

Worship Service for June 2014					
Date	1	8	15	22	29
Morning Worship					
Announcements	Brian Huffman	Larry Taylor	Brian Huffman	Larry Taylor	Brian Huffman
Prayer	Kendall Clark	Danny Odle	Joe Reed	Adam Gors	Richard Messer
Scripture Reading	Gunnar Taylor	Matthew Terrell	Steve Gors	Bill Smith	Nick Qualkenbush
Song Leader	Lowell Huffman	Gary Reynolds	Don Allison	Jerry Hoyt	Gunnar Taylor
Closing Prayer	Volker Jaromin	Rick Cox	Rex Harper	Brian Huffman	Chad Bobo

Prayer	Rex Harper	Jim Smith	Bill Winemiller	Richard Messer	Todd Stults
West side	Outside	Larry Terrell	Carl Gilstrap	Jacob Martin	Larry Terrell
	Inside	Matthew Terrell	Nick Qualkenbus	Jimmy Clark	Jim Clark
East side	Inside	Jim Clark	Chad Bobo	Bill Smith	Chris Schombert
	Outside	Sean Bobo	Bill Smith	Richard Messer	Joe Walker

Song Leader	Lowell Huffman	Gary Reynolds	Don Allison	Jerry Hoyt	Gunnar Taylor
Prayer	Don Gaw	Jay Kellow	Chad Bobo	Kendall Clark	Jim Clark
Scripture Reading	Adam Gors	Don Allison	Howard Goodman	Rick Cox	Bill Smith
Communion Table	Don Allison	Rex Harper	Volker Jaromin	Richard Messer	Bill Winemiller
Closing Prayer	Gary Reynolds	Joe Reed	Kendall Clark	Volker Jaromin	Larry Taylor
Sound Room	Jerry Hoyt	Gunnar Taylor	Lowell Huffman	Don Allison	Gary Reynolds

Door Greeters: Group 3

Communion Prep: Sue Davis

Communion Clean Up: Group 3

Please let Larry Reynolds (765-749-1278) know if you cannot serve at your appointed time. Please dress appropriately when leading in service

### What's Happening Around and About.....

May 29, Chronological Bible Reading Group at the building, 10a-12p

May 29, Ladies Deep Bible Study Class at the building, 7p

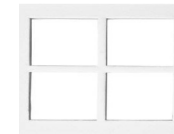
May 31, Camp Indogan, 2014 Spring Benefit Dinner. Begins at 4:30 p. See more details on bulletin board.

June 1-4, Gospel Meeting at Tipton Church of Christ. Speaker, BJ Clarke. Flyer on bulletin board.

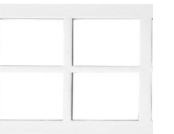
June 1-5, Gospel Meeting, Garfield Heights in Indianapolis with speaker, Jimmy Ferguson. Note current address on bulletin board. This congregation hopes to be in their new building by Nov. 2014.

June 7, Men's Fellowship at the building with speaker, Ryan Cox. Coffee and donuts will be served.

"Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity." I Timothy 4:12.



# WEST SIDE WINDOW



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## Fear and Flee OR Faith and Fight? Michael J. Gors

*"If the foundations are destroyed, what are the righteous to do?, Psalm 11:3. The traditions, or rather, the foundations upon which this society once stood have been eroding for decades now. The first part of the foundation that holds up a civil and peaceful society is God. The plan to remove God from the schools, the public square, halls of government, the very fabric of our society, the daily life of families and individuals, and the execution of said plan started slowly but has gained much momentum in recent years. Once God has been removed, the second portion of the foundation, explaining how we got here, must be removed. The explanation is NOT by God who created all things, Hebrews 3:4, but by the godless system of evolution. Our rich heritage as human beings is not the glory of being made in the image of God but rather we are primordial goo that slithered up out of the ocean and became a lizard, a bird, a primate, a human, etc. etc.! The next portion of the foundation to be chipped away, and actually the next logical step for an existence that does not include God, is an immoral or more accurately stated, "amoral" society. A horrifying existence among graduated animals and survival of the fittest. What we are left with is a society without a moral compass, conscience, or love. Families and individuals are not self governed by the statutes found in Scriptures, but rather controlled by the mounting of a police state, ruled by a body of humans found in government whose hearts are not governed by God who must make policy and legislation to control the animals that a godless evolution teaches us that we are! We have watched the foundations of this nation crumble piece by piece right before our very eyes. Now we ask the question, "If the foundations are destroyed, what are the righteous to do?" Psalm 11:3. The answer is, let's look to what David, a shepherd of a flock, killer of giants, a great king in Israel wrote in what we call Psalm 11.*

