

CONNECTING WITH THE WORLD

PICNIC PICNIC

WHERE: 3204 Taylor St.

WHEN: Saturday, September 14
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

WHAT: Time Out fried chicken
& sides

SKINNER EAST NEIGHBORHOOD PICNIC: September 14 at 12 p.m. Park in the Skinner Magnet School parking lot, 4304 N. 33rd St. and walk to 3204 Taylor St. We would love volunteers to provide a few more side dishes to compliment fried chicken. Drop off food items in the church kitchen by Sept. 13, please mark items “Skinner East” and place in the frig or on the counter. Want to attend but need a ride? All sign up opportunities are by the west doors TODAY!

WALK SKINNER EAST NEIGHBORHOOD SEPT. 7 AT 10 A.M.
Volunteers needed to walk the neighborhood before the picnic to:
-deliver flyers announcing the picnic on September 14
-pick up trash along your way
-pray with our neighbors

Park in the Skinner East school parking lot, 4304 N. 33rd St., and just walk to the neighborhood. Need a ride? We'll provide! Sign up by the west doors, TODAY!

WEDNESDAY

@ WEST HILLS

NIGHT

Sept 11 - Nov. 13

Dinner // DVD Studies // ESL

Choir // Youth Group // Nursery Care

HELLO FALL & WEDNESDAY NIGHTS @ WEST HILLS! Join us on Wednesday nights for a buffet style dinner 5:30 - 6:15 p.m., followed by adult offerings & youth group! Nursery care is available for children 6 weeks to 4 years. Go to www.whcomaha.org for more information!

ARE YOU NEW? NEWER? _____
WE ARE BLESSED TO HAVE YOU WORSHIPPING WITH US!
Are you a visitor or wishing to learn more about West Hills? Please fill out the “Friendship Pad” in your pew so that we may become better acquainted. Visitors are invited to the **Welcome Center** in Geneva Lounge to pick up a West Hills Visitors Bag. We hope that you will join us in worship again soon!

THIS WEEK _____			
SUN 9-1	Sunday Services: 9 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. <i>Nursery: 9:00a service infants to 3 yrs. & 10:30a service infants to 5 yrs.</i> NO - Children’s Crosswalk, Youth Sunday School, or adult class		
MON 9-2	OFFICE CLOSED-LABOR DAY		
TUE 9-3	AA Group: 8p Men's Bible Study: 6:30a Knit, Chat & Sew: 9a Newsletter Team: 1:30p Arts For All: classes 5, 6, & 7 p.m. (see their website) Ingathering: snacks/6:30p & meeting/7p		
WED 9-4	Women's Bible Study: 9:15a Wednesday Night Youth Group: 6:30p		
THU 9-5	Women's Bible Study: 9:30a Al-Anon: 12p Young Life - Capernaum: 7p		
FRI 9-6	BACK TO SCHOOL BASH: 6-8p Al-Anon: 7p AA Group: newcomers 7:30p/regular group 8p		
SAT 9-7	Skinner East - Deliver Picnic Flyers: 10a		
SUN 9-8	Sunday Services: 9 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. <i>Nursery: 9:00a service infants to 3 yrs. & 10:30a service infants to 5 yrs.</i> Children’s Crosswalk: check-in 8:45a (LL) 4 yrs.-6th grade Youth Sunday School: 9a (LL) 7th-12th grade Discipleship Class: 10:30a chapel		

COMMUNION: If you would like to be served communion in your pew, please raise your hand. Gluten-free bread is available at both services.

Preaching: Gary Eller	Music: Al Anderson, Kaitlin Bates, Steve
Sound: Greg Schuchmann	Dostal, Brian Eichhorn, Kevin Gibson, Kathy
Media: Steve Burgess	Leach, Stan Parker

We welcome the Rev. Gary Eller as our guest preacher today. Rev. Eller is the President of the Omaha Presbyterian Seminary Foundation.

ATTENDANCE	9:00	10:30	TOTAL
8-25-2019	One Service at 10:00 a.m.		370
8-18-2019	183	111	294

Check out the NEW WEST HILLS CHURCH Website!

www.whcomaha.org

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CHURCH

On a journey with the living Christ;
connecting with God,
others, and the world.

September 1, 2019



Worship Celebration

Your Grace Is Enough

Announcements

Preparing to Encounter God's Word

Call to Worship

Great Things

O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing

Doxology

Prayer of Confession

The Good News of God's Forgiveness

Holy Spirit

Spirit Of The Living God

Encountering God's Word

Scripture: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16, Luke 14:1, 7-14 (page 845 & 729)

"Strangers At The Table"

Celebration of Communion

O The Blood Of Jesus

Responding to God's Word

Gathering of Tithes & Offerings

King Of Kings

Pastoral Blessing

Children Of God

postlude

CONNECTING WITH GOD


CONNECTING WITH OTHERS

NURSERY & CHILDREN

NO CROSSWALK TODAY! Join us for a Back-to-School celebration on Friday, September 6, and the fall Crosswalk kick-off on September 8!

