

Adult Education
Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

Community Conversations (Fellowship Hall A)

U.S. Senate candidate Todd Watson will join us for week two of *Community Conversations: Citizens of Faith*.
Next Sunday, October 19 – U.S. Senate candidate Ben Sasse

Westminster Bible Class (Parlor)

Even So, My Redeemer Lives (Job 19:1-7, 23-29)
Led by Bill North.
Next Sunday, October 19 – *Hope Complains*
(Job 24:1, 9-12, 19-25)

Small Group Book Study (Room 210A)

Join Erika Schafer for her continuing discussion of “The Answer to Bad Religion Is Not No Religion.” The group will meet every Sunday through November 2 from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. No sign-up required; feel free to drop in and enjoy the discussion!

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

The gospel of Luke offers its readers a new way of living in a world that can be truly transformative. Led by Ken Moore.

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

Medical Mission to Kenya presented by Greg Hershberger.

Mission Opportunity... Prescott Shoe Drive

We’re still collecting shoes to support Prescott Elementary! Drop rubber banded pairs of used shoes, *no matter how worn*, in the black barrel in the church office. For every 25 pairs collected, Prescott will receive funding for student field trips from Funds2Orgs, an organization that uses the shoes to help create micro businesses in underdeveloped countries. Check out www.funds2orgs.com!

***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.

Serving Today:

Ushers: Amy Clare, Cindy Hill, Steve Hill, Barbara Moss, Chip Smith, Marilyn Smith, Amber Winter
Greeters: Greg Hershberger and Steve Hughes
Hosts: Gwen Hlava and Ed & Jeanne Plander
Acolytes: Ansley Sothan and Sydney Laux

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

October 12, 2014

Welcome to Westminster!

Join us in the Garden Room before and after worship for fellowship, coffee, juice and donuts.

Moment for Stewardship

You know your pledge dollars go toward Christian Education, but did you know that more than 320 different educational opportunities for all ages are offered at Westminster annually? Consider what great things the Lord has done as you thoughtfully make your 2015 pledge.

Remember, Consecration Sunday is October 26! Take part in this powerful moment as we dedicate our pledges in worship.

Upcoming Events

For a full list of Westminster activities visit our website www.westminsterlincoln.org.

2nd Sunday Lunch (TODAY, October 12)

Save room for 2nd Sunday lunch today! We'll be serving DaVinci's pasta with choice of three sauces, rolls and salad. *Reminder: Lunch is now served in Cole Hall!* Cost is \$6/adults and \$4/children 10 and under.

Sponsor a Trunk for Spooktacular! (Sunday, October 26)

We are looking for volunteers to deck-out their trunks and donate candy for our trunk-or-treat event! This free, family-friendly event will be from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. in the Westminster parking lot. Sign up in the Garden Room through October or call the church office at (402) 475-6702.

Volunteer for Children's Musical! (Sunday, October 26)

Do you enjoy set and costume design? Volunteer to help with our children's musical, "O Me, O My, O Nehemiah!" scheduled for Sunday, October 26, at 10:30 a.m. worship. For more information, contact Masako Nakamura Bacon at (402) 475-6702 or masako@westminsterlincoln.org.

Faith Building Blocks (Wednesday, October 15)

Third graders and a parent are invited to an interactive class "Learning to Use My Bible" at 6:30 p.m. following WOW dinner! Third graders who participate will receive Bibles at 10:30 a.m. worship on Sunday, October 19. RSVP to Betsy Guyer at betsy@westminsterlincoln.org.

High School Secret Room Tour (Sunday, October 19)

High School youth are invited on a tour of Westminster's secret rooms! Meet tour leaders Claire Eckstrom and Maggie Stuckey at 7:00 p.m. next Sunday to find out if these rooms exist!

Upcoming Small Groups

New Small Group – Silver Screenings!

Members of Silver Screenings are encouraged to suggest movies to the group ranging from summer blockbusters to indie award-winners. To add your name to the group email list, contact Robyn Uebele at robynu2@hotmail.com.

Turning Pages Returns in November

Our small group ministry at the Lancaster County Jail will begin another book study on Monday nights this November. Email jen@westminsterlincoln.org if you'd like to participate!

Prairie Readers (Wednesday, October 15 at 1:00 p.m.)

Book enthusiasts are invited to help us create a reading list for 2015! Come with your suggestions and be ready for some lively discussion. Meets in the Westminster Parlor.

Faith & Cancer (Tuesday, October 21 at 7:00 p.m.)

Cancer survivors are invited to join a study of "Finding the Light in Cancer's Shadow." Meets in the Westminster Parlor.

Ladies' Night Out (Thursday, October 23 at 5:00 p.m.)

Stop by PieZano's (2740 South Street) for LNO! Parking is limited, so please park in the WPC parking lot and walk the short distance if possible. Bring a friend and stop by at your leisure!

Westminster Club (Tuesday, October 28 at 5:30 p.m.)

Refreshments, dinner and programming! Greg Hershberger will share his experiences working on mission in Africa. Bring your own table service. Cost is \$10.

Keeping It Green... a Tip from Green@Heart

Were you touched by Rev. Hanna's message about hunger last week? Learn more about food security from former congressman Doug Bereuter. His lecture, "Can the World Feed 9 Billion People?" will take place on October 19 at 7:00 p.m. in Hardin Hall (33rd and Holdrege). Learn how Bereuter answers this question and the implications it has for Nebraska.

WOW!

Join us weekly for Westminster on Wednesdays, 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: Pork roast, mashed potatoes and green beans; \$4/children ages 3-12, \$5/adults, \$16 max/family

Prayer Lab (6:30 p.m. Lounge)

This five-week series is based on ideas from "50 Ways to Pray." You may expect some definitions, discussion and lots of experimentation. Be advised the leader is a seeker, not an expert.

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

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

High School Youth Group (6:30 p.m. Confirmation Room)

Youth in grades 9-12 meet each week during the school year for engaging activities and the opportunity to grow in faith together.

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

Get crafty, find inspiration, or simply enjoy fellowship.

Music Rehearsals

Westminster Carillon (6:20 p.m. Sanctuary)
Cherub Choir, Alleluia! Amen! Choir (6:30 p.m. Rm 210 and 210E)
Westminster Choir (7:30 p.m. Sanctuary)

Volunteer for Over the Road!

We're in need of new volunteer drivers for over the road! A growing list of Westminster members are in need of a ride to worship on Sunday mornings and would appreciate your time! For more information, email Dan King at dannythek@gmail.com.