

AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH, JUNE 5, 2016, 10:30 AM

WORD OF WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, OPENING PRAYER

AMYSARA

PRELUDE AND LIGHTING OF CANDLES

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

Praise the Lord. **Let all who draw breath praise the Lord.** Happy are those whose help is from God—the One who made heaven and earth, the One who created the seas and all that is in them. **Happy are those whose hope is in God—the One who keeps faith forever, the One who feeds the hungry and defends the oppressed.** God will reign forever, for all generations. Praise the Lord! **Let all who draw breath praise the Lord.**

OPENING PRAYER: O God, who lifts us up, sets us free, and watches over us, visit us this day. Lift our spirits, and free our minds. Open our eyes and hearts to your words, your will, and the miracle of your holy presence, that we may encounter you in the meeting of friends and in kindness to strangers. Lift us up, and set us free, O God. Watch over us, we pray. Amen.

HYMN: “O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING”

BLUE HYMNAL #57

CHILDREN’S SERMON

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PARTICIPANTS SHARE MUSIC

CALL TO OFFERING****

SPECIAL VIDEO

When the special music ends and the new song starts, please STAND and sing:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below, praise Him above the heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. A-men

****PRAYER OF DEDICATION:**

A widow in great need shared what she had, and miracles of bread and renewed life ensued. Whatever our means, whatever our needs, we each have something to share. In gratitude to God, let us offer our tithes and gifts to the One who is faithful.

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 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

REFLECTION HYMN: “STANDING IN THE NEED OF PRAYER”

BLUE HYMNAL #352

CONFESSING TOGETHER

Merciful God, you know how we love miracles. We love your healing, life-giving presence. We confess that poverty and oppression are less appealing topics. Yet, we find you among the poor, the downtrodden, the widow, the orphan. In their midst we find you, your prophets, and your miracles. Dwell with us, as we make the struggles of the oppressed our own struggles. Join us at your table, as we join the effort to feed and clothe those who live in want. Grant us your compassion, we pray, that we may truly be your people. Amen.

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Hear the good news: Those who seek will find help and hope in God. In Jesus we are raised to newness of life.

SCRIPTURE: 1 KINGS 17:8-24

RED BIBLE PAGE 401

MESSAGE: “I FORGET”

AMYSARA, YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY

CALL TO RESPONSE:

****“I WILL TRUST IN THE LORD”**

BLUE HYMNAL #464

(WHILE THIS IS SUNG, THE LIGHT FROM THE CHRIST CANDLE 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 2016: Dwight Miller, Jenny Yoder, Kris Anderson, Laura Temple, Wendell Arduser, Wayne Freyenberger, and Colleen Bean. Youth Representative: Kylene Anderson

STAFF/PASTOR PARISH RELATIONS: Steve Anderson, Dave Kaufman, Karen Arduser

BIRTHDAYS/*ANNIVERSARIES: 6) Laura Temple, Harold Nicholson, Emerson Berner; Kim Prier; 7) Duane Dunbar; 8) Herb Yoder, McKenzie Bean-Scarff, 9) Penny McCreedy; 10)

*Jim & Linda Wenger; * Duane & Linda Dunbar; 13) Jeff & Kim Prier;

MISSION GARAGE SALE: JUNE 11: The ACC Mission Committee and Youth Group are hosting a Garage Sale. Plan to come and ‘Shop till you Drop!’ Free-will donations support of the projects of the Mission Committee and Youth Group. **Saturday, June 11: 9 AM to Noon**



ICE CREAM BUCKETS NEEDED!!!

We need plastic ice cream buckets for RAGBRAI (part of fundraiser) for ACC Fall Festival and other projects. Please leave them in the church kitchen. Put your name on it if you want it back



THANK YOU! BUT, NO MORE NOW, PLEASE!



There will be a garage sale on June 11, July 9, and August 13 (2nd Saturday) from 9 until noon. However, we do NOT need additional sale items. **Please stop donating items to the ACC Garage Sale until further notice. Thank you!**

Bubble Mania!! – The donation jar at the back of the sanctuary today is for Bubble Mania. We need funds for a light lunch and supplies for the June 26 event. It is open to the church and community beginning at 11:45 AM.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 5: AmySara Richardson providing pulpit supply in Pastor Jason's absence

Monday, June 6: Lions Club Blood Drive at UCC, 2:30-7:30 PM; Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 6:30 PM

Tues., June 7: Presbytery Meeting, Muscatine; "Son" Seekers, Betty and Jerry Bean, 7 PM

Wed., June 8: Food Pantry Open, 1:30-3 PM, South Church, 4th and Washington

Thursday, June 9: Spirit Sisters, 8:30 AM, Ainsworth Fellowship Hall; ACCW, 1:30 PM, Norma White Home, Program, Wynne Steele; TKD, 6 PM, Fellowship Hall; Parish Council, South Church Sanctuary, 7 PM

Friday, June 10: Roofing Project in Crawfordsville, 1-8 PM; Praise Team Rehearsal, 6 PM, ACC Sanctuary; Anna Gillis Painting Fundraiser, ACC Fellowship Hall, 6:30-9 PM

Sat., June 11, ACC Garage Sale, North Church, 9 AM to Noon; Roofing Project in Crawfordsville, 8 AM to 5 PM

Sunday, June 12: Worship in the Park – ACC/UCC at Marr Park Conservation Center, 10 AM; Potluck to follow worship in Conservation Center; "Imagine Heaven" #1

Monday, June 13: Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 6:30 PM

	Ushers	Greeters	Candles	Snacks	AV
June 5	Dave Kaufman, Steve Anderson	Dan/Stacy Klinzman	Molly Klinzman	Liz Kaufman, Rita Anderson	Dalton Diers Joey Collier
12	Worship in the park				

SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:30 AM South Church – Corner of 4th and Washington

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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.

3rd Sunday after Pentecost – June 5, 2016

10:30 AM

AMYSARA RICHARDSON, YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY