

Education on Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Education - Lounge

The topic in July is "Will Faith Have a Role in the 2016 Presidential Campaign?"

July 31 - The Faith of Hillary Clinton

Led by: Ernie Hines

Special Adult Education - Two Part Series Sunday and Wednesday.

August 7 - We Know Not What We Do - See August Messenger for more information.

Westminster Bible Class - Parlor

The focus in July and August is "Life on God's Terms."

July 31 - Romans 6:1-4, 12-14, 20-23

Death Becomes Life Led by: Greg Hershberger

August 7 - Romans 8:28-39

Safe in God's Love Led by: Bud Tenney

Summer Sunday School Session:

July 24th - August 7th at 10:45am

3 years old or younger will meet in the toddler room. In Faith Village, 4 year old thru 5th grade friends will meet in Faith Village Theatre. The children will watch the Buck Denver video series "What's in the Bible?" from the creator of Veggie Tales. Our children will expand their foundational knowledge of books in the Bible through these fun filled videos! We invite you to bring your children to Sunday School to grow in love for our Creator!

Hygiene Kits

The Mission and Outreach Committee is putting together Hygiene Kits again this year. Please bring items each week to complete a "kit." Sunday, August 14th weeks focus is putting the kits together. Please do not forget to bring kit items with you to church next Sunday.

***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: Chip Smith, Marilyn Smith, Lisa McConnell, Steve McConnell, Brian Lammers, Shelby Lammers, Larry Peach, Ed Plander, Roger Van Cleave

Greeters: Dan Wherry and Marybell Avery

Host: Jim Nissen and Ginger Nissen

Acolytes: Jacob Tunnison and Toby Lammers

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

July 31, 2016

Welcome to Westminster!

We are so glad you are here today! There are refreshments in the Garden Room before and after worship.

Journeying Together

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

Westminster Events & News

Annual Book Sale

Can you believe it? It is only two weeks until this year's annual Book Sale. Sunday, August 14th is the date - mark it on your calendar, and start checking your closets and shelves for books, DVDs, puzzles, games, etc. to donate. Donations can be left in the library any time before Friday, August 12th. Last year's sale was very successful - help make it two in a row.

Lunch Bunch

When: Tuesday, August 2nd at 11:30am

Where: Pizza Ranch (8420 Lexington Ave)

Come for fellowship and good food. All are welcome. Call Larry Wieskamp at 402-802-6883 with any questions.

Summer Choir

Will take a break in July. It will resume on Sunday, August 7th. Enjoy your summer.

Bible at Breakfast

Will not meet again until Monday, August 8th.

Sudanese Sunday School Rides

The Outreach Team is working on getting a team together to give rides to the Sudanese children so they may attend the 9am Sunday School program at Westminster. Please contact Dave Szabat at 402-475-2555 for more information or to volunteer.

Free Washer and Dryer Set Available

The Washer is a white Heavy Duty/Super Capacity Whirlpool machine. The Dryer is a white Heavy Duty/Extra Large Capacity Roper machine. If interested call the church office at 402-475-6702.

Walking in the Light...

Westminster Youth Retreat

When: August 19-21

Who: 8-12th Graders

Where: Calvin Crest Retreat Center

Confirmation Kick-Off!

When: Genesis Sunday at 9am

Who: Parents and Youth Grades 8-9th

Where: Youth Room

Are you in the 8th and 9th Grade and ready to deepen your faith? Confirmation will prepare you for a deeper relationship with God, direct you in your faith walk, and teach you about the history, polity, and theology of the Presbyterian tradition.

Bible Dedication

When: Sunday, August 21st at 10:30am worship service

Who: New Confirmands

Fall Kick Off Presbyterian Woman (PW) of Westminster

When: Saturday, August 27th from 9:30-11:30am

Who: Woman of Westminster

Where: Westminster Lounge

"Who is Jesus? What a Difference a Lens Makes" is the title of the 2016-17 Westminster woman's Bible study that will begin this Fall. You are invited to meet for coffee, goodies, conversation and an introduction to the study by Rev. Ellen Davis. In addition, our guest Charleen Cochell, our Homestead (Prebytery) Presbyterian Woman Cluster leader. Any questions contact Rev. Ellen Davis at 402-304-0557.

Food Pantry

Fourteen boxes with lids are used each week for the food that we send out. Please pick up a list of the needed items on the food box by the east door. Monetary donations are always welcome.

Fall Kick Off - Genesis Sunday, August 14th

You've got a friend at Westminster! Join our church family as we introduce our exciting programming for Fall! There's something for everyone! Bring a friend and start the new year journeying together!

Genesis Carnival

Join us for 10:30 a.m. worship service, then come to our kids' carnival! Children can get their faces painted, play games and get to know other children in our church community.

Sunday School Open House and Registration

This is the perfect time to tour our amazing Sunday School facilities and meet the loving volunteers who teach our children each week. During this time, you'll also have the opportunity to fill out or drop-off a registration card for your child. For planning purposes, it's important we know how many children to expect each Sunday!

Potluck Lunch (After 10:30am Worship Service)

With all the events taking place stop by and enjoy a delicious potluck lunch in the Fellowship Hall.

Sandwiches & beverages will be provided for lunch.

Please bring your own table service & serving utensils for your dish. Families with last names beginning Q-Z bring a dessert, while A-P should bring a side dish.

Ministry Fair

Throughout the year, multiple committees are hard at work developing programs that add meaning and depth our individual faith journeys. Join us in the Garden Room for a look at our upcoming Adult Education classes and mission opportunities. This is a wonderful way to meet new people and discover the many ways you can be involved at Westminster.

Per Capita for 2016 is \$38.00 per member.