

Westkirk Weekly

9.19.21

This Week at Westkirk

Today 9.19.21 New Member Reception

- 8:30 am– Prayer Time
- 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

Monday 9.20.21

- 6:30 pm– Session/Great Hall

Tuesday 9.21.21

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

Wednesday 9.22.21

- 5:30 pm– WOW (Menu: Pancakes & Sausages, Salad, Cookie)
- 7:30 pm– Choir Practice

Thursday 9.23.21

- 7:00 am- Prayer Meeting/Church
- 12:00 pm- Prayer Meeting via Zoom

Saturday 9.25.21

- 8:00 am– Early Risers Housekirk/Freedom for Youth

Sunday 9.26.21 Installation of Pastors Hiatt and Stadlander

- 8:30 am– Prayer Time
- 9:00am– Sunday School Hour
- 10:00 am- Fellowship Time/Hospitality Room
- 10:30 am- Corporate Worship
- 12:00 pm– Explorers' Class/Great Hall
- 6 pm– Congregational Meeting

WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM

Question of the Week (answer on back)

Q: What is required to the worthy receiving of the Lord's Supper?

Our Weekly Concerns

Pastor of the Week

Chuck Mullikin, Westchester Evangelical Free Church, Des Moines

Missionary of the Week

Brett and Micki Strait, Navigators, CO

New Concerns:

- Marie Boe, is at home waiting for Covid test results and is expected to give birth on Tuesday.

Continue to pray for:

- Karen DeKam (sister of Mona Yentes), who will be staying at Mayo Clinic for 6 weeks to begin treatment for a bone marrow transplant.
- Judy Gaumer, potentially needing treatment for herniated discs in her back.
- Elaine Erickson and family, on the death of her brother, Jim Erickson.
- Milton Hockmuth, whose mother passed away recently.
- The family of Bud North, who passed away Aug. 28.
- Bryan Wieskamp, recovering from covid.
- Many who are facing trials and suffering in Afghanistan.
- Josh Collingwood, in a dirt bike accident and suffered a severe leg injury. He had a second surgery Aug. 11, and he will be off work for several months. The family is also recovering from covid.
- Rebecca Donaldson, that God would facilitate the approval of her visa.

Military Members:

- Ben Lanham-Marines, Pacific
- Micah Mudlaff-Air Force, Ohio
- Jonathan O'Leary-Air Force, United Arab Emirates
- Brian Smith-Navy, Florida
- Drew Willcox-Navy, Virginia

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.

Denominational Affiliation Informational Meeting September 26

At 6 pm on Sunday evening, September 26, the Session of Westkirk Presbyterian Church will be holding an informational meeting in the Sanctuary on denominational affiliation. Several meetings were held in the fall and winter of 2019-20 in anticipation of a congregational vote to affiliate with the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) in March of 2020. That vote was canceled due to Covid-19. At this meeting the Ruling Elders will review their decision to call a vote for affiliation to the PCA, as well as go over the questions and answers sent out to the congregation this week. At this time, the Elders will take your questions. The rescheduled vote is for October 24, 2021.

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. Often mistaken as a book full of laws, Deuteronomy presents God's grace as the greatest motivation in living a life of faith. Come and study with the women of Westkirk Tuesdays starting September 28 at 7pm at Emily Crowder's home. For more information contact Emily Crowder or Jess Hiatt.

Explorers' Class Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3

The Explorers' Class began on Sept. 12, and will meet for 3 more consecutive Sundays. Please join us in the Great Hall at noon where we begin with a light lunch followed by our class time. This is a great opportunity to get to know more about Westkirk! If you are considering joining the church, this class is a requirement for membership, but you are welcome to take the class just to get to know us better. We appreciate head count for food purposes, so please mark your interest on the Connect Card, or you may call the office at 515-253-0330.

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:

- **Rebecca Donaldson departs for Greece on Monday, September 20**

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.

Library Volunteer Needed

At a time when churches are eliminating their libraries, Westkirk's continues to grow with excellent discipleship resources to encourage you in your relationship with God. The library needs your help! Do you have a library background or even just a love of books or a knack for organization? If you would prayerfully consider serving as the Westkirk Librarian, please contact Pr. Michael or Pr. Styles at the church office for more information.

A: It is required of them that would worthily partake of the Lord's Supper, that they examine themselves of their knowledge to discern the Lord's body, of their faith to feed upon Him, of their repentance, love, and new obedience; lest, coming unworthily, they eat and drink judgment to themselves