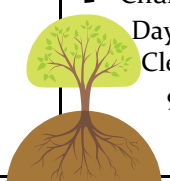
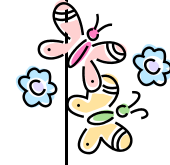


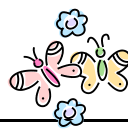

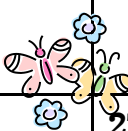





Peace Evangelical Lutheran Church
May 2013



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Ushers: 5/5 J. Klamm, B. Mitchell, BJ Mitchell, W. Woodruff 5/12 C. Bliske, D. Bliske, D. Nelson, T. Nelson 5/19 M. Grunert, R. Nero, L. Wangerin, B. Wedell 5/26 J. Kraus, R. Nelson, R. McTavish, C. Schmidt 6/2 J. Benz, B. Chesbrough, R. Jansen, R. Odegard		Finance Team M. McKay W/J Woodruff	1 Sound 5/9: S. Wilcox 6/2: L. Anderson 6/6: S. Wilcox Choir 7 pm	2 Bible Class 9 am Ladies Aid 1 pm WORSHIP 7 PM	3	4 Church Arbor Day Spring Clean Up 9 am 
5 WORSHIP 9 am Sound: K. Bohn Sunday School 10:15 am Voter's Meeting 10:15 am Bible Class 10:30 am Sunday School Teachers 11:15 am Pioneers Awards Luncheon 11:30 am	6 Circuit Pastors' Meeting, Green Lake	7 Bible Class 9 am 	8 PeaceMakers 1 pm Choir 7 pm	9 Bible Class 9 am Ascension WORSHIP 7 pm Lay Altar Asst.: J. Schroeder <i>Ice Cream Social to follow</i> 	10	11
12 WORSHIP w/Communion 9 am Lay Altar Asst: N. Klusmeyer Sound: M/Z Kubasta Last Day of Sunday School! 10:15 am Bible Class 10:30 am Happy Mother's Day! 	13	14 Bible Class 9 am Elder's 10:15 am Evening Guild 6:30 pm	15 Choir 7 pm 	16 Bible Class 9 am WORSHIP 7 pm	17	18 
19 WORSHIP 9 am Sound: L. Anderson Coffee Hour 10:15 am Bible Class 10:30 am EDU Committee 11:15 am 	20	21 Bible Class 9 am	22 PeaceMakers 1 pm Choir 7 pm	23 Bible Class 9 am WORSHIP 7 pm	24 25 Greeters: 5/5 L/M McKay; J/K Mosier 5/12 D/M Nelson; R/J Nelson 5/19 T/N Quinn; P/T Reitz 5/26 D. Sullivan; D. Travers; H/J Thom 6/2 A/M Treichel; L/V Wangerin	
26 WORSHIP w/ Communion 9 am Lay Altar Asst: B. Wedell Sound: K. Bohn Bible Class 10:30 am Church Council 6:30 pm 	27	28 Bible Class 9 am Heartland House Chapel 10:30 am	29 Choir 7 pm	30 Bible Class 9 am WORSHIP 7 pm	31	Elders: 5/5, 5/30, 6/6 J. Lichtenberg 5/9, 5/19 J. Schroeder 5/12, 6/2 P. Reitz 5/26 D. Bartel



I Need More... CONFIDENCE

Meet Doug.

As he toes the line for the final game of his senior year basketball season, he wonders if his scholarship dream is going to happen.

Meet Kristin.

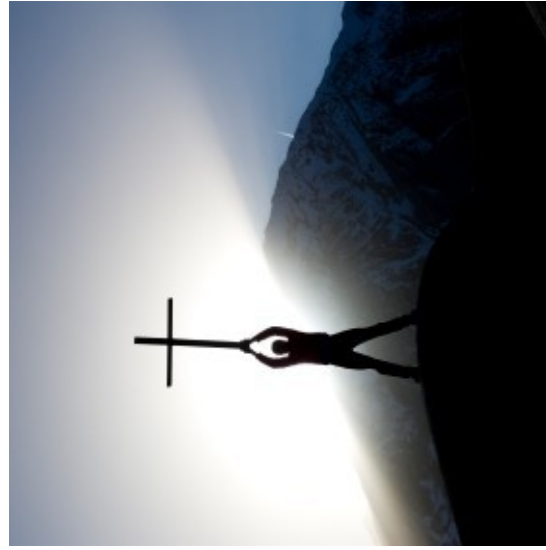
As she graduates from college, she wonders if she's adequate for her new job.

Meet Samantha.

As she faces her second round of chemotherapy, she wonders if she's going to live.

Meet Scott.

As he says his vows to his wife, he silently wonders if his second marriage is going to last.



Have you been there? Doug, Kristin, Samantha, Scott, you and I all have one thing in common: we need confidence. Let's face it; there are times in life that it's easy to be filled with doubt. Doug doubted his future. Kristin doubted her abilities. Samantha doubted her treatment. Scott doubted his love.

But there's One whose future, abilities, treatment and love never fail. That's the true God revealed to us in the Bible. Our confidence to face whatever life throws our way comes from the promises God gives us in his Word. God kept his promise of sending a Savior for everyone. As our Savior, Jesus lived perfectly to give us confidence that his life counts for everyone. He died to make the payment necessary for our sins to be forgiven, no matter what we've done. He rose again to give us the confidence that one day we will be with him in heaven. And all this is God's free gift by faith in Jesus.

Because of Jesus, when we doubt our future, God reminds us, *"I know the plans that I have for you"* (Jeremiah 29:11). When we doubt our abilities, he assures us, *"I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you"* (Isaiah 41:10). When we doubt our treatment plan, he promises, *"I am with you always"* (Matthew 28:20). When we doubt love, his Word helps us *"grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ"* (Ephesians 3:18). That's the difference only Jesus makes.

Need more confidence? Jesus has what you need.

