

Education on Sunday

at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Education - Lounge

April's programs will explore the importance of water on our planet.

April 3: "Sacred Water: The Multiple Meanings of Water in the Bible"

Presented by: Rev. Jennifer Strickland

April 10: "What's the Problem? Addressing the Water Crisis on a Global Level"

Presented by: Roberto Lenton, PhD
Founding Executive Director, UNL Water for Food Institute

Westminster Bible Class - Parlor

The focus in April will be of Christian faith using passages from the Gospel of Luke.

April 3: Luke 7:1-10 "Renewed Health"
Presented by: Kent Wolfe

April 10: Luke 7:36-50 "A Reversal of Shame"
Presented by: Steve Carveth

Faith Village - 9:00 am

During the month of April, our kids will reflect on "Respect: The Golden Rule & the Great Commandment". They will apply this concept to Creation Care's April focus on water. Reflecting on God's creation and how we can take care of His water & water creatures.

Gospel of John - Monday's at 11:00 am in the Lounge.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast

Tuesday's at 7:00 am in the Parlor.

April 5: Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald

April 12: Bill North

Topic: The Kingdom of Heaven-Now

***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: Carolyn McCall, Patty Sita, Rock Sita, Rock Sita Jr, Regi Schrimmer, Steve Titus, Mark Whitehead, Shalla Young

Greeters: Rob Otte and Mike Rasmussen

Host: Mary Orth and Ginny Rohrbaugh

Acolytes: Derek Burrage and Rachel Hoffman

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

April 3, 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 is on Sunday, April 17th and Sunday, April 24th, contact Marge at 402.475.6702 for more information.

Congregation Meeting - April 17th

A Congregation Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, April 17th, at the close of the 10:30 a.m. worship. The meeting will be to nominate Brian Lammers as an Elder and Vicki Jurgens as a Deacon.

Annual Abrahamic Faiths Dinner

Join us on Thursday, April 14th at 6:00 PM to hear Rabbi A. Ben Stoller speak on Ethics of War and Peace: A Jewish Perspective. RSVP by Sunday, April 10th by email rs@westminsterlincoln.org or calling 402-475-6702.

Westminster Events & News

Lunch Bunch

Tuesday, April 5th at 11:30 AM

Location: Red Lobster (6540 O Street)

Host: Larry Wieskamp

All are welcome.

Creation Celebration 2016: Living Water

Saturday, April 9th from 11 - 4 PM (*car pooling from church*)

Road trip to Omaha for lunch in the Old Market and visit the new "Water" exhibit at the Kaneko Gallery.

Saturday, April 16th from 10:30 AM-Noon, Hardin Hall
Family Weatherfest at UNL-activities for both kids and parents.

History Buffs

Saturday, April 9th at 9:00 AM

Location: Lounge

Presenter: Mike Rasmussen

Topic: "Gettysburg: We know who won, but did you know..."

Mike will present "the rest of the story" as his years of teaching American History have given him a broad background and many details.

CPR and AED Refresher Class

Sunday, April 10th at 9 am

Location: Cole Hall

Presented by: Adult Education

Swanson Scholarship

Deadline: Friday, April 15th

Full-time undergraduate students and high school seniors are encouraged to apply for Westminster's Swanson Scholarship. Applications are available on the church website or pick up in the church office.

Coffee with Pastor Jen

Wednesday's at Noon-1 pm

New Location: Hub Café at 250 N 21st St

Faith Build

Location: 331 NW 15th Street

When: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays

Volunteers needed - Sign up in the Garden Room

Vacation Bible School

Surf Shack theme "Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love" from June 20-24 to sign up register online. Cost \$30/child, \$75/family (3+ Children) if signed up by May 14th.



Creative Arts Camp

This years theme Galaxy Express - BLAST OFF to OUTER SPACE and DISCOVER! from July 11-15 to sign up register online. Cost \$40/child, \$110/family (3+ Children) if registered by June 17th.



Pathways to Compassion Hospice

Lend a helping hand & a listening heart by becoming a supportive addition to the Hospice Team. For more information contact Sarah Baltensperger at 402-474-0020 or sarah.baltensperger@pathwayshospice.net.

Per Capita for 2016 is \$38.00 per member.

WOW!(Westminster on Wednesday)

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

April 6th dinner will be:

Taco and Nacho Bar

Salad Bar, Fruit and Dessert

Dinner is served from 5:45 to 6:15 p.m. in Cole Hall.

\$4/children, \$6/adults, \$17 max per family

WOW XL (6:30 Gym)

Youth in grades 6-8 meet weekly during the school year for XL sized fun, activities, and to grow in faith together.

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

Adult Education(6:30 - 7:30)

WOW at the Movies will be thought provoking documentaries on the water issue. Bring your favorite snacks and we will provide the water.

April 6: Sacred Balance: The Matrix of Life

April 13: Chasing Ice-Part 1

April 20: Chasing Ice-Part 2 &

The Island President-Part 1

April 27: The Island President-Part 2

Music Rehearsals (6:30 pm)

Westminster Carillon (Adult Handbell Choir, Sanctuary)

Cherub Choir (age 3-Kindergarten, Room 210E)

Alleluia! Amen! Choir (Grade 1-5, Room 210)

Westminster Choir (Adult Choir, 7:30 pm, Sanctuary)