

WESTMINSTER ON WEDNESDAY

*Join your friends at WOW
for Dinner, Fellowship, and More!
5:45-6:30 p.m. in Cole Hall*

*April 11: Spaghetti, garlic bread sticks, salad, & dessert
\$3 children (ages 3-12 yrs); \$4 adults; \$14 max/family*

BIBLICALLY SPEAKING: LIFE AFTER DEATH

- April 11 & 18

Literary, artistic, and religious imaginations have filled common parlance and popular belief with myriad visions of life in the hereafter. What relationship do these visions bear to Scripture? On two Wednesday evenings in April, we will investigate. Following the WOW meal we will meet in the Lounge; Bob Snell will lead our reflections.

FAITH AT THE MOVIES - BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

“Faith at the Movies” returns on Wednesday evenings, April 25 and May 9-23, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. (following the WOW meal). Bob Snell will lead discussion of *The Horse Whisperer*, *The Mission*, *Chocolat*, and *A River Runs Through It*.

KNIT N SIT

Drop in at the church library 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays to learn to knit, work on craft projects, find inspiration for creative expression, and enjoy fellowship. Everyone is welcome to attend!

WINGN A PRAYER

Did you know that Lincoln has 138 miles of multi-use trails? The Great Plains Trails Network has raised \$2.5 million for the trails of Lincoln and Lancaster County. Debbie Fisher and Karen O'Connor will speak on April 11 at 6:30 p.m. Learn about the trails, events like Trail Trek, and important safety tips about biking, walking, and running on the trails. You'll also have a chance to pick up a trail map for yourself.

Serving Today:

DEACONS: Nancy Delgado, Jane Grabenstein-Chandler, Gwen Hlava, Lois Katt, Ruthann Nahorny, Roger Van Cleave.

GREETERS: (9 a.m.) Dorrie Gage and Marijane Hancock (11 a.m.) Sonia Harford and Greg Hershberger.

HOSTS: (9 a.m.) Mary Orth, Lyle and Beth Hamilton (11 a.m.) Ginny Rohrbaugh, Bob and Jean Carol Murphy.

ACOLYTES: (9 a.m.) Ella Ford and Gabby Hoffman (11 a.m.) Bennett Kerns and Shelby Lammers.



Experience 10:30 Worship televised on local cable Channel 13 - Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. and Saturdays at 1 p.m.

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*"I am the vine,
you are the branches...."*

NEW MEMBER CLASS

The next *Journeying Together* class will be held April 15, 22 and 29. Explore all Westminster has to offer! Talk to Tiffany or Marge to sign up.

SCOTTISH HERITAGE SUNDAY - IN TWO WEEKS!

Whether you're a Scot or not, invite your friends, family, and neighbors to church on Sunday, April 22. We will celebrate our Presbyterian heritage with a bagpipe-led parade through the parking lot and down Ryons Street beginning at 10:15 a.m. Wear your kilt!

During 10:30 worship, there will be a re-enactment of the historic Kirkin' O' the Tartans. Claim your clan with your own tartan! (If you don't have a tartan, contact Masako.)

After worship, everyone is invited to join the Highland festival outside for some good *creik* (fun): games, a bounce house, face painting, and more. Scottish fare will also be served.

Chi sinn thu an-seo! (See you there!)

Adult Education

9 a.m. Sunday Mornings

FROM ADAM TO ABRAHAM - Concludes April 29

We all know the stories of Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, Noah and the flood, the tower of Babel, the call of Abram, and the sacrifice of Isaac, but what about the stories behind the stories? This series on the first 25 chapters of Genesis explores its literary structure, ancient Near East parallels, archeological background, conjectured sources, and ancient and modern interpretations, both Christian and Jewish. Ernie Hines, Adult Education moderator, will present.

