

**SUNDAY ADULT ED FORUM | Lounge | 9 AM
COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS THE SPIRIT OF THE ARTS**

December 30 | No Adult Education

January 6 | Dance Elizabeth Govaerts is a local attorney and has a Master's degree in liturgical dance. She has danced and choreographed services for WPC.

January 13 | Community Public Art Liz Shea-McCoy is a talented artist. She has managed (and produced art for) five city-wide community projects including bicycles, hearts, light bulbs, currently hands.

January 20 | Drama Andy Park is the award-winning stage director, playwright, lyricist and puppeteer, who is the artistic director for the Nebraska Repertory Theatre and research assistant professor in the Johnny Carson School of Theatre and Film.

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY

December 30 | No Adult Bible Study

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Nursery | 8 AM-Noon

Preschool Story Time | Faith Village | 9 AM

*All children are invited to attend 10:30 AM worship and participate in the Children's Conversation.

No Parents Night Out or Middle School Youth Group:

Wednesday, January 2 for Winter Break.

No Sunday School/HS Youth Group:

December 30 & January 6 for Winter Break.

No Kindergarten of Eden of Faith Village on

December 30, or January 6.

This Sunday's worship will be televised on Windstream channel 13 and Spectrum channel 1302 on Thursday at 12:30 p.m. and Saturday at 1 p.m. Listen to the current week's sermon on KFOR 1240 AM on Sundays at 10 a.m. or anytime online: 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: Kiann Ridgeway, Marcia Hollestelle, Scott Roberts, Shawn Roberts, Eric Wachter, John Paul Wirrick and Sydne Wirrick-Knox.

Greeters: Rob Otte, Carolyn Otte, Jim Kinkennon, Matt Kirkland, and Brian & Shelby Lammers.

Acolytes: Wyatt Dyer and Sam Baltensperger.

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SESSION MEMBERS

Margo Gamet, Andrew Finkner, Gary Haller, Doug Karsting, Jim Kinkennon, Brian Lammers, Devon Nelson, Mitch Schainost, Jim White, Jason Woita, Dale Burrage, Tony Chapp, Tim Gergen, Marijane Hancock, Steve Hughes, Karen Janovy, Tom Pappas, Emily Shelstad, Donna Wyatt, Moses Bilew, Mark Davis, April Douglas, Gwen Hlava, Emily Killham, Sandi Larson, Cindy Maddux, Alisha Stokes, Allen Wachter.



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

December 30, 2018

Welcome to Westminster

We are so glad you are here today.

A Special Thank You to our volunteers this past week:

Martha Kingsbury, Joan Roberts, Barb Andersen, Marilyn Smith and Nora Hinrichs, Josh Whitfield, and Jackie Champoux.

Westminster Events & News

MUSIC REHEARSALS WILL NOT BE MEETING

on Wednesday, January 2.

Lunch Bunch | Tuesday, January 8 | 11:30 AM

We are meeting at Parker's Bar B Q located at 84th & "O" Street. Come for fellowship & good food. All are welcome. Contact: Ed Plander at 217-779-3449.

History Buffs | Saturday, January 12 | Lounge | 9 AM

John and Laura Ross will be presenting to us about "the life of George Friedrich Handel and "Messiah".

Faith & Cancer | Tuesday, January 15 | Parlor | 7 PM

No matter where you are in your journey, this group is where cancer survivors can come together for fellowship, prayer and study. This Life Group meets at the same time every third Tuesday of each month. Contact : Bruce Sheffield.

Prairie Readers | Wednesday, January 16

Westminster Parlor | 1 PM

Our selection for January is "Books for Living" by Will Schwalbe. Facilitator: Weston Crawford. Schwalbe focuses on the way certain books can help us honor those we've loved and lost, and also figure out how to live each day more fully. Rich with stories and recommendations, for Living a treasure for everyone who loves books and loves to hear the answer to the question: "What are you reading?"

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CIRCLE GROUPS

All Westminster Presbyterian Women are invited to visit and/or join one of the following circles:

Circle 3 | Wednesday, January 9 | Meet at Church | 10 AM

Circle 4 | Monday, January 7 | Hostess: Kathy Anderson, 5411 South Dove Lane | January 7 | 7 PM

Circle 5 | Tuesday, January 8 | Church Lounge | 10 AM

Circle 6 | Tuesday, January 22 | Church Library | 7 PM

Theology on Tap:

Where young adults gather to discuss faith!

We focus on fulfilling our day to day spiritual needs by providing a safe place to have fun & explore God's call in each of our own lives. Join us on Wednesdays @ 8pm! Edison McDonald at 402-802-1109 for location information. To get connected, contact MaKayla Bartels by email or phone! makayla@westminsterlincoln.org or (308) 850-2017

PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE REGISTRATION

For the 2019-2020 School Year!

Thursday, January 24 | 6-7 PM

Westminster Preschool offers part-day or full-day options for children ages 3 through 6 (Preschool and Pre-K). Our registration open house is the first opportunity for families to get registered with us! We fill up quickly, but families who register this night are given first priority. Children are welcome to attend. For more information, contact Suzanne Schneider (402) 475-6702 suzanne@westminsterlincoln.org

DECEMBER CREATION CHALLENGE: Recycle Styrofoam

Remember to save any Styrofoam packaging!

When that white stuff goes to the landfill it can take hundreds to thousands of years to break down. And along the way it can leach styrene into our air and water and endanger wildlife who ingest or inhale small pieces. Make it "value added" instead.

Bring those chunks of Styrofoam to church during January and February (Please— NO peanuts or food containers). We will take them to a recycling facility in Omaha during March.

FOOD PANTRY

Save your boxes with lids over the holiday and donate them to the Westminster Food Pantry!

Current suggestions are: cooking oil 16 oz, jell-o 3 oz, cans of cream soup 15 oz, cans of chili 15 oz, cans of pork & beans 16 oz. Thank you for your continued support & helpful contributions. All donations are appreciated. Thank you for your continued support & helpful contributions.

GROW WITH US!

Westminster is a faith community that is continually evolving. We are looking to grow our wonderful church! If you are visiting and are interested in connecting with Westminster please fill out one of our visitor cards in the pews, or contact one of our New Member Committee Members: Matt Kirkland, Emily Shelstad, or Pastor Val Putnam to learn more about our next New Member Class!