

Adult Education at 9:00 am

This year Lincoln's Abrahamic Faith Dinner will be held on October 26th at the College View Seventh Day Adventist Church. To make this event more meaningful and deepen our understanding of other world religions, we will sponsor a lecture series focused on the Abrahamic Faith Traditions of Judaism, Islam, and Eastern Orthodox Christianity. Our speakers will discuss the basic beliefs and practices of their faiths and address common misconceptions.

October 15—Eastern Orthodox Christianity

October 22—Judaism

Westminster Bible Class | God's Urgent Call | Parlor

During October, we will explore God's covenant with Abram, the giving of God's law to the people of Israel, the promise given to David and his posterity, and the corresponding continuing call to loyalty to God.

Sunday, Oct 15— Exodus 20, "Obeying God's Law" led by Steve Carveth.

Sunday, Oct 22— 2 Samuel 7:1-16; Psalm 89; 1 Chronicles 22:6-8, "God's Covenant with David" led by Bud Tenny.

SUNDAY SCHOOL *following the Children's Sermon at 10:30 worship

Preschool Story Time | Rm 210 | 9 AM

Kindergarten of Eden | Ages 3-5 | Rm 210 | *10:45 AM

Faith Village | Grades K—5 | Lower Level | 9 and *10:45 AM

Middle School | 6-7 Grade | Lower Level | 9 AM

Students will "Explore the Core of the Bible".

High School | 10-11 Grade | Lower Level | 9AM

Relevant studies from "The Thoughtful Christian".

Youth String Ensemble Rehearsals

Sundays | 10:00-10:20 AM | Chapel

String students are invited to join. We rehearse on Sundays 10:00-10:20 am in the Chapel. This group will perform a variety of musical styles several times this Fall.

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: Josh Lovell, Sara Lovell, Matt Olson, Dorothy Smiley, Eric Wachter, John Paul Wirrick, and Sydne Wirrick Knox.

Greeters: Rob Baltensperger and Nancy Delgado.

Acolytes: Derrick Burrage and Georgia Wood.

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Ryan McClain, and Lyudmila Fomina



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

October 15, 2017

Welcome to Westminster!

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

MISSION MONTH:

Neighbors Helping Neighbors | Saturday, October 21

Meet at the church at 8 AM for coffee & fellowship

Work teams will depart at 8:30 AM to their worksite and work until 11 AM or noon depending on the project. For more info and to sign up, call or email Jennifer Smith at jsmith67@neb.rr.com or 402-525-6560.

Habitat for Humanity Faith Build | Sat, Oct 28 | 8 – 3:30 PM

You are Invited for a Day of Purpose and Fun. Volunteers are needed to help with drywall work and/or to provide food for the lunch. No skills are required for the work and all tools will be provided. Volunteers must be 16 and older and will need to fill out volunteer paperwork and watch a short training video. Those under 18 need a parent/guardian consent signature. This is our opportunity to help provide a family with a home.

Ladies Night Out

Monday, October 16 | 5-7 PM | Billy's 1301 "H" Street

Invite your friends for an evening of getting to know Westminster Presbyterian Church ladies over food and drinks. Appetizers \$10 + tax. All ladies are welcome to join.

No RSVP required & you can drop in at your leisure.

Prairie Readers | October 18 | 1 PM | Lounge

Pat Leach is our guest speaker. She will be discussing Notable Books.

Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza | Friday, Oct 20 | 5:30-7:30 PM

Introducing the King of Instruments- The Organ! Pedals, Pipes and Pizza for young keyboard students! Wear your Halloween Costume and enjoy a free pizza party! Call John at 402-475-6702 ext #111 and get registered today!

WORLD ON A PLATE

OCTOBER COUNTRY OF INTEREST: LITHUANIA

Friday, October 20 | 6:30 PM

If you enjoy cooking, fellowship over a good meal, and learning about current missionary work, World on a Plate is for you! Members explore international cuisine and PCUSA missions monthly at Westminster or in members' home, our meal style is pot luck. We will meet at the home of Karen McManus, celebrating Lithuania! RSVP's would be helpful by Oct. 15, by calling 402-570-3874.

Sausage, Eggs & Scripture

Men's Bible Study led by Rev. Dr. Jimmy Shelbourn.

Since "History Buffs" moved to the 3rd Saturday for this month to accommodate the speaker, we will dismiss a few minutes early so participants can attend both.

Contact: Jimmy at 402-475-6702.

Presbyterian Women of Westminster Circles

Circle 6: Meets on October 24, 7 PM in the Library.

Leader: Jane Hines.

HISTORY BUFFS

October 21 | 9 AM Lounge

We are pleased to have Judi Gaiashkibos, the Director of the Nebraska Commission on Indian Affairs, as our guest speaker. She will speak on the history of the Poncas and on the plans for the restoration of the Susan La Flesche-Picotte Center in Walthill, Ne. Judi is a native American of the Ponca Tribe and is prominent in the Chief Standing Bear activities in the State and with the dedication of his statue on Centennial Mall on October 15, 2017. Contact: Bruce & Margaret Sheffield.

A Message From Buildings and Grounds

We're sure that you noticed the plywood over one of the big stained glass windows in the sanctuary. A short time later, the original, restored window was installed. Notice how much more brighter and more colorful it is after restoration. Westminster would like to thank Jerry and Barbara Solomon for their generous gift which made this possible. Several Westminster members have provided funds to restore other stained glass sanctuary windows. Those folks are Ken and Katherine Govaerts, Don Hamann, Gary and Faye Moulton, Jim and Judy White, and the M.E. 'Bus" Whitehead family. Westminster thanks them. There are more windows that need attention. If you or your family would like to sponsor a window, please contact Cheryl Rennick, Business Administrator, or Jim White, Building and Grounds Moderator.

RINGERS NEEDED!!

We need a few new faces to fill out the Westminster Carillon during the Christmas season. No ringing experience required, but it helps if you have a basic understanding of how to read notes and rhythms. Contact Laura Ross at laura@westminsterlincoln.org for more information.

Do you play a brass instrument?

Westminster Brass wants you! Contact John at 402-475-6702 or john@westminsterlincoln.org.

WOW! Westminster On Wednesday

Do you 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.

October 18 Meal:
Grilled cheese w/potato leek soup
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.

Join us for Adult Education at WOW

October 18— Back Pew Farmer – Food Forest

October 25—Lohmen Game on Church Building

WOW! MUSIC Rehearsals on Wednesdays

Westminster Carillon | Sanctuary | 6:20 PM

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

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

Westminster Choir | Sanctuary | 7:30 PM

Parenting Life Group: Wednesdays | Parlor | 6:30 PM

Designed for parents of infants and young children through age 5. Parenting. Fellowship. Support. Prayer. Growing your child's faith. Adults share and discuss while children are nurtured in supervised care. Bring the family for WOW dinner and Preschool- grade 5 children are welcome to sing with the choirs. Contact: Barbara@westminsterlincoln.org or 402-475-6702.