

Education on Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Education - Lounge

. . . And Justice for All (?)

In February we will explore issues of Native American rights, religious freedom, and intercultural understanding. We will discuss issues of justice, freedom and peacemaking.

Feb 19 – “*Legal Issues Underlying Little Bighorn*”, presented by Charles Wright, author of *Law at Little Bighorn*.

Feb 26 – “The story behind *Sitting Bull’s Last Waltz*”, presented by playwright, John Templin Schliesser.

Westminster Bible Class - Parlor

February’s theme is “*The Birthing of a New Community*”.

Feb 19 – *Galatians 5:1-17; “Freedom in Christ”*
Led by Gary Haller

Feb 26 – *Galatians 5:18-6:10; “Christ Creates Holy Living”*
Led by Bill North

Faith Village on Sundays 9:00 and 10:45 am

In February, children will have the opportunity to explore The Great Commission through several workshops and a Mission Fair. This unit includes special guests that your children will not want to miss.

At 10:45 am - Kindergarten of Eden lessons include the parable of the Sower; Jesus feeds the multitude and Jesus walking on water.

Nun Zehn Lohmener Kommen im Juli!!

...more details later!

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 am, 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: Penny Ford, Lisa McConnell, Steve McConnell, Christina Nevitt, Noah Nevitt, Larry Peach, Ed Plander and Roger Van Cleave.

Hosts: Gary & Glenna Haller

Greeters: Joan Roberts and Rob Otte.

Acolytes: Rachel Hoffman and Jacob Tunnison.

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*“I am the vine, you
are the branches....”*

February 19, 2017

Welcome to Westminster!

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

Welcome Rev. Zac Wolfe and the youth and adults from Jefferson City Missouri, First Presbyterian Church, who are worshiping with us this morning.

Organ Recital- Monica Czausz

Today at 3:00 pm in the Westminster Sanctuary

As a “Rising Star,” Czausz has appeared in many prestigious venues. Her program will include J.S. Bach, Dupre, and master composers of the 20th Century. Single tickets will be available at the door: Regular admission: \$20, Seniors \$15, Students with current ID- FREE and 18 & Under- FREE!

Journeying Together

If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Marge (marge@westminsterlincoln.org) or mark “Wish to Join” in the Friendship Pad.

Westminster Events & News

Family Fun Night

Pizza, Popcorn and Pajamas!

Friday, Feb 24th at 6-8:30 pm

Come see the new, animated, family oriented movie, "Storks".

Put on your pajamas and bring your family, pillows, blankets, and favorite movie snacks. Popcorn & beverages provided.

Costs (to cover food) is \$4 person or maximum \$10 per family.

RSVP by Wed, Feb 22nd- so we know how many pizzas to

order. Sign up in the Garden Room or call/email Barbara

at 402-475- 6702/ barbara@westminsterlincoln.org

Drama Camp

March 12-17, 2017

9am-3pm- K-6th Grades

Over spring break, children are welcome to join WPC's 6th annual Drama Camp!

Gulliver's Travels, is produced in partnership with Missoula Children's Theater. Children will enjoy education in

theater topics such as: characterization, music, staging, movement, and more!

Register online at www.westminsterlincoln.org.

YOUTH (7th - 12th Grade) and young adult helpers needed!

Contact Barbara 402-475-6702, or barbara@westminsterlincoln.org

Pantry Food Drive

Westminster is so blessed to have so many caring, generous members. The concern for others was evident when the Pantry Food Drive numbers were totaled. Donated items totaled just under 1900 items!

Per Capita for 2017 is \$39.25 per member.

The Annual Spring Stated Meeting

We are meeting today at the close of the 10:30 am worship. The agenda includes the presentation of the 2016 annual reports, the presentation of the 2017 budget and the approval of the pastor's compensation for 2017. Plan to join us.

FORTY DAYS OF FOCUS

written by Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald

Come meet new people, make new friends, and celebrate Lent with a six week study designed to deepen one's faith and spirituality. Several groups are forming with different days, times and places to meet during March & April and we can also create additional groups. This is an excellent opportunity to strengthen your friendships within our church family as well as your relationship with God. Sign up in the Garden Room on Sundays, or call Tracy at 402-475-6702 to get the dates, times and venues available.

Sign Up for the Membership Directory.....

It is time to bring our smiling faces together in our Church Membership Directory! An up-to-date Directory helps us to know names and faces as well as help to connect us to the missions of our church. Life Touch photographers will be on-site the last week of March and the first week of April.

Appointments can be made on-line at: <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/9z631v3s/>, or in person in the Garden Room. Everyone will receive a free 8 x 10 portrait and free directory.

It is also possible to purchase portraits at a 20% discount **PLUS** you will have a \$10.00 Sign-in Coupon **PLUS** \$5.00 off your order if you bring a non-perishable food item for our Westminster Food Pantry. This is a WIN-WIN!

WOW (Westminster on Wednesday)

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

Dinner is served from **5:45 - 6:15 pm** in Cole Hall \$4/children, \$6/adults, \$17 maximum per family

February 22nd Dinner Menu:

Mac & Cheese w/Ham Slices

Fruit, Salad and dessert

Tour de Friends

We're forming a Life Group for those interested in Growing in Strength and friendship by cycling the trails of Lincoln on Thursdays. Come help us plan during this weeks WOW dinner at 6 pm on Feb 22nd.

WOW XL6:30 pm Youth Café

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

The Gospel of John Continues . . .

The Gospel of John is one of the most vivid and dramatic books of the Bible.

Come view the powerful movie "The Gospel of John" in the Westminster Theater on Wednesday: February 22 from 6:30 pm until 7:30 pm. This film will bring to life the stories that we learned about last Fall under the direction of Dr. McDonald. Starring Henry Ian Cusick as Jesus and narrated by Christopher Plummer, this movie re-creates the tumultuous time in which Jesus lived. Popcorn and M & M's will be provided for your enjoyment. All are welcome!

Music Rehearsals

6:20 Westminster Carillon, Adult Handbell Choir, Sanctuary

6:30 Cherub Choir, Age 3-Kindergarten, Room 210E

6:30 Alleluia! Amen! Choir, Grade 1-5, Room 210

7:30 Westminster Choir, Adult Choir, Sanctuary