## **Adult Education**

Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

**May 24: No Adult Education Class** 

May 31: Getting to Know Branched Oak Farm

Branched Oak Farm, run by the Dittmanns, is 16 miles from downtown Lincoln, on 240 acres and has a growing herd of Jersey cows. Certified organic, they sell all of the food grown on the farm from their on-farm store, farmers markets, and local grocery stores.

Westminster Bible Class (Parlor)

**Today:** Gift of Languages

(Acts 2:1-7 & 1 Corinthians 14:13-19)

Led by Bud Tenney

Next Week: The Greatest Gift is Love

(1 Corinthians 13:1-13)

The Gospel of Luke usually on Monday at 11:00 a.m., will take a break until the first Monday after Labor Day with The Gospel of John.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast (Tuesday, 6:45 a.m. - Parlor)
May 26: Time Management verses Energy Management
with Jody Freeman from Roper and Sons



## **Creation Care 110 Challenge**

Find more ways to be green in the Messenger!

- Volunteer as a Dish Disciple!
- Use rain barrels to save water for future watering

\*\*\*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 www.westminsterlincoln.org.

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**: Penny Ford, Cindy Hill, Steve Hill, Susan Horne, Jake Kerns, Tom Pappas, Laurel Van Ham Pappas , Christina Nevitt,

Roger Van Cleave

**Greeters:** Joan Roberts & Rachel Pultz

Hosts: Jane Allman, Ron Coniglio, & Christina Nevitt

Acolytes: Eliza Cline & Hannah Kellas

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

May 24, 2015

#### Welcome to Westminster!

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

## **Memorial Day**

With Memorial Day tomorrow, we want to take a moment to recognize all those who have served, currently serve, or have loved ones who are or were members of our Armed Forces. Deepest thanks for your service.

## Blessed to Be a Blessing Campaign

This year's campaign has been full of wonderful celebrations and many contributions have been accepted for the furthering of our missions at Westminster.

Though today is the last Sunday we will announce the campaign, further support through the giving of time or donations will graciously be accepted.

## Membership at Westminster

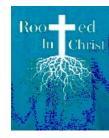
If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Marge (<a href="marge@westminsterlincoln.org">marge@westminsterlincoln.org</a>) or mark "Wish to Join" in the Friendship Pads.

# **Westminster Events**

**Today we celebrate our Graduates!** Congratulations and best wishes as you head off on your next adventure!

#### **Westminster Club**

Tuesday, May 26 at 5:30 pm in Cole Hall
Join us for the last meeting of the Spring Session to hear
about "The Military Family" with Ellen and Lynn Davis.
We ask you to please bring your own table service and
\$10 per person to cover the cost of dinner.



Mission Trip to Milwaukee July 11-16th Westminster Youth will serve others through Christ in Milwaukee! Please keep them in your prayers.

Green Tip Fair Trade Coffee will be served and sold at cost during the month of May. \$6/regular and \$7/decaf. Fair Trade is a trading partnership, based on dialogue, transparency and respect, seeking greater equity in international trade.

## Garden(er) Walk May 31

You are invited to continue celebrating WPC's Creation Care month as we visit 3 members' landscapes. We will gather at Eleanor Adamson's at 3:00 to see her well-kept suburban landscape, then we'll head about a mile west to Jim and Ginger Nissen's park-like urban acreage, and we'll end at Winsome Manor, the home of Laurel and Tom Pappas. Count the rain barrels and enjoy refreshments. A \$5 donation will help toward generating Green@Heart's first budget. Addresses to follow next week.

## **Tour de Friends: Sunday Ride**

June 7<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm

Start: Westminster Church

Parking Lot



We will ride to Dave & Barbara Arunski's home for refreshments before heading back to the church. The route will be along Sheridan Blvd, the Rock Island subdivision. The ride is about 13 miles, round trip, on some streets and paved trails. We hope you can join us!

### **Spaghetti Feed and Auction**

June 7, following 10:30 Worship

Help support the youth attending the Milwaukee Mission Trip this summer by eating pasta and bidding on auction items! A variety of desserts, donated by members, will be on the auction block, as will Acts of Service donated by the youth.

Since desserts are always a good thing- donations of desserts for the auction are still being accepted. Contact Colton or Devon if you would like to make a delicious donation!



#### **Outreach: Save the Date!**

The Neighbor Helping Neighbor Project is on October 3. We are looking for volunteers starting now, so contact a member of the Outreach Committee if you're interested!



## Alleluia Ringers Concert May 25 7:30PM

Free admission (freewill offering) Don't miss this inspiriting handbell performance. The Alleluia Ringers have appeared in prestigious concerts and nationally broadcasted events with Doc Severinsen, Mel Torme, and other celebrities. They have traveled over the world and have received raving reviews.

#### **Summer Choir**

Please come sing with the Summer Choir starting next Sunday, May 31. We will meet in the Sanctuary and rehearse from 9:30-10am each Sunday throughout the summer.

#### **Church Notes**

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> for Memorial Day. Additionally, there will be no Yoga meeting this month. See you June 29th.