

**AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH, OCTOBER 25, 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)**

Bless the Lord at all times.

**Let everyone bless God.**

Praise the Lord continually.

**Let everyone praise Christ.**

Our souls boast in the Lord.

**We boast in the Spirit's greatness.**

With one voice, we magnify and exalt the Lord,  
for God has delivered us and made us whole.

**Exalt our God, the Lord of life.**

HYMN: "WONDERFUL WORDS OF LIFE"

BLUE HYMNAL #600

CHILDREN'S SERMON:

CALL TO OFFERING\*\*\*\*\*

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

BLUE HYMNAL #95

**\*\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:**

**Dear God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we praise you! You graciously give us faith. You assure us that the risen Christ prays for us as we approach you in his name. May all who follow Christ as disciples be renewed by your word and Spirit. Let these offerings and our lives contribute to your will being done through the ministry and mission of this church. By the power of the Spirit, we pray through Christ, our great high priest. Amen.**

JOYS, CONCERNS, LORD'S PRAYER (USING 'SINS')

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven**

**Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins,  
as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

RESPONSE: "THROUGH IT ALL"

BLUE HYMNAL #507

CALL TO CONFESSION:

**Mystical, transcendent God, there is so much of life we simply do not know. In our arrogance, we utter what we do not understand. Rescue us, O Lord, from our afflictions. Restore us, O God, from our self-inflicted wounds. Have mercy on us, Son of David, Son of God, and save us by your unending intercession.**

SILENT INDIVIDUAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Cry out to Christ, our great High Priest, for he has saved us. Our faith has made us well, brought us forgiveness, and granted us peace.

SCRIPTURE: ISAIAH 53:6-11

RED BIBLE PAGE 836

MESSAGE: THE STORY, CH. 16: "THE BEGINNING OF THE END"

PASTOR JASON

CALL TO RESPONSE

**\*\*HYMN: "O HOW I LOVE JESUS"**

BLUE HYMNAL #170

(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: Kylen Anderson

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

**CHARGE CONFERENCE TODAY!!** 2:30 PM, UNITED CHURCH OF CRAWFORDSVILLE

**MISSION COMMITTEE GARAGE SALE**



THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5: 1 TO 5 PM

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6: 9 AM TO 3 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7: 9 AM TO NOON

**BIRTHDAYS/\*ANNIVERSARIES:** 26) Alice Droll; 27) Geoff Stewart; 29) \*Ken & Tammy Kruse, Jr.; 30) Tim Bean; 31) Joyce Lord; **November:** 1) Joe Dawley

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Sunday, October 25:** Bible Study, Ch. 16, 9:15 AM, Fellowship Hall; Worship: “The Story” Ch. 16 – “The Beginning of the End”, 10:30 AM; **Charge Conference ACC/UCC, 2:30 PM, United Church of Crawfordsville;** North Church; Puppet Ministry Orientation, South Church, 5:30 PM

**Monday, October 26:** No Bible Study this week Sanctuary; Sacha Club, hold Fellowship Hall, 6 PM

**Wednesday, October 28:** The Well Youth Gathering, ACC North Church, 2-4 PM; Kids’ Club, 6:30 PM, South Church; Pick-up 7:30 PM North Church

**Thursday, October 29:** Spirit Sister Prayer Group, Fellowship Hall, 9 AM; TKD, 6-7 PM, ACC Fellowship Hall

**Sunday, November 1: Daylight Saving Time Ends; All Saints’ Day;** Bible Study, Ch. 17, 9:15 AM, Fellowship Hall; 10 AM; Worship “The Story” Ch. 17”, 10:30 AM with Communion; CIA Youth Group, 4-5:30 PM, UCC

**Monday, November 2:** “The Story” Bible Study, Chapter 17 – “The Kingdoms’ Fall”, 6:30 PM, Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, November 3:** “Son” Seekers, 7 PM, Mike & Mary Lou Koehler

**Wednesday, November 4:** The Well Youth Gathering, ACC North Church, 2-4 PM; Kids’ Club, 6:30 PM, South Church; Pick-up 7:30 PM North Church; Joint Worship Committee Meeting, 7:45 PM, Crawfordsville

**Thursday, November 5:** Spirit Sister Prayer Group, Fellowship Hall, 9 AM; TKD, 6-7 PM, ACC Fellowship Hall; Mission Committee Garage Sale – 1-5 PM

**Friday, November 6: Lifetouch Portraits, Ainsworth Community Church, 2-9 PM;** Mission Committee Garage Sale – 9 AM to 3 PM

**Saturday, November 7: Lifetouch Portraits at Ainsworth Community Church, 10 AM to 4 PM;** Mission Committee Garage Sale – 9 AM to Noon

Date	Ushers	Greeters	Candles	Snacks	AV
<b>Oct 25</b>	Neil Mills Neal Megchelsen	Wilma & Darrell Chalupa	Molly Klinzman	Karen Megchelsen, Brenda Bean	Jan Temple or Other
<b>Nov. 1</b>	Joe Skubal, Rob Yoder	Jim & Penny McCreedy	Kate Hartzler	Judy Skubal, Jenny Yoder	Jan Temple or Other

SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:30 AM; Sunday

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

**October 25, 2015**

**10:30 AM**

**JASON W. COLLIER, PASTOR**