

Education on Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Education - Lounge

October 2 & 9 - "Humor and the Bible"

Led by: Mike Dempsey

Special Presentation - Sunday, October 30th

Westminster has been given a rare opportunity to dialogue with the U. S. State Department; Paul Watzlavick and Joseph Pennington will be in Lincoln to speak on the Middle East. These State Department officials will provide insights that **you will not want to miss!**

Westminster Bible Class - Parlor

The focus in October is The Sovereignty of Jesus.

October 2 - Hebrews 1:1-9 "The Imprint of God"

Led by: Steve Carveth

October 9 - Hebrews 3:1-6; Matthew 7:24-29

"Builder of the House"

Led by: Greg Hershberger

Sunday School at 9:00am & 10:45am:

September focuses on Acceptance, based on the story of Peter and Cornelius, Each week, the children will explore the theme through workshops on Cooking, Science and Storytelling.

November Adult Education Sunday Series

Human Trafficking

Three week series, starting with guest presenter Sriyani Tidball, UNL Journalism Professor on Sunday, November 6th. Followed by, will be Maddie Walker, Woman's Center for Advancement on Sunday, November 13th. The last week will be guest presenter Doug Peterson, Attorney General on Sunday, November 20th. Everyone is welcome to attend.

***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: Kathy Anderson, Josh Lovell, Sarah Lovell, Carolyn Harp, Olivia Hoffman, Matt Olson, Dorothy Smiley, Eric Watcher

Greeters: Bob Rediger and Joan Roberts

Hosts: Mary Orth and Ginny Rohrbaugh

Acolytes: Jacob Tunnison and Rachel Hoffman

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

October 2, 2016

Welcome to Westminster!

We are so glad you are here today! There are refreshments and cake in the Garden Room before and after worship to welcome our New Members.

Journeying Together - TODAY

If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Marge (marge@westminsterlincoln.org) or mark "Wish to Join" in the Friendship Pads. Today at 9:00am is the next new member class!

Westminster Events & News

Youth Activity - Pokeman Go

When: Sunday, October 2nd from 1:30-3:30pm

Where: Antelope Park - Band Shelter

Who: 6th-8th Graders

Bring a friend. For more information contact Barbara at 402-475-6702.

Elders for the Earth - "A Retreat in the Spirit of Chautauqua"

When: October 3-6th

Where: Mahoney State park

A multi-day interdisciplinary gathering for fellowship, lectures, music, the arts, being in nature and even some fun in the midst of the climate crisis. Local elders are coming together to learn and share their collective wisdom. To sign up visit www.Elders4theEarth.com.

Lunch Bunch

When: Tuesday, October 4th at 11:30 am

Location: Fireworks (5750 S 86th Dr)

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

Neighbors Helping Neighbors

When: Saturday, October 8th at 8:00am

Where: Westminster Church

Outreach Committee is helping our community -

everyone is welcome to join in this "giving back" event.

Work sites to choose from are: *Friendship Home, The Bridge, Clinic with a Heart, Cedars Early Childhood Development Center, and Center for People in Need.*

Volunteers will meet for coffee and fellowship then each project work team will depart at 8:30am. They will go to their work site and will work until 12:00pm.

History Buffs

When: Saturday, October 15th at 9:00am

Where: Westminster Lounge

Topic: Escaping Nuremberg: How Hitler's Henchman Fled Justice

Presenter: Gerald Steinacher PhD. - UNL History Professor

Dr. Steinacher grew up in the western area of Austria. He has spent many years in research on the Holocaust and written three books. Join us for this excellent speaker.

Westminster Club

When: Tuesday, October 18th at 11:30am

Location: Cole Hall

Topic: Scottish History

Presenter: Rev. Dr. Jimmy Shelbourn

We hope you will plan to attend.

Prairie Readers

When: Wednesday, October 19th

Book: The Pearl That Broke Its Shell

Author: Nadia Hashimi

Discussion Leader: Diana Wild

Everyone is welcome to join in the conversation and fellowship.

Christmas Pageant Rehearsal

When: Starts Wednesday, October 26th at 6:30pm

Children 3 years old through 5th Grade are welcome to join. For more information contact Masako at 402-475-6702.

Per Capita for 2016 is \$38.00 per member.

Green@Heart

Westminster has a group of "earth angels" called Green@Heart that is quite proud of what our church has done to qualify to be PC(USA) Earth Care Congregation. This is an open group and we would love to add members. For more information contact Tom Pappas at tpappas@windstream.net.

WOW!(Westminster on Wednesday)

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

WOW XL (6:30 Youth Café)

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

Living in the Light: Rediscovering the Gospel of John (6:30 - 7:30)

Have fun as you nourish your mind, body and soul with your faith family at Westminster. Join us Wednesday evenings where Dr. McDonald lead's an enlightening study on the Gospel of John.

Music Rehearsals (6:30)

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, Sanctuary)