

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2022

Prelude		NIBBY PRIEST, ORGANIST
Welcome and Announcements		Kelsi Dunham, Youth Director
*Hymn of Worship	"Standing on the Promises"	No. 625
*Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Mary M. Wrye
Praise Song	"Amazing Grace/This Is Amazing Grace"	
Prayer of Thanks		Youth
MEDITATION MOMENT	"To God be the Glory" (ARR. DAN MITCHELL)	JICA CRAFTON, PIANIST
Scripture Reading	MATTHEW 18:21-35	Youth
Sermon	"LET GO AND LET GOD!"	Rev. Warren Hale
Special Music		Rev. Warren Hale
*BENEDICTION		Rev. Mary M. Wrye
Postlude		NIBBY PRIEST, ORGANIST



**Introducing Warren Hale:** He is an Associate Minister of the Fresh Air Community of Faith under the leadership of head pastor Ange Humphrey Relyea. As assistant pastor of Fresh Air, Warren is happy to serve the needs of his community and cultivate creative and colorful worship experiences. He lends his time talent and treasure to several tristate non-profits and local charities. His passion for inclusion, diversity, and social justice was cultivated by his time in the Department of Africana Studies of Indiana State University. He loves serving the forgotten through Kairos International Prison Ministry and local ministries.

Music has landed Warren in some fun places. He was able to sing back up for Michael Bolton, Josh Groban, and was featured at B.B. King's Blues and BBQ in Memphis TN. Warren received several awards in Musical Theater where he played The Voice of the plant in "Little Shop of Horrors" and Jim in "Big River."

At age 16, Warren was ordained as a deacon at Liberty Missionary Baptist Church. Where he developed and lead youth ministries that touched the lives of countless inner-city youth. Warren Hale specializes in court ordered supervision of individuals dealing with both mental health and chemical dependency. He has been working for Vanderburgh County Circuit and Superior Court Drug and Alcohol Probation Services for the past 22 years seeing lives change one day at a time.

## Sunday School—9:45 AM (We will meet together in the gym) Teaching Schedule

August 21—Angie Gatten August 28—Chris Hopgood

**Preaching Schedule** August 28—Rev. Gary Chapman

> **Counting Schedule** August 22—Bob Crafton August 29—Vicki Jenkins

#### Bible Study (No Bible Study August 24) 6PM - 7PM tendees are welcome to bring a brown bag suppe

Attendees are welcome to bring a brown bag supper. Dr. Chuck Summers will lead a study of the Gospel of Mark. Bring your Bible. **Choir Rehearsal** 

# 7PM – 8PM

New members are welcome.

## **Red Cross Blood Drive**

Wednesday, September 21 2-6PM Contact Jica Crafton to donate or volunteer

## **Church Potluck**

Sunday, September 25, following Worship Service

For 25 years we have walked in and out of the front doors of our church for service, Bible Study, basketball games, pot lucks, and more! It is now time to replace these doors. This project will be costly but worth it as we will be installing a handicap accessibility button as well. We do have funds to begin the process of replacing the doors, however, if you would like to contribute to this special project, donations are greatly appreciated. Please indicate on the memo line of your check: *Entry Door Replacement*. We are opening new doors for a new chapter of our church story!

**Today** is the deadline for turning in your response to the congregational preferences survey for our next pastor.