

Our Mission:



RELATIONAL

We share life with one another in loving, challenging, Spirit-led community.



PRACTICAL

We apply the Bible to daily life and build Christ-centered homes.



GENERATIONAL

We bring children, students, and adults together as we follow Jesus.



MISSIONAL

We love Jesus by feeding, befriending, and blessing those in need.



INVITATIONAL

We invite others into our lives and into a relationship with God.

Stay CONNECTED

www.faithwestwood.com

PRAYER CHAIN: prayers@faithwestwood.com
WORSHIP SERVICES: Sundays @ 9 & 10:45 a.m.
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Deep. Daring. Daily.

Welcome!

If this is your first time at FaithWestwood, we want you to know how glad we are you came. We also know it can be a little scary coming to a new church. That's why we want to do everything we can to help you feel at home, find new friends, and take the next step in your faith.

Green shirts, green sheets, green bags

If you have questions, ask anyone wearing a green FaithWestwood polo this morning. Or leave us a note on the green sign-in card in the pews which will be collected with the offering. We also invite our new guests to pick up one of our "little green bags" in the foyer. Inside you'll find a little info and a small gift.

We hope that what you experience this morning brings you back next weekend. We'd love to see you again soon!

Meet Our Staff...

Each week we will introduce you to one of our staff members:

Dawn Stock, Director of Business Administration

I'm here to serve the senior pastor, ministry directors and congregation..

- By ensuring we have well maintained and equipped facilities that are welcoming to guests and support our various ministries.
- By providing support and implementing the policies of the board of trustees, finance committee and church council.
- By overseeing the operation of the Love and Learn Child Development Center.
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Coming Up @ FaithWestwood...

Spirit Source

The phone rings. You answer and get a recording saying you will receive three free nights at a resort somewhere. You've gotten calls like this before. There's always a catch. You hang up. But with Jesus, his word is true and his offer is good. The Father will send the Spirit. You will receive power - more than you expect or imagine. As Jesus promised his disciples, "John baptized with water, but . . . you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." The Holy Spirit is your source of power, encouragement, wisdom, and purpose.

June 11 - Spirit Source of Encouragement

God is continually transforming you. Sometimes that can (mistakenly) feel like God is always disappointed with you. But the Holy Spirit is your source of encouragement. He reminds you that God loves to work through imperfect people - that his promises are true for you.



Children's Director: Leah Dinoso
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Save the Date
June 18-22
Maker Fun Factory VBS

Scan this QR code to register
online now!

<http://tinyurl.com/FWVBS17>

Save the Date

Summer Sunday School Schedule is now in effect. Children's Time will be later in the service with Sunday School beginning after Children's Time.

Children's Time in Worship

We believe it's important that kids spend time worshipping with their families during church, so during the summer, the Children's Time will be moved to later in the service, right before the message. The children will still need to be checked in before the service begins, and will be dismissed to Sunday School following the Children's Time, as usual. This new schedule will run through August 13th.

*July 2nd and September 3rd we will worship with our families (no Sunday School) and June 25th will be VBS Celebration Sunday. - Nursery will be available for ages 6 weeks-2 years.



Student Ministry Director: Polly Pierce
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Countdown to High School Mission Trip (Costa Rica): 33 days
Countdown to Middle School Mission Trip (Green Bay): 55 days

To All Students ATTENDING THE MISSION TRIP THIS SUMMER: Please decorate your mission trip journal today! Stop by in between or after services in the Flex Student Ministry Room today!

Follow FW Student Ministry on Social Media!

Missions

Donation Location

During construction in the foyer, the donation collection bins for the pantry, plastic bags, pop tabs, Campbell's labels and Family Fare receipts has been relocated to outside the church office on second floor.

ABIDE - Better Together Block Party - June 10

Come be a part of an exciting way to reach North Omaha. ABIDE ministries puts on a huge party with FREE Food, Fun Activities, Raffle Prizes, Music and more. They need volunteers to help make it all happen. Use the link below to sign up, or contact Darren Timberlake at darren.timberlake@faithwestwood.com for more information.

www.tinyurl.com/JuneBlockParty

Save-The Date - Outside the Walls - August 27, 2017 - Planning Team

Outside the Walls is our Sunday morning where instead of regular services, we get out of the seats and into the streets, serving throughout Omaha. If you would like to be on the planning team for Outside the Walls this year, please contact Darren Timberlake at darren.timberlake@faithwestwood.com



FaithWorks Pantry Savvy Shopper List

Hy-Vee: Hy-Vee pasta, \$.77
Super Saver: Best Choice veggies, 10/\$1

Mission Focus

Mission Focus Today - Outside the Walls

We are looking at revisiting many of the different ministry sites from last year, plus there will be 1 or 2 new opportunities to serve along those who are impacting our city for Christ. Today's donations will help cover the logistical and supply costs for Outside the Walls on August 27.

