

NOVEMBER 8, 2015

Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School – 10:50 a.m.

PRELUDE

Janelle Arnett Campbell, Accompanist

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Ky Stoltzfus, Worship Leader

*HYMN #156

All things bright and beautiful

CHILDREN'S TIME

Linda Graham

Always be on the lookout
for a new friend.

Look for beauty wherever you are,
and keep the memory of it with you.

Blend in when you need to.
Stand out when you have the chance.

Find your own way.
You don't have to follow the crowd.

Know when to speak;
know when to listen.

No matter how you look at it,
there is so much to discover.

If you make a wrong turn,
circle back.

If something gets in your way,
move around it.

Set aside some quiet time
to relax and reflect.
Every day.

Appreciate art.

It's all around you!

Make wishes on the stars
in the nighttime sky.

SCRIPTURE

2 Timothy 1:3-14

ANTHEM

Stand by me

arr. Hogan

(Please reserve expressions of appreciation for Community Building time)

SERMON

Fanning the flame

HYMN #483

O God, who gives us life

COMMUNITY BUILDING TIME

INTRODUCTIONS

We are glad you are here. Once the attendance register reaches the center aisle, please pass it back to the outer aisle.

SHARING JOY

SHARING CONCERNS

PRAYING TOGETHER

Slips of paper are available in the attendance register for those who wish to offer joys and concerns silently and anonymously. These papers, if put in the offering plate, will be placed in the prayer bowl at the front of the sanctuary.

OFFERING

Offertory hymn: (see insert)

*You formed us in your image, Lord***

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN #362

Help us to help each other Lord



Children in K - 5th grade are dismissed for WorshipArts (Room 114), a time for children to respond to worship, ask questions and learn more about the language, ritual, movement, sound and art incorporated in worship.

*SENDING FORTH

L: In the face of all our realities may we grow strong, seeking the truth together, moving towards a common dream for a new heaven and a new earth. In the power of God's love, with the company of Jesus Christ, and by the leading of the Holy Spirit, let us all say:

C: **AMEN.**

*POSTLUDE

* Please stand as you are able.

Unless otherwise indicated, hymns are in the blue *Hymnal: A Worship Book*.

Songs designated “SJ” are in the green *Sing the Journey* hymnal.

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Now **Here** God

Here is a place for worship reflections. What are you sensing about God in the here and now? What words, images or questions do you want to take with you into this new week?

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