Education on Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Education - Lounge

Images of Christmas - during Advent we will explore four key images of the Christmas story - the star, the Magi, the angels and the nativity scene.

Nov 27 - "The Star"Presented by: Steve LarsonDec 4 - "The Magi"Presented by: Steve Larson

Westminster Bible Class - Parlor
Nov 27 - Revelation 22:1-21 "Alpha and Omega" Presented by: Rev. Ellen Davis
The theme for December is "The Savior has been Born."
Dec 4 - Luke 1:26-38 "God Promises a Savior" Presented by: Kent Wolfe

Sunday School:

Preschool Story Time at 9:00am - Preschool-aged children may join Jennifer Fowler for a Bible story, an activity and lots of community-building through play. **Kindergarten of Eden (Preschool) at 10:45am** - Nov lessons emphasize treasuring God's grace, giving thanks, showing God's love in our actions and symbols of faith. **Faith Village (K-5th Grade) at 10:45am** - Nov lessons focus on friendship, based on the story of Jonathan and David in 1 Samuel 18. The children will learn how being a faithful friend is one way of responding to God's love for us.

South Branch Library

Now through Friday, Dec 2nd the Library parking lot and the drive off of South Street into the Library parking lot will be closed for major repair. The alley off of 27th Street may be closed off and on during this time. 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 <u>www.westminsterlincoln.org.</u>

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 and Eric Wachter Greeters: Amy Fricke and Jeremy Gegg Host: Christina Nevitt Acolytes: Aubrey Winter and Julian Anderson

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

November 27, 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

Ladies Night Out

Mon, Dec 5th from 5-7pm Toast (570 Fallbrook Blvd #105) Invite your friends for fellowship and special appetizers offered for \$10, plus drink cost, tax and tip. All ladies are welcome-No RSVP required. Contact Robyn Uebele (robynu2@hotmail.com) with questions.

Lunch Bunch

Tues, Dec 6th at 11:30 am Tanners Bar and Grill (8600 South 30th) Come for fellowship and good food. All are welcome. Call Larry Wieskamp at 402-802-6883 with any questions.

World on a Plate

Fri, Dec 9th from 6-8pm in Cole Hall Food! Fellowship! Learn about Presbyterian missions world wide! You are invited to join this unique and award-winning small group activity. Bring a holiday-themed food from a country or region of your choice to share with friends old and new. In addition to food and sharing hospitality, we'll have a short program featuring Rev. Jimmy Shelbourn, and select the countries we'll "savor" in 2017.

History Buffs

Count Von Zeppelin's Flying Machine Sat, Dec 10th at 9:00am Bruce Sheffield will give the history of dirigibles and the tragedy of the Hindenburg. Everyone is welcome to attend. CHRISTMAS SPECIAL MUSIC: "GLORIA" by Boyd Bacon

Dec 11th during 10:30am worship service Nebraska Wesleyan University Jazz Choir and Westminster Choir

SING "HALLELUJAH CHORUS" TOGETHER!

Dec 18th during 10:30am worship service Meet Sunday at 10:15 a.m. for a brief rehearsal or just join on the chancel at the end of the worship service No steps required. Music will be provided.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT "Journey to Bethlehem"

Dec 18th during 10:30am worship service Rehearsals on Wednesdays Cherub Choir(age 3-Kindergarten) 6:30-7:25pm Rm 210 E Alleluia! Amen! (Grade 1 - 5) 6:30-7:25pm Rm 210 Dress Rehearsal Sat, Dec 17th at 9:00-11:30am

Holiday of Trees

The Heritage League is holding their 44th annual Holiday of Trees on Thursday, Dec. 1st from 10am - 8pm and Friday, Dec 2nd from 10am - 7pm. Admission price \$1 per person.

Middle School Activity - Lincoln Escape Room

Sat, Dec 10th from 10:45AM - 12:15PM Lincoln Escape Room (3700 S 9th St) \$29.00 per participant The Lincoln Escape Room (http://lincolnescaperoom.com/) is a mental adventure game in which our youth group will solve a series of puzzles, riddles, and clues in an attempt to escape within 60 minutes.

WOW! (Westminster on Wednesday)

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

November 30th dinner will be: Turkey Casserole, Squash Casserole, Peas Fruit, Salad and Pumpkin Spice Cake

Dinner is served from 5:45 - 6:15 p.m. in Cole Hall \$4/children, \$6/adults, \$17 max per family

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.

Stories Become Us (6:30 - 7:30)

Join us as we explore storytelling as a means of sharing our personal stories and our faith journeys. We will share stories of our childhood, adult years, happy times, sad times, faith experiences and favorite Christmas memories. All are welcome.

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)

Per Capita for 2016 is \$38.00 per member.