## April 19, 2009

This Sunday @ W.L.A.

9:15 & 11:00 a.m.

Worship Service(s)

Ages 3-Grade 5

### Christian Schools Sunday

A brief presentation by Kerry Wilson will be featured in both Worship Services, a number of local Christian schools will have displays and personnel in the South Foyer during Intermission, and we welcome the choir of London District Secondary School!

SERMON: This morning Pastor Wilkins begins a three week series based on "the parable of the sower." (Mark 4:1-20) "What Jesus Really Taught about Bible Teaching, Part 1"

Growzone 1 9:15 a.m.

#### Please Notice!

The current renovations to the kitchen mean that "Intermission" and Junior High's "Shift" will not be taking place for the next couple of Sundays. We're sorry about this, but the kitchen improvements are going to be great!

11:00 a.m.	Bible Quizzing	Grades 4-12
11:15 a.m.	Growzone 2	Ages 3-Grade 3

# This Week @ W.L.A.

Women's Morning Praver Tuesday, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. Join us as we review the Sunday sermon and pray about its application and for missions, church ministries and one another. Contact Deb Wilkins at dwilkins@compassion.ca for more information.

Homebuilders Wednesday, 9:15 - 11:15 a.m. All women are warmly invited to study – Stepping Up: A Journey Through the Psalms of Ascent by Beth Moore. Childcare is provided for a minimal fee.

Thursday, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. Men's Accountability & Prayer We read something worthwhile and pray for one another, the church and our missionaries -- and we encourage each other regarding the details of the life we mean to live. You can talk to Mike or email him at mike@wlachurch.org for more information.

Thursday, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. Forevergreen Seniors continue with their study of the Life and Ministry of the Messiah - Lesson 8: "Living Water."

Fireproof Your Marriage Friday, 7:00 p.m. A movie date night complete with dessert. Sign up in the south foyer today.

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Saturday, May 2, 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. **Bridal Shower** Friends of Thea Standish are invited to a shower to celebrate her upcoming marriage to James Close. Please bring a copy of your favourite recipe. To R.S.V.P. or contribute to a group gift please contact Christine Bell at 519-857-6982 or robandchristinebell@gmail.com.

Sunday, May 10, 11:00 a.m. Infant Dedication Parents interested in publicly dedicating their child(ren) to the Lord during this service should contact Teri Lynn Baker or Nancy Reid by April 26<sup>th</sup>.

Saturday, May 16, 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Cowbovs & Matrons An event for boys in grades 1-5 and their moms. Boys, get ready for a wild afternoon of ranch-style fun featuring an epic game of cowboy troopers! Come dressed up as the sneakiest cowboy, ready to evade the outlaws. At WLA (inside). Sign up in the South Foyer. Questions? Email terilynn@wlachurch.org.

Thurs., May 21, 7:30-9:00 a.m. London Christian Prayer Breakfast At the Hilton on King Street. Speaker: Pastor Terry Sanderson of North Park. Tickets: \$15. Available in the church office.

#### June 12 - 14

Audacious Hope WLA women eighteen and older are invited to a fantastic weekend getaway in Paisley. Speaker: Shelley Ripley-Bulckaert. Please place completed registration forms in the box located in the office supply room.

Other Notes

Congratulations... to Katrina and Mike on the birth of their son, Nathaniel John Nixon on Saturday, April 11.

Hey Kids ... pull out those crayons or markers for our very own colouring contest! Submissions are due by April 26<sup>th</sup> and anyone can submit a masterpiece (or two). See the bright green posters around the church or the box in the library for more details!

Prayer Opportunity... There has been a small group of us meeting regularly each week here at WLA to pray for the congregation and the leadership. If this is something you are interested in, please contact Jason Eagles at 519-471-4377 or eagles@507yahoo.ca.

Renovation update... We have new storage areas in the balcony & former washroom change areas; updated south fover washrooms; and energy efficient windows installed throughout the building. The kitchen has been gutted and the site plan has gone to City Hall for approval!

#### Got a question or a comment for the elders?

The Board is always happy to hear from the members and friends of the church. You can send an email to elders@wlachurch.org



STUDENT MINISTRIES

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

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

Tuesday, 6:45pm: Service Night with Pizza Party.

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

Wednesday @ 7:30pm: Worship & Small Groups NEW SERIES: Sex, chips and rock n' roll: a 3 week series on battling summer temptations.

Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2:30pm: The End of Poverty Concert with Thousand Foot Krutch and Pillar. Cost \$20 (includes bus and concert). Pick up registration form from Graham or Melissa, TODAY IS LAST DAY TO SIGN UP!

Contact: grahamb@wlachurch.org

OCTANE (18-25ish) All the best with exams! Check back for Summer Schedule.

> For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-933-3389 or memanahan@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. If you take a moment to fill out a "Let Us Know You Are Here" card. we'll be happy to mail you a FACT SHEET to tell you more about West London. 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. Just hand the card to an usher at the conclusion of the service, or drop it on the offering plate as it passes by. And you can email us at info@wlachurch.org or check out our website www.wlachurch.org. Thanks for being with us!

#### Mike Wilkins, Pastor

Lyall Mix, Associate Pastor: Director of Adult Ministries Graham Buchanan. Director of Youth Ministries Tim Heerebout, Director of Worship Arts Ministries Teri Lynn Baker, Director of Children's Ministries Janis Murphy, Office Manager



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