

Sunday, June 23, 2013

Today at W.L.A.

9:15 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Service(s)

SERMON: This morning's sermon, "Why Me?", will be preached by Bill Lobbezoo, Alliance International Worker in Cambodia.

9:15 a.m. JK-Grade 5 Growzone 1
9:15 a.m. Grades 6- 8 SHIFT
9:15 a.m. Prayer Ministry
10:30 a.m. Coffee and tea and time to talk. In the Gym. Intermission
11:00 a.m. JK-Grade 3 Growzone 2

This Week at W.L.A.

Tuesday, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. Women's Prayer

Not much free time to pray with other women? How about early Tuesday morning? For details, email Deb at dwilkins@compassion.ca.

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

Seniors and their friends are invited to join us for coffee, snacks, games and more. This will be our last Drop In before we break for the summer. We will resume September 10.

Tuesday, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Playgroup

The Nursery is open every Tuesday for parents with young children to spend time together in a fun space. Snack will be provided...BYO Coffee!

Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m. TLC

The Ladies Connection...is over until September.

If you have questions, or for more information, please contact Cheryl Hargraves at cherylhargraves@live.ca.

Wednesday, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Wedding Shower

Friends of Katelyn MacLeod and Nigel Garnaitis are invited to a "Jack & Jill" wedding shower in their honor. To RSVP and/or to contribute to a group gift, contact Jodi Beswick (beswick5@execulink.com) or Sharon Sloan (sharon_g_sloan@yahoo.ca). In the Fireside Room.

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

All men are welcome. For info, contact Nate at nate@wlachurch.org

Beyond This Week at W.L.A.

NEXT SUNDAY, June 30, 10:00 a.m. First "Summer Sunday"

Next Sunday we shift to our summer format of one Worship Service at 10:00 a.m., with children's programming up to Grade 3 (for June 30th only, children's programming will be up to Grade 5). We will be starting a new sermon series called "Strong in the Lord", based on Ephesians: 6. Nate and Jude will be sharing preaching responsibilities.

Beyond This Week at W.L.A. (cont'd)

Sunday, June 30, 10:00 a.m. Communion

An offering will be received at the conclusion of next Sunday's service for the work of Bill and Illana Lobbezoo, Alliance International Workers in Cambodia.

Other Important NOTES

Congratulations to... Corey Seabrook & Colleen Rempel who will be married at Fanshawe Conservation Area on June 29th, 2013 at 3:30pm. Church family is welcome to attend the ceremony at the Watson Porter Pavilion. Admission to the park by mention of the wedding.

Meals for Moms... is in need of volunteers! Along with the blessing of the many babies being born into our church family comes the need for more volunteers to provide meals for our new moms. If you are able to serve in this way, please sign up at the kiosk in the south foyer, or contact Sue Clow at sdclow@hotmail.com.

Thank you... to all those who participated in the funeral of Ben Van Klinken. The efforts to make Mom feel welcomed and loved through your thoughts and prayers (and many hugs) has been and will continue to be appreciated. A special thank you to Lyle, Paula, Chad, and all those who helped put together a wonderful lunch reception. God bless, Diny Van Klinken and Lorraine Turkstra.

The Special Offering collected for Teen Challenge totaled \$2,035.05. Way to go, WLA Church!

Questions and Comments? The Elders are always happy to receive your questions, comments and feedback. You can email them at elders@wlachurch.org or talk to any one of them in person.

The latest news about Mike's new health challenge can be found on his most recent blog posts (www.wlachurch.org/blog).

WLA Summer Camps 2013... Camp is just three weeks away, and we are in need of a few Adult Volunteers for registration, clean-up, etc. If you are interested, sign-up at the Kiosk in the South Foyer, or email Angela at angela@wlachurch.org. (July 8 – 12, July 15 – 19, July 22 – 26, July 29 – Aug 2).

Missions Trip 2013 Cambodia....Ready Yourself!

We are still seeking donations for the Place of Rescue, an orphanage in Cambodia. Please bring all of these donated items, as well as those for Matt and Connie, to the church by July 21st.

Copper for Cambodia... Thank you to all who have donated their pennies and other coins for Cambodia. As a reminder, we are asking that all the jars be returned by June 30. All money raised will be for Alliance International Workers Bill & Illana Lobbezoo's ministry in Cambodia.

Growzone NOTES

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

10:00 a.m. ONLY: Mary Anne MacCrone, Merel Wharry, Janet Garrod, Thea Close, Katherine Argall, Liz Russell, Ken McLaughlin, Michelle Koch, Cheryl Hargraves

Youth STUFF

CORE
STUDENT MINISTRIES

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

CLUB CORE (Grades 6-8)

Sundays, 9:15 a.m. SHIFT - We are taking a summer break! See you in September!

Make sure you save the dates of August 12 – 16 for WIRED, our Junior High over-night camp! Early-bird registration is \$225. Pick up a form in the Core, or download it at wlacamps.org.

Summer drop-in will begin on Tuesday, July 2nd, and there are a number of other summer activities planned. Check out www.wlAYOUT.org or pick up a schedule in the Core!

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)

It's about time for another BBQ, and so we're having one, at the Clow's house on Saturday, June 29th starting at 5:00 p.m.!! Cost is only \$5!!! Bring your bathing suit and a towel.

OASIS (18-24ish)

Sunday. Join us tonight for some soccer action at Banting High School from 7 – 9 p.m.

This Thursday night (June 27th) come out to the core at 7:00 p.m. for the first session of our summer Bible Study series called "Follow Me", featuring David Platt. Then on Friday, we're having a BBQ and pool party at the Whynot's house (428 St. George St.) starting at 5:00 p.m. Cost is \$5. See you there!

For more information, contact Dave DeSmit at dave@wlachurch.org

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 "Let Us Know You Are Here" card 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 or check out our website at www.wlachurch.org or phone us at **(519) 471-8716**.

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Lyll Mix, Associate Pastor
Nate Wright, Apprentice Pastor
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