

Adult Education at 9:00 am

Creation Celebration—Is this Eden? No, it's Nebraska!

But we are still responsible to tend and keep it (Genesis 2:15). A cast of involved Nebraskans will share their insights regarding a faithful response to climate change and its impact on the environment. us on Sunday mornings in April and May as we seek to understand how we at Westminster can work toward “restoring Eden”.

Sunday, April 23 – “The Implications of Climate Change for Nebraska” presented by Lucas Sabalka, Climate Reality Leader.

Sunday, April 30 – “Creating Habitats for Monarch Butterflies and Other Pollinators” presented by Carolyn Butler, Nebraska Wildlife Federation.

Westminster Bible Class —Parlor

Throughout the Lent and Easter season, we are reminded of God's love focused in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

April 16– Easter Sunday – No Class Meeting.

April 23– Romans 5:6-11; 8:31-39 – God’s Reconciling Love, led by Steve Carveth.

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

***NO Faith Village today- Easter Sunday.**

Children learn about Jesus’ triumphant entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and about the events of Holy Week in Storytelling, Art, Music & Worship and Games Workshops.

Kindergarten of Eden— 10:45 am

Children are learning that the Bible is a special book about our faith and God’s teachings that helps us know how God wants us to live.

This Sunday’s worship will be televised on digital Channel 71.13 and regular channel 13 on Thursday at 12:30 pm Saturday at 1 pm. Listen to this week’s sermon on KFOR 1240 AM on Sundays at 10 am, and 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 Schirmer, Steve Titus and Shalla Young.

Host: Ed & Jeanne Plander

Greeters: Rob Baltensperger and Nancy Delgado.

Acolytes: Julian Anderson and Georgia Wood.

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

April 16, 2017

Welcome to Westminster!

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

Lohmen News

Be sure to take part in at least one of the activities during the time we host our visitors from Lohmen Germany from July 11- July 20. Your idea of the church and your faith will be changed forever.

Westminster Events & News

Hostamania Emergency!

Each Mother's Day the Lohmen group hosts a plant sale featuring donated plants from Westminsterites' landscape beds. The early spring is pushing our flora out of the ground at a faster pace and anyone who wishes to contribute plants should get them dug and potted, the sooner the better. Need help? We can help. Call Tom 402 484 8476.

Sausage, Egg & Scripture – April 15 | 8 am

A men's Bible study and breakfast at The Piedmont Bistro. Dr. Shelbourn will lead an exploration of Ephesians 2:11-22. For more information, call Jimmy Shelbourn at 402-475-6702.

The University Singers

Westminster Performance April 18 | 7:30PM

The University Singers final concert will be held in the Sanctuary. They will reprise the music they performed at the University Chancellor's installation ceremony at the Lied Center, repeat a portion of a recent concert they held at Boys Town, and new music especially for this concert. The concert is free and open to the public.

Westminster Club Tuesday, April 18th | 11:30 am Meet in Cole Hall for lunch and "Hollywood Star/Spy" presented by Mike Dempsey. Please bring your own table service and \$10.00 for lunch.

Easter Lily

Your Easter Lily may be taken home today after the 11 am Service. Church office will be closed Monday, April 17.

Tour de Friends | Trail Ride Thursday

5:45 pm | Thursday, April 20 -Mopac from 27th to 84th Street Meet in the parking lot by Pho Factory located at 940 N. 26th Street. We will ride over the 27th Street bridge to 84th Street and back. Approximately 10 miles.

Prairie Readers

Wednesday, April 19 — 1:00 pm | Westminster Parlor
Book for the month: The Life of John G. Neihardt by Timothy Anderson. The author will be the presenter. All welcome.

"Forty Days of Focus" — If you missed signing up for a group – perhaps you wintered in Arizona? – there is another opportunity to join. Greg Hershberger will lead a group on Tuesdays at 7 pm from May 2 - June 6 at the church. This is a six week study written by Dr. McDonald to foster Christian discipleship and an opportunity to meet new friends and deepen relationships with those you already know. Call the church office to enroll 402-475-6702.

LET'S BE AN EARTH CARETAKER!

Children's Musical Scene

The Earth is the Lord's! (Psalm 24:1)

April 23, 10:30am Worship Service

Mother's Day Tea We are in need of tea cups and tea pots for the Mother's Day Tea on May 11 & 12. If you have any that you'd like to donate please drop them off at the Church office- they will be put to good use throughout the years to come.

WOW! Westminster on Wednesday

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

April 19th Dinner

Baked Chicken with roasted red potatoes
and creamed spinach
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 Youth Café at 6:30 PM

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

Music Rehearsals

6:30 pm Alleluia! Amen! | Room 210

6:30 pm Cherub Choir | Room 210

6:30 pm Westminster Carillon | Chapel

7:30 pm Westminster Choir | Sanctuary

Adult Education

Creation Celebration—Restoring Eden

WOW at the movies | Westminster Theater

WPC's Green@Heart April 19 & 26 | 6:30 pm

Join us on Wednesday evenings as we explore the impact of climate change across the globe. *Before the Flood*, a documentary produced and narrated by Leonardo DiCaprio, examines areas of the world that are suffering the ramifications of climate change.

Per Capita for 2017 is \$39.25 per member