



Westkirk PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Weekly

This Week's Activities
November 27-December 4, 2016

Today

Advent - 1st Sunday
First Service, 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School Classes - all ages, 10:15 a.m.
Second Service, 11:15 a.m.
Choir, Great Hall 4:00 p.m.

Monday

Doulos Housekirk, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Wee Ones Playgroup, HR, 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday

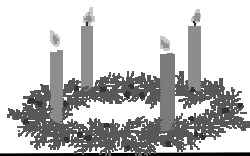
WOW Supper, 5:30 p.m.
Worship, Sanctuary, 6:15 p.m.
Classes for Children, Students and Adults, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday

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

Sunday - December 4

Advent - 2nd Sunday
New Members Received
Explorers' Class Lunch, Great Hall, 12:30 p.m.
Choir, Great Hall 4:00 p.m.
One Ancient Hope Housekirk, HR, 5:00 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 Gary Bock and Team at Timberline Church**, Jim Anderson, Carolyn Barnes, Beth Boeckemeier, Darlene Denison, Kurt Huyser, Ellen Kinnaird, Paul Kurtz, Brandon Louis, Marilyn McCulloch, Marie McGhee, Paul Meinen, Paul Olson, Thomas Perrigo, Don Powers, Senator Brad Zaun.



Single Moms' Night Out. Single mothers throughout central Iowa are invited to attend a special Christmas dinner being held in their honor. With the help of many community sponsors, Single Parent Provision would like to treat single mothers to a special evening including a catered meal, program, gifts, and prizes all in the great company of other single moms. **Childcare is provided**, so while moms enjoy this elegant, uplifting evening, their children will enjoy a fun evening complete with activities, games, and a meal of their own.

When: 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 10
Location: Vets Auditorium at the Iowa Event Center
(downtown, Des Moines)
Registration: This event is **FREE**, but registration is required.
Visit www.singleparentprovision.org by Dec. 1.

For more information or to help with this event:
Website: www.singleparentprovision.org/event-2346154;
Email: info@singleparentprovision.org; Phone: 515.868.9252.

<p>WOW Menu Cheeseburger, Fries, Tossed Salad, Fruit Cup and Cookie</p>
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Transportation Helpers Needed. Occasionally a member or friend of Westkirk requests a ride to a church service or function or to a doctor's appointment. If you would be able to help, please check the box on the Connect Card, or call Pastor Paul at 253-0330.



Hundreds of low-income families in our Urbandale community have difficulty meeting their day-to-day needs. During the holiday's, finding the resources for gifts and a special meal is out of reach for many of them. Parents want to give their child something special, but the hard reality is that many need to choose between basic living necessities like food, rent and utility bills and spending money on a special holiday gift or meal.

The Urbandale Community Action Network has organized an Adopt-a-Family program to pair up families in need with individuals or groups who want to help a family in need and to spread holiday joy. When you sign up to participate in the Adopt-a-Family program, you will receive all the information needed to help an Urbandale family celebrate. You'll purchase gifts suggested by each member of the family (approximately \$25 per recipient) and food for a special holiday meal (or provide an appropriate gift card to cover the cost of such a meal).

Please remember those children and families this holiday season who do not have an abundance of resources. Just a small token can brighten a child's entire year!

This year, when you and your loved ones are planning how to celebrate the holiday season, please include an opportunity to give back—pass your good fortune, your peace, hope and love to another family in Urbandale in need.

To sign up for the Adopt-a-Family program or get details on other events going on in our community, please contact the UCAN offices at 515-278-3936 or Info@UrbandaleNetwork.org.



Women's Christmas Cookie Exchange. Ladies, please join us from 7:00-8:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 11, for our Christmas Cookie Exchange. We will meet at Allyson Groner's home (15176 Bryn Mawr Dr., Clive). Each guest should bring two dozen cookies to share and an empty container to collect two dozen going home with you. To RSVP, or if you have questions, please contact Allyson at 515-770-2792.

Your December/January/February copy of the Daily Bread is available at the Welcome Center today!

True Blue Radio

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



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