \$2 per person and will include everything! There will be face painting, a photo booth, bike decorating, sno-cones, a cake/cookie walk, carnival games and delicious food! More details to come! Tickets Available after September 4th, but you can reserve yours by calling 319-591-0745.



BIRTHDAYS/*ANNIVERSARIES

7) *Sabrina & Dylan Goodwin;9) Eric Stewart; 11) Ellie Prier; 12) Ashley Stout; Rigo Castillo

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, September 6: Communion Sunday (Wynne Steele)

Monday, September 7: Labor Day Observed

Thursday, September 10: ACCW, Fellowship Hall, Ruth Miller Hostess; Penny McCreedy, Program, 1:30 PM; TKD, 6-7 PM; Parish Council, 7 PM, So. Church

Friday, September 11: Alzheimer’s Fundraiser/Fish Fry, Ainsworth Opera House, 5-8 PM; Admission – Freewill donation to Alzheimer’s Association, For reservations and more information – Tara Jenkins (319) 430-7345.

Saturday, September 12: Prepare for Carnival at ACC

Sunday, September 13: Family Day Worship, “The Story”, Chapter 10 is worship focus, 10:30 AM; Special Family Day Meal and Events to follow; CIA Youth Group, Fall Kick Off - 5:30-7 PM – FMI contact AmySara; **NOTE:** 9:15 AM Bible Study resumes Sept. 20.

Monday, September 14: “The Story” Bible Study, Fellowship Hall, 6:30 to 8 PM

Tuesday, September 15: “Card” Club, 5 PM, ACC; “Son” Seekers, Gene & Pat Miller, 7 PM

Wednesday, September 16: Bachelor’s Lunch, 11:30 AM; The Well Youth Gathering, ACC North Church, 2-4 PM; Kids’ Club Kick-Off with hay ride, light supper, Marr Park, 6-7:30 PM

Thursday, September 17: TKD, 6-7 PM, ACC Fellowship Hall

Sunday, Sept. 20: “The Story” Bible Study, Chapter 11, 9:15 AM, ACC; Worship – “The Story” Chapter 11 – “From Shepherd to King”, 10:30 AM; CIA Youth Group, 4-5:30 PM, UCC

Monday, September 21: “The Story” Bible Study, Chapter 11 – “From Shepherd to King”, Fellowship Hall, 6:30 to 8 PM

Date	Ushers	Greeters	Candles	Snacks	AV
Sept. 6	Neil Mills Neal Megchelsen	Ruth Miller, Angie Ornduff	Lexi Collier	Karen Megchelsen, Brenda Bean	Jan Temple or Other
Sept. 13	Joe Skubal, Rob Yoder	Carol Bean, Nancy Stewart	Gabby Dawley	Wilma Chalupa, Penny McCreedy	Jan Temple or Other

SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:30 AM

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TREASURER: Rita Anderson

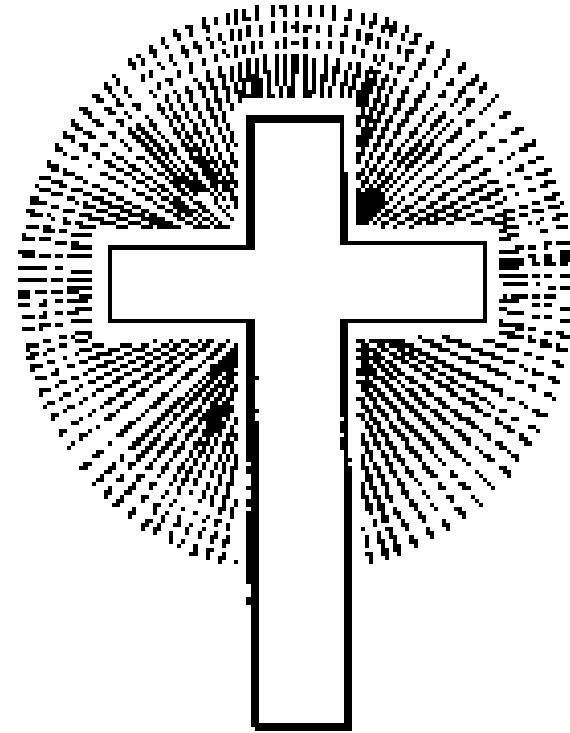
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MISSION COMMITTEE: Kathi/Brenda: 657-2387; Judy: 657-2157; Stacy: 319-930-0291

AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH

United Methodist & Presbyterian Church (USA)

United together in fellowship, love, and service since 1973



Our Mission is to share the saving love of Christ and to help persons grow as joyful disciples in ministry to all the world.

**September 6, 2015
10:30 AM**

JASON W. COLLIER, PASTOR