



Abiding Presence Lutheran Church and Preschool

*Gathered by Christ. Growing in Faith. Sent to Serve.
All are Welcome!*

July 15, 2025

Dear Members and Parents of 6th- 10th graders:

Ministers:
The People of God

Pastor:
Rev. Robert Schoepflin

Pastoral Associate:
Rev. Dr. Toby L. Tobias

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Ms. Kathy Pucci
Mr. Gavin Schwen

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Director of Music:
Dr. Tom Zatorski

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Ms. Je-Anne Martinsen

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Ms. Debra Nicholas

Ms. MariaLaina Sheenan
Preschool Director

We are excited to share with your children an invitation to join our 9th grade Confirmation class at their fall retreat. The retreat is scheduled for **Friday, September 19th - Sunday, September 21st**. We have reserved this weekend at Camp Quinipet on Shelter Island. Transportation to and from the retreat will be provided by parents. We encourage all parents to join us for the closing service at the camp on Sunday, September 21st.

The cost of the retreat is **\$100 per student**. The church is covering the cost of the camp. Your cost is to cover only food & supplies for the weekend. Because we have made a financial commitment to the camp in advance of this weekend, we are requesting that you complete the trip permission form and return it to the office along with your **non-refundable full payment by Sunday, August 10th**. If there is any problem paying for the retreat, please call Pastor Schoepflin.

Students, it has been a real joy having you in class and I look forward to sharing this informational and enjoyable weekend with you.

Have a wonderful summer vacation, and we look forward to seeing you in church!

Yours in Christ,

Pr. Schoepflin

Pastor Schoepflin