

September 15, 2013

Today at W.L.A.

9:15 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Service(s)
Stronger Together - The Rewarded Life Ecclesiastes 4:9b

The second sermon in the Stronger Together series looks at the rewarded life from Ecclesiastes 4:9.

9:15 a.m. JK-Grade 5 Growzone 1
9:15 a.m. Grades 6- 8 SHIFT
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. Grades 3 - 6 Junior Bible Quizzing
11:00 a.m. JK-Grade 3 Growzone 2
11:00 a.m. Grades 7 - 12 Senior Bible Quizzing

11:00 / 11:15 a.m. Quizzing Parent Meeting

6:00 p.m. Life Group Leaders' Meeting

Our upcoming Sermon Schedule:

Sept. 22: Stronger Together-The Secured Life Ecclesiastes 4:10, 12a
Sept. 29: Stronger Together-The Comforted Life Ecclesiastes 4:11
Oct. 6: Stronger Together-The Christian Life Ecclesiastes 4:12b

This Week at W.L.A.

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.

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 more details, contact Deb Wilkins at dwilkins@compassion.ca.

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

Seniors and their friends are invited to join us for coffee, snacks, special features, games and much more. From 10:00 – 10:30 join us for some exercise.

Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:30 a.m. TLC

The Ladies Connection... Join us for Priscilla Shirer's new video/work book study, "Gideon" (God can use your weakness!). Childcare is available. Contact Cheryl Hargraves at cherylhargraves@live.ca.

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

All men are welcome. For info, email info@wlachurch.org.

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

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

Join us as we sing hymns, hear from and about missionaries, and fellowship together. Today's Topic: **Dealing with Trials in My Life.**

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Sunday, September 22, 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.

Saturday, October 5, 10:00 a.m. Understanding our Muslim Brothers

Join us for this workshop, facilitated by Rand Luka. In the Fireside Room from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$5 / person. Lunch provided. Sign up in the South Foyer or email grahamb@wlachurch.org.

Other Important NOTES

Mission Presentations... During our service September 22nd, we will feature a video presentation with Matt & Connie Russell, and September 29th we will feature our Cambodia Mission Team.

Marriage Seminar Series... Love & Respect , a six week marriage seminar series, is being held on Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in the Fireside Room. Starts Sunday, October 20th and runs through November 24th. Cost is \$25 per couple. Sign up at the Kiosk, or contact Lyall at lyall@wlachurch.org.

ESL Volunteers Needed...Our Women's English Group needs volunteers to co-lead groups of language learners, on Fridays, from 10 – 11:30 a.m. Childcare workers are also needed. Contact Deb Chamberlin at 519-471-5361 or deb.chamberlin@rogers.com.

Life Groups... If you are interested in joining other people in understanding what it means to follow Christ, then sign up for a Life Group today! Sign up and information brochures are located at the Information Centre.

Interested in Quizzing... on the Books of James and Romans this year? Please contact Paula VanBrenk for Senior Quizzing (grades 7 – 12) at 519-652-5651 or Nancy Blackwell for Junior Quizzing (Grades 3 – 6), at 519-666-3238.

Adult Quizzing... Those interested in memorizing the book of James, Chapters 1 – 5 in ESV, please contact Paula VanBrenk or Miles Malik. And plan to attend our Tournament on Saturday, October 19, in the Core.

The latest news about Mike's ongoing health challenge can be found on his most recent blog posts (www.wlachurch.org/blog). For those without a computer, a paper copy is available at the kiosk in the south foyer.

Growzone NOTES

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

9:15 a.m. Ange Matches, Bertha Blockeel, Janet Garrod, Heidi Martin, Helen Nanfe Pyentam, Christine Parfitt, Emmalyn Bennet, Kim Banman.
11:00 a.m. Haley Thompson, Kendra Birtch, Michaela Anborgh.

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, 9:15 a.m. SHIFT - A church service for Junior Highs at 9:15 Sunday mornings! Come on out to the Core for messages, worship and small group time!

Tuesday night Club Core is starting again on Tuesday, September 17th. Our kick-off is happening at Forest Glen Mini Golf. Cost is \$5 for mini-golf, plus bring money for whatever you want at Dairy Queen. Drop off at Forest Glen (415 Oxford St. W.) at 6:30. Pick-up at 8:30 at Dairy Queen at Fleetway. Bring your friends! We hope to see you there!

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)

Senior High: Our Senior High kick-off BBQ is happening on Wednesday, September 18th at 6:00 p.m.! We will be talking about all the different ways you can get involved this year - discipleship groups, Peru Mission Trip and much more! You aren't going to want to miss this! It's going to be a great year!

OASIS (18-24ish)

Our kick-off BBQ is happening TODAY after the second service! Come enjoy some great food followed by ultimate frisbee in the field behind the church. Best thing about it? It's FREE!!!

Our first Bible Study of the year is happening next Sunday, September 22 at 7 :00 p.m. in the Core. We're going to be doing "Not a Fan" by Kyle Idleman. Hope you can come and join us!

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**.

- Mike Wilkins**, Pastor
- Lyall Mix**, Associate Pastor
- Jude St. John**, Apprentice Pastor
- Dave De Smit**, Director of Student Ministries
- Graham Buchanan**, Director of Community Connections
- Angela McCallum**, Assistant Director: Community Connections
- Judith Gaunt**, Director of Sunday Morning Children's Ministries
- Mario Ngabwe**, Director of Sunday Morning Music Ministries
- Kim Seabrook**, Office Manager