

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

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.

January 27 | Reprise | Lounge | 9 AM Rev. Carl Eskridge is a City Council member, attorney, ordained Presbyterian minister and husband of artist, Janet.

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Coffee and donut holes are waiting along with a friendly, spirit-filled group of friends.

January 20 | “Job’s Soliloquy: Meditation on Wisdom”,
Job 28.

January 27 | “Job’s Summing Up ”, Job 29-31.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Nursery | 8 AM-Noon

Preschool Story Time | Faith Village | 9 AM

Kindergarten of Eden | Ages 3-5 |

Faith Village | *10:45 AM

Faith Village | Grades K-5 | Lower Level| 9 & *10:45AM

Confirmation Class | 8th-9th Grade | Youth Area | 9 AM

Middle School | 6-7 Grade | Youth Area | 10 AM

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

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

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: Ray Stevens, Linda Burchard, Steve McConnell, Larry Peach, Ed Plander, and Deb Schorr.

Greeters: Brian Lammers, Tom Pappas, Emily Shelstad, Mitch Schainost, Jim White, and Jason Woita.

Acolytes: Aspen Hemmerling and Tayler Bennett.

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DEACON MEMBERS

Dorrie Gage, Stacy Graham, Glenna Haller, Carolyn Harp, Karen Hoffman, Ashley Lammers, Pam Oliver, Francy Scheele, Megan Woita, Barbara Arunski, Julie Fowler, Jane Voorhees, Tami Wellmann, Kathy Anderson, Marybell Avery, Becky Bockrath, Sarah Baltensperger, Theresa Burrage, Kristyn Bennett, Treven Fricke, Michael Gregg, Jennifer Kirkland, John Ruach, Marcie Ryan, Robin Uebele and Matt Walker.



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

January 20, 2019

Welcome to Westminster

We are so glad you are here today.

A Special Thank You to our volunteers this past week:

Pat Hackley, Marijane Hancock, Martha Kingsbury, Barb Andersen, Joan Roberts, Lisa DeBuse, Jim Kinkennon, Marilyn Smith, Nora Hinrichs, Josh Whitfield, and Jackie Champoux, Maureen Hergert, H. Seward, Gwen Thorpe.

Have you previously served as an usher? If you miss the interaction with the congregation or would like to reconnect, please contact Tracy in the church office at 402-475-6702 and ask to be placed on the substitute usher list, you can always decline a request to substitute.

Due to all the snowy weekends, watch channel 10/11 on Sunday mornings for possible church closings.

DRAMA CAMP | During Spring Break

March 11–15 with performance on Saturday, March 16

Our 8th annual Drama Camp offers a creative outlet for any child in Kindergarten – 8th grade looking to show off their theatre skills! Drama Camp runs Monday through Friday from 8am-5pm, and concludes with a Saturday performance. Snacks are included, but lunches should accompany your child(ren) each day. Registration is online. Contact MaKayla with questions at MaKayla@westminsterlincoln.org or 402-475-6702.

MUSIC REHEARSALS ON WEDNESDAYS

Consider joining Westminster Choir or Carillon! We meet on Wednesday evenings in the sanctuary, and our volunteers look forward to the opportunity to welcome new members. No long term commitment necessary. We hope to see you soon! Contact John or Laura with any questions.

Westminster Carillon | Sanctuary | 5:30-6:30 PM

Children's Choirs | 210 | 5:50-6:20 PM

Westminster Choir | Sanctuary | 6:30-8:00 PM

Parent's Night Out

From newborn through 8th grade

An active evening of music, games and a special bedtime story. Everyone welcome. Free of charge.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CIRCLE GROUPS

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

PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE REGISTRATION

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

THE SCOTTISH RITE

The Scottish Rite invites friends at Westminster to join them for Burns Nicht (Robert Burns' birthday banquet) on Saturday, January 26 at 6 PM. **Reservations at this email:** HerschelTalleyowlglen@gmail.com Features Dr. Stephen Lahey reading Burns' "Ode to a Haggis" and Dr. Jimmy Shelbourn piping.

FOOD PANTRY

It is time for our annual food drive do mark your calendars!

We will be handing out grocery sacks with suggested items listed on the bags on January 20. We will be collecting your donations on January 27. Of course, we welcome your food and monetary gifts anytime. Wishing you a Blessed 2019! Pantry Coordinators, Marilyn Smith and Nora Hinrichs

2019 RECYCLING OF STYROFOAM

We will be collecting Styrofoam during January and February to take it to a recycling facility in Omaha in March. Sorry, no disposable food items or packing peanuts.

January Creation Challenge:

"Turning Down the Heat"

According to the Department of Energy "You can save as much as 10% a year on heating and cooling by simply turning your thermostat back 7°-10°F for 8 hours a day from its normal setting." An easy way to do this is with a programmable thermostat that can be adjusted to lower the temperature overnight, for example from 68 degrees to 60 degrees. It can be set lower at bedtime and to heat up before waking without even noticing the change. This works best for forced air gas furnaces and may not work as well for heat pumps or steam heat systems.

See the DOE website for more information:

<https://www.energy.gov/energysaver/thermostats>.

SWANSON SCHOLARSHIP

Full-time undergraduate students and high school seniors are encouraged to apply for Westminster's Swanson Scholarship. Established in 1999 by the Swanson Family, this scholarship provides \$500 financial support per recipient per academic school year. Applications are available on the church website or picked up in the church office. The scholarship is open to individuals in all courses of study; however, preference will be given to applicants demonstrating an interest in Education and Community Service. For full-time undergraduate students and high school seniors of members of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Lincoln, NE. Scholarship Application Deadline is March 31, 2019.

Sudanese Refuge Camp Kits

A number of us are working on additional menstrual hygiene kits to send with the shipment to the Sudanese Refuge camp. We are in need of dark colored cotton flannel fabric, gallon plastic freezer bags, and the small bars of soap that are given away by hotels. If you have any, please leave at the church with my name on it. Thank you, Jane Grabenstein-Chandler.