

Westminster on Wednesdays

“Put more Spirit in your week!”

5:30-6:15 p.m. in Cole Hall

*Feb. 27: ham loaf, sweet potato casserole, peas,
salad, fruit, dessert*

\$3/children, \$4/adults; \$14 max/family

LENTEN DEVOTIONS

Lenten Devotions continues this week with a focus on “**Love for God.**” Join **Rev. Ellen Davis** in the **Chapel** from **6:20 to 6:35 p.m.** for this special Lenten worship series. Each week, we will worship around the theme “**We Love Because He First Loved Us.**”

Remember: During weeks with Lenten Devotions, there are the following schedule changes: Westminster Carillon, children’s choirs, and WOW XL will meet 6:40-7:30 p.m.; and Westminster Choir will meet 7:40-9 p.m.

SETTING OUR FACES TOWARD JERUSALEM

Join **Rev. Robert Jeambey** for study and discussion of Brian McLaren’s *A New Kind of Christianity*. This book raises a series of questions the author believes today’s thinking Christians should ask about core doctrinal beliefs. Meet at **6:40 p.m.** in the **Lounge**.

If you would like to see this Sunday’s worship again,
it will be televised on local cable Channel 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.

Remember in Prayer: Ted Maude, recovering at Tabitha.

Serving Today:

USHERS: Tom Champoux, Geoff Cline, Deb Eastman, Dan Hoffman, Barbara Moss, Todd Peterson, Chip Smith, Marilyn Smith, Amber Winter.

GREETERS: Emily Killham and Cyndy Maddux.

HOSTS: Gwen Hlava and Bob and Jean Carol Murphy.

ACOLYTES: Kaylee Eigsti and Ella Ford.

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February 24, 2013

*“I am the vine,
you are the branches....”*

YOU ARE INVITED to join us in the **Garden Room** for fellowship following worship today!

ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE - today!

Remember to drop off your filled sacks of groceries to help stock the Westminster Food Pantry after worship today! A grocery cart and extra hands are available to help carry in full sacks to Cole Hall.

Forgot to shop? Monetary gifts are also always welcome! Drop off your financial donations at the Garden Room table. Make checks payable to Westminster, memo “food pantry.” Thanks for supporting this local mission outreach program!

Adult Education

Sunday at 9 a.m.:

THE SCREWTAPE LETTERS - begins next week!

Join us in **Fellowship Hall A** next Sunday, **March 3**, for the start of a new four-week Adult Ed seminar! This series will focus on study and discussion of C.S. Lewis' classic satire *The Screwtape Letters*. Lewis' set of fictional epistles provides a smart, provocative look at spiritual warfare from a demon's point of view, as well as insightful observations on human nature and Christian doctrine.

CROSSROADS

Young adults are invited to join the Crossroads Class in the **Library** to discuss current and newsworthy events, as well as how these events impact our lives as Christians. Current topics include Marianne Williamson's *The Law of Divine Compensation*.

WESTMINSTER BIBLE CLASS

Join us in the **Parlor** for a study session from *The Present Word*. This week, **Rev. Ellen Davis** leads: "Spiritual Disciplines," Colossians 4:2-6. Next week, study will be from Daniel 7:9-14.

Monday at 11 a.m.:

MATTHEW ON MONDAYS

Join us in the **Lounge** as **Rev. Bob Snell** continues leading study of the Gospel according to Matthew. New members are always welcome!

Tuesday at 7 a.m.:

MEN'S TUESDAY FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

This week, **Rev. Ellen Davis** leads a Bible study session. Come to the **Parlor** for the best food, fellowship, and education to be found on Tuesday mornings. All men are invited - bring a friend!

News Notes

ABRAHAMIC TRADITIONS DINNER - March 7

There's still time to reserve your tickets for the 2013 interfaith dinner! This event, a collaborative effort between Niagara Foundation, Westminster Presbyterian Church, Union College, and the South Street Temple, among others, will be held at **College View Church**, 4801 Prescott Ave., at **6 p.m.** on **Thursday, March 7**.

This year's dinner will include a featured presentation from **The Interfaith Amigos**, a national touring group dedicated to promoting more effective interfaith dialogue with a unique blend of wisdom and humor. Rabbi Ted Falcon and Imam Jamal Rahman will be joined by Pastor Stephen Griffith.

Advance tickets to the dinner are required; cost is \$15 per person. Organizers have also added a free lecture at 7:30 p.m.; the lecture is open to the public, but **registration is required** to ensure adequate seating. RSVP to either event before March 4 at www.niagarafoundation.org/nebraska/abrahamic-tradition-gathering-2013.

HOP TO IT: ADOPT AN EGG FOR EASTER

Remember, empty eggs for the Easter Eggstravaganza egg hunt are now available for adoption! Stop by the east entrance after worship and grab a bag or two to fill for the event on March 30. Return filled eggs by **March 24**.

WESTMINSTER CLUB - Feb. 26

Join us for the first Westminster Club meeting of the year on **Tuesday, Feb. 26!** Meet in **Cole Hall** at **5:30 p.m.** for punch, fellowship, dinner, and "All About Westminster Preschool," presented by Suzanne Schneider, director of Westminster Preschool. There will also be a short business meeting prior to the evening's program. Please bring \$7 for the dinner and your own table service.

DEACONS WANTED - PAST AND PRESENT!

Westminster Deacons are now planning this year's Easter Breakfast! If you have ever served as a Deacon, we would love your help on Saturday, March 30 and/or Sunday, March 31. Please call **Sydne Wirrick-Knox** at **402.314.0314** or email sydnekarleen@gmail.com if you would like to help prepare and serve our congregation.

LAST CALL: DRAMA CAMP REGISTRATION

Remember, regular registration for "Walk the Plank Week," Westminster's spring break drama camp for children in grades K-8, ends **this Friday, March 1!** Spaces are limited, so don't wait - turn in your registration and payment (\$125 per child) NOW! Stop by the Garden Room table for more info. Late registration after March 1 (\$150 per child) will only be accepted if spaces are still available. Tickets to the performances will be available starting March 3.

COMING SOON: TIME TO SMILE!

There's a new church family directory in the works! Lifetouch will be at Westminster in April to snap new photos for the directory - but don't wait until then! Reserve your appointment today. Navigate to westminsterlincoln.org to view available appointments and reserve your time slot.

EARLY NOTICE: EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA - March 30

Mark your calendars and plan to join us on **Saturday, March 30** from **10 to 11:30 a.m.** for Westminster's Easter Eggstravaganza, an exciting, free event for children age 3 through grade 5. We'll have crafts, games, and an Easter egg hunt, plus a peanut-free room. Invite a friend!