AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH, SEPTEMBER 11, 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)

Fools say in their hearts, "There is no God." We proclaim that God's presence is real and alive and thriving! Evildoers declare through their actions, "We go through life alone." But we see God's grace, faithfulness, and steadfast love in our lives and in the world around us. Praise be to God!

HYMN: "STAND BY ME"

BLUE HYMNAL #512

CHILDREN'S SERMON

CALL TO OFFERING****

When the special music ends and the new song starts, please <u>STAND</u> 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:

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for these gifts and ask that they be used to help the needy in our community and throughout the world. As we offer you these gifts, we offer ourselves as well, that together we might transform the world with your grace and love. 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

REFLECTION HYMN: "THROUGH IT ALL"

BLUE HYMNAL #507

A TIME OF CONFESSION

Gracious and loving God, we find it difficult at times to place our trust in you. Too often we look at the world, and see only violence, pain, destruction, and signs of hopelessness and despair. Too often we rely on our own strength, our own plans, our own devices, rather than

trusting in your hand to hold us, your love to sustain us, and your wisdom to see us through. Forgive us, Holy One. Amen

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Jesus said, "there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance." My friends, experience God's forgiveness and joy— gifts that leads to new life!

SCRIPTURE: COLOSSIANS 3:23-25

RED BIBLE PAGE 246

MESSAGE: "JUDGEMENT AND REWARD" PART 2

PASTOR JASON COLLIER

CALL TO RESPONSE:

***COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING"

BLUE HYMNAL #400

(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 2016: Dwight Miller, Jenny Yoder, Kris Anderson, Laura Temple, Wendell Arduser, Wayne Freyenberger, and Colleen Bean. Youth Representative: Kylen Anderson STAFF/PASTOR PARISH RELATIONS: Steve Anderson, Dave Kaufman, Karen Arduser BIRTHDAYS/*ANNIVERSARIES: 11) Ellie Prier; 12) Ashley Stout; Rigo Castillo; 14) *Bob & Dorothy Jacobs; 15) Joy Powers;16) Owen White; Courtney Chalupa; 18) Jim Wenger; Bob Frame; 21) Joe Rees; 22) Dana Skubal; 25) Mary Stephens, *Ted & Theresa Hahn; *Rio & Michelle Castillo; 26) Jason Longbine; Karen Arduser Volunteers Needed: The Youth Program needs the support of the ENTIRE church – not just the parents of the youth involved. AmySara needs of LOTS of helpers to chaperone, drive, and prepare meals. Please sign up in person or call 319.591.0745! FALL FESTIVAL: TODAY!!!! Join us for a free lunch today (burgers, dogs, chips, cookies, drink) in the Fellowship Hall. Serving goes until 12:15 PM.

cookies, drink) in the Fellowship Hall. Serving goes until 12:15 PM. Then the games and fun will begin inside and out. EVERYONE is invited! There is no charge; everything is free thanks to our RAGBRAI

success. The event concludes at 1:30 PM – Just in time to go the Opera House for the Selah performance at 2 PM!!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, September 11: "Imagine Heaven": Judgement & Rewards, Part 2;

ACC Fall Festival after worship, 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM - Fellowship Hall and Church lawn;

Selah at Opera House, 2 PM

Wednesday, September 14: Food Pantry Open with Recipe Samples, 1:30-3 PM; Kids'

Club Kick-off Event, 6 PM, Marr Park; Property Committee Work Session, 6-8 PM

Thursday, September 15: TKD, 6 PM, Fellowship Hall

Sunday, September 18: Worship 10:30 AM; CIA Youth Group OP Swap, 4-5:30 PM;

Confirmation Class with Parents at Ainsworth, 6-7:30 PM

Monday, September 19: Sisters Bible Study, Crawfordsville, 6:30-8 PM

Tuesday, September 20: "Card" Club, ACC, 5 PM; "Son" Seekers, 7 PM, Jan Temple **Wednesday, September 21:** Staff Meeting, 8:30 AM, UCC; Bachelor's Lunch, 11:30 AM;

Kids' Club, 6:30-7:30 PM, start at South Church, Pick up at North Church

Thursday, September 22: TKD, 6 PM, Fellowship Hall

Friday, September 23: Breakfast Club, 9 AM, UCC

Sunday, September 25: Worship, 10:30 AM; CIA Fun Run, Marr Park, 4-5:30 PM;

Confirmation Class, 6-7:30 PM,

Monday, September 26: Sacha Club, 6-10 PM; Sisters Group, Crawfordsville, 6:30 PM **Wednesday, September 28:** CIA Bible Study,6-7:30 PM, Fellowship Hall; Kids' Club 6:30-7:30 PM, start at South Church, Pick up at North Church

Sunday, October 2: World Communion Sunday – Offering and Communion; Charge Conference at Kalona UMC, Kalona, 2-5 PM; CIA Dodgeball, WACO Elementary, 4-5:30 PM; Confirmation Class, 6-7:30 PM, Crawfordsville

| | Ushers | Greeters | Candles | Snacks | AV |
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| 11 | Myron Rees, Jason Anderson | Carol Bean, Nancy Stewart | Lexi Collier | Wilma Chalupa, Penny McCreedy | Dalton Diers, Joey Collier |
| 18 | Neil Mills Neal Megchelsen | Wilma & Darrell Chalupa | Kate Hartzler | Karen Megchelsen, Brenda Bean | Dalton Diers, Joey Collier |

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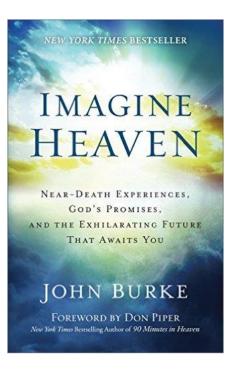
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AINSWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH

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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.

17th Sunday after Pentecost – September 11, 2016 10:30 AM

JASON W. COLLIER, PASTOR