

## Westminster on Wednesdays

“Put more Spirit in your week!”

5:45-6:30 p.m. in Cole Hall

*April 10: spaghetti with meat balls and garlic bread,  
salad, fruit, dessert  
\$3/children, \$4/adults; \$14 max/family*

### HISTORY SHOWS WE HAVE BEEN HERE BEFORE

Join **Rev. Robert Jeambey** on Wednesday nights in April for “History Shows We Have Been Here Before.” This WOW study will present an overview of the Strauss-Howe theory of a four-generation cycle, as noted in the books *Generations* and *The Fourth Turning*. Join us in the **Lounge** at **6:30 p.m.!**

### WOW XL: TRANSFORMING YOUTH

Youth in grades 6-8 can find *MMMM* goodness every week at Westminster’s own WOW XL! This Wednesday night experience packs music, motivation, message, and mayhem into one mighty hour, starting at **6:30 p.m.** Meet us in the **Youth Room** to join the fun!

Want weekly youth news delivered to your inbox? Email [Tiffany@westminsterlincoln.org](mailto:Tiffany@westminsterlincoln.org) to sign up.

### KNIT N SIT

Come to the **Library** at **6:30 p.m.** to work on crafts, find inspiration, or simply sit, chat, and enjoy fellowship.

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:* Comfort for the family and friends of Mickey Lutjeharms on the death of her sister, Judy Walt, on April 1.

*Baptism today during 10:30 a.m. worship:*  
Maxwell Thomas, son of Susan and Sean Mulvaney.

*Serving Today:*

**USHERS:** Kendal Agee, Skyler Berringer, Van Duling, Ginny Hand, Jill Johnson, Mike Rasmussen, Peggy Rasmussen, Bill Roberts, Joan Roberts.

**GREETERS:** Sonia Harford and Greg Hershberger.

**HOSTS:** Rex and Wilma Messersmith and Ed and Jeanne Plander.

**ACOLYTE:** Emily Bailey.

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April 7, 2013

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

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

### HELP SHAPE THE FUTURE OF OUR YOUTH MINISTRY!

Join us today for a special youth ministry long-range planning meeting with celebrated author and experienced youth pastor **Mark DeVries**. All members of the congregation are invited to join the discussion, especially parents and youth in grades 5-8. Meet at **5:30 p.m.** in the **Youth Fireplace Room**.

### JOURNEYING TOGETHER - April 14 & 21

Consider joining the Westminster family! Journeying Together, our two-part new member orientation class, will next be held on **April 14 and 21**. RSVP to **Marge** at **402.475.6702** or [marge@westminsterlincoln.org](mailto:marge@westminsterlincoln.org).

## Adult Education

**Sunday at 9 a.m.:**

### HOPE FOR CREATION: RESPONDING TO THE MORAL CHALLENGE OF CLIMATE CHANGE

Rev. Kim Morrow, minister of sustainable living, presents “The Role of Faith Communities in Increasing Environmental Sustainability” on April 14. Join us in the **Lounge** for this intriguing Adult Ed seminar series on the “hot” topic of climate change!

### CROSSROADS

Young adults are invited to the **Library** to be part of the Crossroads class! Join us for insightful discussion of current events and relating the scriptures to modern life.

### WESTMINSTER BIBLE CLASS

Join us in the **Parlor** for a study session from *The Present Word*. This week, **Kent Wolfe** leads, with “The Lord’s Appears,” Luke 24:36-53. Next week’s session: “The Holy Spirit Comes,” Acts 1:1-13, led by Ernie Hines.

**Monday at 11 a.m.:**

### MATTHEW ON MONDAYS

Class will resume on **April 15**. Plan to join **Rev. Bob Snell** in the **Lounge** for more of this in-depth faith-enhancing study of the Gospel according to Matthew.

**Tuesday at 7 a.m.:**

### MEN’S TUESDAY FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

All men are invited to the **Parlor** this week for “Tribal Colleges: Culture and Higher Education on the Plains,” presented by Charles Braithwaite, editor of *Great Plains Quarterly*. Invite a friend to join you!

