

## The Family of Avon United Methodist Church, Avon, IN

Welcome to our guests! Please stop by the  
Welcome Center after the service for a special gift.

Children's activity bags are available in the Narthex of the  
Chapel and in the back of the Sanctuary. There are also clipboards  
for older children with puzzles, word games, and more.

### Those Assisting in Today's Worship

**Welcome Desk** - Betty Mabis and Patsy Porter

#### 8:15 am

**Greeters** - Dave & Michele Imler

**Song Leader** - Glenda Wallace

**Nursery Attendant** - Cindy Bear

**Medical Responder** - Teana Norcutt

#### 9:30 am

**Greeters** - Patty Lyday

**Nursery** - Cindy Bear/Kayla Logeais   **Toddler** - Donna Mahler

**Medical Responder** -

#### 11:00 am

**Greeters** - Nancy Duncan, Scott Ludington, & Bryant Butler

**Song Leader** - Neil Gobel

**Nursery** - Cindy Bear / Jennifer Johnson

**Medical Responder** - Rita Bivens

*Previous video messages and the church calendar are  
available on the website at [www.avonumc.com](http://www.avonumc.com).*

**After Hours Emergency Prayer Chain:** Cindi Rauch: 317-797-5834

### For the Week Ending May 5, 2019

**Last Week's Worship:** 512   **Total Offering:** \$ 24,743

If you miss a Sunday, set your offering aside or give via Pushpay. Text  
"avon" to 77977 to access the giving link or text "pushpay" to 77977 to  
download the app. Online giving is also available at [www.avonumc.com](http://www.avonumc.com).

**Next Week's Message:**

**"Are You Contagious?"**

**Pastor Larry**



**May 12, 2019**

**Heritage Chapel Service: 8:15 am**

**Celebration Service: 9:30 am**

**New Traditions Service: 11:00 am**

## Heritage Service - 8:15 am

**Prelude** "Supplication" - Schubert Janet Gobel, organ

**Welcome** Pastor Larry

**\*Hymn of Praise** "Standing on the Promises" No. 374

**\*Scripture Reading** Proverbs 31:25-31 Neil Gobel

**Announcements** Please use the cards in the bulletin to record your **Attendance** and your **Joys and Concerns**.

**The Offering** "O Love of God Most Full" -Jackson  
(All loose coins are designated for Missions.)

**\*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication**

**Children's Chat**

**Special Music** "Lead Me to the Cross" Bill DuMond

**Sharing Our Prayer Concerns**

**The Morning Prayer Time**

**The Lord's Prayer** Children age 4-2<sup>nd</sup> grade are dismissed after *The Lord's Prayer* to Room 108 for Children's Church.

**\*Favorite Hymn** No. 64  
"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

**The Message** "A Mother's Heart"  
Text: Luke 2:25-35

**\*Closing Hymn** "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" No. 381

**\*Benediction**

Join hands if you wish. Someone is available to pray with you after the service in the front row of the Chapel.

**\*Postlude** "Recessional" - Hughes

***Going Out Into Your Mission Field!***

***Mental Health America of Hendricks County*** provides assistance to people in our community through the Our Choice Pantry. The pantry operates as a referral based program. The Balanced Life small group is requesting donations of personal hygiene products, cleaning supplies and paper products to be made during the month of May. Donation bins will be available in both Coat Rooms. A suggested donation list available on the church website.

***The Endowment Committee wishes to thank everyone*** who contributed to the Endowment Fund last week. Donations are still being accepted if you missed this opportunity. How about honoring your mother in this manner also? These donations will continue to provide for our future ministry needs. Thank you.

***All loose coins this quarter are designated for the "Veteran's Transportation Network".***

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### Your Faith Journey

**Worship God** – **Matthew 28:16-17** reveals that when Jesus' disciples saw their resurrected teacher, friend, Messiah, and Savior on the mountain in Galilee where he had told them to go, "**they worshiped him.**" Where is Jesus telling you to go? When do you feel closest to Christ? How do you respond when you're in His presence?

**Connect** – Enjoy a **FREE lunch** as you meet others who are new to the church at the Newcomer Luncheon **next Sunday (5/19)** at **12:00 pm** in the **AUMC Fellowship Hall**. Let someone at **the Welcome Desk** know you are planning to attend or contact the church office to RSVP at **317-272-4068**.

**Develop as a Disciple** – To grow closer to God, you're encouraged to designate a time and place to be alone with Him praying and studying scripture on a daily basis. Consider reading the eyewitness account of Jesus' life, death, and resurrection in the New Testament of the Bible known as **Mark** or a daily devotional. Sarah Young's ***Jesus Calling*** and ***Jesus Always*** are both great options for daily devotionals to help you connect your heart, mind, and spirit with the living Christ through the Spirit of God.

