

August 21, 2007

WESTLINK WEEKLY

Sermons

GC ²	8-26
Being a Loving Neighbor	
Nick Miller Preaches	9-2

Lessons available on
Tape or Web

First Church

Acts 2:42-47 (NRSV)

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.



Westlink at the Round Table

Over eighty people met at the round table last week to discuss the important topics of what it looks like to love God, love neighbor and to make disciples of Jesus. The ages of the participants ranged from in the eighties to

young teens. Everyone's input was valuable and encouraging. The first round table was very beneficial.

I have had many people tell me that they truly appreciated the opportunity to discuss, enjoyed the format, discovered more about the Great Commandment and Great Commission and were able to hear from people with whom they don't normally discuss scriptures. The group I was in was invigorating and inspiring.

You can still give your input to the discussion even if you were not able to be present at the round table. Or, give more input if more has come to you. Go to the homepage of our website, go to the top and click on forms. You will find last week's questions.

Round table two is this week. We'll meet Wednesday night and contemplate the first church's activities and how they apply to us today. I hope you are able to join a group. See you at the round table.

Gary



Update Westlink Photo Board

Please have your family photo taken to update our board. Johnna Kolar will be taking pictures Sunday, August 26. Thanks!

Our new photo board should be ready for display in the next couple of weeks. The new location will be in the front foyer instead of on the back wall of the auditorium.

Youth page

Sign-ups

Sign-up sheets are now available on Nick's door for hosting both Monday Night Bible Study and Merge in your home.

MNBS

This will start Monday, September 10th. Each study will start at 7PM and last until 8PM. Along with opening your home you are asked to provide a small snack for 4-6 people.

House Merge

House Merge will start Sunday Sept. 16. If you would like to volunteer your home sign up on Nick's door. Discuss with Nick

Fall calendar

Available online



merge

TBA

awaken

This Fall:



Thank you

Thank you to all of the parents who were at the meeting Sunday afternoon. If you were unable to attend see Nick for the details.

Youth room

open

Wednesday nights at 5PM. Join us as we spend time together and also help encourage one another with various activities.

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GROUP



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Family Matters

Westlink at the Round Table.

All adults are encouraged to be present for the Westlink Round Table. We will gather on Wednesday nights for a few weeks to discuss very important items about Westlink and our future. There will also be a Round Table time on Sunday mornings for those who can't make it Wednesdays. Every individual's input is needed and important!

Survivors will go to Two Brothers Thursday night, August 23rd, 7 PM. Please RSVP to **Gary or Susan Richardson**.



Magi Project

Thank you to everyone who gave this summer for the Magi Project. You may still bring items and/or give money for mailing.

There is now a need for **plastic shoe boxes and/or the ladies standard shoe box size**. The larger-size shoe boxes (athletic shoe, boots, etc.) CANNOT be used for Magi. Please bring and leave boxes in one of the offices or the library. Thanks!

Simple House (Benevolent Food Center)

Simple House still needs food items. They especially need: soup, saltines, peanut butter, jelly, instant potatoes and canned fruit.



Adults, you still have time to sign up and be a **prayer partner** for this school year, 2007 and 2008. Our children need our prayers and being a prayer partner is an excellent way to bless their lives.

Please consider being a prayer partner and **sign up today**. Sign up sheets are in the fellowship room. See Cheryl Griner if you don't find a sign-up sheet.



Jack Mosier, former long-time member, will celebrate her 89th birthday on August 23.

Help her celebrate with a card or email or both. Send to...

Jack Mosier at Sunrise Assisted Living 15055 W. 87th Parkway Lenexa, KS 66215

Send her an email at srzenexa@yahoo.com. Just mention it is for Jack Mosier in room 333

PRAYER UPDATE

Be sure to check the Sunday handout for ongoing prayer needs.

C. D. Sullard, father of former member Gabe Sullard, had by-pass surgery. He is doing good and should go home this week.

Dayle Ingerson, co-worker of Carol Baker, has a mass in her colon and some spots on her liver. She is scheduled to see the surgeon Tuesday.

Eleanor, friend of the Kerry Bush, will have colon surgery on Friday.

Debra Vaughn, daughter of Art and Jerta Sykes, has been in the hospital in the Fort Worth area. It was thought she may have had a heart attack but all the tests are clear.

Brad Fross has been training troops who will be going to Iraq this week. Remember all of our women and men in the armed forces, especially those in the Middle East.

Homemade Cookies are needed for our **Sunday visitor bags**. Please bake and bring cookies in bags labeled "guest"



MIDWINTER MANNA

Food for the body and spirit.

Meal Menu for August 22

6 - 6:45 PM

Tacos & Burritos

Classes for all children
Roundtable for Adults

PSALM 111

*Psalm 111
(New Revised Standard
Version)*

Praise the Lord!

*I will give thanks to the Lord
with my whole heart, in the
company of the upright, in the
congregation.*

*Great are the works of the
Lord, studied by all who delight
in them.*

*Full of honor and majesty is
his work, and his righteousness
endures forever.*

He has gained renown by his

*wonderful deeds; the Lord is
gracious and merciful.*

*He provides food for those
who fear him; he is ever
mindful of his covenant.*

*He has shown his people the
power of his works, in giving
them the heritage of the
nations.*

*The works of his hands are
faithful and just; all his precepts
are trustworthy.*

*They are established forever
and ever, to be performed with
faithfulness and uprightness.*

*He sent redemption to his
people; he has commanded
his covenant forever.*

*Holy and awesome is his
name. The fear of the Lord is
the beginning of wisdom; all
those who practice it have a
good understanding. His
praise endures forever.*

There are so many wonderful reasons to praise our God and many benefits from obeying Him. Why not take time this week and meditate on Psalm 111 and let the Spirit of our God sink ever deeper into your heart. Gary

**Simple House:
peanut butter
& jelly**

MIDWEEK MANNA

8-22-07

Menu: Tacos & Burritos

SERVING THE FAMILY

Food Coordinator for
August: Karen Roehrman

Funeral Meal Coordinator:
Charlotte Dulohery

Bible time for 2's through K

Nursery: Dianne Terrell



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FAMILY NUMBERS FOR 19, 2007

Attendance: Class: NA AM: 201 PM: NA

Giving: Regular: \$6718 Missions: \$ 535 Building Fund: \$1785 Benevolence: \$53