

# Abiding Peace NEWS & NOTES



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## ***Schedule Changes are Coming!***

Change of seasons brings other changes as well. We will soon be moving into our fall schedule. Beginning **Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>**, we will worship and study God's Word together at the following times:



- Sundays 8:00 a.m. Worship Service**
- 9:15 a.m. Sunday School**
- 9:15 a.m. Teen /Adult Bible Study**
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Service**

Abiding Peace offers Sunday School and Teen Bible Study classes for all children age 4 – high school. Music, crafts, and other activities will reinforce each bible lesson.

All others are invited to join us for an interactive weekly bible study.

**There is something for everyone in the family!**

**NOTE: *Sunday, September 4<sup>th</sup> there will only be one service @ 10:00 a.m.***

## ***Tuesday Morning Bible Study***

Pastor Free, along with Al & Margaret Schubring, conducts worship services or Bible Studies in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl. Multipurpose Room at Heritage Woods, a retirement home at Bowes Rd. & McLean Blvd. in South Elgin on **Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m.** There is also a Bible Study **Tuesdays @ 11:00 a.m.**, at White Oaks, an assisted living facility in South Elgin. All are welcome to participate!



## ***Church Library***

Check out the changes to our church library! We now have a number of books on tape available. They are great entertainment for road trips or long commutes to work! In addition, 50 books were recently added to our collection. Thank you for the donations.



## ***Gifts for Those in Need***



Many people are experiencing hardships during these tough economic times, and God calls us to “*serve one another in love*” (Galatians 5:13). Please put any food donations in the baskets in the kitchen for the Elgin Community Crisis Center, a local organization that serves those in need.

# *Welcome!*



## ***New Members!***

Please join us in a warm welcome to our newest members – Rich & Julia Long and their son, David. Welcome to our AP family!

## ***Birthdays & Anniversaries***

This week, special birthday greetings are sent to Amy Salzwedel (August 14), Andy Stumpner (August 17), and Megan Kalenowski (August 20).

We also celebrate the anniversary of Eric & Chhorvy Smith (August 14). Enjoy your special days!



## ***A New Addition***



It looks as if some of our members are excited about the new lawn mower that was recently purchased! Our old Cub Cadet blew a transmission and was replaced by a Cub Cadet ZFSX with zero° turn and a 60” cutting deck.

Thanks to all who made this happen so we would not miss a beat with our summer mowing. Thank you also to all those who have taken such good care of our property this season!

## ***Mission Prayer***



*WELS Investment Funds* – Lord God, thank you for *WELS Investment Funds*. Bless their work with a new investment advisor so that their service to you and our ministries flourishes. May they be a blessing to congregations and other organizations as they pool and invest funds for endowments, scholarships, and trusts that benefit gospel ministry. Amen.

## ***Service to Our Lord***

	<b><i>August 8 - 14</i></b>	<b><i>August 15 - 21</i></b>
<b><i>Pianists</i></b>	<i>Marge Schubring</i>	<i>Becky Miller</i>
<b><i>Ushers</i></b>	<i>Dan Woltman Earl McCormack Freda McCormack</i>	<i>Jeff Bruemmer Mark Kreklow Glenn Miller</i>
<b><i>Refreshments</i></b>	<i>Jones</i>	<i>Vanderheyden</i>
<b><i>Lawn Mowing</i></b>	<i>Kevin Kacer</i>	<i>Glenn Miller</i>

## ***Give Thanks to the Lord!***

Worship Attendance: 66



## ***An Encouraging Word***

### **Christian Living - Psalm 139a**

Think of it! No matter where you are, God is there with you. He knows our every step, our every thought! How wonderful this is when it comes to serving him. Even though our best efforts to serve him with time and talents are marred by sin, God graciously forgives and guides us.