

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.
LEAD PASTOR Steve Todd

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Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m., Monday - Friday

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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:

Jen Robinson, Director of Guest Connections

I am here to:

- provide a warm welcome to guests and members
- assist you in connecting with others through our Hospitality Ministry



Contact me at jen.robinson@faithwestwood.com or 402-895-3394 x 1014

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 18 - Spirit Source of Wisdom

God answers prayer in different ways. It might be yes, no, wait, or here's something you didn't ask for. But there's one prayer God always answers with a yes. It's the request for wisdom. And the Holy Spirit is your source for daily growth in wisdom.



Children's Director: Leah Dinoso
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402-895-3394 x 1002



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.

VBS Celebration Sunday - June 25th both services.

Nursery available - no Sunday School.

July 2nd - Nursery available, no Sunday school.



Student Ministry Director: Polly Pierce
polly.pierce@faithwestwood.com
402-895-3394 x 1005

Countdown to High School Mission Trip (Costa Rica): 12 days
Countdown to Middle School Mission Trip (Green Bay): 34 days

Are you a parent of a 5th grader? Send Polly a quick email, and make sure you are receiving email about upcoming Student Ministry!

Missions

Donation Location

We are almost done with construction in the foyer! The donation collection bins for the pantry, Care Matters plastic bags, pop tabs, and Hy-vee receipts has been relocated to outside the church office on second floor. Once construction is 100% completed they will be inside the new coat room adjacent to the new elevator.

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 at darren.timberlake@faithwestwood.com

FaithWorks Pantry - Savvy Shopper grocery list

Baker's: Juicy Juice, \$.99, buy 5
Barilla pasta, 10/\$10
Hunt's pasta sauce, 10/\$10
Post Cereals, \$1.99, buy 5

Hy-Vee: Rice a Roni, Pasta Roni, 10/\$10
Hy-Vee tomatoes, 4/\$3
Hy-Vee cereals, 3/\$5

Fareway: Butter Kernel Vegetables, \$.68

Super Saver: Best Choice Apple Juice, \$.98
Knorr Pasta/rice, \$.88



Mission Focus

Mission Focus Today – Peace With Justice Sunday

Several of the ministries receiving Peace with Justice Grants are working with immigrants and refugees. Many of these people have left their countries because of systematic injustice, racial inequality and economic disparity. Some are migrant workers from places where they are unable to make a living wage. Some are in danger due to corruption in government and police enforcement.

June 4, 2017 mission offering - Outside the Walls = \$746.71

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.

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.



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.

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!



The need is great!
Help the Red Cross save lives!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, June 11, 2017

6:45 AM to 11:45 AM

Schedule your donation appointment now with Carol at 402-895-2432 or register online at www.redcrossblood.org (Sponsor Code: FaithWestwood)

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

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

Middle School Mission Trip

Our middle school mission trip is in need of a trailer to haul luggage to Green Bay, WI. - single axle, weighted for 3500lbs or less. If you have a trailer that could be borrowed for the trip in July, please contact Polly at polly.pierce@faithwestwood.com or 402-895-3394 x 1005.

JUNE 11, 2017

Sunday - 9 am

Prelude "Every Time I Feel the Spirit"
Jill Anderson, David Gerard, piano duet

Welcome..... Pastor Steve Todd

Call to Worship Vikki O'Hara

Hymn..... Come Holy Ghost, Our Hearts Inspire, #603

Greeting - Blest Be the Tie Dawn Stock

Opportunities/Celebrations Dawn Stock

Offering..... "There Is a Hope"
Chancel Choir, Jill Anderson, director; Meredith Flynn, accompanist

Act of Praise..... "God Is So Good"*

Offering Prayer - The Lord's Prayer Pastor Steve Todd

Hymn..... Holy Spirit Truth Divine, #465

Prayer Opportunity Vikki O'Hara

Hymn..... Let It Breath on Me, #503

Children's Time..... Pastor Steve Todd

Scripture: Acts 9:19b-31 Gary Jones

Message Spirit Source of Encouragement
Pastor Steve Todd

Hymn (as time allows)..... The Lord's My Shepherd, #136

Blessing..... Pastor Steve Todd

Shalom

*This hymn is from **The Faith We Sing** book, which is different from our hymnal. Please read the lyrics from the screen.

