Adult Education

Sundays at 9:00 a.m. April: A Look Back (Fellowship Hall) Join us in April as we look back at the blessed history of Westminster. Today: The Founding of Westminster

Led by Ed Zimmer Next Week: Stories & Anecdotes of Westminster Led by a panel of long-time members

Westminster Bible Class (Parlor)

Love One Another (1 John 3:11-24) Led by Steve Carveth Next Week: Believe God's Love (1 John 4:13-5:5)

The Gospel of Luke (Monday, 11:00 a.m. - Lounge) Led by Ken Moore.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast (Tuesday, 6:45 a.m. - Parlor) April 14 led by Rod Scott *Repairing Westminster's Stained Glass Windows* Next Week: April 21 led by Rev. Jennifer Strickland Bible Study

Willie's Closet

Help fill Willie's Closet with donations of underwear for school age children. Place your donations in the box outside the reception area. Our goal is 110 items collected in honor of our 110 birthday. ***This Sunday's worship 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. or any time online at <u>www.westminsterlincoln.org</u>.

If you or someone you know has been admitted to the hospital, please contact the church office at (402) 475-6702 to notify our pastors. It's helpful to know the hospital and length of stay, so calls can be made as requested.

Serving Today:

Ushers: Barbara Arunski, Sebastian Baillie, Tod Davenport, Jim Laux, Laurel Van Ham Pappas, Tom Pappas, Dave Shamblin, Sue Shamblin, Nicole Tunnison Greeters: Harry Seward & Joan Roberts Hosts: Jane Allman and Ginger & Jim Nissen Acolytes: Toby Lammers & Dan Schafer

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

April 12, 2015

Welcome to Westminster!

Please join us in the Garden Room after worship for refreshments.

Second Sunday

Today is Second Sunday Lunch. Everyone is invited to join us for BBQ Pork Sandwiches after 10:30 Worship. \$6/Adult and \$4/child under 10

Blessed to Be a Blessing

April 30th marks the date for our special Gala event celebrating the 110th anniversary of Westminster Church and the 60th anniversary for the Westminster Foundation. Join Westminster's adult members and friends at the Embassy Suites for a special celebration. RSVP in the church office (402-475-6702) by April 27th.

Membership at Westminster

The next membership classes will be May 10 & 17 at 9:00 am in Cole Hall, please contact Marge (<u>marge@westminsterlincoln.org</u>) or mark "Wish to Join" in the Friendship Pads. See you there!

Upcoming Events

Prairie Readers

Wednesday, April 15 at 1 pm in the Parlor Book: The Zookeeper's Wife by Diana Ackerman Facilitators: Judy White & Diana Wild

Tour De Friends- Third Thursday Ride: April 16th, 5:30 pm Dust off your bike and check your tires– the first bike ride of the season will meet at Rock Island trail benches, next to Shopko at Hwy 2 & 27th St. Total Distance 10 miles, paved, scenic, and easy level. No destination stop planned for this ride. If you want to be added to the email group or have questions, contact robynu2@hotmail.com

Outreach We are exploring the possibilities of helping out with yard Spring Clean-Up for members and friends of Westminster who may need some assistance. Possible Saturday work days are April 18, April 25, or May 2. If you are willing to help, please sign up in the Garden Room.

Anna Schoettger Senior Voice Recital

April 18, Saturday 3:00pm Sanctuary Enjoy Anna's beautiful singing! She grew up at Westminster and is a senior voice major at University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

From the Green @Heart Team

Lincoln Earth Day, April 18, 2015 (10-2) at Union Plaza There will be live music, food, activities for children, booths with information on what you can do to make a difference in caring for our earth plus much more! For more information about the event visit: <u>lincolnearthday.org</u>

Children's Musical Scene: "Hallelujah! He is Risen!" April 19 10:30 Worship

Celebrate the Easter season with joyful songs & a skit led by Alleluia! Amen! (K-5) and Cherub (age 3-preK) Choirs.

Westminster Club will meet on Tuesday April 21 @ 5:30 P.M. in Cole Hall. Program presented by Betsy Guyer, Westminster's Director of Children's Ministries, on the Sunday School programs. Please bring \$10.00 for dinner and your own table service.

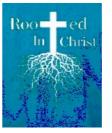
April 26 (10:15) Scottish Heritage Sunday

Celebrate our heritage by wearing your kilt or plaids, joining in the parade, with the sound of bagpipes, fiddle music by Jr. String Ensemble, & Kirkin' o' the Tartan! Get in on the fun by participating in making of a family tartan during WOW on April 22nd. Better yet, you'll get to proudly carry your family tartan in the parade!

Hostamania (May 10th) Hostamania is more than hostas! This is the prime time to dig and split many of our garden favorites. If you want to donate some landscape plants and need help with digging or potting, please notify Tom Pappas. 402-202-4454

Mission Trip to Milwaukee July 11-16th

Westminster Youth will serve others through Christ in Milwaukee! Youth interested in joining should call the church (402-475-6702). Please keep them in your prayers.



Food Pantry Thank you for your continued support of this important mission. We continue to be challenged to meet our goal of 110 items in the donation box each week. Some needed items are: pork & beans, syrup, noodles, cooking oil, and potato flakes. Financial contributions are always welcome.

WOW!(Westminster on Wednesday)

Join us weekly where you will find great food, education, music, and more!

Dinner is served from 5:45 to 6:30 p.m. in Cole Hall. This week's menu includes a tax day special: spaghetti with garlic pencilsticks. \$4/children ages 3-12, \$6/adults, \$16 max per family.

WOW XL (6:30 p.m. Youth Room) Youth in grades 6-8 meet weekly during the school year for a faith lesson & some XL-sized portions of fun.

High School Youth Group (6:30 p.m. Confirmation Rm) Youth in grades 9-12 meet weekly during the school year for engaging activities & to grow in faith together.

Knit N Sit (6:30 p.m. Library) Come knit, crochet, learn either craft, or do other projects for the church. We always get to know each other better. Women and men of all ages are welcome to attend this fluid group.

Music Rehearsals

Westminster Carillon (6:30 pm Sanctuary) Children's Choirs (6:30 pm Rm 210 and 210E) Westminster Choir (7:30 pm Sanctuary)