

Westkirk Weekly

11.6.22



Sunday 11.6.22

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

Monday 11.7.22

- 12:00 pm– Omega Small Group/Hospitality Room
- 7:00 pm– Commissions/Committees

Tuesday 11.8.22

- 5:15 pm– BSF
- 7:00 pm– Women’s Bible Study/Great Hall

Wednesday 11.9.22

- 5:30 pm– WOW (Menu: hamburgers, fries, salad, dessert)
- 7:40 pm– Choir

Thursday 11.10.22

- 7:00 am– Prayer meeting/Church
- 12:00 pm– Prayer meeting/Zoom
- 1:00 pm– Dorcas Circle/Hospitality Room

Sunday 11.13.22 Communion

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

WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM

Question of the Week (answer on back)

Q. What are specially taught by these words (before me) in the first commandment?

Our Weekly Concerns

Pastor of the Week

Brian Janssen, Hospers Presbyterian Church, Hospers, IA

Missionary of the Week

Hope Ministries, Des Moines

Condolences to:

The Mudlaff family on the death of Sasha’s aunt, Georgianne “Jill” Schreiber. Services were Saturday.

New Concerns:

- Michael Harrington, low back issues and heart failure.
- Gabby Duncan, who will be having her spleen removed in the near future.

Continue to pray for:

- Harriet Aarhus (mother of Todd Aarhus), recovering from surgery for lung cancer last week.
- Judy Gaumer, carpal tunnel surgery last Friday.
- Steve Duncan, recently hospitalized with complications from renal failure.
- Peter Bailey, recovering from a viral infection of his liver.
- Marilyn Lanham suffered a stroke and is in hospice care.
- Ken Leonard (son of Pat Gorman) is very ill with viral meningitis and encephalitis.
- Those who grieve: Cynthia Fisher, Robin Riggins, Mark and Teresa Bakker.
- Donna Nelson and Kelli Miller as they continue their chemotherapy treatments.
- Audrene Hansen, continuing her recovery with multiple therapies.

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.

Operation Christmas Child



Packing Party Time: November 10, 11:00-12:00, and 2:30-4:00 in the Hospitality Room. Come and join us in filling boxes for children of the world. You may bring things for the boxes and leave them in the bin under the table, you may donate money for shipping costs, or you may fill your own box and bring it filled and leave it on the shelf.

Boxes must be returned by Sunday, November 13, to church so they may be shipped. Pray for each child who will receive a box and who might enroll in "The Greatest Journey" lessons to learn of God's salvation gift to them. Thank you!

Dorcas Circle

We will meet on Thursday, November 10, for dessert, fellowship, and Bible study. We will be studying Nehemiah 9:38-10:31 to see the recommitment by the Jews to trust and obey God in worship and in life for His glory! We will be sponsoring the Operation Christmas Child boxes before and after our meeting, and hope for many boxes to be filled.

November Communion Offering— House Damaris

The van they currently have is in need of repairs, and the number of residents has greatly increased. Please consider an additional Communion offering towards van repairs and the purchase of a second van.

Wreaths Across America

American Heritage Girls Troop IA0449 is selling wreaths to honor local heroes. You are invited to sponsor a wreath to be placed on a veteran's grave this December at the Iowa Veteran's Cemetery.

Cash or check donations may be given to girls from the troop after the morning service on Nov. 6th and 13th in the Hospitality Room.

You may also visit <https://wreathscrossamerica.org/pages/27718>.



Staying Up-to-Date with our Missionaries

As we receive newsletters, pictures, and other materials from our missionaries, we will update folders that have been created for each missionary.

This URL will link you to the folders—www.tinyurl.com/westkirk
You may also scan the QR code to take you directly to the missionary updates folder!



Newest Updates:

- Josh and Leah South, DM Juvenile Justice Ministry
- Hope Ministries, looking for Thanksgiving volunteers
- Argyris and Dina Petrou—Community House Damaris newsletter

A word of caution: Some of our missionaries are in dangerous areas. Updates for these missionaries may be found by clicking on the Westkirk Shepherd link on our website and entering the password. 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.

Image and Identity Conference - Link

The link to the Image and Identity Conference is now available. Please call the office if you are interested, and the link will be emailed to you.

A: These words before me in the first commandment teach us, that God, who seeth all things, taketh notice of, and is much displeased with, the sin of having any other god.

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