BOOKS OF THE BIBLE CHALLENGE Calling all West Hills families to memorize the Books of the Bible in order! Get your name on the Wall of Fame! Sign-up on the West Hills Facebook event or at the Children's check-in area.

WE WANT YOU to invite someone to come for an evening of good, old-fashioned fun in the neighborhood at the **Back-to-School Bash** on September 6! We are hoping to bless the families of Westgate, West Hills, and beyond, and we'd love your help in inviting your neighbors, family, coworkers, and friends to come have some fun together with us! Information is on the website www.whcomaha.org or you can pick up postcard invitations at the kiosk in the Geneva Lounge.



ICE CREAM: Tim and Sarah Weller are hosting a backyard ice cream social for **West Hills families with children** on Sunday, September 15, 10422 Hascall St., 6 to 8 p.m. It's an open house, so stop by for a sweet treat and some fellowship.


YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

NO YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY! Join us for a Back-to-School celebration on Friday, September 6, and the fall kick-off of Youth Sunday School on September 8!

ALL CHURCH

WE ARE EXCITED TO WELCOME Pastor Andy Hamer, his wife, Theresa, and daughters, Kathleen and Caroline, to West Hills on Sunday, September 8. There will be a basket in Geneva Lounge on September 1, and 8, for your cards welcoming the family. We do hope that you plan to join us as we continue on our *journey together with the living Christ!*

HELP SERVE UP AN EVENING OF FUN! At the neighborhood **Back-to-School Bash** on September 6! For all families of Westgate, West Hills, and beyond! Run a simple, old-fashioned carnival booth or game, or help with food. Sign up at the west entrance or email jessica@whcomaha.org (402-391-8662 x1015) with questions or to sign up to share your time and talents.



PRISON MINISTRY WORSHIP NIGHT-SEPTEMBER 8 AT 6:00 P.M. Join us in fellowship with Crossroads Connection, a prison and re-entry ministry. West Hills hosts a worship night for men who are incarcerated at the Work Release Center and their families. A meal follows the service. People are needed to host and serve the meal, please arrive at 5:30 p.m. All events take place at Underwood Presbyterian Church, 851 North 74 Street. A sign-up sheet for hosting and providing food is near the west entrance. Kevin Gibson and his team will be leading the worship. Our last event was a great night of fellowship. Please consider joining us!

CONNECTING WITH OTHERS

ELDER AND DEACON NOMINATIONS: It's that time of year when we begin soliciting elder and deacon nominations from YOU for the 2020-2022 term. Be in prayer for our future leaders and the call that God may be placing on your heart and others in the congregation.

YOU'RE INVITED TO A "CELEBRATION" on Friday, September 13, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.! "Celebrations" host four events a year and this month we will recognize birthdays for the months of September, October & November. We are happy to have back Pam Kragt to entertain us. Cost is just \$10 per person for a roast beef lunch and entertainment! Sign-up today in Geneva Lounge or online at www.whcomaha.org

WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: Begins this week, 9:15-11:15, chapel. Studying: "He Speaks to Me" by Priscilla Shirer Sept. 4 – Oct. 16 and "Psalm 23" by Jennifer Rothschild Oct. 23 – Dec. 11. Childcare available in the nursery. Please complete the pre-registration form online at whcomaha.org so that we can staff appropriately.

WOMEN'S THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: Begins September 5, 9:30 a.m., in the chapel. We will study the book of Genesis. All women are welcome to join us.

Men's Breakfast-Sept. 21, 8 a.m.! Bring your sons, grandsons, nephews and your neighbors! We will share breakfast and hear about a life changed. Stay and work off some calories at the Church Work Day!

Everyone is welcome-Sept. 21, 10:30 a.m.! Great opportunity for families with children! There are inside and outside jobs of all levels. Bring your work gloves and join us as we spruce up the church!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Caregiving Corner Cards are going to Peggy Wheeler to wish her a happy 90th birthday and Pat King also TODAY wishing her a Happy Birthday! Please stop by the table and leave these ladies your birthday wishes!

Hospitalized/Rehab: Cleo Snyder-Hillcrest Rehab -Bellevue and Don Glasgow-Nebraska Medicine.

A **Stephen Minister** is available in the Quiet Room after the service for private prayer. Need to contact a Stephen Minister during the week? Pick up a brochure in any of the wall racks for a list of names.

Encouragement Cards and the drop box are located at the Caregiving Table by the north doors. Send a word of encouragement to someone this week!

Prayer Chain: Shirley Nelson; 402-391-8370 or shurlnelson@gmail.com
Carolyn Collins; 402-331-7481 or carolyn4nu@aol.com

This Week's Prayer Focus...

Congregation: Please pray for Don Glasgow: Prayers for continued progress toward complete healing.

Leadership: Prayers of thanksgiving and rejoicing for Pastor Andy and his family as they settle into their new home and the Omaha community. May our West Hills family be a blessing to them.

Mission Partner: Pastor Emad & Arabic Christian Fellowship