

Sunday, January 10, 2016

*Today at W.L.A.*

**9:15 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Service(s) [COMMUNION]**

**Sermon: Grateful Prayer for Gospel Partners Philippians 1:3-11**

The second sermon from the letter to the Philippians considers Paul's prayer for the Philippians, which concludes the opening of this letter.

At the conclusion of both our services today, we will receive a special offering for the Alliance Global Advance Fund (Alliance Ministries Overseas).

**8:00 - 9:00 a.m. All Welcome Prayer Ministry**  
**9:15 a.m. JK - Grade 5 Growzone 1**

**10:30 a.m. Coffee, tea and time to talk. In the gym. Intermission**

**11:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5 Growzone 2**  
**11:00 a.m. Grades 3 - 6 Junior Bible Quizzing**  
**11:00 a.m. Grades 7 - 12 Senior Bible Quizzing**

*This Week at W.L.A.*

**Tuesday, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. Women's Prayer**  
Join us as we encourage one another through prayer and discussion related to the Sunday ministry. Contact Deb Wilkins at (519) 471-4133.

**Tuesday, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Playgroup**  
The nursery will be open for parents with young children to spend time together in a fun space, enjoying the company of other kids and parents. Bring your own drinks, snack provided. For further details, please contact Thea Close at (519) 281-7947 or [thea.close@gmail.com](mailto:thea.close@gmail.com).

**Tuesday, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Seniors' Community Drop-In**  
Join us for coffee, snacks, euchre, shuffleboard, table games and more!

**Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m. TLC**  
**The Ladies Connection...** TLC is finishing our study of James, by Beth Moore. Our winter session begins on February 24<sup>th</sup>, with a book/DVD study called "What Love Is" by Kelly Minter (a study of the letters of 1, 2, 3, John). Childcare available. For more information, contact Cheryl at 226-271-5346 or [cherylhargraves@live.ca](mailto:cherylhargraves@live.ca).

**Thursday, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. Men's Prayer & Accountability**  
All men welcome to join us! For info, email Jude ([jude@wlachurch.org](mailto:jude@wlachurch.org)).

**Thursday Forevergreen**  
There will be no event today. The Gathering will resume next week.

**Friday, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. ESL Conversation Circles**  
Women doing life and sharing discussions together, to practise English. For more information contact [englishWLA@gmail.com](mailto:englishWLA@gmail.com) or call Rebecca at (519) 702-8536.

**Saturday, 10:30 a.m. Junior Quiz Meet**  
Here at WLA! Please come out and cheer our Junior Quizzers on!

*On Beyond THIS WEEK*

**Thursdays, January 21 - March 3, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Club Elements**

Our mid-week program for kids in Grades 2 - 5 begins again! Each night will consist of teaching, games, snack, and two activities of their choice (Creative Arts, Wacky Science, Sports, or Kitchen). Contact Angela at [angela@wlachurch.org](mailto:angela@wlachurch.org) or register online at [wlacamps.org/clubelements](http://wlacamps.org/clubelements).

**Saturday, February 6 Mission Peru Dinner Auction**

Do you like great food and a little competition? Then you won't want to miss our 2016 Mission Peru Fundraising Auction Dinner!! Bid as a table on a variety of amazing appetizers, main courses and desserts, with the proceeds going towards sending our Senior High Missions Team to Trujillo, Peru, where they will be working alongside the poorest of the poor. Sign up at the south foyer kiosk, or email [dave@wlachurch.org](mailto:dave@wlachurch.org) for more information!

**March 14 - 18 Camp Elements**

Registration for our March Break day camp opens tomorrow, January 11<sup>th</sup>! For more information and to register, visit [www.wlacamps.org](http://www.wlacamps.org) or contact Angela at [angela@wlachurch.org](mailto:angela@wlachurch.org). Registration forms will also be available at the kiosk.

*Other Important NOTES*

**Have you checked the Church Family Mailbox today?...** It is overflowing with Christmas cards and other good things.

**Numbered Offering envelopes...** Are now available for pick up by the mailboxes in the south foyer! If you are not already using them but would like to request a set for 2016, please use a "Connection Card" to say so. And if you would like to participate in our automatic withdrawal "Pre-Approved Donation Plan", enrollment forms are in the chair pockets. *Thanks!*

**Taste of Home...** Are you a student studying in London and looking to get to know some families who are part of WLA? Sign up at the kiosk for the opportunity to join a family in the church for a home cooked meal. Or email [dave@wlachurch.org](mailto:dave@wlachurch.org).

**A Note About Sunday Morning Coffee...** We are serving a Peruvian Fair Trade blend. Please consider donating as you enjoy your morning coffee, as Net Proceeds will be going towards Mission Peru!

| Financial Summary              | As of December 27  |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| General Fund Budgeted to Date: | \$780,000          |
| Received to Date:              | \$821,653 (105.3%) |
| Surplus to Date:               | \$ 41,653          |

We praise our great God for the faithfulness of His people in giving so generously to our General Fund budget! To Him be the glory!

*Growzone NOTES*

**Our thanks in advance to next Sunday's Nursery workers...**

**9:15 a.m.** Trish MacLeod, Jesleana Jacob, Karen Lambley, Emily Stranks, Bethany McLandress, Chris & Beth MacDougall, Cheryl Hargraves.

**11:00 a.m.** Kendra Birtch, Kathleen Reid, Michelle Koch, Katherine Argall, Karyn Koopman.

*Youth STUFF*



Check out our website for the latest events, pictures, leader bios, prayer requests and more!  
[www.wlayouth.org](http://www.wlayouth.org)

**CLUB CORE** (Grades 6-8)

**Sundays, 9:15 a.m. SHIFT** - A worship service for Junior Highs! Come on out to the Core for worship, messages and small group time! Joel will be continuing our series on Philippians this morning.

**Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Club Core - We're back in action this Tuesday! We will be continuing our study on Peer Pressure. Come on out for games, messages, snacks and more! Bring your friends!

**SENIOR CORE** (Grades 9-12)

**Wednesdays, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.** This Wednesday night, Dave will be starting a new series called "The Words of Jesus" where we will be looking at some challenging statements that Jesus makes in the Gospels.

Mission Peru: Reminder that we have a meeting next week after church in the Core! We will be done by 2:30 p.m.

**YOUNG ADULTS** (18-25ish) - **Sunday 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.** Tonight,

Sarah will be leading a study on Jonah Chapter 3. We will also be starting our study of "The Workbook of Living Prayer". Next week, we will meet at 5:00 p.m. in the Core to discuss our study, and then will be attending Western Worships at 6:30 p.m.

*A NOTE to Our Guests:*

**Welcome! And thanks for being with us!**

We're happy you are here today and hope that being with us will be a help to you in learning to know and love and live for our great God. Please take a moment to fill out a "Connection Card" located in the seat pocket in front of you, and bring it to the **Welcome Kiosk** in the South Foyer. **We have answers to your questions, a packet of WLA information and a gift for you!**

You can use the card to provide us with any information you think will help us serve you. You can email us at [info@wlachurch.org](mailto:info@wlachurch.org) or check out our website at [www.wlachurch.org](http://www.wlachurch.org) or phone us at **(519) 471-8716**.

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