

WESTLINK WEEKLY

Sermons

Build It and They Will Come	5-21
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Welcome to Nick Miller	6-4

Lessons are available on tape

POWER TEAM

POWER

(Prayers Offered with Expected Results)
 Each Monday night a group meets to pray for the congregation's prayer requests. You may fill out one of the yellow cards on Sunday and drop it in the prayer box in the front entryway. Your request will be taken to the Father in prayer !

Jesus gave us a powerful lesson about serving when our Lord washed the feet of his disciples on the night of his betrayal. The humble task of foot washing declares to us there is no act of serving beneath us. Jesus also shows us that every task, no matter how seemingly insignificant, is important. Our Lord makes it clear that to be a follower of Jesus means that we are servants.

“Foot washing” can take on many different forms in our world today. Washing feet may look like a group of singers who went last Wednesday night to the home of an ill member for a hour of singing. Foot washing may be the person who mows the church lawn or a shut-in’s lawn on Saturday. It can be moving from your home in Colorado to Wichita in order to take care of your parents. It can be having your unhealthy dad move in with your family to give him care. It can be preparing and delivering a meal to a shut-in or someone in need. It can be handing a little girl sitting next to you on the pew a couple of dollars to put in Kids Kan. It can be paying attention to this week’s Simple house item, buying it during the week and placing it in the Simple House box in the front entryway. It can be filling out a prayer request card for the POWER team in behalf of someone you know who is in need of prayer.

We are fortunate to have many disciples at Westlink who continue to “wash feet”. All of the above examples are just a few I know about that have happened in the last couple of weeks. I am positive that hundreds more examples could be given if I knew about them all. Let us keep following our Lord’s instruction: “If I...have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another’s feet.”

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John 13:14



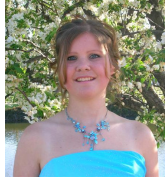
Gary

Senior Graduations



Maize Graduation

Sunday, May 21, 4 PM @ Koch Arena, WSU



Aashild Bragstad



Katherine Lewis



Whitney



Senior High Mission Trip

July 7-16

Navajo Reservation

Your registration and \$100 deposit is due by our first official meeting on May 30th.

You have plenty of time to decide to go!!

Middle School Mission Trip

is still being planned.

May 21

TBA

May 28

Memorial Day Weekend

June 4

Welcome-Nick

ZENITH
JUNE 18-23

CORNERSTONE
JULY 9-14

Nick would love to take those interested to either camp. You may tell Corey if you want to go.

Training the body helps a little, but godly living helps in every way. 1 Timothy 4:8 (God's Word)

Family Matters

Congratulations to Howard Babb on his retirement from the Wichita School district as a school counselor! We wish Howard God's very best in the years ahead.

Young at Heart
Thursday - May 18 - Spears

Survivors
Thursday - May 18 - Copper Oven



There will be a combined adult class Sunday morning, May 21, about the Ministry Outreach Center.

Rick and June Duloherly are having a big garage sale. The dates are **May 18, 19, 20**. Antiques, furniture and misc. Address: 9807 W. 19th. Call 722-6897 if you have questions.



Westlink Service Survey

All members please give your completed Serving Survey to one of the shepherds, Tawnnie or Gary today. If you did not receive one, please see one of the elders or Tawnnie. You may also go online at www.westlinkchurch.org. Thanks!

Bulletin Boards in the South Hallway!!!

Even with the construction there is still a lot of information on the boards in the south hallway. Don't forget to look at them from time to time.

HELP!!! Remember the sign-up sheet is in the **south hallway!** Your help is very much needed and very much appreciated! The church does have a riding lawn mower! See Tim Garrouette if you have any questions.



There will be a **wedding shower** to honor **Nicole Patton** and **Chris Pagoyo** at the home of Bonnie Washington, on Friday, **June 2nd, 7:00 PM** (a light salad dinner will be served). Nicole has grown up at Westlink and is now in Pharmacy school at KU. The couple is registered at Target, Penney's, and Bed, Bath and Beyond.

PRAYER UPDATE

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

Duane Carr is back home with Hospice care. **Jerry Carr** will have cataract surgery soon.

Della Riley is slowing improving and is very discouraged right now.

Joe West, grandfather of Khris Duloherly, is now in a rehab center after his stroke.

Robert Lucas, Beth Epps's dad, will have hip surgery Wednesday, May 17, at Wesley.

Melissa Glass, mother of Susan Settle, asks for prayers for Richard Karlowski who has lung and bladder cancer.

Deb Ayers' mom has begun chemotherapy treatments. Also, Deb's parents are unable to live in their home right now because of a house fire on May 5.

Colleen Fross will have surgery June 1, in Topeka.

Carlos Richardson, Gary's uncle, is in ICU at a OKC hospital..

I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. As you make your requests, plead for God's mercy upon them, and give thanks.

Pray this way for kings and all others who are in authority, so that we can live in peace and quietness, in godliness and dignity.

1 Timothy 2:1-2 (New Living Translation)

Weekly "PRAYER CORNER"

Jason, Nikki & Quentin

BICKHAM

Lonnie & Linda

MOORE

Andy & Kelly

MACKAY

NO WHINE

devotional thoughts:

"May God not find the whine in us any more, but may He find us full of spiritual pluck and athleticism, ready to face anything He brings."

I love the above quote from Oswald Chambers, who lived and wrote during the early 1900's. The quote comes from the devotional for Monday, May 15, entitled "The Habit of Rising to the Occasion" in his book My Utmost for His Highest.

The "whine in us" is a great way

to express that nagging habit of complaining and murmuring against life that we so easily do. The apostle Paul says, "Do everything without complaining or arguing..." (Philippians 2:14) ...Everything?

One of reasons followers of Jesus are not to whine, complain and murmur about life is because a life without whining is a life that shines brightly for God in a messed up world.

"...so that you may become blameless and pure, children of

God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe..." (Philippians 2:15)

"May God not find the whine (complaining) in us any more, but may he find us full of spiritual pluck (resourceful courage and boldness) and athleticism (intense energy of action), ready to face anything He brings."

Gary

(You can read Oswald's devotionals at www.heartlight.org. Go to the upper left for Devotionals. Drop down to My Utmost for His Highest.)

**Simple
House:
Baby Food**

SERVING THE FAMILY

Food Coordinator for

May: Bonnie Washington

Funeral Meal Coordinator:

Charlotte Duloherly

Bible time for 2's through K

Nursery: Terry & Tammy Snyder



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FAMILY NUMBERS FOR MAY 14, 2006:

Attendance - Classes: 147 AM Assembly: 256 PM Assembly: NA

Giving: Regular: \$4555 Missions: \$ 490 Benevolence: \$51 Building: \$ 1050 Pop Machine: \$15.05