

Westkirk Weekly

August 23, 2020



American Heritage Girls is a Christ-centered scouting program for girls that emphasizes leadership, patriotism and community service for girls 5-18 years of age.

Please join us on **August 27 at 6:30 pm** for an informational meeting and kickoff party on the front lawn at Westkirk. We will have fun activities for the girls while parents can learn more about this great ministry.

Visit www.americanheritagegirls.org or email Troop Coordinator Julie Harshfield at ahgia@gmail.com for more information.

Trail Life is a Christ-centered character, leadership and outdoor adventure experience for boys K-12. Trail Life USA is a national organization with a mission to guide courageous young men to honor God, lead with integrity, serve others and enjoy outdoor adventure.

Troop 5026 is holding an open house on **Aug. 27 at 6:30 pm** on the lawn at Westkirk. Please join us!

For more information, visit traillifeusa.com or email Troopmaster Ryan Blackard at rtblackard@gmail.com.



Bagpipers will meet at Monterrey, 8801 University #27, Clive, IA - Tuesday, August 25th, at 12:30 pm.

WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH

Question of the Week (answer on last page)

Q. Where is the moral law summarily comprehended?

Our Weekly Concerns

New additions will be listed in bold print and will remain on the list for three weeks unless requested otherwise.

Pastor of the Week:

Michael Demastus of Fort Des Moines Church of Christ

Congratulations to:

- **Ryan and Carliann Northfield**, on the birth of a daughter, Ada Grace. Grandparents are Clair and Larci Conner.
- **Rebekkah Mack Woods** on the birth a grandson, Noah Mack Woods.

Condolences to:

- **Mark and Teresa Bakker and family**, on the death of Mark's father, Lee Bakker. Services were Thursday.
- **Mark and Hannah DeGroot**, on the death of Mark's grandfather, Hilbert VandeKamp.
- **Ardie VanderZyl and family**, on the death of her husband, Bob VanderZyl this past week.

New Prayer Requests:

- **Glen and Roma Basset**, as Glen's health is declining.
- **Delaney Steiner**, who is experiencing complications with fluid in her lung after her heart surgery.

Continue to pray for:

- Sam Nelson, son of Pastor Michael's cousin, a young man with an addiction to alcohol who needs salvation.
- Wanda Bechtel, recovering from shingles.
- Scott and Kate Nelson, storm damage to home and car.
- Our state and national leaders, and the upcoming elections.
- Celia Jordan, numerous health concerns, leg amputation.
- Elaine Erickson, moving to Illahee Hills in September.
- Doris Daggett, facing many transitions.
- Aimee Johannesen, pinched nerve in her lower back.
- Kyle, great-nephew of Gloria Huyser and great grandson of Gail DeGraaf, praying for God's direction in his life.
- Judy Gaumer, chronic pain.
- The Donaldson family, comfort in grief.
- Neil Hosea Raleigh, Jr., recovering from heart surgery.

Chuck Heitbrink has sold his home in Iowa, and will be living in Arizona full-time. Please join us in saying,

"See you later, Chuck!"

Sunday, August 30
Westkirk Presbyterian Church
2700 Colby Woods Dr, Urbandale, IA

Drive-by greetings - 6:30-7pm
Refreshments - 7-8:30pm

Please bless our honoree with your presence instead of a gift!

Please RSVP to benaeduff@gmail.com or 515-707-9072

Hosted by: Trent and Dawn Vis
Michael and Sasha Mudlaff
Tom and Benae Duff

Sunday Morning Worship Service

In order to practice social distancing, you will need to make a reservation to attend the Sunday Worship Service. This is so that seating can be arranged for maximum safety for all.

Reservations can be made through an email that will be sent out at 6:00 pm each Wednesday prior to the service. If you do not have email, please call the office at 515-253-0330.

If you make a reservation and are unable to attend, we kindly ask that you call the church office so that seating arrangements can be adjusted accordingly. Thank you!

Opportunities for You!

Are you schooling your kids at home this year? If so, are you interested in connecting yourself and your kids with other families that are schooling at home? Please contact Stephanie Rohloff for more information at StephanieRoh@gmail.com.

Online learning is a big challenge for families when parents work! **Freedom for Youth** is working to connect tutors with students to help with this need. If you would be willing to meet one-on-one with a student at the Freedom campus, you could be part of the solution. Please fill out the volunteer form using this link: <https://freedomforyouth.org/volunteer>.

Over the last couple of months, the Westkirk Evangelism Committee has been promoting Perspectives—a 15 week course designed to inform, encourage, and equip Christians to take a more active role in the Church's mission to the world. Unfortunately, the Perspectives Course scheduled for this fall has been cancelled. They are hoping to reschedule at a later date, and we will provide you with that information as it is received.

A: The moral law is summarily comprehended in the ten commandments.

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