

HEMLOCK FRIENDS MEETING

The Fun Church With Firm Convictions

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

July 13, 2014

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: The Awesome Viable Christ Meets A Pliable People
A New Faith For A Learned Group**

**Scripture: Acts 17: 16-17
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STEWARDSHIP

July 6, 2014

	<u>Attendance</u>		<u>Offering</u>
Sunday School	16	\$	60.00
Morning Worship	21	\$	771.00

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.

In Athens

¹⁶ While Paul was waiting for them in Athens, he was greatly distressed to see that the city was full of idols. ¹⁷ So he reasoned in the synagogue with both Jews and God-fearing Greeks, as well as in the marketplace day by day with those who happened to be there.

Acts 17:16-17 New International Version (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:**
Dorothy Hopkins, Monday, July 14 and
Lori Beeson, Thursday, July 17.
- Our **July Missions Offering** (collected last week to go to **Friends Disaster**) was \$ 360. Thanks to all who gave!

Summer Events

July 24-27 – IYM Sessions at Quaker Haven

Feast of Faith, Saturday night banquet will be on **July 26**.

- August 3** Fish Out at Baird's
- September** Plans are for an outreach event for our community.
- October 5** "Church In The Barn" @ Forsythe's
11:00 AM. No Sunday School.

Hemlock Electronic Newsletter



The HEN is a simple newsletter Ron is putting out. It will include a pastor's column and other highlights. There is no formal time frame for it to be released. Print versions will be available in the foyer.

NEWS AND CONCERNS

Improvements Update

The costs for our two major projects (furnace and parsonage roof) are \$12,250. Thank you so much for your contributions!

Checks can be mailed to the church or given to Gary Lightfoot. There is also a container in the foyer to place contributions.

Building Bridges to Change the World: As our culture moves further and further away from Christian foundations, it is crucial for the church to quickly learn how to adapt to this changing environment. This will be the theme of our yearly meeting sessions July 24-27 at Quaker Haven. Now is the time to register to avoid the July 11 rate increase.

Steve & Marlene Pedigo, (Westfield pastor and our former superintendent) need our prayers. On Thursday, July 3, Marlene experienced multiple injuries in a serious fall. The following day their 20 year-old son, Nathan, tragically died. A memorial service for Nathan was held Saturday, July 12, at Western Yearly Meeting meetinghouse. A memorial fund to help with expenses has been set up by Westfield Friends, 324 S. Union St. Westfield, IN 46074. Condolences can be mailed to the Pedigos at 17172 Tilbury Way, Westfield, IN 46074.

Aaron Hughs, our Director of Youth & Camping Ministries, recently announced his resignation and will conclude his service with us on August 7. He will be moving to Bryan, Ohio, where his wife, Abbey, has been offered a teaching position. We will express our thanks to Aaron at Yearly Meeting.

Dewart Lake Community Friends is continuing a pastoral search, but has called Dennis Judy to serve as interim minister. He is a local Church of God (Anderson) ordained minister.

Quaker Haven Golf Scramble will be Aug 23 in Wabash. For more info or to register call [574-834-4193](tel:574-834-4193) or go to www.quakerhaven.com.

White's Residential & Family Services — The open door dinner, "Sowing Spiritual Seeds", is used to raise funds for the Spiritual Life Program. Dana Daniels is featured on Sep 24 at White's Hodson Campus Center in Wabash. For reservations call [260-563-1158](tel:260-563-1158) ext 1346.