BIBLICALLY SPEAKING: SATAN - April 15 & 22

Many are the portraits painted of Satan in literature, film, and art: Dante's three-headed beast with a pair of bat wings under each chin; *The Omen's* Damien Thorn; Faust's Mephistopheles; a megalomaniacal lawyer in *The Devil's Advocate*; a red-skinned figure with horns in animation; an androgynous wraith in *The Passion of the Christ*. But who is Satan in the Bible? Join us on two Sunday mornings as we look first at Satan in the Old Testament and then the New. Bob Snell will lead the search.

CROSSROADS

Young adults are invited to join the Crossroads class each Sunday at 9 a.m. in the Library for Bible study and discussion. Crossroads is an Adult Education class specifically designed for young adults. Our discussions will focus on relating the scriptures to modern life. Book study on *Boundaries: When to Say Yes, How to Say No to Take Control of Your Life* by Dr. Henry Cloud continues through May 4; Grace Willnerd will present.

Please note: Adult Education classes will not be held Sunday, April 8. Classes will resume April 15.

Church Events

APRIL LADIES' NIGHT OUT!

April 10 - 5-7 p.m. - Marz, 1140 O Street

Mark your calendar for a fun and relaxing Ladies' Night Out with your Westminster friends. You don't have to be a Westminster member. Pass the word! Invite friends, your neighbors, your daughters, your sisters, your mom, your coworkers ... anyone! No need to RSVP. Questions? Talk to Maggie Stuckey: magjostu@gmail.com.

WHAT'S COOKING WITH SUSIE?

Are dust bunnies mingling with your pots and pans? Are take-out restaurants programmed into your phone? Want to cook more often but don't think you have the time?

Small Groups Ministry will sponsor a 4-week class for members to gather together at Westminster on Saturday mornings and cook. Renowned cook Susie Hughes will lead as we explore basic kitchen equipment, everyday cooking skills, meals in 30 minutes or less, and tips to make cooking manageable in today's busy, expensive world. The class features both Q&A and hands-on experiences, so bring your apron and questions for a friendly conversation over the stove and at the kitchen table.

Classes are held 9-11 a.m. in the Westminster kitchen, and begin Saturday, April 14. Space is limited, so grab a friend and sign up in the Garden Room. Questions? Call Susie at 402-440-9165 or email skh@eskays.com.

EARLY NOTICE: CREATIVE ARTS CAMP - July 16-20

Children (kindergarten-5th grade) are invited to 5 days of *serious* fun with art, crafts, drama, music, and movement. Early registration: \$35/child; \$80 max/family. Contact Masako for more information.

HOSTAMANIA - May 13

Westminster's mammoth annual plant sale falls on Mother's Day this year! Start thinking now about the ways this event impacts your life. If you have pots or need help digging out plants to contribute, contact Tom Pappas: 402-202-4454.

PARENTS' NIGHT OUT - April 20

Westminster Presbyterian Youth will hold another Parents' Night Out event 6:30-10 p.m. on April 20, with movies, snacks, crafts, and play for children through 5th grade. RSVP to Tiffany by April 17 to reserve your spot! \$25/first child; \$15 each additional child in family.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - June 18-22

Dive in and discover God's underwater universe with Westminster's Operation Overboard! Early registration (\$20/child; \$40 max/family) ends April 15. Register online (<http://westminsterlincoln.org/operation-overboard>) or contact Betsy.

MEN'S TUESDAY FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

All men are invited to join. Come to the Parlor each Tuesday morning for food and fellowship at 6:35 a.m. This week at 7 a.m., Ernie Hines will lead discussion: "Wycliffe to Tyndale: A Century and a Half of Martyrdom, Printing, Humanism, and Political and Religious Conflict."

EARLY NOTICE: GARAGE SALE - May 5

Westminster Youth will host a sale in conjunction with the Country Club Neighborhood's Association's 22nd Annual neighborhood garage sale on Saturday, May 5. Youth are needed to help set up Friday night and Saturday morning; sign up in the Youth Cafe..