

# Sunday, January 7, 2018

## Today at W.L.A.

**9:00 & 11:00 a.m.**

**Worship Service(s) /Communion**

**John's Birth**

**Luke 1:57-80**

This week we look at the birth of John the Baptist which includes Zechariah's hymn of praise. We will see in this passage the great truth that God keeps His Word particularly in regards to the salvation of His people.

**8:00 – 8:50 a.m. All Welcome**

**9:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5**

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

**Prayer Ministry**

**Growzone**

**Intermission**

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

**Grades 3 - 6**

**11:00 a.m. Grades 7 - 12**

**Growzone**

**Junior Bible Quizzing**

**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**

Welcome Back! Join us for coffee, snacks, euchre, shuffleboard and more!

**Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m.**

**TLC**

**The Ladies Connection...** Join us as we study "All Things New", a study of 2 Corinthians by Kelly Minter. Childcare available. For more information, contact Cheryl at (226) 271-5346 or [cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com](mailto:cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com).

**Thursday, 6:30 – 7:30 a.m.**

**Men's Morning**

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

**Thursday, 12:00 Noon**

**Evergreen Luncheon**

Plan to join us for our first hot lunch of the New Year! Tickets must be purchased in advance, and will be available on Tuesday morning during Drop-In, or from Pastor Lyall.

**Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m.**

**Women's ESL Conversation Circles**

Our Winter ESL session will begin with Registration on Friday, January 26. Cost is \$10 for the session, which runs until March 9. Please join us! Contact Laura at 226-239-4950 or [esl@wlachurch.org](mailto:esl@wlachurch.org) to find out more!

## On Beyond THIS WEEK

**Thursdays, Jan.18-March 1, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Club Elements**

Our midweek program for kids in Grades 1 - 5 begins again! Each night will consist of teaching, games, snack, and an activity of choice. For more information, contact Angela at [angela@wlachurch.org](mailto:angela@wlachurch.org)

**Saturday, January 27, 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.**

**Advance**

Ladies, plan to join us for our women's continental breakfast, with special speaker Krista DuChene - Rio Olympics 2016 competitor. Sign up at the kiosk today!

**Sunday, January 28, 12:30 p.m.**

**Connection Lunch**

Are you new to WLA, or looking to get Connected? Please join us for lunch! Sign up in the South Foyer, or email [grahamb@wlachurch.org](mailto:grahamb@wlachurch.org).

**Saturday, Feb 3, 6:00 p.m.**

**Mission Peru Dinner Auction**

Come and enjoy amazing food and friendly competition, all in support of our Senior High Youth Missions Team, heading to Trujillo, Peru this March. Put a table of 8 together, or sign-up as an individual or couple. Register today at the South Foyer kiosk!

## Other Important NOTES

**Did you know...** that WLA can give you free access to over 17,000 video resources? From children's videos, to Bible studies, to conference speakers, RightNow Media has something for the whole family. To receive this gift, complete the RightNow Media form at the kiosk.

**If you are interested in...** Connecting, Growing, and Going with a group of people in the church, a Life Group can be a great opportunity. If this interests you, registration forms are at the kiosk in the South Foyer.

**A Note from the Staff...** Thank you to all who contributed to the generous cash Christmas gift presented to each of us. You made our Christmas more "merry"! Thanks so much!

**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 2018, 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!

**Our Ushers and Greeters Team...** is in need of more volunteers! If you are looking to get involved, please contact Graham at [grahamb@wlachurch.org](mailto:grahamb@wlachurch.org).

**Have you checked the Church Family Mailbox today?...** It is overflowing with Christmas cards and other good things that just might have your name on them! You will find it just outside the Main Office.

## Growzone NOTES

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

**9:00 a.m.** Shelly Booy, Lori Elder, Maura Zuanazzi, Emily Blackwell, Grace Bell, Ange Matches, Ben Booy, Carter Loessin, Cheryl Hargraves.

**11:00 a.m.** Anna Maria Koo, Katherine Argall, Lana Luka.

## Youth STUFF



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

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

**Sundays, 9:00 a.m. SHIFT** A special service for Junior Highs, in the Core. Join us for worship, a message, & small group time.

**Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Club Core: Join us Tuesday night, where you can look forward to games, learning about God, and connecting with others. Feel free to bring your friends!

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

**Wednesday, 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.** We are back in action for 2018 this coming Wednesday. We will start the year off with a prayer night, from 7 - 9, and we hope to see you there! **Mission Peru Team:** Don't forget our all-day Peru meeting on Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 - 4:30. Cost is \$5 to cover lunch.

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

**Sunday, 7:00 p.m.** We will be back in the Core next Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, continuing our series on Ephesians. As well, mark your calendars for Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, when we will head to campus for Western Worships!

**TASTE OF HOME...** If you are a student missing the comforts of home, let us know and one of our WLA families will have you over for a great home-cooked meal! For more information, or to sign up, contact Tracy ([tloessin@shaw.ca](mailto:tloessin@shaw.ca)) or Sue ([sdclow\\_@hotmail.com](mailto:sdclow_@hotmail.com)).

## 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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