

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory
*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #94
*Prayer of Dedication

ANTHEM "Hiding in Thee" Chancel Choir

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Jonah 4:1-5 (MSG)

**All: Thank you for the Word of God in scripture, for the
Word of God within us, and for the Word of God among us.**

SERMON To Begin Again: "Me, Myself, and My Opinions"

***CLOSING HYMN** "Not to Us"

*BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE "More Like Falling in Love"

We carry Christ's light into the world...

**OUR SERVICE OF WORSHIP HAS ENDED;
OUR WORSHIP THROUGH SERVICE NOW BEGINS!**

The Altar Flowers were given to the glory of God by Bill & Becky Hinkle
in memory of Cheryl D. Hinkle.

All children and parents are welcome to utilize the Family Worship Space down by
the piano in the Sanctuary. We have different activities that the kids can work on
while listening to the Worship Service.

Nursery Care is provided for children 5 years of age and younger during the
10:15 a.m. worship service.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastor: Allison Yankey **Ministers:** The Congregation **Liturgist:** Julie Forcum
Acolytes: LJ & Joella Wagner **Organist:** Linda Braun
Scripture Reading/Children's Message: L Michaels
Praise Team Director: Jason Maitlen **Choir Director:** Sharon Newman
South Greeters: Bill & Becky Hinkle **West Greeter:** Carol Hedges
North Greeter: Diana Goodman
Ushers: James Hedges, Jim Forcum, Michael Fowler, Brad Glentzer, Mark Horn,
Roger Prescott & Jamie Wagner
On the Radio this Morning for Moments of Dev. (7:00 AM on WPGW): Bonnie Maitlen

Prayer Request

Please Keep the Following People and Situations in Your Prayers This Week.

- *Prayer for all struggling with addictions and mental health issues
- *John Coldren health concerns
- *Greg Franklin health issues
- *Karen Vance is at home recovering from hip replacement surgery

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**Welcome to
Asbury United Methodist Church
Portland, Indiana**



Asbury's Mission Statement:

"Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World"

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

February 11, 2018

10:15 a.m. Worship Service

The asterisk (*) invites you to stand, but please feel at home sitting if standing is difficult.
Discreet listening-enhancing earphone units are available from the ushers upon request.

PRELUDE

WELCOME, GREETING ONE ANOTHER AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign and pass the pew pad and welcome guests near you.

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Here today there is love, freely available to all. Not our human loving, fragile and intermittent, but God's supreme love.

People: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth, break forth into joyous songs of praise.

Leader: Here today is love, higher than our loftiest hopes, deeper than the immensities of time and space, God's inclusive love.

People: Let the seas roar their praise, and everything in them. Let the rivers clap their hands and the hills sing together their happiness.

Leader: The joy of the living Christ Jesus be with you all.

People: And also with you.

***OPENING PRAYER**

***WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC**

"Help Us Accept Each Other"

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

(Children may return to their seats.)