



This Week's Activities
January 28 - February 4, 2018

Today

First Service - 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School Classes - all ages - 10:15 a.m.
Second Service - 11:15 a.m.
Potluck, Great Hall, 5:00 p.m.
Annual Meeting, Sanctuary, 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

WOW Supper, 5:30 p.m.
Worship, Sanctuary, 6:15 p.m.
Classes for Children, Students and Adults, 6:30 p.m.
Choir Practice, Great Hall, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday

Faith Seekers Alliance Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

Sunday - February 4

Ordination and Installation of Elders and Deacons
First Service - 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School Classes - all ages - 10:15 a.m.
Second Service - 11:15 a.m.
High School Ministry, 4:30 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**, Carolyn Barnes, Beth Boeckemeier, Flora and Mary Boeckemeier, Laura Brown, **Chad Carlson**, Carolyn Conner, Darlene Denison, Jessica Ellsbury, Judy Gabriel, **Judy Gaumer**, Mary King, Ellen Kinnaird, Marie McGhee, Paul Meinen, **Bud North**, Tom and Dianne Papham, Don Powers, Clair and Mary Rue. **Condolences to: Lee and Melinda Turnbull on the death of Lee's mother, Dorothy Jean Turnbull.**

Legislators for the week: Clel Baudler, Terry C. Baxter, Michael Bergan, Wes Breckenridge, Ashley Hinson, John Landon, Helen Miller, Greg Heartsill, Jerry Behn, Tony Bisignano, Joe Bolkom, Jeff Danielson.

WESTMINSTER CONFSSION OF FAITH

Question of the Week (answer on the back)

Q: What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?

Move the Food. Today is the collection day for the Des Moines Area Religious Council food pantry. Please place your donated food items in the bin in the Hospitality Room. If you prefer to make a monetary donation, you may place your check in today's offering. Please make your check payable to Westkirk and write DMARC Food Pantry on the memo line. Thank you for your donation.

Offering Envelopes are available at the Welcome Center.

Call to Annual Meeting. The Session reminds you that the Annual Meeting of the Congregation of Westkirk Presbyterian Church will be held **TONIGHT** at 6:00 p.m. Please join us before the meeting for a potluck supper in the Great Hall at 5:00 p.m. The main dish will be provided — so bring your favorite side dish, salad or dessert to share.

At the meeting, the Nominating Committee will present the candidates for the offices of Elders and Deacons to be elected; the financial report will be reviewed and the 2018 budget will be presented for approval.

Your presence and vote are very important to the life and health of Westkirk!

The nursery will be staffed for kids age 0-2. Kids age 3-5th grade are welcome to watch a movie in the Children's Worship Center during the meeting!

WOW Menu
Cheeseburger and Fries,
Tossed Salad, Fruit Cup and Cookie

Souper Bowl Sunday. We invite you to participate in Hope Ministries' Souper Bowl Sunday collection by bringing cans of any variety or brand of soup and putting them in the red Campbell's barrel which will be in the Narthex through next Sunday, February 4. The soup will be used to stock Hope Ministries' pantries and to feed those who come to the shelters for meals. Let's fill this barrel to the brim and provide nice hot meals for many needy people. Thank you for being a blessing to those in need.

Mission Trip. An exciting new mission opportunity is available for adults and high school age students. (Middle school age students are invited to join accompanied by a parent.) The only requirement is that you must love Jesus and people and have a servant's heart. A meeting for prospective team members will be held on February 18.

When: July 28 – August 6, 2018

What: An Evangelistic English Camp which includes sports, music and even a light construction project

Where: Santo Domingo & Boca Chica, Dominican Republic

Who: **Attendees** are Dominican teens who need Jesus
Volunteers are English-speaking adults and teens from the USA

Cost: Under \$2,000.00 (awaiting final price quotation)

Lodging: The first four nights at the TIME Center in Santo Domingo; the remaining days at Tierra Alta, a sports camp in Boca Chica (a tourist area close to the Americas Airport)

Purpose: To introduce people to Jesus Christ and His gift of salvation and to encourage the work of the Dominican churches. We anticipate 4 training days on Sundays after church – these will be held at Westchester Evangelical Free Church, as we will be joining with their team.

For more information about the mission trip, or to find out about the meeting for prospective team members on February 18, please contact:

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A: The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created, was their eating the forbidden fruit.
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