

01.11.09 through 01.17.08

- SUNDAY:** 6 PM Home Groups Meet - No building activities
- MONDAY:** BB (Ministry Center - evening)
- TUESDAY:** Weight Watchers (FH evening)
- WEDNESDAY:** Mid-Week Manna 6 PM - Classes 7 PM
- THURSDAY:** VB - BB (MC evening)
- FRIDAY:** No building activities
- SATURDAY:** No building activities

The above represent the building's use for Westlink and community activities. Call the office and talk to **Tawnnie Butler** if you need to reserve the fellowship room, kitchen or auditorium. Call **Ryan Woodard @ 214-6467** to reserve the **Ministry Center**.

MIDWINTER MANNA
FOOD FOR BODY AND SOUL

Please fill out the pink sheet found in the racks on the pews if you plan to eat this week.

January 14, 2009

Meal 6 PM - Baked Chicken
Cook - Holly
Classes 7 PM

SIMPLE House (Serving Individuals Ministering to People Loving Everyone)



Items needed:

- ♦ meat-based soup
- ♦ tuna
- ♦ ramen noodles
- ♦ toothpaste
- ♦ men's caps and gloves



2318 E Central, Wichita. Some of the items needed are: rubbing alcohol, toothbrushes & toothpaste, combs, powder, lotion, Band-Aids, unopened bandages, gauze & other dressings, cough drops, deodorant.

News Flash!
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Save the Date
August 7-9, 2009
For Westlink's
50th Anniversary
Reunion &
Celebration

Contact Judith Clancy if you have ideas, questions or would like to volunteer your services for the 50th Celebration.

Love your neighbor as yourself.
(Mark 12:31)

Make disciples (of Jesus) from all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey my (Jesus') commands.
(Matthew 28:19-20)



Gary Richardson
Minister

Commitment Sunday
January 25

Mark your calendar for January 25 and plan to be a part of Commitment Sunday 2009. We are more than half way

toward our goal of paying off the Ministry Center mortgage. We are thankful for the way God has richly blessed us with the ability to give even beyond our initial three year commitment. We trust He will help us with the next three years. It would be a wonderful thing to pay off the building as quickly as possible.

Troy Evans has agreed to help us begin commitment Sunday together with his classic and wonderful breakfast. Everyone is invited to join the breakfast time from 8:15 to 9:15 AM. Troy and his helpers always do a great job. You don't want to miss the breakfast.

Please consider and pray about how you might see yourself and/or your family giving over the next three years toward our Ministry Center. Any and every amount pledged is important and a blessing. May God bless us as we prepare for Commitment Sunday.

Order of Today's Assembly

Welcome

Prayer

Singing

Lord's Supper

Offering

Song for Kids Kan

(Kids Kan is an offering given by kids to help kids.)

Children age 2 - K may exit for Bible Time (room 7) during song

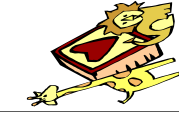
Lesson

God's Intent for You in Jesus

Closing Comments and

Closing Prayer

by one of our shepherds



For the Children Today...

Kids Kan: After our offering we have a contribution for our children. All children may go forward and give to help kids in need around the world.

Bible Time for 2 years old through kindergarten in room 7 meets during the lesson time. Kids may exit during Kids Kan.

A nursery is available in the hallway at the back of the auditorium for babies up to 2 years old. Attendant: Kerry Bush

Love God with all your heart, soul, mind and strength.
(Mark 12:30)



We are glad you are with us today!

You are welcome to take home one of the gift bags available in both entries with treats and more information about us.

Please help us know you better by filling out a guest card in the rack on the back of the pews and place it in the offering tray.

Thanks for visiting with us today.

You may also visit us at www.westlinkchurch.org

About Westlink:

What is GC²?



GC² means we are a church striving to fulfill Jesus' teachings from the Great Commandment and the Great Commission.

Great Commandment:

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind and strength and love your neighbor as yourself."

Great Commission:

"Go make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and teaching them to obey all I have commanded."