May 21, 2017 mission offering - FaithWorks Pantry = \$562

Hospital and Pre-Surgical Visitation

Our goal is to visit those in our congregation when you are hospitalized and to pray with you at the hospital before any surgeries you may require. These visits are made based upon a specific request from you or an immediate family member who lets us know that you have been, or will be, hospitalized. Our Congregational Care Director can be contacted 24/7 at 402-650-9489 or vikki.ohara@faithwestwood.com and is available to be there at any time of the day or night.



New Home?

Home Blessings Available

FaithWestwood will now be offering the United Methodist "Service of Home Blessing." This brief service may be done at any time but is especially appropriate when you have recently moved to a new home or apartment. Some families combine this with a "house warming" or "open house," while others include close friends and family, and others just immediate family. To arrange a home blessing, contact Vikki O'Hara, M.Div., Congregational Care Director, at vikki.ohara@faithwestwood.com or 402-650-9489. When your house is blessed you will receive a special plaque to display in your home.

Expecting a Baby? Please let us know!

Please let our Blessed Beginnings ministry know as soon as you are pregnant! We have a gift for you to use throughout your pregnancy and want to be able to walk with you and pray for you, your family and your baby during your pregnancy! We also arrange for pastoral visitation when you are hospitalized and deliver your baby. To make the ministry team aware of your pregnancy, please contact Vikki O'Hara, M.Div., Congregational Care Director, at vikki.ohara@faithwestwood.com or 402-650-9489.

Interested in membership?

Contact Holly Timberlake at holly.timberlake@faithwestwood.com or 402-895-3394 x 1006.

Donation Information

Currently these donations are being collected at FaithWestwood:

For our FaithWorks Pantry:
Dry/canned food items

For United Methodist Women ministries:

- Family Fare receipts
- Pop tabs
- Box Tops for Education

ALL DONATION LOCATIONS ARE OUTSIDE THE OFFICE ON THE SECOND FLOOR

What's Happening

UBS SUPPLIES NEEDED!

Items can be brought to the children's check-in table in the foyer on Sunday mornings or the offices during the week.

- **Go-gurt - need 150**
- **Individual bags of chips - need 350**
- **Cookies**
- **Paper plates (dinner size) - need 350**
- **Canned spray foam - 10 cans**
- **Home Depot gift cards**
- **Walmart gift cards**

Thank you!

Baptism Orientation

If you are interested in baptism we invite you to attend our one-hour class on Tuesday, June 13th at 6:30 p.m. in Room 226. Pastor Steve leads the class and walks you through the baptismal covenant and answers any question may have. If you have any questions or would like to register contact Holly Timberlake at holly.timberlake@faithwestwood.com or 402-895-3394 x1006

Automate Your Giving

Summertime fun and travels will soon be here. Now is a great time to automate your Offering Pledge to the church. It's one way for you to simplify and it ensures that our ministry can continue during the summer months with a steady stream of income.

To sign-up, go to www.faithwestwood.com or download our APP and click on GIVING.



JUNE 4, 2017

Sunday - 9 am

Prelude "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"
Brenda Bowers, piano; David Gerard, organ

Welcome..... Pastor Steve Todd/Vikki O'Hara

Hymn..... A Mighty Fortress, #110

Opportunities/Celebrations Darren Timberlake

Offering..... "God of Grace"
Chancel Choir, Jill Anderson, director; Meredith Flynn, accompanist

Act of Praise..... He Is Lord, #177

Offering Prayer..... Rev. Chuck Cornwell

Hymn..... This Is My Father's World, #144

Children's Time..... Leah Dinoso

Scripture: Acts 1:6-8..... Nayleigh Mossburgh

Message Rev. Chuck Cornwell
Spirit Source of Power

Prayer of Confession - The Great Thanksgiving - The Lord's Prayer

Communion..... Surely the Presence, #328
..... Sweet, Sweet Spirit, #334
..... Breathe on My, Breath of God, #420
..... O Spirit of the Living God, #539
..... Holy Spirit Come Confirm Me, #331

Blessing..... Rev. Chuck Cornwell

Shalom