## News Notes

### FIRE UP YOUR OVENS FOR HERITAGE SUNDAY!

Love baking? We’d love to have your help! Volunteers are needed to bake tasty treats for Heritage Sunday on April 21. Please write “baker” with your name when signing in at worship today; you will receive a recipe and instructions.

### CALLING ALL HISTORY BUFFS! - April 13

History Buffs is pleased to host **Joe Starita** on **Saturday, April 13** for discussion of his critically acclaimed book, *I Am a Man: Chief Standing Bear’s Journey for Justice*. Join us at **9 a.m.** in the **Lounge**, and invite a friend! History Buffs is open to all who share an interest in historical topics.

### HERITAGE SUNDAY - April 21

Get out your kilts and plan to join us on **April 21** for Heritage Sunday, a celebration of our Presbyterian heritage. Enjoy a bagpipe-led parade, Scottish music in worship, a special “Kirkin o’ the Tartan” service, and an outdoor Highland Festival with games, food, and more fun. Invite a friend!

### LADIES’ NIGHT OUT - April 16

Ladies, join us for appetizers and social fun at **Henry’s on South** (2110 Winthrop) on **Tuesday, April 16** from **5 to 7 p.m.** Invite your friends, family, coworkers, and neighbors. Ladies of all ages are welcome!

### TIME IS RUNNING OUT TO SCHEDULE YOUR PHOTO!

If you haven’t yet made an appointment with Lifetouch to have your photo taken for the new church directory, **sign up today!** Visit the Garden Room table after worship, or log on to [westminsterlincoln.org](http://westminsterlincoln.org) and click the blue “Directory Photo Sign-up” box on the front page. You will receive a copy of the directory and one 8x10" photo at no cost; a \$10 discount on any additional photo purchases; and an additional \$5 discount for a non-perishable food item for the food pantry. **Appointments start this Wednesday, April 10!**

### SING TOGETHER: “HALLELUJAH” CHORUS - April 14

We’ll sing the “Hallelujah” chorus from Handel’s *Messiah* at 10:30 a.m. worship on **Sunday, April 14**. Meet at **10 a.m.** in the **Sanctuary** to warm up. Everyone is invited to participate; no steps required. Join us!

### SPRECHEN SIE DEUTSCH?



No? No problem! Our visitors from Germany this time speak English well. Do you have space in your heart and your home for a family of four? Think about it! Westminster will host visitors from Lohmen Aug. 3-10.

### EARLY NOTICE: YOUTH GARAGE SALE - May 4

Westminster youth’s annual garage sale will be held this year on Saturday, May 4. All funds raised will benefit the Westminster Youth Group! Drop off your gently used garage sale-type items (no computers or large appliances) between noon at 6 p.m. on Friday, May 3. Volunteer your time and talents for setup, cleanup, and/or food service during the event by emailing [tiffany@westminsterlincoln.org](mailto:tiffany@westminsterlincoln.org).

### COMING SOON: HOSTAMANIA! - May 12

In spite of the groundhog’s utter failure to accurately predict an early spring this year, **Hostamania** (Westminster’s annual plant sale fundraiser) will still be held on **Mother’s Day Sunday, May 12**. It’s a good time to thin, donate, shop, and learn about plants for your garden! Plan to join us.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - June 17-21

Register now for “**Everywhere Fun Fair,**” the 2013 Vacation Bible School experience! Children (preschool through 5<sup>th</sup> grade) will make friends with neighbors around the world and discover that God’s love can be found everywhere. Paid registration **before May 15** is **\$25 per child** (\$50 maximum per family). Extended care is available for an extra \$50 for the week and **must be reserved in advance**. Register online at [westminsterlincoln.org](http://westminsterlincoln.org)! Contact Betsy Guyer (402.475.6702 or [betsy@westminsterlincoln.org](mailto:betsy@westminsterlincoln.org)) for more information.