



# Westkirk Weekly

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**This Week's Activities**  
**May 6-13, 2018**

## **Today**

First Service, 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School Classes - all ages - 10:15 a.m.  
Elder Training Class, Children's Worship Center, 10:15 a.m.  
Second Service, 11:15 a.m.

## **Monday**

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

## **Tuesday**

Lunch and Learn, Great Hall, Noon  
Koinonia Housekirk, Lounge, 6:30 p.m.  
Best Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

## **Wednesday**

VBS Planning Meeting, Calvin Room, 6:30 p.m.  
Choir Practice, Great Hall, 7:30 p.m.

## **Thursday**

Dorcas Circle Potluck, Hospitality Room, Noon  
Faith Seekers Alliance Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

## **Saturday**

Early Risers Housekirk, Hospitality Room, 8:00 a.m.  
Ruth Harbor Walk, 9:30 a.m.  
SmokeOut, Great Hall, 5:00-7:00 p.m.

## **Sunday, May 13**

Communion Sunday  
First Service, 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School Classes - all ages - 10:15 a.m.  
Elder Training Class, Children's Worship Center, 10:15 a.m.  
Second Service, 11:15 a.m.  
Glen Oaks, 2:00 p.m.  
Coram Deo Housekirk, 6:00 p.m.

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**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 Mike Augsburg** and **Soteria Des Moines, Cathy Berry**, Beth Boeckemeier, Judy Brown, Darlene Denison, Judy Gaumer, Ellen Kinnaird, Kobita (young girl), Paul Kurtz, Lori Long, Marie McGhee, Paul Meinen, **Laura Nadler**, Don Powers, Dick and Irene Reed, **Carla Schult, Elijah Wenz**. Condolences to: Audrene Hansen and family on the death of her brother-in-law, Jerry Modderman.

**WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH**

Question of the Week (answer on the back)

Q: Wherein consisteth Christ's exaltation?



**Calling all VBS volunteers!** PROOF Pirates is July 8 -12! Mark your calendar for that, and plan to participate! We'll kick things off with a PROOF Pirates Planning Party Wednesday, May 9, at 6:30 pm in the Calvin Room. If you haven't signed up yet, mark the box on the Connect Card! Contact Benae Duff with questions [benaeduff@westkirk.org](mailto:benaeduff@westkirk.org) or (515) 707-9072.

**Westkirk Lunch and Learn.** On Tuesday, May 8, Westkirk Lunch and Learn will enjoy a delicious cavatelli lunch. The program will feature a slide show of "Unusual Things to See Around Des Moines." If you can attend from 12 to 1, please sign up on the Connect Card by Sunday, May 6.



**Remembrance Sunday.** On Sunday morning, May 27, during our unified service at 10:30 we will honor members and friends that have died in the past year. Please sign up on the Connect Card if you would like to remember a family member, friend or member of Westkirk with a carnation. The last day to sign up will be Sunday, May 20. If you have any questions please call Chuck Heitbrink, 515-238-1824 or the Church office.

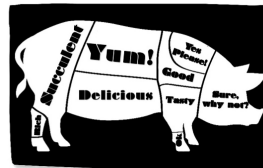
**Dorcas Circle** will meet this Thursday, May 10, at NOON for a salad luncheon before our Bible study. We will finish our study in James, led by Kelli Miller. Our hostess is Marilyn Long. Please join us for our luncheon, for fellowship and Bible study as we finish our spring season. Come with ideas on a study in the fall, and where our offering should be sent. Don't forget we are meeting an hour earlier than usual and to bring a salad to share. See you in the Hospitality Room on Thursday!



**Ruth Harbor Walk for Life 2018 is this Saturday!**

It's not too late to sign up for the walk or to donate. Go to [www.RuthHarbor.org](http://www.RuthHarbor.org) and indicate you are with TEAM WESTKIRK. Ask your family, friends and co-workers to sponsor you. We will meet at the Embassy Suites Downtown (101 E. Locust) on the patio at 9:00 a.m. The walk (which is less than a mile and at a pace for anyone who wishes to participate) will officially start at 9:30 and lasts approximately an hour. All ages are invited to this free event. Bring your whole family! In the event of rain, bring your umbrella. For more information or questions, contact Jerry or Sandy Tuinstra at (515) 256-0090.

**Westkirk SmokeOut Fundraiser**  
**Saturday, May 12, 5:00-7:00 p.m.**  
**Suggested Donation: \$15/adult**  
**and \$5/children 10 and under**



MARK YOUR CALENDARS and plan on joining us in the Great Hall for a delicious meal of smoked meats and classic BBQ sides prepared by our very own, Brad Miller and Shannon Springer. You won't want to miss this great opportunity for fine food and fellowship! Proceeds from this event will go to support Westkirk's Student Ministry Fund! The Student Fund is used in many ways to help alleviate the costs of Student Ministry programming, events, and conferences.

To help give us an idea of how many folks are planning on joining us for this dinner, we are asking folks to **Sign Up on the Connect Card**. We are also looking for donations of pies to serve for dessert! You can also sign up at the **Connect Card** to bring a pie or two! If you have questions about the SmokeOut Fundraiser, please contact Brandon Mick at [brandonmick@westkirk.org](mailto:brandonmick@westkirk.org) or in the church office.

**Celebrating Graduates @ Westkirk! — Sunday, May 20.** Are you graduating this year? How about someone you know? On Sunday, May 20, we will be celebrating our graduates (high school, trade school, college, or graduate school) at Westkirk! If you would like yourself or your graduate included in the celebration, please sign up on the Connect Card or contact Brandon Mick at [brandonmick@westkirk.org](mailto:brandonmick@westkirk.org).

**True Blue Radio**  
Catch Westkirk on Truth  
Network 99.3 FM  
during the week,  
12:00-12:30 p.m.



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

A: Christ's exaltation consisteth in his rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending up into heaven, in sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the last day.

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