

Core Values of West Hills Church

Giving ourselves in God's mission

Rooted in God's Word

Authentic relationships-freedom to be real

Christ-centered community

Energized through joyful worship and prayer

SPIRITUAL FORMATION

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES TODAY:

9:25: Eric & Stacy Rafferty, (see below)

10:55: What's So Amazing About Grace? Led by Ron Gatzke, chapel.

ERIC AND STACY RAFFERTY will tell the story of God's growing presence across Nebraska campuses. From baseball and hockey teams to Greek life, students are meeting Christ in a deep and personal way through the work of the InterVarsity ministry.

JULIE BURGESS AND PATTI GATZKE attended a conference at Dhour Choueir Evangelical Center outside Beirut, Lebanon, this summer. Hear the stories of challenges and faithful witness as experienced by Julie and Patti as they spent time with Christians from Syria, Lebanon and Iraq. Nov. 22, 9:25, chapel.

CHURCH HISTORY – THE APOSTLES TO THE MIDDLE AGES:

What began as a small band of supporters following the teachings of an itinerant preacher in an outpost of the Roman Empire grew in size and influence to still impact the world today. Learn how it began. Dave Weaver and Chase Weaver teaching. Nov. 22, 10:55 a.m., chapel.

CELEBRATIONS! For those 55 and better! Celebrate the Season with Pamela Sue (Kragt) as she performs Christmas carols and other favorites! We will help Heartland Hope Mission stock their food pantry for the winter months through donations of peanut butter and canned meats. Sign up today in Geneva Lounge. Friday, Dec. 4, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Lunch is \$10.

Welcome Visitors!

At West Hills we center our lives in Jesus Christ to be led by the Holy Spirit for every person to live a life of mission. Belonging to God's family prepares us for this life of missional discipleship. Through our brokenness we can be equipped to serve others in our neighborhoods, community and world.

**We welcome you to West Hills
Come, let us worship our Lord together!**

- SUN 11-15 SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES:W
8:25, 9:25 & 10:55A**
Childcare: (Infants - PK): 9:10a - noon
Children's Crosswalk: (K-6th grade Sunday School) 9a
Jr./Sr. High Sunday School: 9:25a
Adult Discipleship: 9:25a & 10:55a
Welcome Coffee: 10:25
Wired/Sr. High Youth Group: 6p
- MON 11-16** BSF Women's Group: 6:55p
AA Group: 8p
- TUE 11-17** Men's Bible Study: (open) 6:30a
Arts for All: classes begin 4:45p
Staff/Session book study: 5:30p
Session: 7p
- WED 11-18** Women's Bible Study: 9:15a
LAST - WNA: dinner/5:30 & classes/6:30p
(WNA resumes Jan. 6)
- THU 11-19** Women's Bible Study: 9:15a
Siena/Francis sloppy joe pick up: 9:30a
Al-Anon: 12p
Foster Care Support Group: 6p
Capernaum: (special needs high school): 6:30p
- FRI 11-20** Al-Anon: 7p
AA Group:7:30p
- SAT 11-21** Arabic Christian Fellowship Service: 6:30p
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Preaching: today: *Derek Richman*

Assisting: *Melissa Sherlock*

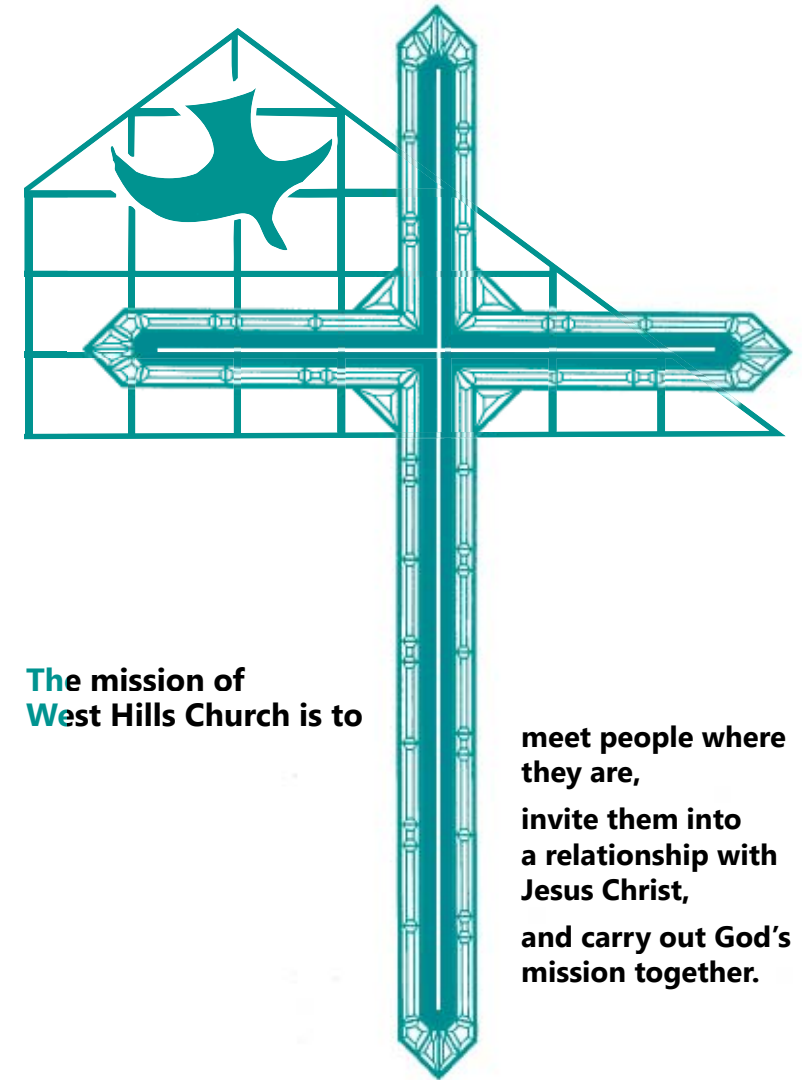
Media Team: *Meredith Dierking, Josh Isaac, Scott Loibl, Bob Sleyster*

