

# Sunday, March 20, 2016

## Today at W.L.A.

**9:15 & 11:00 a.m. Palm Sunday Worship Service(s)**  
**Jesus Suffered Luke 24:45-47 ESV**

Why was it necessary that Jesus suffered? And what does his suffering mean for us today? We will ponder Jesus' suffering that preceded his death in this first of two Easter sermons.

This morning, the kids from Growzone will be singing for the church family at the beginning of both services.

<b>8:00 - 9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>All Welcome</b>	<b>Prayer Ministry</b>
<b>9:15 a.m.</b>	<b>JK - Grade 5</b>	<b>Growzone 1</b>
<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Coffee, tea and time to talk. In the gym.	<b>Intermission</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>JK - Grade 5</b>	<b>Growzone 2</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Grades 3 - 6</b>	<b>Junior Bible Quizzing</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Grades 7 - 12</b>	<b>Senior Bible Quizzing</b>

## 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**  
Join us for coffee, snacks, euchre, shuffleboard, table games and more!

**Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m. TLC**  
**The Ladies Connection... The Ladies Connection...** is a morning out for women of all ages to deepen their connection with the Lord and each other. Childcare available. For more information, contact Cheryl at (226) 271-5346 or [cherylhargraves@live.ca](mailto:cherylhargraves@live.ca).

**Thursday, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. Men's Prayer & Accountability**  
All men welcome to join us! For info, email Jude ([jude@wlachurch.org](mailto:jude@wlachurch.org)).

**Thursday, 12:00 Noon Forevergreen Luncheon**  
Join us for our special Easter Lunch and program, as we celebrate our Risen Saviour! \$6/person.

**Thursday, 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Communion Service**  
There will be childcare available, as well as programming for kids JK-3.

**Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. ESL Conversation Circles**  
Will resume Friday, April 8. For more information contact [englishWLA@gmail.com](mailto:englishWLA@gmail.com) or call Rebecca at (519) 702-8536.

**Saturday, March 26, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Annual Easter Egg Hunt**  
At Sir Frederick Banting S.S.! Invite your friends to join us for this fun family event! Cost: \$10/family in advance, \$15 at the "door". Tickets available at the kiosk or on-line. WE NEED VOLUNTEERS! Please sign up at the kiosk, or email [events@wlachurch.org](mailto:events@wlachurch.org).

## On Beyond THIS WEEK

**Sunday, March 27, 9:15 & 11:00**

**Easter Sunday Services**

**Saturday, April 2, 8:00 - 9:30 a.m.**

**IGNITE Men's Breakfast**

Cost is \$15. Please sign up at the kiosk in the South Foyer.

**Sunday, April 3, 12:15 p.m.**

**Newcomers' Lunch**

If you are new to the church, we would love to have you join us for a great lunch and short introduction to the church staff and ministries. Please sign up at the Kiosk in the South Foyer.

**Thursdays, April 7 - May 19, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Christianity Explored**

If you or a friend would like to look at the basis of Christianity, sign up for Christianity Explored. This is a great time to explore and ask questions in an interactive 7 week course. Refreshments provided. Cost is \$10 including book. Sign up in the South Foyer or contact Graham at [grahamb@wlachurch.org](mailto:grahamb@wlachurch.org).

**Friday, April 8, 5:00 p.m.**

**LCPC Banquet and Auction**

Join the London Crisis Pregnancy Centre for their 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Banquet and Auction Fundraiser at the Hellenic Community Centre. Tickets are \$45 each. Call 519-432-7098 or email [londoncrisis@bellnet.ca](mailto:londoncrisis@bellnet.ca).

**Sunday, April 10**

**Compassion Sunday**

We happily present the work of Compassion Canada ([www.compassion.ca](http://www.compassion.ca)) with special guest artist Shaun Groves.

**Sunday, April 24**

**Clean & Green Sunday**

Come and join us, along with West Park and Gateway churches, as we get a little messy serving our community. Sign up in the South Foyer.

**Friday, April 29 - Sunday, May 1**

**Men's Retreat**

At Forest Cliff Camp. For more information, contact Graham at [grahamb@wlachurch.org](mailto:grahamb@wlachurch.org).

## Other Important NOTES

**Congratulations to...** Kelly & Mark Borden, on the birth of their son, Fox Christopher, on Monday, February 22!

**And Congratulations to...** Charissa & Luke Newson, on the birth of their daughter, Ruth Elizabeth on Monday, March 7!

**Baptism Class...** If you are interested in being baptized at our upcoming Easter Sunday services, please contact Jude at [jude@wlachurch.org](mailto:jude@wlachurch.org).

**Registration for Summer Day Camp...** Is now open!! Over 300 spots are already filled, so sign-up today! For more information and to register, visit [www.wlacamps.org](http://www.wlacamps.org) or contact Angela at [angela@wlachurch.org](mailto:angela@wlachurch.org). Registration forms also available at the kiosk.

**Are you interested in...** helping with our Hospitality Teams (Greeters, Ushers, and Coffee Teams)? We would love to talk to you about how you can get involved. Please fill out a Connection Card at the Kiosk.

## Growzone NOTES

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

**9:15 a.m.** Lynda Ryall-Henke, Katherine Argall, Jillian Rutledge, Liz Russell, Colleen Seabrook, Lianne Labadie, Andrew Riddolls, Bertha Blockeel.

**11:00 a.m.** Chris Kowal, Jodi Beswick, Michelle Koch, Rachel Sloan.

## 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, 9:15 a.m. SHIFT** A worship service for Junior Highs! Come on out to the Core for worship, messages and small group time! Joel will be continuing our series on Philippians this week.

**Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Club Core - Come on out to the Core for games, messages, snacks and more! Bring your friends!

**Laser Quest:** We're heading to Laser Quest for some futuristic fun on March 29<sup>th</sup>, from 5:45 - 8:15 p.m. Pickup and drop-off is at Laser Quest, 149 Carling St. Cost is \$15. Joel claims no one will beat him...let's prove him wrong!

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

**Wednesdays, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.** This week we are starting a new series called "I Don't Get It", where we will look at some difficult questions surrounding the Christian faith.

**Laser Quest:** March 30<sup>th</sup>, from 6:45 - 8:45. Pick up and Drop off is at Laser Quest (149 Carling St). Cost is \$15. Bring your friends!

**YOUNG ADULTS** (18-25ish) - **Sunday 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.**

**Archery Tag - TONIGHT!!!** Join us for some medieval good times! Cost is \$20. Meet at 20 - 1116 Dearness Drive for 6:30 p.m., or at 5:00 p.m. in the White Oaks Mall food court for dinner.

**SECRET CHURCH:** A six-hour intensive study, with teaching by David Platt. Good Friday (March 25). We will focus on "How to Study the Bible". Cost \$10. Snacks & drinks included. Sign up at the Kiosk in the South Foyer.

## 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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