

AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH, JULY 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)**

What must we do to inherit eternal life? What is written in the Scriptures? What do they tell us? **You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind. And you shall love your neighbor as yourself.** That is the right answer; it is the key to life. But do you understand it? **We are not sure. Just who is our neighbor?** Open your eyes and see. Your neighbor is next to you. Your neighbors surround you! **Lord, we have been so blind. Have mercy on us!** The Lord is gracious and merciful; show this same mercy to all.

HYMN: "GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY"

BLUE HYMNAL #577

CHILDREN'S SERMON

CALL TO OFFERING****

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:**

Living God, by your love and power, you give faith in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord! Thank you for the hope and peace that you have planted in our hearts. Your Spirit enables your word to bear fruit in our lives as we share your good news with others. We dedicate our tithes and gifts to the work of your church, as we seek to continually reach out to share the knowledge of new life throughout the whole world. We pray in Jesus' name. 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 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: "THY WORD"

WORDS ON SCREEN; MUSIC BY LANCE

A TIME OF CONFESSION

Lord, sometimes we are confused. We hear the bad news continually shouted on TV, radio, in the newspapers, magazines. The whole world seems to be shrieking in pain. Innocent people are being destroyed by the whims of the wicked. Disease and pestilence reign supreme in too many parts of the world. We turn an indifferent ear to the cries of others, often because we are so overwhelmed by the needs and feel helpless in the face of such chaos. We close our eyes. We walk away, often crossing over to the side of self-importance and indifference because we are afraid to become involved. O Lord. Heal our spirits as well as our bodies. Forgive us, Lord, forgive us. For we ask these things in Jesus' name. AMEN.

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Do not be afraid. God's love is reaching out to you, to touch your hurt and wounds and to provide healing. Receive God's blessing and be assured of God's eternal love for you. AMEN.

SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 8:19-22

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MESSAGE: "BEAUTY IN HEAVEN" PART 2

PASTOR JASON

CALL TO RESPONSE:

****"WE GATHER TOGETHER"**

BLUE HYMNAL #131

(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: 11) Brad Skubal; 12) *George & Linda Lord; Alan Temple; 13) *Neal & Karen Megchelsen; 14) Alexa Miller; Jason Anderson;15) Kerm Jenkins; 16) Josh Stout; 17) *Brian & Anna Chalupa; 17) Caroline Richardson; 21) Alec Ornduff; 22) Sabrina Castillo Goodwin; 23) Oscar Steele; 24) Alan Edmondson, Jenny Yoder, Mitch Edgar; *Joel & Angela Hazelett; 28) *Oscar & Wynne Steele; 30) Betty Thompson, Jim Smith, AmySara Richardson; 31) Dan Klinzman.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun., July 10: Praise Team Rehearsal, 9 AM, Sanctuary; “Imagine Heaven” Beauty, Part 2
Mon., July 11 to July 15: Summer Games University, Grinnell – 3 campers attending
Monday, July 11: Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 6:30 PM
Tuesday, July 12: Joint SPPRC Meeting, Fellowship Hall, 7 PM
Wed., July 13: Food Pantry Open, 1:30-3 PM, South Church, 4th and Washington
Thursday, July 14-Sunday, July 17: Men’s Walk to Emmaus, Mt. Pleasant
Thursday, July 14: TKD, 6 PM, Fellowship Hall
Sunday, July 17: Praise Team Rehearsal, 9 AM, ACC Sanctuary; Pulpit Supply: Ilene Schnicker (Jason assisting with Men’s Walk to Emmaus)
Monday, July 18: Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 6:30 PM
Tues., July 19: “Card” Club, 5 PM, ACC; “Son” Seekers, Clyde & Sonya Love-Smith, 7 PM
Wednesday, July 20: Staff Meeting, UCC, 8:30 AM; Bachelor’s Lunch, 11:30 AM, UCC
Thursday, July 21: TKD, 6 PM, Fellowship Hall
Saturday, July 23-Sunday, July 24: AmySara attending LCLS Training
Sunday, July 24: Praise Team Rehearsal, 9 AM, ACC Sanctuary; “Imagine Heaven”: The Highlight of Heaven, Part 1

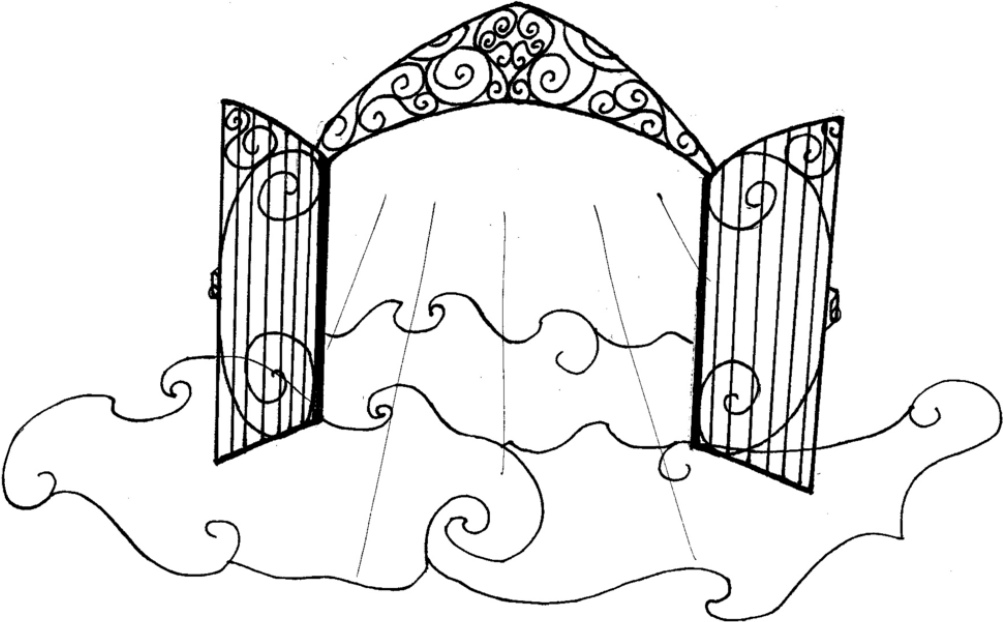
	Ushers	Greeters	Candles	Snacks	AV
10	Myron Rees, Jason Anderson	Carol Bean, Nancy Stewart	Lexi Collier	Betty Bean, Marcia Wilson	Dalton Diers, Joey Collier
17	Neil Mills Neal Megchelsen	Ruth Miller, Angie Ornduff	Kate Hartzler	Judy Skubal, Jenny Yoder	Dalton Diers, Rob Yoder

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.

**8th Sunday after Pentecost – July 10, 2016
10:30 AM**

JASON W. COLLIER, PASTOR