Worship Team: *Men's Ensemble, Angie Bergman, Julie Burgess,
Steve Dostal, Michael Dryver, Mike Geiler, Nicole Geiler, Chris
Gollehon, Steve Gollehon, Rachel Jarvis, Kathy Leach*

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West Hills Church

NOVEMBER 15, 2015



**The mission of
West Hills Church is to**

**meet people where
they are,
invite them into
a relationship with
Jesus Christ,
and carry out God's
mission together.**

SERMON NOTES:

ARE YOU NEW? NEWER?

WE ARE SO GLAD YOU ARE WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY! If you are visiting West Hills for the first time, or maybe you have been coming for a few Sundays, but haven't connected yet, stop by the Welcome Center in Geneva Lounge after services. We would love to meet you and share a little more about West Hills with you.

WELCOME COFFEE TODAY: New to West Hills? Wanting to know more about us? We invite you to enjoy a cup of coffee or tea with us in the Soul Café, today at 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

- * **Church:** United Faith Community, Valley, Nebraska.
- * **This week's families to pray for are:** Barbara Wooley, Bruce & Joanne Workman, Rhona Yetts, Doug Young, Ryan & Molly Zabrowski, Peg Ziegler, Mark & Julie Zimmerman, Gloria Zinn, and Mark & Dana Zoll.

The chancel flowers are given by John and Marcia O'Donovan in celebration of two granddaughter's birthdays this week; Juliana Scheopner is 13 yrs. and Catherine Scheopner is 4 yrs. Praise God!

If you have a concern or prayer need during the week, call the following Stephen Ministers who are also available after today's service in the quiet room near the back of the sanctuary: (9:25) Dan O'Reilly 402-991-5116; (10:55) Steve Burgess 402-551-8526.

PRAYER CHAIN

Roxie Frazier (402-330-8762) roxiefraz@cox.net
rfrazier@thefrazierco.com
Shirley Nelson (402-391-8370) shurlnelson@gmail.com

Prayer Pager Ministry

Pager # 1 – phone # 402-271-1053 (congregational pager): This week the pager is going to Dana Bradfield, deacon. Prayers for the homebound members of West Hills and for their caregivers - for connection and Christian fellowship. That ordained deacons/elders would feel called to serve holy communion to this growing segment of our community.

Pager # 2 – phone #402-271-1155 (staff pager): This week's staff member to pray for is Betty Manna, Caregiving assistant. Prayers for Deena as she finishes her visit in Egypt this week; and for their safe trip home. Praise that her daughter Jennifer is almost done with her student teaching and that it has gone well. Prayers that she, her children, and all who are helping to watch her youngest, stay healthy during these last few weeks.

*When you've prayed for one of these people, dial the corresponding phone number. After the beep, press 1 2 3 # and hang up. You will NOT be called back. Thank you!

ALL CHURCH

Thank you for your support of **HEARTLAND HOPE MISSION** this Thanksgiving. Through your generosity we collected funds for 155 turkeys!

WEST HILLS INTERGENERATIONAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT
You are invited to our Christmas concert "Glory in the Highest." This is a FREE event that helps us center our hearts on the Advent of Jesus this season. Come worship with us! Saturday, December 5, 4:00 p.m.



RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

December 6–7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Fellowship Hall

Sign up in Geneva Lounge TODAY.
Check out the NEW blood donor app:
<http://www.redcross.org/mobile-apps/blood-app>
NEW "RAPIDPASS CHECK IN" ON LINE
<http://www.redcrossblood.org/RapidPass>



LIGHTHOUSE UPDATES: The best way to stay current on the progress of our Lighthouse is to visit the West Hills Facebook page. You don't have to join Facebook to view the photos. Visit www.facebook.com/westhillschurchomaha to follow along!

UPCOMING EVENTS!

NOVEMBER

- 18 Last WNA for fall semester dinner 5:30 & activities 6:30 p.m.
- 25 Thanksgiving Eve Service & Pie Fest 7:00 p.m.
- 26 Office Closed
- 27 Office Closed

DECEMBER

- 4 Celebrations Christmas Lunch 11:30 a.m.
- 5 Intergenerational Christmas Concert 4:00 p.m.
- 6 Red Cross Blood Drive 7:30-12:30 p.m.
- Congregational Meeting after 10:55 service
- 9 AMP Youth Christmas Party 6:00 p.m.
- 11 InterVarsity Christmas Progressive Dinner 6:45 p.m.
- 13 All-Church Soup & Christmas Caroling 12:00 p.m.
- 24 Christmas Eve Services/Family 5:00 p.m. Candlelight 7:30 & 9 p.m.
- 25 Merry Christmas - Office Closed