First, we note the confident **DECLARATION** that David makes by faith in verse 1. *"In the Lord I will put my trust; how can you say to my soul, 'flee like a bird to your mountain?'"* David is declaring that though things look dark and bleak, he is not about to cower and run. He is going to dig his heels in, take a stand, and fight for what is right. Certainly that should be the case for us. When God's design and instruction for the family and faith is being undermined and attacked daily, when the push to infiltrate the minds of our children is aggressive and malicious in its intent, we must, like David, declare that our trust is in the Lord. We must stand up and fight for our faith and our family. Second, we see the **DILEMMA** that David dealt with. Those who are attacking David in a physical sense, are much the same today attacking God's people in a spiritual sense; armed, hostile and out to destroy. Second, we see the **DILEMMA** that David dealt with. Those who are attacking David in a physical sense are much the same today attacking God's people in a spiritual sense: armed, militant, hostile and out to destroy. Notice verse 2; They take aim at "the upright in heart", they "bend the bow", "ready the arrow" and "shoot". They are angry, hostile, and ready to kill, much like our adversaries, (see Ephesians 6:11, 1 Peter 5:7). The enemy in verse three attacks the upright at the "foundation", causing that upon which the righteous stand to fight to crumble. How is this being done today? (continued on 3rd page)

### SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study —  
9:30 am  
Worship — 10:30 am &  
6:00 pm  
Wed. Bible Study —  
7:00 pm

### MINISTER

Michael Gors

### ELDERS

Brian Huffman  
Herb Smith  
Larry Taylor

### DEACONS

Don Allison- Advertise-  
ment/Communication  
Kendall Clark- Benevo-  
lence/Visitation  
Rex Harper- Building &  
Grounds  
Lowell Huffman-  
Bible Correspondence  
Course and Widows/  
Widowers  
Volker Jaromin- Educa-  
tion  
Larry Reynolds- Evan-  
gelism  
Todd Stults- Finance,  
Lads to Leaders &  
Leaderettes

### MISSION WORKS

Tanzania, Africa  
Christopher  
Mwakabanje  
plus two preaching  
school students  
India  
Scott Richards  
Russia & India  
Mark Reynolds  
Memphis School of  
Preaching  
Armand Wine  
Southeast School of  
Biblical Studies  
Josh Taylor  
Lake Regions church of  
Christ  
The Belanger family

### WORSHIP FOR May 25

#### MORNING WORSHIP

Announcements: Larry Taylor  
Opening Prayer: Don Gaw  
Scripture Reading: Bill Smith  
Matthew 28:18-20  
Song Leader: Jerry Hoyt  
Sermon: Shane Belanger  
Sermon Topic: 'Helping Others Get to Heaven'  
Closing Prayer: Joe Reed

#### COMMUNION SERVERS

Prayer: Richard Messer  
West Side—Outside: Larry Terrell  
Inside: Jimmy Clark  
East Side— Inside: Chris Schombert  
Outside: Joe Walker

#### EVENING WORSHIP

Song Leader: Jerry Hoyt  
Opening Prayer: Adam Gors  
Scripture Reading: Rick Cox  
Psalms 11:1-7  
Sermon: Mike Gors  
Sermon Topic: "The Foundations are Destroyed"  
Communion Table: Richard Messer  
Closing Prayer: Volker Jaromin  
Sound Room: Don Allison

