

We're so glad you're here today!

Is this your first time here? Welcome! Stop by the Info Spot before or after the service. We'd love to meet you, answer any questions you have, and give you some helpful information. For kids and students, we offer great programs specially tailored to their ages. The Westwood Kids team is happy to help you get them connected. For more info on the great things happening here, check out westwoodcc.org.

IJM Twin Cities Prayer Event

IJM (International Justice Mission) is partnering with Westwood Community Church in a Twin Cities Prayer Gathering. Join us for an evening of worship and prayer and hear how God is moving to stop oppression and modern-day slavery. Hosted at the Bush Lake Campus. Thursday, May 16, 6:30–8:30pm

Celebrating all volunteers!

Volunteers make ministry happen. If you have served at Westwood or are interested in serving, come to Team Night. It will be a fun night of celebration! Register online.

Upcoming dates:

Westwood Chanhassen: Monday, May 20, 6:30–8:00pm

Westwood Bush Lake: Tuesday, May 21, 6:30–8:00pm

Westwood Minnetonka's Team Night was May 6. If you'd like to connect about serving, contact Kim Hanson, kim.hanson@westwoodcc.org.

KIDS

LIFE READY: MESSAGE NOTES

Bible Reading Plan

Join us in reading the Bible together. The Bible Reading Plan is a way to incorporate reading the Bible into your week. Each day read a passage and take a few moments to reflect. These verses are chosen by our staff and designed to complement the Sunday message.

Reflection questions:
What does it say?
What does it mean?
How can I live this out today?

- 1 John 3:1-2
- Colossians 3:1-3
- Hebrews 12:11
- Lamentations 3:22-23
- Psalm 127:3-5

You make ministry happen

Thank you for your financial giving! It allows the ministries at Westwood to continue throughout the year. In addition to our giving envelopes, here are some convenient ways you can give a one-time gift or set up recurring giving:



Online: A convenient and secure way to give is through our website. You can give a one-time or recurring gift.



Westwood App: Text westwoodapp to 77977 to get a response with a link to download the app.



Giving Kiosks: Small giving kiosks are located on the Chanhassen campus at the Info Spots.



Text to Give: Text the keyword "westwoodbsl", "westwoodchn" or "westwoodmtk" to 77977.



Kids – Life Ready

May 12, 2019

1. What are a couple of take-aways from this Sunday's message on Kids?
2. Dr. Johanson and Pastor Joel talked about our roles: What our kids roles are, what our roles are, and what God's role is. What was new for you in this part of their conversation?
3. Trust and humility are the two character traits that connects the role of parents, and the role of God. When you're trusting God, and remaining humble, what does that look like in your parenting? Can you tell?
4. Linear thinking was a topic that Tim and Joel discussed. We're called to major on the majors – the character traits we want our kids to have. When they discussed linear thinking, did you think of any ways that you've been stuck in linear thinking? Can you share what you're learning about that concept as it relates to your own parenting?
5. As parents (and in all of life) God desires that we allow his grace in. When was a time recently in your parenting, or in your life in general that you needed God's grace? As you think about that example – did you receive God's grace in that moment? Why or why not? What makes it hard or easy for you to receive God's grace?
6. Shame is a big topic in our culture right now, and it was a part of this message. What did you learn about the presence of shame in your life and parenting? Any examples pop to mind? What do you think it would take to deal with shame and the way that it comes out of you in your life right now?
7. Thinking through the three messages in this Kids sermon series, what are you taking away from it?

End your time in prayer together.