

# Westkirk Weekly

11.28.21



## Sunday 11.28.21 First Sunday of Advent

- 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

## Tuesday 11.30.21

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

## Wednesday 12.1.21

- 5:30 pm– WOW (Menu: Chicken strips, fries, salad, cookies)
- 7:30 pm– Choir Practice

## Thursday 12.2.21

- 7:00 am– Prayer Meeting/Church
- 12:00 pm– Prayer Meeting/Zoom
- 6:15 pm– AHG/Trail Life

## Saturday 12.4.21

- 8:30 am– Small Group Leader Meeting/Calvin Room
- 9:30 am-11:00 am– Rehearsal for Children's Christmas Program

## Sunday 12.5.21 Second Sunday of Advent

- 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

## Looking Ahead

- 12.12.21 9:00 am– Children's Sunday School Christmas Program
- 12.19.21 9:00 am- Adults will meet together in the Great Hall for Sunday School
- 12.26.21 and 1.2.22- No Sunday School classes held

## Our Weekly Concerns

### Pastor of the Week

Mike Rose, The Mission Church, Urbandale

### Missionary of the Week

Mark and Laurie Nelson, Freedom For Youth, Des Moines

### New Concerns:

- Kevin Carpenter, father of Phil Carpenter, who suffered a heart attack and is currently hospitalized.
- Irene Reed, dealing with a painful back sprain for 3 weeks.

### Continue to pray for:

- The Bakker and Watson families as they grieve the loss of their daughter and mother.
- Jody Keithley, mother of Sam Keithley, struggling with covid.
- Darrell Aldrich, recovering at home now after being hospitalized with covid.

*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.*

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Send out your light and your truth; let them lead me;  
let them bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling!  
Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy,  
and I will praise you with the lyre, O God, my God.

Psalm 43:3-4

### WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM

Question of the Week (answer on back)

Q: What does the conclusion of the Lord's prayer teach us?

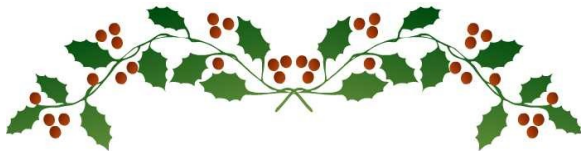
## Introducing Church Center!

We're pleased to announce a new way for you to connect with what's happening at Westkirk!

Church Center is an app you can download to your smartphone, or you may access it by going to [www.westkirk.org](http://www.westkirk.org) and clicking on Church Center.

Stay tuned for new features to be added, but right now you can use Church Center to sign up for and connect to your Small Group. You can also access our new directory! Beginning next week, you'll get an email inviting you to join the new directory. Once you accept, you will be able to update your directory information and even add a new picture. Our current directory will no longer be updated.

Questions? Please contact Pastor Styles or Pastor Nathan!



## Royal Family KIDS Camp Christmas Party

Royal Family KIDS Camp provides a camping experience for children ages six through twelve who are in the foster care system in Central Iowa. Next summer camp dates are July 3-7, 2022.

A Christmas Party for the children will be held on December 5, and an Amazon wishlist has been created if you would like to support this ministry— [https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1HIWRFV8PQYKO?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1HIWRFV8PQYKO?ref=wl_share). We are also looking for stocking caps and gloves to give each of the children, and Target gift cares in any denomination.

There is a sign-up at [signupgenius.com](http://signupgenius.com) for Royal Family Kids Camp for contributions. Please contact Cindy Lanham with any questions!

## 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](http://www.tinyurl.com/westkirk)

Most recent updates:

- Dina Petrou - Community House Damaris - Greece
- Mark Nelson - Freedom for Youth - Job posting
- Darius Togba - Child Relief Foundation
- Josh South - Juvenile Justice/Greater Iowa Youth for Christ

*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.

A: The conclusion of the Lord's prayer (*which is, For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever, Amen*) teaches us to take our encouragement in prayer from God only, and in our prayers to praise Him, ascribing kingdom, power, and glory to Him. And, in testimony of our desire, and assurance to be heard, we say, Amen.

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