

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 - Bob & Kim Vorpe

Song Leader - Glenda Wallace

Nursery Attendant - Cindy Bear

Medical Responder - Teana Norcutt

9:30 am

Greeters - Doug, Kim, & Shelby Howard

Nursery - Cindy Bear/Emily Sinclair **Toddler** - Donna Mahler

Medical Responder - Scott Matthews

11:00 am

Greeters - Grant, Erin, Preston & Gavin Curry

Song Leader -

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.*

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

For the Week Ending May 12, 2019

Last Week's Worship: 527 **Total Offering:** \$ 20,194

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.

Next Week's Message: "Such A Time As This" **Pastor Rob**



May 19, 2019

Heritage Chapel Service: 8:15 am

Celebration Service: 9:30 am

New Traditions Service: 11:00 am

Heritage Service - 8:15 am

- Prelude** "Voluntary VII" - Handel Dianne Perry
- Welcome** Pastor Larry
- *Hymn of Praise** "I Am Thine, O Lord" No. 419
- *Scripture Reading** John 15:1-8 Karen Gable
- Announcements** Please use the cards in the bulletin to record your **Attendance** and your **Joys and Concerns**.
- The Offering** Hannah Taylor
(All loose coins are designated for Missions.)
- *Doxology and Prayer of Dedication**
- Children's Chat**
- Special Music** "Beautiful Things"
J. A. M. with Hannah Taylor, soloist
- Sharing Our Prayer Concerns**
- The Morning Prayer Time**
- The Lord's Prayer** Children age 4-2nd grade are dismissed after *The Lord's Prayer* to Room 108 for Children's Church.
- *Favorite Hymn** "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" No. 158
- The Message** "Are You Contagious?"
Text: Philippians 2:5-6
- *Closing Hymn** "My Hope Is Built" No. 368
- *Benediction** Join hands if you wish.
- *Postlude** "Short Fantasy in A Minor" - Walker Baylor
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.

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

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

Your Faith Journey

Worship God—In Acts 13 we read that as multiple church leaders in Antioch were fasting and worshiping together one day the Holy Spirit spoke to them. **Do you come to worship services expecting God to reveal a message to you through the Holy Spirit?**

Serve & Give to Meet Needs—Jesus' story of the Good Samaritan illustrates the Key Commitment of Serving & Giving to Meet Needs as an expression of loving others (Luke 10). **Look for your opportunity to serve others and give to bless those in need this week.** Maybe one of your neighbors where you live needs you to take the time to see their need and meet it.

Develop as a Disciple - As a disciples of Jesus, learn from those ahead of you on their faith journey, encourage Christians walking beside you, and guide new believers behind you. You only need to be a step ahead of the person behind you to lead them towards Christ. Remember that you can't lead others where you are not going. To lead others to grow closer to Christ, you have to be following Him and growing closer to Him.

Announcements

Today - Newcomer Luncheon at noon in Fellowship Hall.

Today - The 10th Annual Culinary Collage to benefit Fletcher Place Community Center from 1:00 - 3:30 pm at the Schwitzer Student Center at UIndy. 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.

May 21st - 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 26th - Memorial Day Remembrance Sunday

May 29th - VBS Fundraiser at the Avon Portillo's from 5:00 - 8:00 pm. 20% of the proceeds will go to our VBS program.

June 2nd - Blood Pressure and Pulse Checks will be taken in Room 111 at the south end of the building from 9:00 - 9:30 am and Classroom 204 south of the Sanctuary from 10:30 - 10:55 am.

June 2nd - Graduation Sunday - There will be a luncheon following the 11:00 service for the High School graduates and their families. **If you have a high school or college graduate this year**, please contact the church office at 317-272-4068.

June 29th - 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 for more information.

VBS Registration is now open for 2019 for Volunteers and Children! Please register your child before July 1st for the ROAR! VBS Program July 8th-12th at Avon UMC. Both sign up forms can be found at www.avonumc.com.



Opening Song

"My Lighthouse"

J. A. M.

Welcome

Announcements

Children's Ministry Promotion Celebration

***Praise/Worship Songs: "Let God Arise"**

"I Am Free"

"Til I see You"

The Offering/Special Music "The River"

J. A. M. with Owen Meyer, soloist

The Message

"Are You Contagious?"

Pastor Larry

Text: Philippians 2:5-6

***Closing Song**

"Power of Your Love"

***Closing Prayer**

Join hands if you wish.

Celebration Singers & Musicians: Jen Hartz, vocals; Zach Van Duyn, vocals; Brad Ward, piano & guitar; Jason O'Conner, bass guitar; Blake hartz, drums & vocals; Rob Probus, guitar

Going Out Into Your Mission Field!

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Welcome Pastor Larry

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***Scripture Reading** John 15:1-8 Jan Dorsey

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***The Doxology/Prayer of Dedication**

Children’s Chat Children age 4-4th grade are dismissed after the Children’s Chat to Room 108 for Club Engage.

Special Music “You Raise Me Up” J. A. M.

The Morning Prayer Time

***Favorite Hymn** **No. 158**
“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

The Message “Are You Contagious?”
Text: Philippians 2:5-6

***Closing Hymn** “My Hope Is Built” **No. 368**

***Closing Prayer** Join hands if you wish.

***Postlude** “Short Fantasy in A Minor” - Walker Baylor

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Prayer Concerns

Jon Prosser
Lois Jordan

Mike & Linda Letourneau
Karen Stephens

Sympathy to;

The family and friends of Pam Ford upon her death.

Continued Healing & Grace

Lene Davis, Betty Dorsey, Janie Kiggins, Lois Hutton, Ron Barber, Ruth Eggleton, Ken 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 with any additions to the prayer list.

Jeremy & Leonard - friends of Velma Walker; *Jack* - brother of Bob Thompson; *Liam* - great grandson of Vi Stanley; *Tracie* - daughter of Shirley Oldland; *Joyce* - friend of Dan Wray & Kathy Hinshaw; *Drew* - son of a co-worker of Susan Parsons; *Lonnie* - friend of Brad & Susan Spice; *Jonathon* - great nephew of Neil & Janet Gobel; *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

Continued Healing & Grace

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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:

Scott Bowers

Robert Smoot

Joshua Bratcher

Our Card Ministry: Pat Biggs