

# HEMLOCK FRIENDS MEETING

*The Fun Church With Firm Convictions*

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*Our Purpose: "To Know Christ and Make Him Known."*

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**March 6, 2016**

**9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**10:30 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP**

The altar is always open to lay your heart before the Lord and seek Him.

**Message: "Let the Wind Blow" (Parable of the Weeds-Part 2)**

**Scripture: Matthew 13:36-47; 7:16-20; 7:1-2**  
**(pages 691 & 685)**

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**STEWARDSHIP**

**February 28, 2016**

**Attendance**

**Offering**

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| Sunday School   | 11 | \$ 32.00  |
| Morning Worship | 14 | \$ 560.00 |

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*Our desire is to know Christ more each day and to make Him known to others. We pray each one who attends today will receive practical insight from the Lord into daily living whether through music, fellowship, personal reflection or preaching.*

## **A bit about us.....**

It is a Friends tradition to believe in the *continuing personal revelation* of God to all His people. In our worship service you will find a time some call "open worship" or "quiet waiting". This time for reflection and "centering" on God, may include people sharing what God has done or is doing in their lives.

*<sup>36</sup> Then he left the crowd and went into the house. His disciples came to him and said, "Explain to us the parable of the weeds in the field."<sup>37</sup> He answered, "The one who sowed the good seed is the Son of Man. <sup>38</sup> The field is the world, and the good seed stands for the people of the kingdom. The weeds are the people of the evil one, <sup>39</sup> and the enemy who sows them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are angels.<sup>40</sup> "As the weeds are pulled up and burned in the fire, so it will be at the end of the age. <sup>41</sup> The Son of Man will send out his angels, and they will weed out of his kingdom everything that causes sin and all who do evil. <sup>42</sup> They will throw them into the blazing furnace, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. <sup>43</sup> Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears, let them hear. Matthew 13:36-43 NIV*

## **Announcements**

**Good morning! Welcome to worship! May you delight in God's blessings and share them with others as you worship!**

- **Happy Birthday to:**  
**Paul Sagarsee, Thursday, March 10.**
- Our monthly **missions offering for March** (collected today) will go to **White's Residential & Family Services.**
- **Next Sunday, our Carry-In/Monthly Meeting** will be held after the worship service. Sloppy Joes will be provided. Please bring food to share and join in the fellowship & business.

*We are participating in the 2016 Chain of Prayer. Our day will be March 16<sup>th</sup> and our church to be praying for is Dublin Friends. Please see the bulletin insert for some suggested people and places to pray for.*

**More from Friends in our area!**

**Indiana's USFW Spring Conference** will be held Saturday, April 23 at Westfield Friends with registration and Continental breakfast at 9:30 am, business and singing at 10 am, message by Christine Wood from Kickapoo Friends Center at 10:30 am, and a catered lunch served at noon (cost \$10). An offering will be taken to support construction of a new parsonage at Kickapoo.

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IYM Superintendent, Doug Shoemaker continues to appreciate Hemlock serving as prayer partners in his ministry. Please also pray for the locations/events he will be at.

**Doug's Schedule**

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| Today    | Speaking at Bethel Friends IYM Sunday |
| March 13 | Speaking at Wabash Friends            |
| May 15   | Speaking at Westfield Friends         |

*It is time to spring forward next Sunday!  
Don't forget to change your clocks.*