

# A Message from Pastor Brian Episcopo

Titus 2:3-4a: "Older women likewise are to be reverent in their behavior, not malicious gossips nor enslaved to much wine, teaching what is good, so that they may encourage the young women..." While not everyone may be a biological mom, every woman alive can be a spiritual mom. I've known people who lost a relationship with their biological Mom at some point, but found life-changing love in a "spiritual" mom of sorts. I know it is not the same as a biological mom. While, these "spiritual" parents may not have had a say in the beginning of their "spiritual" child's physical birth, they can absolutely be used in a person's spiritual "new birth" by discipling, encouraging, and helping grow their faith in Jesus.

### **NOTES**

### **SUPPORT GROUPS**

At AAC, we offer a variety of support groups to assist our members through various life stages and changes. For more information on Support Groups visit aachur.ch/support2018

#### **WOMEN**

Soul Food: Love Like You Mean It
May 15 | 6:30-8:00 p.m. | No cost | SMC
Register at aachur.ch/sf51518

When daily pressures bog us down, it can be easy to neglect the people who matter most. Join this encouraging and enlightening presentation by speaker and author, Becky Kopitzke, on what it means to love your dearest people well.

#### YOUNG ADULTS

**Alliance PM Summer Series** 

June 7-July 26 | 7:00-9:00 p.m. | SMC

Embrace the joys of summer; s'mores, bonfires, and friends with your Alliance PM family!

# TRAFFIC FLOW UPDATE

Starting May 20 | AAC parking lots

Beginning next week, adjustments will be made to traffic flows within AAC's parking lots. For more details please visit appletonalliance.org/traffic

#### **MEN**

Pre-Retreat Event and Tailgate
Saturday, May 19 | 8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Details at aachur.ch/mmpre2018

Before you commit to a weekend away for Men's Retreat, join AAC men for a day of activities ranging from a clay pigeon shoot to fishing. End the day with a parking lot tailgate and grill out. Cost varies on activities.

#### **CHILDREN**

Help kids "Crack the Code" this summer in Discovery Land

Starting June 10 at 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 a.m.

Kids will "Crack the Code" this summer as we investigate the lives of Joseph and Moses. Join us as we equip and challenge kids to apply these lessons from God's Word. Contact Barb at bmlodzik@aac.church for summer volunteer opportunities.

### **STUDENTS**

**Reparation Project** 

June 11-14 | Cost: MS \$150 & HS \$250

Reparation Project is a week long serving experience located here in the Fox Valley. Middle school students will be day-camp style, while high school students will stay each night at AAC and head out to the work projects during the day. Register at aachur.ch/smrp977

# WELCOME - We're glad you're here!

Stop by the Welcome Center in the Hub. We have a gift for you and would love to connect with you. Find out what's happening at AAC at appletonalliance.org

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Sunday Services: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.