

Sunday, March 25, 2018

Today at W.L.A.

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Service(s)
Images of the Atonement: Adoption Galatians 4:4-7

Adoption is an image of Christ's atoning work drawn from the home. Our adoption is considered by many to be the greatest benefit of Christ's work of atonement.

8:00 – 8:50 a.m. All Welcome Prayer Ministry
9:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5 Growzone

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

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

11:00 a.m. Grades 3 - 6 Junior Bible Quizzing

11:00 a.m. Grades 7 - 12 Senior Bible Quizzing

7:00 p.m. Fostering & Adoption Seminar

Are you interested in fostering or adopting a child? Join us in the Fireside Room for an informative seminar featuring representatives from CAS and Safe Families Canada. Cost is free, but please sign up in the south foyer to let us know you are coming.

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.

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

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.

Thursday, 12:00 Noon. Forevergreen Luncheon
Join us for a wonderful Easter lunch (\$7/person) and guest speaker Mary McElhone, Alliance International Worker to Indonesia. Tickets must be purchased before Tuesday.

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

Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Women's ESL Conversation Circles
Our Winter ESL session is now finished, and our Spring Session will begin on Friday, April 6. Contact Laura at 226-239-4950 or esl@wlachurch.org to find out more!

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Friday, April 6, 5:00 p.m. LPFSC Annual Fundraising Banquet
The London Pregnancy & Family Support Centre is holding their 27th Annual Fundraising Banquet, at the Greek Canadian Community Centre (925 Sarnia Rd.). Tickets are \$45. Call 519-432-7098 to get yours!

Sunday, April 8, 2:30 p.m. Bridal Shower
All ladies are invited to join us as we celebrate Sarah Hicks, and her upcoming marriage to Kyle Cameron. To R.S.V.P. and/or to contribute to a group gift, please contact Kim Seabrook at kim@wlachurch.org or 519-471-8716, before Tuesday, April 3rd.

Sundays, April 8 - May 6, 11:00 a.m. Christianity Explored
If you are interested in understanding more about Christianity, plan to attend this 4 week course designed to give you insight into the life of Jesus. Go to <http://www.wlachurch.org/our-programs/adult-ministry/> or visit the kiosk in the South Foyer.

Saturday, June 9, 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Women's 1-Day Retreat
At Circle R Ranch! Save the date! More information to come.

Other Important NOTES

Congratulations to... Erica and Jamie Robertson on the birth of their son Rio Eric James on Thursday, February 8!

Financial Summary as of February 25, 2018

General Fund Budgeted to Date	\$146,385
Received to Date	\$115,460 (78.9%)
Shortfall to Date	\$30,925

The Ladies Connection... is in need of one more person to help out with childcare on Wednesday mornings from 9 - 11:30, starting March 7. If you are able to help in this way, please contact Sarah Hargraves at super_soccer_star123@hotmail.com.

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.

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.

Growzone NOTES

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

9:00 a.m. Mary Anne MacCrone, Jodi Beswick, Lorraine Turkstra, Kim Seabrook, Sara Turkstra, Beth & Chris MacDougall, Cheryl Hargraves.

11:00 a.m. Anna Magwood, Ena St. John, Genevieve Argall, Katherine Argall.

Youth STUFF



Check out our website for the latest events, pictures, leader bios, prayer requests and more! www.wlayouth.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. Please note: SHIFT will be cancelled on Sunday, April 1 for Easter.

Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Club Core: This Tuesday, March 27th, we will be going to Laser Quest (149 Carling St.) from 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$15. Bring your friends!

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)

Wednesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. This week we are having dinner together at 6:30 (cost is \$5), and we'll be continuing our series on the book of James.

Deeper Life Summit: Our senior high Spring Retreat is coming up! It's happening here at WLA, from May 4th to 5th. Cost is \$75/student. The theme is "Awake", and you won't want to miss it!! Registration forms are coming out soon.

YOUNG ADULTS (18-25ish)

Sunday, 7:00 p.m. Tonight we'll be meeting in the Core for Bible study, and it all starts at 7:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!

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) or Sue (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 or check out our website at www.wlachurch.org or phone us at **(519) 471-8716**.

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