

Adult Education at 9:00 am

Sunday, Sept 10— “Building a Stronger Nebraska through Early Childhood Initiatives” by Michael Medwick of First Five Nebraska.

September 17— “Building a Stronger Lincoln through Early Childhood Programs” by Michelle Suarez of Prosper Lincoln.

Westminster Bible Class | Parlor God’s Urgent Call

Throughout the summer we have considered the impact of God’s call on several Old Testament leaders and prophets. During August, our study for the summer concludes with an exploration of God’s call to faithful Christians of the First Century church and how God is calling us in the 21st Century. Join us any Sunday.

Sunday, Sept 10— Genesis 17, “Circumcision” presented by Ellen Davis.

Sunday, Sept 17— Genesis 2:1-3; Exodus 31:12-18; Isaiah 56:1-8, “Sabbath Observance” presented by Ellen Davis.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Preschool Story Time | Rm 210 | 9 a.m.

Kindergarten of Eden | Rm 210 | *10:45 a.m.

(*following the Children’s Sermon at 10:30 worship)

Children ages 3-5 are invited to Kindergarten of Eden to Grow in Grace and Gratitude following the Children’s Conversation!

Faith Village | lower level | 9 or *10:45 a.m.

(*following the Children’s Sermon at 10:30 worship)

Children grades K – 5th are invited to join us following the Children’s Conversation for some fun activities.

This Sunday’s worship will be televised on digital Channel 71.13 on Thursday at 12:30 pm and regular channel 13 on 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: Penny Ford, Lisa McConnell, Steve McConnell, Christina Nevitt, Noah Nevitt, Larry Peach, Ed Plander and Steve Larson.

Greeters: Katie Whitehead and Jason Woita.

Acolytes: Georgia Wood and Henery Cline.

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September 10, 2017

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

Welcome to Westminster!

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

Journeying Together

The next class is September 24 at 9 a.m.

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

Today is Acolyte Recognition Sunday

Members of the Acolyte Guild are Julian Anderson, Derek Burrage, Henry Cline, Colton Graham, Aspen Hemmerling, Rachel Hoffman, Ian Mulvaney, Carter Mulvaney, Aubrey Winter, Porter Woita, and Georgia Wood. These children, in grades 3 - 5, serve our church as worship leaders by bringing in the light of Christ at the beginning of the service, and taking it forth into the world as we depart to serve each Sunday.

Youth Strings Rehearsals

Sundays | 10:00-10:20 a.m. | Chapel

Tour de Friends

We will meet at the Children’s Zoo on September 14 at 5:45 pm and ride to the UNL Dairy Store for ice cream. Aprox. 6 miles round trip. All are welcome.

Presenting:

The GREEN@HEART Challenge of the Month

Let's think about Creation Care as it pertains to bottled water. Did you know that:

- * \$100 billion worth of bottled water is sold each year. (roughly 50 billion bottles)?
- * 17 million barrels of oil are used to produce that bottled water (enough to fuel 1 million cars for an entire year)?
- * our oceans contain upwards of 46,000 pieces of plastic?

Your GREEN@HEART CHALLENGE FOR SEPTEMBER:

Can our Westminster family avoid using bottled water for a month?

- * Drink tap water. It's safe and good tasting!
- * When leaving home, use a reusable water bottle.
- * Pick out a bottle with a design that reflects your personal style. It's fun!

Sausage, Eggs & Scripture

Saturday, September 16 | 8 AM

Piedmont Bistro- 1265 S Cotner Blvd
Men’s Bible Study led by Rev. Dr. Jimmy Shelbourn. Continuing a study of Ephesians. More information? Call Questions: Contact Jimmy— 402-475-6702.

Ladies Night Out

Tuesday, September 19 | 5-7 PM | Hop Cat 601 “P” Street

All are Welcome!

Prairie Readers

Wednesday, September 20 | 1 PM | Westminster Parlor

Book: A Man Called Ove by Fredrik Backman
Facilitator: Judy White.

PANCAKE FEED

Sunday, September 24 | Garden Room | 8:30-10:30 AM

Hosted by the Life Groups Committee
Enjoy a buffet style breakfast pancake feed including sausage and all the fix’ens for toppings. Freewill offering.

Dementia Support Group

Please join us for a dementia support group on the second Sunday of every month from 11:30-12:30, located at Home Instead Senior Care, 1400 Dahlberg Drive, Ste E, Lincoln. A light lunch is provided. If you have any questions, please contact Sarah Baltensperger at sarah@homeinsteadlincoln.com.

Presbyterian Women of Westminster Circles

Circle Groups engage in monthly Bible study, mission, prayer and nurturing of one another. Women of all ages are welcome. PW Circles follow the expectations and goals of the National Presbyterian Women’s Assoc.— PW/Presbyterian Church USA. Circles meet once a month September through June; meeting days, time and locations depend on the individual Circle.

Circle 5 Meets on September 12, 10:00 AM.

Leader: Pat Hackley

Circle 6 Meets on September 26, 7:00 PM.

Leader: Jane Hines

WOW! Westminster On Wednesday

Need a night to unwind this Fall from the hustle of school activities and work meetings? Join us for WOW—Westminster on Wednesday where you will find great food, education, music, and more!

WOW Dinner

Dinner is served from 5:45 to 6:15 PM Cole Hall. \$4/children, \$6/Adults, \$17 max per family.

September 13 Meal:

Baked chicken, cheesy potatoes
Salad Bar, Fruit and Dessert

WOW XL Youth Café at 6:30 PM

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

Adult Education

The Hebrew Prophets: A Passion for Justice

Wednesday, September 13 | Lounge | 6:30 PM

Rev. Dr. Jimmy Shelbourn will enlighten us as to the courageous role that various Hebrew prophets played during Old Testament times. Join us to learn more about Jeremiah and Ezekiel.

MUSIC

WOW! Rehearsals on Wednesdays

6:20 pm Westminster Carillon | Sanctuary

6:30 pm Alleluia! Amen! | Grades K-5 | Room 210

6:30 pm Cherub Choir | Pre-K | Room 210- East

7:30 pm Westminster Choir | Sanctuary

Do you play a brass instrument? Westminster Brass wants you! Rehearsals TBA. Contact John Ross at 402-475-6702 or john@westminsterlincoln.org for more information.

Knit & Sit- Wednesdays year round at 6:30 PM | Church Library
We warmly welcome any one who knits or crochets. If you want to learn we'll teach you. We meet year round.

Per Capita for 2017 is \$39.25 per member