

SCRIPTURE MEMORY CHALLENGE

May 16

Honor the LORD with your wealth,
with the firstfruits of all your crops;
¹⁰ then your barns will be filled to overflowing,
and your vats will brim over with new wine.

Proverbs 3: 9-10 NIV

Please visit our App or My Westminster for
our full Calendar of Events.

Sermon Notes

(You can also take notes in the Westminster App.)

WESTMINSTER WEEKLY

MAY 16, 2021



Welcome to Westminster!

No matter who you are, we're glad you're here! We pray that you will experience the welcoming, healing, and transforming love of God.

You can learn a lot more about Jesus Christ and about Westminster by stopping by the Welcome Center in the lobby, by visiting rcwestminster.com, and/or by speaking with one of our pastors or staff members.

Please consider filling out a Connection Card (enclosed) and place it in the offering collection so we can connect and follow up with you!



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Call to Worship

Leader: In the quiet of the morning, as we stir to greet the day...

ALL: God hears our sighs and gives strength to our spirits.

Leader: In the busyness of the day, as we work and strive...

ALL: God goes with us, giving us courage and confidence.

Leader: In the tiredness of the evening, as we begin to settle down...

ALL: God is present, refreshing and comforting our souls.

Leader: In the hush of night, as sleep overcomes our weariness...

ALL: There is God, watching over us with patient love.

Leader: In moments of triumph, when God's blessings are clear...

ALL: God is there celebrating His blessings with us.

Leader: In moments of brokenness, we fall short of the glory of God...

ALL: God still offers His mercy and accepts us as His friends. So as God meets us wherever we are today, we come ready to lay our lives down and worship Jesus.

May the Peoples Praise You

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Lord God, we take a moment of confession today, recognizing the ways we pridefully place ourselves above others. When we look in mirrors, we can create exaggerated perspectives of ourselves. We sometimes forget how we fall short of Your desires for us. We even trick ourselves into thinking we have arrived. Help us humble our hearts. Let us see the ways we could become more like Jesus. Allow us to receive Your love and be changed by it, inspired to be better today than yesterday. We know Your forgiveness reigns and offers hope for tomorrow. So let us live into Your promises of mercy, and let us worship You with our every breath. Amen.

Take My Life and Let it Be (Hymn 466)

Proclaiming the Gospel

Children's Message

Scripture: Luke 7:36-50

Sermon: "Forgiven Much = Love Much"

Pastor Bob Jacobs

Offering Ourselves to God

Jesus What a Friend for Sinners (Hymn 90) (Stanzas 1-3 & 5)

Announcements & Blessing

May the Peace of God

Children four and under may go to the nursery at any time.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON WHAT'S GOING ON AT WESTMINSTER, VISIT RCWESTMINSTER.COM.



WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL PRAYER WALK—TODAY!

We are across from West Middle School for a reason! After worship today, all are invited to walk across the street to walk around West Middle School and pray for the students, staff, and their families. If you brought chalk, please leave an encouraging message on the sidewalk for them!

STAFF APPRECIATION AT WEST MIDDLE SCHOOL

Westminster will be showering the West Middle School staff with blessings on Friday, May 28 in the form of breakfast, including homemade muffins. If you'd like to make some delicious muffins, please indicate so by writing it on your Connection Card. Muffins must be brought to Westminster by close of business on Thursday, May 27. Also, we are looking for a few ambassadors to bring breakfast over to the school early Friday morning. Questions? Call Sandra McFarland at 605.673.7950.

GLUTEN FREE COFFEE HOUR?!

You read that right! If you would like to help make coffee and donut time following the Sunday service something that our gluten free folks can participate in, please consider making a batch of gluten free donuts, muffins, etc., to share. Baked goods can be made anytime and kept in the freezer. The coffee volunteers will set them out on Sundays. Please contact Lisa in the office Monday – Thursday between 9 am and 2:45 pm if you have questions or can bake gluten-free items!

BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG!

Please consider joining us as the Black Hills Pregnancy Center holds their annual Baby Bottle Boomerang fundraiser. Your support will help them provide vital resources and education. If you'd like to participate, Angie Anderson will be in the church foyer on Sundays, beginning today through June 6 with more information.



PLANNING AHEAD

Save the date for a Church Family Cookout on Wednesday, June 2, at 6pm at Westminster. Burgers and brats will be provided; please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

2021 SUMMER YOUTH SCHEDULE

We are very excited about our summer youth schedule! Please check your email for more details, or talk with Pastor Andrew.

HIGH SCHOOL BACKPACKING TRIP

Registration for the July 26-30 HIGH SCHOOL BACKPACKING trip is open! Location TBA (to-be-AWESOME!). Details at rcwestminster.com/ministries/westback. Don't miss this!

DEDICATION OF LOVE INC'S NEW FACILITY

All are welcome to come to Love INC's new facility (414 E. Omaha) at 8:45am on Saturday, May 22 for a brief dedication service, followed by free tours of the facility. Donuts will be served!