UNION CENTER CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN Corner of CR 11 & 50, 70535 CR 11 Nappanee, IN 46550

"Connecting People With Jesus"

Silent Prayer of Discernment: Gracious God, help us to know you are present among us. Creative God, open our minds to new ideas and understanding. Loving God, fill our hearts with compassion. May we use this time together to seek Your will, do Your work, and experience Your love. Amen. Sunday, July 5, 2015

THE CHURCH COMES TOGETHER

Prelude - Bringing in God's Light Welcome - Please sign and pass the Registry of Attendance Joys & Concerns/Announcements Morning Prayer

- * Call to Worship
- * Unison Invocation
- * Hymn #86 "Now Thank We All Our God"



THE CHURCH OFFERS ITS PRAISE

Children's Story - "Noah's Hidden Helper" - Pastor Frank Birthday Offering - Reading

<u>Celebrants:</u> I thank God for the past year, and pray that during the coming year I will continue to grow to become all that God created me to be.

Congregation: (on screen)

A Time of Offering

- * Offertory Response Hymn #388 "Grant Us, Lord, the Grace"
- * Offertory Prayer verse 1

LISTENING TO THE WORD

Scripture Reading - Mark 6:1-6 Hymn #11 - "Sweet Hour of Prayer" Message - "Hardly A Hometown Hero" - Pastor Frank

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

- * Hymn #585 "In Your Sickness"

 (The Organist will play through it once before the congregation sings.)
- * Benediction
- * Postlude
- * Indicates please stand if able

Ministers: The people of Union Center **Pastors:** Frank Ramirez & Rhonda Dorn

Organist: Nancy Mishler Pianist: Rosalie McBride

Chorister: Donna Lantis Worship Leader: Pastor Rhonda Acolyte: Anna Dorn Parking Attendant: Larry Klotz Nursery Workers: Terry Dorn & Ed Pippenger Jr.

Greeters: Vicki Klotz & Linda Dye

Sunday, June 28, 2015

<u>NEXT SUNDAY:</u> Scripture: Amos 7:7-15; Message "The Plumb Line." Pastor Frank will be preaching.

<u>CHILDCARE</u> is available for infants through age 3 upstairs during worship. We are encouraging older children to worship with us and use Activity Bags.

ACTIVITY BAGS are available in the narthex for pre-school through Kdg. age children. Please return the bag at the end of the service. REFRESHMENTS are available in the fellowship hall following worship.

<u>HEARING ASSISTANCE</u> is available from the Audio/Visual Attendant.

<u>LARGE PRINT BULLETINS</u>, Weekly Connections and hymnals are available from an usher.

<u>THE WEEKLY CONNECTION</u> is in your mailbox. Extra copies are available on the Welcome Table.

<u>THE BIRTHDAY OFFERING</u> goes to the Deacon's Assistance Fund to help those in need in our congregation and community.

PRAYER CONCERNS MENTIONED TODAY:

(Prayer Cards are available on the table in the narthex. If you have a prayer concern you would like in the Weekly Connection next week, please write it down on the Prayer Card and put it in Peg Wisler's mailbox or on her desk.)

<u>DEACONS ON CALL</u> for the month of July: Devon & Elaine Eby,

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