

Westkirk Weekly

10.3.21

Sunday 10.3.21 Communion Sunday

8:30 am– Prayer Time/Knox Room
9:00 am– Sunday School Hour
10:00 am- Fellowship Time/Hospitality Room
10:30 am- Corporate Worship
12:00 pm– Explorers' Class/Great Hall
Ministry Leaders and Staff to join at 1 pm.

Monday 10.4.21

7:00 pm– Committees/Commissions

Tuesday 10.5.21

5:00 pm– BSF Meetings
7:00 pm– Ladies Bible Study/Crowder Home

Wednesday 10.6.21

5:30 pm– WOW (Menu: Brad's Ribs and Pulled Pork, Salad)
7:30 pm– Choir Practice

Thursday 10.7.21

7:00 am- Prayer Meeting/Church
12:00 pm– PCA Pastors' Lunch/Great Hall
Prayer Meeting via Zoom
6:30 pm– AHG/Trail Life

Saturday 10.9.21

8:00 am– Early Riser's Housekirk/Freedom for Youth

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8:30 am– Prayer Time/Knox Room
9:00am– Sunday School Hour
10:00 am- Fellowship Time/Hospitality Room
10:30 am- Corporate Worship

WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM

Question of the Week (answer on back)

Q: What rule hath God given for our direction in prayer?

Our Weekly Concerns

Pastor of the Week

Luke Wolfe, Colfax Center Presbyterian Church

Missionary of the Week

Mark McDougal, Ruth Harbor

New Concerns:

- **Doug Bird** (relative of Donna Nelson) had recent back surgery and is experiencing several critical health complications.

Continue to pray for:

- Judy Gaumer who has been hospitalized and is facing health decisions.
- Marie Boe and Solomon Dzukey as they adjust to life with their new son, Levi.
- Karen DeKam (sister of Mona Yentes), who was unable to receive her stem cell transplant. Pray as they make decisions for her care.
- Rebecca Donaldson as she transitions to her new ministry in Greece.
- Elaine Erickson and family, on the death of her brother, Jim Erickson.

On-going Concerns may be found in the Weekly Prayer Email. If you would like to receive this email, please call the church office at (515) 253-0330.

“For the LORD is good;
His steadfast love endures forever,
And his faithfulness to all generations.” Ps. 100:5

Dorcas Circle

Oct. 14 1 pm

Dorcas Circle will be meeting at 1 pm on Oct. 14 in the Hospitality Room. Our study on Nehemiah will be taught by Gail DeGraaf and hosted by Audrene Hansen. Please bring your Bible and join us for a wonderful time of Christian fellowship and study of God's word!

Call to Congregational Meeting

Oct. 24 6pm

This is the official call by the Session for a Congregational Meeting of Westkirk Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Oct. 24, at 6:00 pm.

At this meeting we will vote on whether or not to affiliate with the Presbyterian Church in America. By now you should have received several of the Q&A documents that Session has prepared via all-church email. If you are not on this email list, please contact the church office to arrange an alternative opportunity to receive these documents before the vote.

Please join us before the meeting for a Potluck Supper in the Great Hall at 5:00 pm. Bring enough food for your family and a dish to share!

The nursery will be staffed for children age 0-2.

Children age 3-5th grade will meet in the East Wing during the meeting. *Please sign up on the Connect Card if your children will be in attendance. Thank you!*

Reformation Sunday

Oct. 31

Reformation Sunday will be a wonderful day of celebration and fellowship! Plan now to be a part of this special day as we worship together and share a Celebration Meal after the morning service. Please sign up for the meal with the number attending from your family on the Connect Card. Thank you!

We Need You!

Since resuming WOW and serving meals on Wednesday evenings, we are in need of helpers to serve and clean up during mealtime. If you are available to cook from 4:30-5:30, or to clean up from 5:30-6:30, please call Brad Miller at 515-557-0012. We would love to share the joy of serving with you!

If you are not available on Wednesdays, you can still help with hospitality at Westkirk! We need volunteers to set up and clean up coffee on Sunday mornings! The more volunteers we have, the less often you would need to volunteer. Call Brad Miller at 515-557-0012.

Staying Up-to-Date with our Missionaries

As we receive newsletters, pictures, and other materials from our missionaries, we will update folders which have been created for each missionary. This URL will link you to the folders-

www.tinyurl.com/westkirk

Most recent updates:

- **Josh South, Des Moines Juvenile Justice - (update on 9/28)**

A word of caution: some of our missionaries are in dangerous areas. Please limit your use of this information to uphold these brothers and sisters in prayer! Printing and/or sharing some of the newsletters may put our missionaries in danger.

Women's Bible Study

Tuesdays 7pm

Deuteronomy offers the most systematic presentation of theological truth in the entire Old Testament. A series of sermons delivered by Moses at a most crucial point in Israel's history, Deuteronomy functions as a theological manifesto, calling Israel to respond to God's grace with unreserved loyalty and love, and presents God's grace as the greatest motivation in living a life of faith.

Come and study with the women of Westkirk Tuesdays at 7pm at Emily Crowder's home.

For more information contact Emily Crowder or Jess Hiatt.

A: The whole word of God is of use to direct us in prayer; but the special rule of direction is that form of prayer which Christ taught his disciples, commonly called The Lord's Prayer.

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