We follow those two directives from our Lord by being a Christ-centered and Bible-teaching group who leads people to Jesus, helps each other find a loving relationship with Him and His family, strives to grow into Christ-like maturity and continues ministries of good works to glorify God.

About Our Assembly:

You may wonder, if you haven't been with us before, what to expect in our time together. Some of the elements of our assembly include:

- **Greeting** - A warm welcome and a friendly word is given.
- **Lord's Supper** - We use the bread and juice as a remembrance of the loving sacrifice Jesus made on the cross to pay for our sins and as a celebration of His resurrection.
- **Singing** - Our songs are to praise our God and to encourage to all who hear. Our singing is fully congregational and done without instruments, which is a long-standing observance in many churches of Christ.
- **Offering** - We collect money to show our gratitude to God and to fund ministries at Westlink. As our guest, please do not feel obligated to give.
- **Prayer** - We join our hearts, minds and spirits together in public prayer to praise, thank, confess and petition our loving Father.
- **Scripture Reading and Sermon** - We use both of the above to listen to God's encouraging word for us and help us better live for Him.
- **Announcements** - This is one of the ways we communicate about activities, events and needs of the Westlink family.

NEW CLASSES

Starting today, new classes for both the high and middle schools.

High School: Starting Life Together: Going where God wants you to be. (Youth Room)

Middle School: You Belong. Looking at how everyone has a specific roll in the body of Christ. (Middle School Room)

DIVE

Sometimes it is hard to fully understand what God is telling us because we don't know how to look into His word. Dive is a new class teaching all students who are interested in learning how to study the bible. First class, Sunday January 18th @ 4:30pm.

Bring a box of colored pencils with you.

PASSPORT INFO

If you plan to go to the High School Mexico service trip you should apply for a passport.

passports visit: <http://travel.state.gov/passport>

Home Groups

If you do not have a Home Group, see Nick.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

MANIA

Saturday, January 24th. All 6-8th grade students are invited to come and have some fun together. Be looking out for more information about a time and place.



Join us for our current series: 'Separate' Wednesdays 7PM



Meeting today, 4:30



Monday, 7PM

Cookies for our College Students

Plans are being made to send our college students homemade cookies for **Valentine's Day**. We are in need of homemade cookies and/or postage money. Bring the cookies (labeled for college students) and put them in the big freezer in the new kitchen. Have the cookies here by **Sunday, February 8th**, so they can be packed, mailed and received by Valentine's Day. If you have any questions, please contact Judith Clancy. **Parents, call the office and confirm the address of your college student. Thanks.**

The Health and Wellness class led by Joanne Antonettii will meet on Monday nights each week at 7 PM in the fellowship hall.

Young at Heart will be January 15th, 6 PM, at Spears (Maple). Please RSVP to Allen or Melda Dimick.

Survivor's will be January 22nd, 7 PM at Los Cocos (13th & Tyler). Please RSVP to James or Linda Williams.

Women of Westlink

- ♦ The **2009 planning session for the Westlink Women's Ministry** is Monday, **January 19 @ 6:30 PM**. Bring a **salad and/or a dessert** and ideas and/or suggestions. If you are unable to attend and have suggestions please contact Diane Cool.
- ♦ All women are invited to the 19th Annual Emporia Ave "Ladies Day" on Saturday, February 7th starting at 8 AM with registration and a continental breakfast. RSVP to Cheryl Hass by February 1st. @ 316.262.8045

One more week to decorate the Cap-Scarf-Mitten and Glove Tree

We are decorating the tree in the front lobby with new warm mittens/gloves, caps and scarves. for the downtown church in Kansas City. Bring your items and place them on the tree. The items will taken next week to Kansas City.

Ministers:

Gary Richardson - Preaching
Nick Miller - Youth

SHEPHERDS of the WESTLINK FAMILY

John Baker, Don Butler, Bob Hanson,
Russel Lewis and Art Schwiethale

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The Westlink Group is a place where students can **COME**, have an opportunity to **GROW**, and decide to be **DISCIPLES** of Jesus.