### **December 12, 2010**



9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Worship Service(s)

**HEART DESIRES** Four December sermons keep our eyes focused on Jesus as the ultimate desire of the human heart.

**THIS MORNING:** The Beginning of Healings

Revelation 22:2

9:00 a.m.

Growzone 1

Ages 3-Grade 5

SHIFT 9:00 a.m.

Grades 6 - 8

10:15-11:00 a.m.

Intermission

Join us in the Gym for coffee, tea, snacks and conversation.

10:45 a.m.

**Bible Quizzing** 

Grades 4-12

11:00 a.m.

Growzone 2

Ages 3-Grade 3

11:00 a.m.

Junior High Parent Hour

Parents of Jr.Hi. youth are invited to meet with Graham in **THE CORE**.

## This Week@ W.L.A.

Tuesday, 6:15 - 7:30 a.m.

Women's Morning Prayer

We pray about the personal applications of the previous Sunday's sermon, and also for missions, church ministries and each other. You can contact Deb Wilkins for more details. (dwilkins@compassion.ca)

Thursday, 6:00 - 7:30 a.m. Men's Prayer & Accountability

Men are welcome to join us as we read something inspiring (usually by John Piper), pray for one another, the church and our missionaries and encourage each other regarding the life we mean to live. Email Pastor Mike Wilkins at mike@wlachurch.org for more info.

### On Beyond THIS WEEK

Sat. & Sun., Dec. 18 & 19, 7:00 p.m.

"A Tree for Beatrice"

Christmas Comedy/Drama An entertaining and stirring Christmas story for adults. A funny play with a "serious middle" about how our lives are affected by the desires of our hearts. A great show to bring friends to. TICKETS (\$5) available at the Kiosk.

TODAY please pick up tickets you have reserved.

## On Beyond THIS WEEK cont'd

"Candles and the Choir" Friday, December 24, 6:30 p.m.

Christmas Eve Service A beautiful, candle-lit musical celebration of the birth of Christ -- featuring our choir. Just over one hour in length. Designed for the whole family, there will be no separate children's programming and no nursery staffing.

Saturday, December 25, 4:00 p.m. WLA Christmas Day Supper Sign up at the Kiosk to enjoy a shared meal on Christmas Day. Contact Julia or Stephen Argall, 519-473-446 julia.argall@rogers.com.

Sunday, December 26, 11:00 a.m. Church on Boxing Day! One Worship Service only. Note the time. 11:00 a.m.

# Other Things

Our condolences... to Sharon and Terry Whitfield on the death of Sharon's father on Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup>.

Please help FILL A BAG for YOU (Youth Opportunities Unlimited)

You can help underprivileged youth in our community by purchasing and donating new items. Donations are due TODAY.

Every year at Christmas... we present our pastoral and office staff with a cash Christmas gift. To contribute, please use an envelope marked "Staff Gift."

Have you checked the Church Family Mailbox today? It is overflowing with Christmas cards, Seedling thank you's and Family photos that might just have your name on them. You'll find it just outside the Nursery doors.

Using Numbered offering envelopes is a big help to our bookkeeping team. If you are not already using them but would like to request a set for 2011, please use a "Let Us Know You're Here" card to say so. Thanks!

# Growzone Notes

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

9:00 a.m. Jody McLaughlin, Katrina Nixon, Charlie Rock Young, Jason Brown, Graham Reid, Richard & Bethany Brasser, Sharon Close: 11:00 a.m. Charissa Eastman, Corrina Delancey, Sarah Henke

This Week's Fighter Verses are Psalm 121:3&4.



Check out our website for the latest events, pictures, leader bios. prayer requests and more! www.wlavouth.org

#### **JUNIOR CORE** (Grades 6-8)

Tuesday, 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. Vintage Christmas Bash with Dinner, Games, Baking, Crafts and much more! Come wearing your favorite Christmas sweater, Cost: \$15.

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

Wednesday, December 15, 6:30 p.m. Christmas Banquet Please dress semi-formally and also bring a new pair of mittens, socks or a toque to give away. Cost: \$10

Contact Graham Buchanan at grahamb@wlachurch.org

#### **YOUNG ADULTS (18-25ish)**

Tonight, 7:00 p.m. Bible Study at the church. Friday, 6:00 p.m. Semi-Formal Christmas Banquet Friday, January 1, 8:30 p.m. New Year's Spectacular!

Check us out on Facebook: "West London Alliance Young Adults" For more info email Michelle at wlayoungadults@gmail.com

#### A Note to Our Guests:

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 our great God. Please take a moment to fill out a "Let Us Know You Are Here" card and bring it to the Welcome Kiosk in the South Foyer. We have a packet of information and a gift for you there! You can use the back of the card to ask a question or provide us with any information that you think might help us serve you. And you can email us at info@wlachurch.org, check out our website www.wlachurch.org or phone us at (519) 471-8716. Thanks for being with us!

> Mike Wilkins. Pastor Lyall Mix, Associate Pastor: Director of Adult Ministries Teri Lynn Baker, Director of Children's Ministries Chad Louwerse. Director of Worship Arts Ministries Graham Buchanan, Director of Youth Ministries Janis Murphy, Office Manager











