



Westkirk PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Weekly

This Week's Activities **April 30 - May 7, 2017**

Today

First Service - 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School Classes - all ages - 10:15 a.m.
Second Service - 11:15 a.m.
Choir, Sanctuary, 4:00 p.m.

Monday

Commission/Committee Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Women's Bible Study, East Wing, 1:00 p.m.
Stephen Ministry, Hospitality Room, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday

WOW Worship, Sanctuary, 6:15 p.m.
Classes for Children, Students and Adults, 6:30 p.m.
Explorers' Class, 6:30 p.m.
Best Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday

American Heritage Girls Troop Meeting, 6:00 p.m.
Faith Seekers Alliance Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 7

Choir, Sanctuary, 4:00 p.m.

Our Weekly Concerns. New additions will be listed in bold print, and names will be removed upon request. Names left on for more than 3 weeks will be removed at the discretion of the office. Please keep these friends in your prayers: **Pastor Todd Stiles and First Family Church, Annie Alderson,** Carolyn Barnes, Beth Boeckemeier, Darlene Denison, Tom Edson, Jim Erickson, Ellen Kinnaird, Joyce Knowles, Cindy Kurtz and Jim Eckels, Marie McGhee, Paul MacLafferty, Paul Meinen, **Jackie Monroe,** Don Powers, Celestine Togba. Condolences to: **Bill and Barb Springer on the death of Bill's mother, Wilma Springer, of Tennessee;** Diane and Charlie Brown on the death of Diane's brother, Dale Droppers of Wisconsin; Marie McGee on the death of her daughter, Diane Berman of Texas.



Ruth Harbor Walk for Life 2017. Join TEAM WESTKIRK on Saturday, May 5, 2017 as we walk to show our support for Ruth Harbor House, a ministry right here in Des Moines serving young women with unplanned pregnancies and their babies. We will meet at the Embassy Suites Downtown (101 E. Locust) on the patio at 9:00 a.m. The walk officially starts at 9:30 and lasts about one hour. The distance is less than a mile and at a pace for anyone who wishes to participate. To register yourself, go to www.RuthHarbor.org - and be sure to indicate you are with TEAM WESTKIRK. Or, just join us Saturday, May 5, for a lovely morning walk - rain or shine! (Bring an umbrella if raining). Questions? Call Gloria Huyser at (515) 284-7443 or email Glohuyser43@gmail.com.

**Urbandale Food Pantry
Item for May - Toilet Paper**

Adult Sunday School Classes. Today Pastor Paul's class will move back to the newly refurbished Great Hall (west end of the building). The class is studying Galatians and everyone is welcome. Coffee is provided in the Great Hall.

David Vorm's Adult Bible Class will continue to meet in the Children's Worship Center (east end of the building). This class is studying 1 Corinthians.

Please join one of these classes if you aren't already involved in Sunday School. They both are held from 10:15-11:00 a.m. between the worship services.

Lunch and Learn. On Tuesday, May 9, Westkirk Lunch and Learn will plan to meet at 12:00 Noon. Hot beef sandwiches will be served in the Hospitality Room. (The Great Hall Kitchen is not available for use). Our program has yet to be confirmed. Please sign up on the Connect Card by next Sunday, May 7.



Graduation Sunday - June 4. Are you graduating this year? How about someone you know? On Sunday, June 4, we will be celebrating our graduates (high school, trade school, college, or graduate school) during our worship services! If you would like yourself or your graduate included in the celebration, please contact Brandon Mick in the church office or you can email him at brandonmick@westkirk.org.

Move the Food DMARC Food Pantry Collection. The collection for Des Moines Area Religious Council Food Pantry is **today**. If you are making a monetary donation to this important ministry, please make your check payable to Westkirk, note DMARC Food Pantry on the memo line, and place your check in the offering. If you brought food items to donate, please place them in the bin in the Narthex. Thank you for your generosity in helping with this local mission.

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