

751HEMLOCK FRIENDS MEETING

The Fun Church With Firm Convictions

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

April 15, 2018

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: "Signs, Signs, Everwhere a Sign"

**Scripture: John 20:30-31
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STEWARDSHIP

April 8, 2018

Attendance Offering

Sunday School	12	\$ 18.00
Morning Worship	15	\$ 960.00

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.

³⁰ Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book.

³¹ But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name. John 20: 30-31 NIV

Announcements

Good morning! We welcome you & hope you will worship Jesus Christ as King!

- **Sunday, April 29th** is the **Kokomo Rescue Mission's 5th** Sunday Focus "**Undy Sunday**". In the bulletin is an insert with a list of the suggested items that are needed. There will be a collection box in the foyer.
- We received an invitation to a surprise birthday party for Bekah Shaffer. It will be on May 5 from 2-5pm. R.S.V.P. by text to Ryan at 765-860-2391. Please see invitation on the bulletin board for more details.

More from Friends in our area

IYM Sessions Preview: Saturday Workshops

We've got a great line-up of Saturday afternoon (July 28) workshops at yearly meeting this year. Leaders will include Jim Le Shana, VP of Academics at Barclay College; Brockie Follette, director of the Kaleo Academy; and Nick Farmer, pastor of Kokomo Christian Fellowship. They will be presenting on these interesting topics: "Multiplication Epidurals: Birthing New Churches and New Groups Without Pain (and other myths)," "A Lifestyle of Evangelism," and "Growing Young" (showing ministry leaders how to position their churches to reach younger generations).

IYM Sunday, April 15: All across the yearly meeting this weekend, Friends are celebrating Indiana Yearly Meeting - a weekend set aside to directly connect with IYM.. **Special thanks to those churches who are planning to take up a special offering for IYM. We need everyone's support to meet our fundraising goal for next year's budget.** Let's thank the Lord for His blessings upon us. Let's look forward to what He will do in the future as we walk together with like-minded Friends in the name of Jesus Christ.

IYM Curriculum Project: Lessons are being written and soon a thirteen-lesson course written by IYM Friends will be edited and printed in time for the December 2018 – February 2019 quarter. Would your church be willing to help with this exciting pilot project by "test-driving" this in an adult Sunday School class?

Shawn and Katrina McConaughy have received all the pledges they need to fund three years of ministry in East Africa! They moved to Kenya the week before Easter and have begun their work there as Program Officers based in Kisumu at the FUM African Ministries Office. Continued contributions to fund their ministry there will still be needed and welcome.

IYM Superintendent, Doug Shoemaker continues to appreciate Hemlock serving as prayer partners in his ministry.

April 22	Speaking at Knightstown Friends
May 20	Speaking at Amboy Friends
June 3	Speaking at Center Friends (West Milton OH)
July 2	Speaking at Pastors Short Course
July 26-28	Speaking at Indiana Yearly Meeting