AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH, APRIL 10, 2016, 10:30 AM

WORD OF WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, OPENING PRAYER

PASTOR JASON

PRELUDE AND LIGHTING OF CANDLES

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

Lord, we come before you in joy, clothed in the majesty of your glory.

We come to sing your praises.

Like the myriad faithful of old, we proclaim the Lamb to be worthy of blessing, honor, and glory.

We fall down before you in worship. Amen!

HYMN: "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! LORD GOD ALMIGHTY"

BLUE HYMNAL #64

CHILDREN'S SERMON

CALL TO OFFERING****

*HYMN: "PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW" BLUE HYMNAL #95

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

Lord, accept these offerings, given with joy as a token of our praise, that they may be used in service to Christ. Thanks be to God. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYER ENDING WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER (BELOW) 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 <u>sins</u>,
as we forgive those who <u>sin</u> 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: "IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL" (1ST VERSE ONLY)

BLUE HYMNAL #377

A TIME OF CONFESSION

God of Forgiveness, hear now the confession of our sins.

Our greed and our lust for power create enemies where we should find friends.

We fail to offer comfort and aid to those who are afraid and beat down by the burdens of life.

We are as blind and willful as Saul to the pain and the destruction of our wrongdoings and our well-meaning crusades.

Forgive us, merciful One. Give us sight to see with your eyes, that we may bring hope peace to our world.

Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

God's anger lasts but a moment, but God's favor lasts a lifetime. The Lord forgives our shortcomings and sends deliverance through Christ, just as the Lord forgave Saul and used him to spread the gospel. Thanks be to God!

SCRIPTURE: 1 TIMOTHY 1:13-15

ACTS 13:2-3

ACTS 14:19-20

ACTS 16:22-25

MESSAGE: "THE STORY, CHAPTER 29: PAUL'S MISSION"

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CALL TO RESPONSE:

**HYMN: "HYMN OF PROMISE" BLUE HYMNAL #707

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

*****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.

<u>Sources</u>: Liturgy and prayers provided by website "Ministry Matters"

PARISH COUNCIL FOR 2016: Dwight Miller, Jenny Yoder, Kris Anderson, Laura Temple, Wendell Arduser, Wayne Freyenberger. Youth Representative: Kylen Anderson STAFF/PASTOR PARISH RELATIONS: Steve Anderson, Dave Kaufman, Karen Arduser BIRTHDAYS/*ANNIVERSARIES: 10) Carson Bean, *Gary & Nancy Stewart; 11) Megan Edgar, Jacob Hartzler; 13) *Rich & Lois Riggan; 15) Jim Wilson; 16) Allison Barnes; 18) Gracyn Anderson, Dave Skubal; 20) Rachel Megchelsen; *Dan & Stacy Klinzman; 21) Kate Hartzler

Crooked Creek Christian Camp

May 14 is Camp-A-Palooza featuring the color-me-fun-run followed by a BBQ freewill donation lunch, live music and bounce house and games for kids. You can find the schedule and register online

at www.crookedcreekcamp.org/camp-a-palooza

Summer Camp Registration is open with early bird registration prices and campers can choose a shirt color. Seeking summer camp counselors. For more information contact program director Megan Miller.

^{**}THE BENEDICTION

^{**}A REQUEST TO STAND, IF YOU ARE ABLE.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, April 10: Adult Bible Study using "The Story, Chapter 29", Fellowship Hall, 9:15 AM, Worship 10:30 AM, "The Story" Chapter 29, "Paul's Mission"; NO Youth Group today

Monday, April 11: Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 8 PM

Wednesday, April 13: Clean the Church!!! 9-10:30 AM and/or 7-8:30 PM

Thursday, April 14: Spirit Sisters Ainsworth Bible Study, 8:30 AM; ACCW 1:30 PM, Fellowship Hall, Program by Jason, Angie Refreshments; TKD, Fellowship Hall, 6 PM; Parish Council, 7 PM, North Church

Friday, April 15: Praise Team Rehearsal in sanctuary, 6 PM

Sunday, April 17: The Story Bible Study, 9:15 AM –Chapter 30; Worship 10:30 AM, "The Story – Chapter 30: Paul's Final Days"; CIA Youth Group, 4 PM Crooked Creek Christian Camp; Colthurst Scholarship Applications Due by 5 PM to Church/Jan

Monday, April 18: Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 8 PM

Tuesday, April 19: "Card" Club, ACC Fellowship Hall, 5 PM; "Son" Seekers, Herb & Dorothy Koehler, 7 PM

Wednesday, April 20: Staff Meeting, UCC, 8:30 AM; Bachelor's Lunch, 11:30 AM, UCC

Thursday, April 21: Spirit Sisters Ainsworth, 8:30 AM; UCC Rummage Sale, 8 AM; TKD, Fellowship Hall, 6 PM

Friday, April 22: UCC Rummage Sale, 8 AM to 6 PM; Praise Team Rehearsal, 6 PM, ACC Sanctuary

Saturday, April 23: Fellowship Hall reserved for private group; UCC Rummage Sale, 8 AM to Noon

Sunday, April 24: Todd and Marcia Baldridge Mission Speakers during worship at 10:30 AM and guests at potluck in Fellowship Hall following worship. Bring dish to pass; table service and beverage provided. **Mon.**,

April 25: Hold Fellowship Hall for Sacha Club, 6 PM; Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 8 PM

Tuesday, April 26: Adapt to Thrive Strategic Planning, 6:30 PM, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, April 27: Parents and Preschoolers – MUST pre-register, See Ann or call 657-3020

Thursday, April 28: Spirit Sisters Ainsworth, 8:30 AM; TKD, Fellowship Hall, 6 PM

	Ushers	Greeters	Candles	Snacks	AV
10	Dave Kaufman,	Dan/Stacy	Molly	Liz Kaufman,	Dalton Diers
	Steve Anderson	Klinzman	Klinzman	Rita Anderson	
17	Jim Hansen,	Oscar/Wynne	Lexi Collier	Sherri Hazen,	Dalton Diers,
	Wendell Arduser	Steele		Chris Sieren	Joey Collier

SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:30 AM

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AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH

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Paul traveled to many places telling about Jesus.

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

> 3rd Sunday of Easter – April 10, 2016 10:30 AM

JASON W. COLLIER, PASTOR