

**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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**July 17, 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.

**Guest Speaker: Bekah Shaffer**

**Message: "Take Up Your Towel"**

**Scripture: John 13:1-17**  
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**STEWARDSHIP**

**July 10, 2016**

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>
Sunday School	10	\$ 20.00
Morning Worship	16	\$ 755.00

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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.

***We Welcome Bekah Shaffer and her husband Ryan!***

Bekah Shaffer is a former radio producer turned full-time wife, writer, and speaker. She's the author of a Christmas devotional titled *His Advent: Still His Greatest Gift* and is working to publish other books written in this new season of her life. She is a daily blogger and releases a weekly podcast, called *Spill the Beans*, created with her husband, Ryan. Bekah is the youngest daughter of Dave and Marilyn Freelan and the wife of Ryan Shaffer. Ryan and Bekah live in Kokomo.

**Announcements**

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

- **Happy Birthday to:  
Lori Beeson, Today, July 17.**

**Looking Ahead!**

Annual Fish Out  
 Church in the Barn  
 Church Rummage Sale

August 14<sup>th</sup>  
 September 11<sup>th</sup>  
 September 17<sup>th</sup>

## **More from Friends in our area!**

**Registration deadline for Yearly Meeting Sessions was July 14,  
there is a 10% late fee now.**

**Indiana Yearly Meeting sessions, July 28-30, at Quaker Haven,** will include a variety of experiences that will inspire and encourage you. One of those is the Missions Luncheon at noon on Saturday. In addition to great food, you will hear of the recent trip to Kenya by representatives of IYM, a visit John Muhanji, director of the Africa Ministries Office, called "historic." Come find out why he used that term, and learn of a new partnership that is being formed between IYM and Kenyan Friends in carrying out the Great Commission!

**Fairmount Friends** will celebrate their 125th year of ministry in Fairmount today.

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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**

Today	Speaking at Knightstown Friends
July 24	Attending Praise Fest at Walnut Ridge Friends (5:00 pm)
July 28-30	Attending Yearly Meeting
July 30	Speaking at Recording Service
Aug. 7	Speaking at Back Creek Friends
Aug. 28	Speaking at White River Friends