

# Sunday, December 1, 2019

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

**Healthy Fear - Great Love** Luke 12:1-12

Jesus speaks to us about the unforgivable sin, hell and the faithfulness of God - all for our good!

Following both of our services this morning, we will receive a **Special Offering for our WLA Cares Fund**, to help make Christmas a little brighter for families from our Community.

**8:00 – 8:50 a.m. All Welcome** **Prayer Ministry**  
**9:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5** **Growzone**

**10:15 a.m.** Coffee, tea and time to talk. In the gym. **Intermission**

**11:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5** **Growzone**

**11:00 a.m. Grades 3 - 6** **Junior Bible Quizzing**

**11:00 a.m. Grades 7 - 12** **Senior Bible Quizzing**

**11:00 a.m. Arabic Fellowship** **Core**

**6:00 p.m. Missions Night**

Join us in the Core, to hear highlights from the Adult Mission Team's trip to Indonesia, and from Pastor Jude and Rand's trip to Iraq. Hear also from others from our church family who have exciting missions endeavours planned for 2020!

## *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! Please contact either Barb Postma at (519) 471-0535 or Deb Wilkins at (519) 859-4133 if you have questions.

**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 Michelle Sutton-Luminoso at (226) 213-6656 or [msgs0515@gmail.com](mailto:msgs0515@gmail.com).

**Tuesday, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Seniors' Community Drop-In**

Join us for coffee, snacks, euchre, an exercise class, table games, and much more!

**Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m. TLC**

**The Ladies Connection...** This week we have our Christmas Brunch. For more information, contact Cheryl at [cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com](mailto:cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com) or (226) 271-5346.

**Thursday, 6:30 – 7:30 a.m. Men's Morning**

All men are welcome to join us Thursdays at 6:30 a.m. for prayer and fellowship. For info, email Pastor Jude at [jude@wlachurch.org](mailto:jude@wlachurch.org).

**Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Women's ESL Conversation Circles**

Please plan to join us for our winter session which begins on January 17th. Questions? Contact Laura at 226-239-4950 or [esl@wlachurch.org](mailto:esl@wlachurch.org) for more information.

## *On Beyond THIS WEEK*

**Sunday, December 8, 9:15 & 11:00 p.m.**

**Baptisms!**

**Sunday, December 8, 2:00 p.m.**

**Baby Shower**

Friends of Jill and Moses Latigo Opong are invited to join us for a baby shower on Sunday, December 8th in the Explorer Room, from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. To R.S.V.P. and/or to contribute to a group gift, please contact Laura Slee at [slee.laura@gmail.com](mailto:slee.laura@gmail.com) or 226-239-4950.

**Sunday, December 24, 3:00 p.m. Seniors' Christmas Eve Service**

This service, which will take place in the Fireside Room, is geared to seniors, however, anyone is free to come! If the other times on Christmas Eve do not work for you, we would love to have you join us.

**Sunday, December 24, Christmas Eve Services**

This Christmas Eve we celebrate the birth of Christ at 4:00, 6:00, & 8:00 p.m. At 4:00 p.m. we will have a family service with a "family flavour" that kids will enjoy. The 6:00 & 8:00 p.m. services will both have carols, the Christmas story, and a short homily. During all services there will be no childcare provided, but the nursery will be open. Please come and worship with us this Christmas Eve!

## *Other Important NOTES*

**Rockin' Christmas is coming!** Rockin' is our annual Christmas event for families, and it's happening on December 13th (6-8 p.m.) and 14th (10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.) this year. Crafts, family games, Creation Station, live nativity...put it in your calendar! If you are interested in volunteering at this event, please contact Maddy or Emily at [wlacamps@gmail.com](mailto:wlacamps@gmail.com).

**Support Matt & Connie's Handicraft Project...** Sauyunan Handicrafts will be sold before and after services in the South Foyer today and on December 8th. New patterns and decor items will be displayed. All funds are returned to the Foundation to support Indonesian families in need. Matt and Connie are grateful for your support.

**What Once Was Lost...** may have been found by us! Please check the table outside the gym for anything that belongs to you. What isn't claimed by next Sunday will be donated!

**Numbered Offering envelopes...** are now available for pick up in the south foyer! If you are not already using them but would like to request a set for 2020, please use a "Connection" card to let us know. Or if you would prefer to participate in our automatic withdrawal "Pre-Approved Donation Plan", enrollment forms are in the chair pockets. *Thanks!*

**Meals for Moms...** Anyone interested in blessing our new moms with meals are asked to contact Judith Gaunt at [judith@wlachurch.org](mailto:judith@wlachurch.org).

## *Growzone NOTES*

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

**9:00 a.m.** Karyn Koopman, Lesley Neable, Jodi Beswick, Ange Matches, Virginia Wheatley, Maddie Rutledge, Melina Jones, Rosanne Bakker, Cheryl Hargraves.

**11:00 a.m.** Alyson Poole, Clara Guirguis, Kendra Birtch, Ena St. John.

## *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, 9:00 a.m. SHIFT** A special service for Junior Highs! Happens every Sunday morning in the Core. It's a time of messages, worship, and small group discussion.

**Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** This week we are finishing our study on Obedience. Also, mark your calendars for Tuesday, December 17 for our Junior High Christmas Party!

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

**Wednesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.** This week we will continue our study on 1 Thessalonians. Also, be sure to sign up for the Christmas Banquet, which is happening Wednesday, December 18th. It'll be a great night of food, fun and entertainment...all for only \$20! Sign up in the Core starting this Wednesday.

**YOUNG ADULTS** (18-25ish) **6:00-8:00 p.m.** Tonight is "Missions Night". We'll hear from a variety of WLA family who plan on pursuing mission endeavours in the future. We will also hear from our Indonesia and Iraq teams. This will be a great night of hearing what God is doing in our church as we seek to make Him known among the nations.

## *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 **Connection Kiosk** in the Front Foyer. 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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