Dr. Dennis Episcopo

Faith is having a strong confidence in God and his Son, Jesus Christ. Faith is gift from God...it's a miracle! God gives you the ability to trust in his Son. The man, woman, or child who believes will obey!

The person who has truly come to Christ shows a clear determination to begin **now** to do God's Will. They **want** to obey (1 John 5:18). A lack of such desire could mean that true faith is not present. A fruit of "new birth" will be obedience...not perfect obedience, but certainly a strong desire to obey.

NOTES

Galatians 3:19

James 1:23-25

Galatians 3:24

Romans 7:21-25

Galatians 3:6

Genesis 15:6

Romans 10:9

Galatians 3:10-11

James 2:10

John 5:39-40

Isaiah 64:6

Galatians 3:13

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Jessica Baxter

Nathan Cowen

Ryan & Kelly Eichman

Mary Gorges

Thomas & Gloria Hunt

Richard & Sandy Johnson

Scott & Melissa Matson

Candice McGregor

Kaitlyn Schable

Matthew Schneider

SENIOR ADULTS

Senior Adults Spring Retreat

Friday-Sunday, April 20-April 22 Spencer Lake Christian Center, Waupaca Register at **aachur.ch/samr42018**

Come away as we study God's Word, listen to great music, and enjoy hearing from our new Senior Adults pastor, Dr. Dan Dainsberg. Cost is \$120/person.

WOMEN

Spring Bible Study: Five Things God Uses to Grow Your Faith

Thursdays starting March 1 6:30-8:00 p.m. | Cost: \$13; \$18 after Feb. 18 Register at aachur.ch/wm6ws030118

Walk through Andy Stanley's book, Five Ways to Grow Your Faith. For women 18+.

Online Bible Study: Finding I Am

Starts April 12 | Cost: Buy your own book Register at aachur.ch/wmobs0218

Join Lysa TerKeurst on the streets of Israel to explore the seven I AM statements of Jesus found in the Gospel of John.

CHILDREN

Awana Verse-a-thon

Through Feb. 28

What happens when you combine Bible memorization with the high-comeptitive energy from game time? Verse-a-thon! Participants can pick up a packet across from Hangar 36, gather pledges, recite verses, and collect money to impact Awana in Burkina Faso, Africa, reaching kids with the message of Jesus Christ. Each \$10 collected allows one child to attend Awana for their childhood. Participate or sponsor someone today!

STUDENTS

Younite

Wednesday, March 7 Christ the Rock | W6254 US Highway 10 6:00-8:30 p.m. | No cost or registration

Younite is a city-wide gathering for students of the Fox Valley to join together under one roof, no matter where they are in life. You won't want to miss an awesome night of community, games, worship, and an energizing message. (There will be no Greenhouse on March 7.)

NEW ELDER AND DEACONESS NOMINATIONS

If you wish to submit a name to be considered for the Elder or Deaconess positions at AAC, please do so in writing and return it to the church office by March 31 at 12:30 p.m.

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.