## Announcements

**May 19<sup>th</sup> - Promotion Sunday at the 9:30 service.**

**May 19<sup>th</sup> - Newcomer Luncheon at noon in Fellowship Hall.**

**May 19<sup>th</sup> - The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Culinary Collage** to benefit Fletcher Place Community Center from 1:00 - 3:30 pm at the Schwitzer Student Center at UIndy. Spend the afternoon sampling the tastes of featured local eateries. There will be a Silent Auction, Grab Bag Raffle, and Animals by Silly Safaris. Bring a \$10 Kroger Gift Card to help stock the food pantry or pay \$10 at the door. If you cannot attend, you can make a donation at: [www.fletcherplacecc.org](http://www.fletcherplacecc.org).

**May 21<sup>st</sup> - The Prime Timers** will be having lunch at Gray Brother's Cafeteria in Mooresville at 11:30 am. The church bus will be leaving at 10:45 am. Please RSVP to the church office.

**May 26<sup>th</sup> - Memorial Day Remembrance Sunday**

**June 29<sup>th</sup> - Pastor Larry and Connie's Retirement Reception in the Multi-Purpose Room at 4:30 pm and Sanctuary at 5:30 pm.**

**Compass Young Adult/College Ministry:** We are looking for someone (or someones!) who has a passion for Christ and spending time with our future leaders! This new ministry is seeking individuals who can lead and grow our next generation. The foundation has been laid for this ministry, and we are ready for growth and expansion. Contact Felice Snyder at 317-847-2467 or at [felicesnyder@indy.rr.com](mailto:felicesnyder@indy.rr.com) for more information.

**VBS is no longer in need of empty paper towel rolls. Thank you for all the donations!**

**VBS Registration is now open for 2019 for Volunteers and Children!** Please register your child before July 1<sup>st</sup> for the ROAR! VBS Program July 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> at Avon UMC. We are also looking for many volunteers to assist with over 300 kids who attend our Bible school program! Sign up for a week, a few days, whatever you can do. We would love to have you! Both sign up forms can be found at [www.avonumc.com](http://www.avonumc.com).



**Worship Video**

**"A Mother's Love"**

**Gena Hill**

**Announcements**

**Welcome**

**\*Praise/Worship Songs:**

**"You Alone Are Worthy"**

**"Heart of Worship"**

**"Draw Me Close"**

**The Offering/Special Music**

**The Message**

**"A Mother's Heart"**

**Pastor Larry**

**Text: Luke 2:25-35**

**\*Closing Song**

**"Who You Say I Am"**

**\*Closing Prayer**

Join hands if you wish. Someone is available to pray with you after the service in the front row of the Sanctuary.

***Going Out Into Your Mission Field!***

Celebration Singers & Musicians: Sarah Snyder, vocals; Ashley Dick, guitar; Jason O'Conner, bass guitar; Brad Ward, piano; Blake Hartz, drums

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**\*The Doxology/Prayer of Dedication**

**Children's Chat** Children age 4-4<sup>th</sup> grade are dismissed after the Children's Chat to Room 108 for Club Engage.

**The Anthem** Chancel Choir  
"The Perfect Wisdom of Our God"

**The Morning Prayer Time**

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## Prayer Concerns

Jennifer Anderson

Jon Prosser

### Continued Healing & Grace

Betty Dorsey, Janie Kiggins, Lois Hutton, Ron Barber, Ruth Eggleton, Ken & Pam Ford, Linda Sweany, Evan Heck, Diana Trees, Aliza Sparkman, and Jack Lazaro

### Our Extended Families & Friends

**Please call or e-mail the church office at 317-272-4068 or [office@avonumc.com](mailto:office@avonumc.com) with any additions to the prayer list.**

*Doris* - friend of Andy & Beth Patton; *Drew* - son of a co-worker of Susan Parsons; *Lonnie* - friend of Brad & Susan Spice; *Jonathon* - great nephew of Neil & Janet Gobel; *Jack* - brother of Bob Thompson; *Shannon* - friend of Angelina Hacker; *Steve* - friend of Al Finney; *Susie* - sister of David & Joyce Webb; *Anne* - friend of Ron & Tammi Jessup; *Jenny* - aunt of Ed & Kim Faughnan; *Kathleen* - sister of Betty Mabis; *Fran & Dave* - friends of Joanne Barrick

### Continued Healing & Grace Extended Families & Friends

*Beth* - aunt of Valerie Van Duyn; *Roger* - neighbor of Joanne Barrick; *Ron* - father of Becky Harris; *Brycen* - grandson of Mike & Carol Johnson; *Linda* - sister-in-law of David & P. Z. Sinclair and Suzanne Conger; *Gary* - cousin of Patsy Porter; *Bernie* - friend of Steve & Kathy Ligon; *Rheagan* - great granddaughter of Phyllis Green; *Julia* - daughter-in-law of Bill & Kim Wegeng; *Miles* - grandson of Deane & Nancy Duncan; *Gladys* - mother of Lisa Dick; *Christine* - sister of Cathy Hinshaw

### Those Serving Our Country in the Military

This week's military persons of the week are:

Tyler Strickland

Peter Kellough

Brody Katterheinrich

**Our Card Ministry:** Pat Allender