

Sunday, November 18, 2012

Today at W.L.A.

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

It's one thing to dream of freedom and talk about freedom, but only God can grant true freedom of heart and mind. And he does it through Jesus Christ.

SERMON: [Mike Wilkins]

"FRIENDS ROMANS MATEO" #9
Romans 8:1-10

9:15 a.m. JK-Grade 5 **Growzone 1**
9:15 a.m. Grades 6- 8 No **SHIFT** this morning
9:15 a.m. **Prayer Ministry**

Join us in the Library to pray for the people in our lives, our church, our city, and the world. All are invited and welcome. Contact Nigel Garnaitis if you have any questions (nigel.garnaitis@gmail.com).

10:30 a.m. Coffee and tea and time to talk. In the Gym. **Intermission**

11:00 a.m.

Being baptized this morning: Emmalyn Bennett, Leslie Hotham, and Niki Wright

11:00 a.m. Grades 4- 6 **Junior Bible Quizzing**
11:00 a.m. Grades 7- 12 **Senior Bible Quizzing**
11:00 a.m. JK-Grade 3 **Growzone 2**

This Week at W.L.A.

Monday & Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Plan to Protect

For all Seedlings workers. Please plan to attend one of these training sessions and let Judith know you are coming. Thanks for serving!

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

For women of all ages [18+.] Don't have much free time during the day or evenings? How about an early morning group (with optional breakfast to 8:00am)? An excellent way to grow deeper in your walk with God and to meet some new friends. For more details contact Deb Wilkins 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, special features, games and much more. Special Feature: Computer Assistance with Chris Fulford and Lawrence Garrod.

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...enjoying the company of other kids and parents. Snack will be provided...bring your own drinks/coffee.

Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m. TLC

The Ladies Connection...is a morning out for women of all ages to deepen their connection with the Lord and each other through prayer and study. Childcare is available.

This Week at W.L.A. (Continued)

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

We meet together every Thursday, early, to "spur one another on" to godliness, and to pray for the work of God in London and around the world --- and for one another. All men are welcome. Contact Mike or Nate for more information. mike@wlachurch.org; nate@wlachurch.org

Thursday, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. Forevergreen: The Gathering

Join us as we sing hymns, hear from missionaries and fellowship together.

Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. ESL

Weekly reading and discussion groups for women looking to practice English. Childcare is provided.

Friday, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Popcorn, P.J.'s, and a Picture Show

For toddlers (ages 2 – 4) and their parent(s). We will be doing a Christmas craft and watching a Christmas movie. Plan to join us!

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 25, 11:00 a.m. Baby Dedication

Parents interested in publicly dedicating their child(ren) on November 25th should contact Judith Gaunt after the service today.

Sunday, November 25, 7:00 p.m. Liquid Sunday

Continuing to seek Jesus through living, loving, and sharing. This month: "Good News of GREAT Joy!" Preparing our hearts for this Christmas season. *How do you keep Jesus your joy at Christmas? Please let us know!* liquid@wlachurch.org

A worship and prayer night for the church family. In the **CORE**.

Thursday, December 13, 12:00 Forevergreen Christmas Party

If you would like to help with this event, please let Lyall know!

Dec.15, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree

Christmas fun for the whole family, especially the young children. A great opportunity to introduce our friends to our church family. If you are interested in volunteering or baking for this fun family event, sign up at the Kiosk today!

Other Important NOTES

Operation Christmas Child... Please return your filled shoebox TODAY!

At the conclusion of our next Communion Service (Dec. 2)...

We will receive an offering for **Richard & Hope Reichert**, who have just begun their last of 34 years of Alliance missionary work in Latin America and are facing some extra "final lap" expenses.

Growzone NOTES

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

9:15 a.m. Shelly Booy, Merel Wharry, Carrie Channon, Allison Eagles, Lynda Ryall-Henke, Anne Buchanan, Christine & Rob Bell, Jodi Beswick.

11:00 a.m. Barbara Postma, Heidi Martin, Julia Argall, Katherine Argall.

Youth STUFF

CORE
STUDENT MINISTRIES

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

CLUB CORE (Grades 6-8)

Sundays, 9:15 a.m. SHIFT in the **CORE**.

Tuesday, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Come out to **CLUB CORE** for games, sports and more. Bring your friends!

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)

Wednesday, 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. In the **CORE**. A night geared towards students in high school. Come get plugged in! Check out wlayouth.org for more details.

OASIS (18-24ish)

Sunday, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Join us in the CORE at 7:00 for a bible study and some conversation centered around what it means to be a young Christian in a broken world.

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 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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