

Education on Sunday

at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Education - Lounge

The March book *The Return of the Prodigal Son* by Henri Nouwen will be the topic of discussion. Nouwen explores our call to love as the father and to be loved as the son.

Classes will be led by Dr. Ken Moore

- ◆ March 6 The Younger Son
- ◆ March 13 The Elder Son

Westminster Bible Class - Parlor

March's focus will be on the sayings and actions of Jesus.

Classes will be led by Pastor Ellen Davis

- March 6:** "Powerful Faith, Simple Faith"
Mark 9:14-29 and Mark 10:17-31
- March 13:** "Struggling Faith"
Mark 14:26-31, 66-72

Faith Village - 9:00 am

K-5th grade are invited to learn through teachings involving art, music, storytelling and games. We will talk about the "Woman at the Tomb" and prepare for the resurrection of Christ.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast

In the Parlor at 7 am every Tuesday.

March 8: Tom Cassady speaking on Pulse Point Alert Program

Gospel of John 11:00 a.m. - Monday -Lounge

Daylight Savings Time - Next Sunday, March 13th

*Do Not forget to turn your clocks ahead
1 hour on Saturday night.*

***This Sunday's worship will be televised on digital Channel 71.13 and regular 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. 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: Barbara Arunski, Rauch Kang, Jim Laux, Dave Shamblin, Sue Shamblin, Audrey Smith, Jennifer Smith, Nicole Tunnison

Greeters: Gwen Thorpe and Allen Wachter

Host: Mary Orth and Ginny Rohrbaugh

Acolytes: Toby Lammers and Derrick Burrage

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

March 6, 2016

Welcome to Westminster!

We are so glad you are here today! Join us after worship for donuts and refreshments in the Garden Room.

Journeying Together

We would love to have you take the next step in your spiritual journey by becoming a member of Westminster. The next new members class will be scheduled in the near future, contact Marge at 402.475.6702 for more information.

Adopt an Egg

Eggs are available for adoption at the East Entrance. Please stop by after worship and grab a bag (or two) of empty eggs and help us fill them. Eggs can be filled with pre-packaged candy, toys, tattoos, stickers, etc. Please return the eggs to the bins provided at the East Entrance by March 20th.

Westminster Events & News

Church Surveys

Church surveys are located at the end of the pew, please complete and return to the box in Narthex or East Entrance by March 13th. These will assist Westminster in planning for future goals. When results are in, the congregation will hear about the findings through classes, sermons, leadership groups, and Messenger.

Pre-sale of Cinnamon Rolls

Sundays thru Easter - Garden Room Table
One dozen rolls \$9.00 or Two dozen rolls \$17.00
Or call the church office at 402-475-6702

Easter Eggestravaganza

March 26th from 10 - 11:30 am

Please join us for a free and exciting Easter event at Westminster. There will be games, crafts, and an Easter Egg Hunt for children 3 years to 5th grade. We will also be offering a peanut free room. Please mark your calendars and join us for this great event.

Westminster Annual Easter Breakfast

You do not have to be a Deacon, or even ever been a Deacon, to help with this event. A variety of shifts and jobs are available on Saturday, March 26th for set-up and prep, and on Sunday, March 27th for serving and clean-up. To join in the fun, please contact April Douglas at ajdouglas7929@gmail.com or 402-429-8881.

Lost and Found Items

Spring cleaning the winter items, please stop by and check out the lost and Found for items that you may have misplaced. We will be donating unclaimed items to the People's City Mission in the near future if items are not claimed.

Second Sunday Lunch

March 13th at 11:30 am

Join us following worship for pizza and salad. All are welcome to join.

\$6/adults \$4 (children 10 and under)

Turning Pages

Monday, March 14th from 6:30-7:30 pm

Turning Pages will start another round of book club with female inmates at the Lancaster County Jail. For 4 weeks we will be reading *The Boston Girl* by Anne Diamant. If you want to join this round contact Pastor Jennifer Strickland.

Prairie Readers

Wednesday, March 16th at 1 pm in the Parlor

Backstage: Stories from my life in Public Broadcasting by Ron Hall. All are welcome.

Children's Musical Scene

Cherub Choir and Alleluia! Amen! Choir will have the musical "The Earth is the Lord!" with a short scene and joyful songs on Sunday, April 17th. Please join the rehearsals on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:30 pm or share your artistic gift to make the set. Contact Masako at 402-475-6702 ext. 111 or masako@westminsterlincoln.org for more information.

Prayer Chain Needs You

At this moment Prayer Chain has 40 some people, the Member Care Ministry's goal is 110 people. Won't you consider this simple way of sharing in the life of another person? It is easy, does not cost anything and gives hope and encouragement through our prayers. Call Marge at the church office or email her at marge@westminsterlincoln.org and you are on the team.

Per Capita for 2016 is \$38.00 per member.

WOW!(Westminster on Wednesday)

WOW will not meet Wednesday, March 9th

WOW will resume Wednesday, March 16th

Have a great Spring Break Week!

Wednesday Lenten Meditation (6:20 Chapel)

Lent is a time of deep reflection. This year, we will be exploring a particular group of Psalms: Psalms of lament. Join us on this journey toward Easter.

Death over Dinner Discussion

Wednesday - March 9th at 7:00 PM

Where: Carmela's Bistro (4141 Pioneer Woods Dr)

As we prepare for Holy Week, join us for a discussion about death. As this can be one of the most difficult conversations we have. Pastor Jen will guide us through this troubling topic with uplifting, deep engagement, insight and empowerment.

Holy Week Worship Invitation

Join us in worship as we celebrate

Christ being our Risen Lord!

Palm Sunday: March 20th (regular service times)

Palm parade with children and Summit String Quartet

Maundy Thursday: March 24th at 7 pm (Sanctuary)

Worship focusing on Jesus' Last Supper

Good Friday: March 25th at Noon (Chapel) & 7pm (Sanctuary)

Easter Worship March 27th

Alleluia! He is risen!

7 am (Chapel) - Dean Haist, trumpet

9 & 11 am (Sanctuary) - Nebraska Brass, Westminster

Carillon & Westminster Choir

10 am (Chapel - Contemporary) - The Rising Band

Noon (Chapel - Sundanese)

Church Office will be closed Monday, March 28th