

## Community Conversations: Visions for 2020

Fellowship Hall A, Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

**Today** Nebraska Sen. Colby Coash  
January 12 Lincoln Mayor Chris Beutler  
January 19 LPS Superintendent Dr. Steve Joel  
January 26 UN President J.B. Milliken

### Adult Education

Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

### FOCUS on the Bible (Lounge)

Many of us have read or heard scripture from the Bible, but do we know as much about it as we think? Join Pastor Jen for FOCUS on the Bible to find out more about Bible basics and what this special book has in store for each of us. This class is designed for adults in their 20s, 30s and 40s.

### Westminster Bible Class (Parlor)

"Honoring the Sabbath" Luke 6:1-11, led by Greg Hershberger.

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### Book of Acts (Monday, 11:00 a.m. - Lounge)

In this study, participants will learn from the experience of the first Christians. What does it mean for us today that the Spirit of God had inaugurated a new age? In Acts we are invited to enter a life in this spiritual kingdom by faith in Jesus as Lord. Led by Dr. Ken Moore.

### Men's Fellowship Breakfast (Tuesday, 6:45 a.m. - Parlor)

"Getting to Know You," led by Roger Ghormley, Westminster member.

\*\*\*If you would like to see this Sunday's worship again,  
it will be televised on digital Channel 71.13 at  
12:30 p.m. Thursday and 1 p.m. Saturday.  
Listen to the current week's sermon  
on KFOR (1240 AM) Sundays at 10 a.m.

### Serving Today:

Ushers: Tom Champoux, Amy Clare, Geoff Cline, Deb Eastman,  
Dan Hoffman, Barbara Moss, Chip Smith, Marilyn Smith, Amber  
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Greeters: Cyndy Maddux and Mark Davis

Hosts: Gwen Hlava and Chris & Brenda Chebuhar

Acolytes: Eliza Cline and Morgan Hagel

### Connect with Westminster online!

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

January 5, 2014

**Happy New Year!** Westminster staff is excited to kick-off 2014 with an exciting line-up of new activities for adults, youth and children. Please join us in the Garden Room after worship for fellowship, coffee, juice and donuts.

## 2nd Sundays Begin Jan. 12

Beginning next Sunday, January 12, join your Westminster family for a second helping of fellowship on the second Sunday of each month! All WPC friends and families are invited to enjoy a heaping plate of community and some delicious lunch too. Lunch on January 12 will feature a taco bar with hard and soft shell tacos, chips and salsa.

*Cost is \$5 for adults; \$3 children 10 and under.*

### Food Pantry

The spirit of giving has certainly been evident through the wonderful donations given to the Food Pantry this month. We hope that the spirit continues into 2014!

Even with your generous donations, \$1050 worth of groceries still had to be purchased in order to meet our families' needs. With this in mind, remember our Annual Food Drive is January 26! Boxes with lids, as well as monetary donations are appreciated as well. Thanks and Happy New Year!

2013 Paid to Date	2013 Total Pledged Amount	% of Pledges Paid to Date
**\$721,054	\$758,957	95.01%
2012 at this time:	2012 Total Pledge Amount	
**\$711,521	\$755,000	94.24%

\*\*Does not include all of year end pledge income

## Save the Date

### Upcoming Events at Westminster

For a full list of Westminster activities visit our website [www.westminsterlincoln.org](http://www.westminsterlincoln.org).

### 4th Annual Women's Retreat Next Saturday!

This coming Saturday, January 11, is our Women's Retreat! Westminster member Jody Kellas will be delivering the keynote presentation titled "Telling Y.O.U.R. Story." If you'd like to attend, TODAY is your last chance to sign-up! Registration forms and more information are in the Garden Room.

### Lunch Bunch January 7

Lunch Bunch meets the first Tuesday of every month for fellowship and conversation! This Tuesday join us at 11:30 a.m. at Grandmother's (6940 A Street).

### Prairie Readers January 15

Start of the New Year right with friendly conversation over a good book! All are welcome to join Prairie Readers Wednesday, January 15, at 1:00 p.m. at Westminster. The book for the month is "Thunderstruck" by Erik Larson. Discussion led by Judy White.

### History Buffs January 18

Save the date for this special History Buffs featuring our own Boyd and Masako Bacon on Saturday, January 18, at 9:00 a.m. Boyd and Masako will give a presentation on three composers who have had great influence on church organ music and play some of their work.

## WOW!

### "Put more Spirit in your week!"

Join us weekly for Westminster on Wednesdays, where you will find great meals, education, music and more!

### Book of Daniel (6:30 p.m. - Lounge)

Beginning this week, Pastor Jen will lead a Bible study on the Book of Daniel. All adults welcome!

### Faith Building Blocks (6:30 p.m. - Faith Village)

Second graders and a parent are invited to January's Faith Building Blocks experience "2 By 2: God Makes a Promise to You!" Explore God's love, Noah's obedience and how faithful people make choices that honor God!

### WOW XL (6:30 p.m. - Youth Room)

Youth in grades 6-8 are invited to join us each week during the school year for a faith lesson and some XL-sized portions of fun.

### Knit N Sit (6:30 p.m. - Library)

Come join the group to work on crafts, find inspiration, or simply sit, chat and enjoy fellowship.

### All music rehearsals resume this week!

*Dinner is served from 5:45 to 6:30 p.m. in Cole Hall.  
This week's menu: Homemade Nebraska Buns, french fries, salad, fruit and desert. \$3/children, \$5/adults; \$15 max/family*