



Abiding Peace NEWS & NOTES

April 28, 2013

Parsonage Update



The move of Pastor and Joey into the parsonage has been moved to the weekend of **May 4th**. Painting of the parsonage is taking place. Then, we need to move all of the appliances into the house and hook them up.

Following that, the lights and fans need to be installed and the carpets will be cleaned.

NOTE: Spring clean-up date at church will be changed to **Saturday, May 11th**, beginning at 9:00 a.m. to accommodate the change in the parsonage move.

Today April 28th, the parsonage will be open to members of the congregation that would like to walk through - after early service from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., & after late service from 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.



Sunday School Coin Boxes



The Sunday School chose *Home Missions VBS Camps* for our Kids C.A.R.E. project this school year. Please finish filling your coin boxes -available in the Education Wing - and bring them in to church by **Sunday, May 19th**.

Mother's Day Breakfast

Mother's Day is one occasion that gives you the opportunity to applaud what a wonderful blessing your mother is. To celebrate that blessing, the men of Abiding Peace are preparing a **Family Breakfast** of eggs, pancakes, fruit, and other goodies.



We invite moms, grandmas, and the whole family to join us for breakfast on **Mother's Day, May 12th**, at 9:15 a.m.

Mission Prayer



Almighty God, we praise you for the blessings that you have showered on Resurrection Lutheran Church in Chesapeake, Va., over the past few years.

They are able to gather together to worship you and sing your praises in a new and beautiful facility, one that certainly catches the eye of many of who pass by. Still we come to you today because they face the same challenge that so many of our congregations face: following up with their visitors. Bless their efforts, and all of our congregations' efforts, to reach out to those first time visitors to let them know the true treasure that is found in our churches: the timeless and effective Word of God. Amen.

Birthday & Anniversaries

This week, birthday greetings go to Sandy Jones (May 2), Mark Jones (May 4), and Dave Baird (May 4). Anniversary best wishes to Darin & Kristine Bredemann (April 30). Enjoy your days!



Pregnancy Counseling Center

We are collecting baby items for distribution at the Pregnancy Counseling Center - Mundelein. There is a bassinet in the entryway for you to drop off a gift. Items especially needed are: new or gently used baby & toddler clothing, baby wipes, & diapers. We now have a website to



receive donations: www.welspcc.com. Thank you for your support of life issues and your generosity!



You can also pick up a baby bottle to fill with change - due back on Mother's Day, **May 12th**. Your donation can make a big difference in the lives of these mothers and children!

Share your "Treasures"

Kings Daughters will be having a Garage Sale June 6th - 8th this year. If you would like to donate things for the sale, please price the items and place them in the church garage. Questions? Call Gwynn Manzel.



LWMS Annual Convention



Join the celebration as we gather on the banks of the Mississippi River in La Crosse, Wisconsin, for the 50th Annual Lutheran Women's Missionary Society (LWMS) Convention on June 27 - 30, 2013!

Hear mission speakers and attend workshops, and "a tree planted by streams of water" Bible studies. For more information, go to: www.lwms.org

An Encouraging Word

Vision for Christian Living - Revelation 21:1-6



What are you more invested in, that which is temporary or that which is eternal? Consider what the Lord is saying about “a new heaven and a new earth.” While investing in the temporary is not wrong, keep in mind it is just that: temporary. Continue to look forward to the “new heaven” the Lord has prepared for his people. May our outlay of time, talent, & treasure reflect our anticipation.

Service to Our Lord

	April 22 - 28	April 29 - May 5
Pianists	Dave Frick	TBD
Ushers - 8:00	Jeff Bruemmer Jared Bruemmer	Dale Manzel Zac Bruemmer
Ushers - 10:30	Dan Woltman Trent Whitney Amy Whitney	Geoff Grossman Caryn Grossman Ted Grossman
Refreshments	Lush Whitney	Kacer Free
Cleaning	Free Henningesen	Schubring Christiansen

Give Thanks to the Lord!

Worship Attendance: 93 (43 - 8:00, 50 - 10:30)
Sunday Bible Study: 29
Sunday School Attendance: 25