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Abby Vonderschmitt, Dana's Granddaughter -- difficult pregnancy  
Art Selby, Carl & Martha Gilstrap's family member.  
Ashley G., Lisa Staggs' granddaughter  
Ashley Shaw  
Betsy Cartwright, Lela's friend  
Brett Rutherford, missionary—brain cancer  
Bill Guthrie  
Brenda Huffman  
Delores Huffman  
Jill Medley, Ellen's granddaughter—Heart procedure pending at Cleveland Clinic  
Kristen Bobo, Missionary trip to Malaysia-for six weeks  
Margaret Huffman  
Nancy Shaw, breast Cancer. Sister of Janet Messer  
Shawna Schock  
Steve Reed, Joe and Wanda's son—breathing issues  
Walter Nash, Chad Bobo's uncle  
Wilma Thornburg—Relocated to Kentucky to live with son.



#### Shut-Ins:

Lana Blanchard -Albany Health Care.  
Evelyn Vannatter -Elmcroft  
Vada Zeek -Willowbend.  
Bill Gaw -Westminster Village

#### ATTENDANCE FOR THE WEEK OF May 18, 2014

Sun. Bible Study 75  
Sun. Worship am 119  
Sun. Worship pm 82  
Wed. Bible Study 42

#### Wednesday Night Devotionals

28-Jim Smith  
June 4-Gary Reynolds  
June 11-Gunnar Taylor

**May**  
**DOOR GREETERS:** Group 2

**COMMUNION: Prep:** Tyann;  
**Clean-up:** Lowell & Charlene Huffman

**SECURING THE BUILDING:**  
Group 2

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

May 25, Shane Belanger from NH to speak at Morning Worship.  
May 25, Carry-in after AM service  
May 25, Mission VBS. Larry Reynolds requests that all interested persons meet after AM Worship in large classroom.  
May 25, Trevor's Open House, 2-5p at Community Building in Mount Summit.  
May 27 Men's Fellowship Breakfast, 8a at IHOP.  
May—27 Ladies Breakfast, 10a at IHOP  
May 31—Commencement and Graduation party for Gunnar at the building at 4:p.  
May 31, Open House-Lonni Ertle at the Cowan Lion's Club. 4p-7p.

**Change of Address for Virginia S.**  
402 North Biltmore  
Muncie, IN 47303

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Jennifer B—May 26  
Alexis—Jun 1  
Brittany—Jun 1  
Taylor—Jun 2  
Jimmy—Jun 4  
Natalie—Jun 10  
Holly—Jun 16  
Betty K—Jun 16  
Joe R—Jun 16  
Trevor—Jun 17

### *Congratulations to these Graduates*

Kayla Anderson.....Associate Degree from Ivy Tech in Hotel & Event Management  
Nick Keihn....BS in Engineering from Purdue University  
Rachel Hoyt.....Freed Hardeman with a BS in Education and English

### **Our Food Pantry**

The food pantry is now needing restocked and Kendall Clark is again coordinating that effort along with Norma Perry. All canned and packaged foods are needed. Please check all items to ensure they have not expired.

**This week, please bring corn and green beans**

(Fear & Flee cont). They attack God, the credibility of Jesus' historical accuracy, birth, life, death burial and resurrection, and undermine the truth and validity of the bible. These things are the cornerstone of our faith and the foundation upon which we stand, we fight, and we live. **What can the righteous do? (v3)** Third, David clearly tells the righteous what to do! Keep their eyes on the **DELIVERER (11:4-7)**. There are two things the followers of God must remember in times of darkness and despair. God is still Lord and judge. Notice David writes of his assurance: The Lord is still in His Holy temple, sitting upon His throne and his eyes are on the activities of men and the motives of their hearts. (v.4) He tests the patience and faith of the righteous during those dark hours of distress while fully aware of the actions and motives and coming judgment that he will rain down on the wicked, (v.5,6). As we continue to watch the unraveling of our culture and community, let us remain steadfast and unmovable, always looking "to" and looking with great anticipation "for" the face of our Lord and our God knowing "he is righteous and loves the righteous" always, even when the upright live among those who are not upright and hate God and his people (v.7). Let us have "faith and fight" not be numbered among those who out of "fear will flee". **MJG.**

