



Westkirk Weekly

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

This Week's Activities
September 22-29, 2019

Today

First Service, 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School Classes, all ages, 10:15 a.m.
Second Service, 11:15 a.m.
High School Ministry, 12:30-3:00 p.m.

Monday

Omega Housekirk, Hospitality Room, 6:30 p.m.
Men's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Bagpipers, Chicago Speakeasy, 1:00 p.m.
Bible Study Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Koinonia Housekirk, 6:30 p.m.
Best Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

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

Thursday

Girls' Night Out – Bunco, Great Hall, 5:45 p.m.
Faith Seekers Alliance Housekirk, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday

Bible Study Fellowship Leaders' Meeting, CWC, 6:00 a.m.
Early Risers Housekirk, Hospitality Room, 8:00 a.m.
Elaine Erickson Piano Recital, Sanctuary, 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 29

First Service, 9:00 a.m.
Student and Adult Combined Sunday School, 10:15 a.m., GH
(for Pastor Michael's Report)
Children's Classes - 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 Shawn Powers and Redemption Hill Church of Waukee**, Mary Axtell, **Kay Cunitz**, Regi Donaldson, Elaine Erickson, Judy Gaumer, Keith Groen, Phil Groner, Chuck Holcomb, Ellen Kinnaird, Marilyn Lanham, Logan Lowrey, Paul Meinen, Ruth Stieff. **Condolences to Cheryl Harrington on the death of her stepmother, Lois Harrington; Chris and Mary Axtell and family on the death of Chris' grandmother, Betty Strunk;** Pastor David Cortner and family on the death of his wife, Kathy. **Congratulations to Angela and TJ McKenzie on the birth of their son, Scott James McKenzie.**

WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH

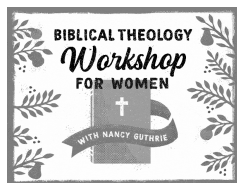
Question of the Week (answer on the back)

Q: What doth the preface of the Lord's prayer teach us?

Time to Sign Up for Explorers' Class. The next Explorers' Class will begin Sunday, October 13, at 1:00 p.m. in the Hospitality Room. We will plan to have a light lunch together. Mark your attendance on today's Connect Card or RSVP to Pastor Michael at westkirk@westkirk.org. The Explorers' Class is your gateway to membership at Westkirk Presbyterian Church. Pastor Michael leads the class and it is a great opportunity to get to know him better, meet other Westkirk attendees and find out more about the church. It is a no-obligation experience as you will be given plenty of time after the 4 classes conclude to determine if you would like to join in membership. If you cannot attend all the sessions, please let Pastor Michael know and he will make alternative arrangements for you. We look forward to seeing you there!

Bunco. The next Girls' Night Out will be Thursday, September 26, from 5:45-8:00 p.m. A \$10 donation is suggested and all money goes to help fight human trafficking. RSVP on the Facebook page: Girls Night Out Bunco-With a Purpose or email/text Diane Browne 515-333-1213 or dianebrown99@gmail.com.

Combined Sunday School Class with Pastor Michael Next Sunday! Join us for a combined Sunday School class (students and adults) on September 29 at 10:15 a.m. in the Great Hall to hear from Pastor Michael about his recent Extended Renewal Leave. He will be sharing information on his time in Scotland, John Knox and the Scottish Reformation.



Save the date! Biblical Theology Workshop for Women. Author and speaker Nancy Guthrie is presenting day-long workshops on Biblical Theology, just for women! No matter how much you already know or don't know about the Bible, if you are a woman who wants to know your Bible better, this workshop is for you! The closest one is in Kansas City, on February 29, 2020, and early bird registration is only \$30, including lunch. For more information, please go to <https://www.nancyguthrie.com/biblical-theology-workshop>. If you'd like to attend, please sign up on the Connect Card or contact Benae Duff (benaeduff@westkirk.org or 515-707-9072).

Men's Bible Study. Men, join us on Monday nights at 7:00 p.m. for fellowship and Bible study in the Gospel of John. For more information on the study and the latest meeting location, contact Mark Hagenberg, Phil Carpenter or Dave Vorm. We'd love to have you join us!

<p>WOW Meal Walking Tacos, Salad, Fruit and Cookie</p>
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Attention W.O.W. (Wednesdays at Westkirk) Supporters. The Kitchen Staff that serves those delicious meals every Wednesday night needs your help! We are looking for volunteers to either work in the kitchen to help prepare and serve food at approximately 4:45 to 5:30 p.m. or to clean up after the meal service is complete, usually 6:15-7:00 p.m. No experience necessary, we will train you! Please contact Shannon Springer at 515-720-0272 or Brad Miller at 515-557-0012 or sign up on the Connect Card if you are interested.

Recital. Elaine Erickson will present an informal recital of her compositions in the Westkirk Sanctuary this Saturday, September 28, at 1:00 p.m.



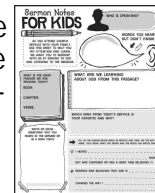
Operation Christmas Child – Ideas for September.

Savvy shoppers know that they can impact more children around the world for eternity by looking for shoebox items throughout the year. Check out the packing guide for the suggested item of the month. You can use this guide to help put together shoebox gifts that are sure to bless and delight boys and girls. www.samaritanaspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/year-round-packing-ideas/ September is games. Some ideas include small hand held games, puzzles, checkers, dominos. Feel free to contact Patricia Fitzgerald with questions (patricia.l.fitz@gmail.com 515-491-3946).



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

Sermon Notes for Kids are available at the Welcome Center! Kids of any age can complete them during the sermon, and can show them to Mrs. Duff after the service to receive a small reward for their hard work!



A: The preface of the Lord's prayer which is, Our Father which art in heaven, teaches us to draw near to God with all holy reverence and confidence, as children to a father, able and ready to help us; and that we should pray with and for others.

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