



Abiding Peace NEWS & NOTES

September 9, 2018

Pictorial Directory



It is time to put together a new pictorial directory of the Abiding Peace congregation. We have so many new faces/families that we would like included in our new directory. The

dates that have been selected for photography are **November 2nd & 3rd, 2018**. Photos make great holiday gifts for your friends and families too.

There will be a link set up on our Abiding Peace website for signing up for your photo session. We are striving for 100% participation, as the church directory helps us all to get to know one another. Please make every effort to find a time slot that works for you/your family! Thank you.

Schedule Changes This Week!

Change of seasons brings other changes as well. We will be moving into our fall schedule this **Sunday, September 9th**. 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**

There is something for everyone in the family!

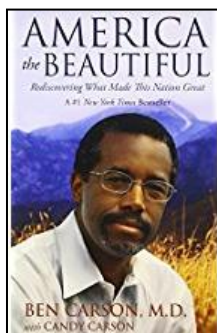
Congregational Meeting

A congregational meeting will be held
**Sunday, September 30th @ 9:15
a.m.** All are encouraged to attend.

If you have any questions, please speak
to a Church Council member – Rich
Long, Glenn Miller, Jim Stumpner, Dan
Woltman, or Pastor Free.



Library Book Review



AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

by Dr. Ben Carson

The subtitle is: *Rediscovering What Made This Nation Great*, and that is what he does in this book. He goes back to the beginnings of this wonderful country and covers every phase from capitalism, to health care, to education, etc. Throughout the book, his steadfast faith shines

through. This is a great reminder of the blessings we enjoy living in this God-blessed nation.

NOTE: Please take some time to browse the newly relocated and revamped library located in the Education Wing. There are sign out sheets located there for both the books in that room as well as the theological books in the church office. Happy Reading!

Women's Bible Study

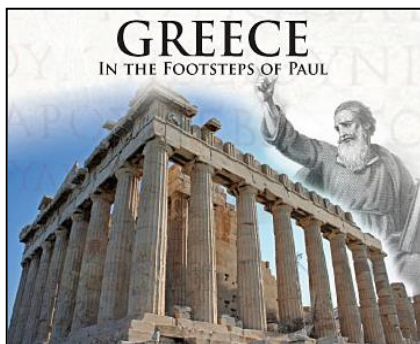
The Women's Bible Study will resume on
Thursday, September 20th @ 10:00 a.m.
at Abiding Peace. Pastor Free will lead us in a study of Jonah and Nahum, and all women are welcome!



In the Footsteps of Paul

TOUR: You are invited to join a 10 day tour to Greece..."In the Footsteps of Paul". The tour, **May 27 - June 5, 2019**, includes a 3 day Mediterranean Cruise.

Places of special interest include Phillippi, Corinth, Ephesus, Athens, Meteora, and Santorini. There is also an optional 3 day extension to Rome. For details, see the flyer in the church office or contact retired WELS pastor Eugene Kock at pastorkock@yahoo.com.



LWMS Retreat



Sing to the Lord a New Song at the LWMS (Lutheran Women's Missionary Society) Retreat on **Friday, October 19, 5:15 p.m. to Saturday, October 20, 2:00 p.m.** in Plano, Illinois.

The fee for registrations is \$115 and includes a private room & 3 meals. The one day (Sat. only, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.) registration fee is \$50/each. More info? Please contact Paula Danekas @ pkdanekas@comcast.net.

Birthday Greetings

Birthday greetings this week go to Becky Kelly (September 16), and Sue Stumpner (September 21). Happy Birthday ladies!



Mission Prayer



Philippines – Heavenly Father, we praise you for blessing the gospel proclamation efforts of Pastor Alvien De Guzman and his wife, Marieta, in the Philippines. Enable them to continue your kingdom work. Bless the Philippine men who are seeking additional theological training, so that they may reach many more souls with your gospel. Keep the congregations they have recently established faithful to you and your holy Word. Amen.

Service to Our Lord

	September 9	September 16
Pianists	<i>Dave Frick</i>	<i>Becky Miller</i>
Ushers—8:00	<i>Brandon Brooks Kaeyla Brooks C. Vandrerheyden</i>	<i>Jim Stumpner</i>
Ushers—10:30	<i>Dan Woltman Earl McCormack Freda McCormack</i>	<i>Doug Salzwedel Glenn Miller</i>
Refreshments	<i>Kacer Engelke</i>	<i>Stumpner Burns</i>

Give Thanks to the Lord!

Worship Attendance ~

August 26: 79
September 2: 48