

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Today at W.L.A.

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

Knowing God and Making Him Known (Cory McKenna) Romans 1-3

Knowing God personally is the pursuit of discipleship and making God personally known is the purpose of evangelism. This sermon teaches through Romans chapters 1 - 3 where we learn that every image-bearing creature of God has been given sufficient knowledge to condemn us, but insufficient knowledge to save us. This is why we all need to know Christ and His Gospel.

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

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 this week as we study "Finding I Am" by Lysa TerKeurst. 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, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Forevergreen: The Gathering

Join us for a time of singing, fellowship, and understanding what it means to follow Christ. This week we will be looking at the topic of Forgiveness.

Thursdays, Sept. 27 - Nov. 8, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Club Elements

Our midweek program for kids in Grades 1 - 5 begins again! Each night will consist of teaching, games, snack, and an activity of their choice (Art, Mix-It-Up, Sports, or Kitchen). Contact Angela at angela@wlachurch.org.

Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Women's ESL Conversation Circles

Our Fall ESL is now in session. For more information, Contact Laura at esl@wlachurch.org or 226-239-4950.

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

Friday, 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. Family Friday Night

A great opportunity for families to come together for discipleship, and to have fun!! To register, contact Graham at grahamb@wlachurch.org.

Saturday, September 29, 5:00 p.m. Men's Chill 'N' Grill

All men are invited to join us for this fun event, with lots of activities for the guys to hang out! Special feature: axe throwing! Dinner included. Cost is \$10. For more information, contact grahamb@wlachurch.org.

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Sunday, September 30, 12:30 p.m. Connection Lunch

Are you new to WLA, or looking to get Connected? Please join us for lunch! Sign up in the South Foyer, or email grahamb@wlachurch.org.

Sunday, October 7, 4:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Potluck Dinner

If you are looking for a place to celebrate Thanksgiving, please join us for a relaxing time of fellowship and food! In the CORE. There will be turkey!! Sign up at the kiosk or contact stephen@argall.ca for more information.

Sunday, October 14, 7:00 p.m. The Journey: A Tale of Hope

Join us for an evening of traditional dance by young men and women from Rescue Cambodia. Hear firsthand the stories of how God continues to work through this amazing ministry. Here at WLA!

Other Important NOTES

Our Condolences to... Lorraine & Tim Turkstra and family on the death of Lorraine's mother Diny VanKlinken, on Sunday, September 16th.

Ian and Rebecca Frankish... will be leaving, with their daughter Veronica, to serve with Samaritan's Purse in Africa at the end of this month. Next Sunday, September 30, we will receive a special offering to support them in this work. Please make cheques payable to **WLA Church** for us to forward on to Samaritan's Purse on their behalf.

Taste of Home... If you are student looking for a "Taste of Home" during your time in London, a WLA family would love to have you over for a meal. Get to know one of the great families here at WLA while enjoying some great home-cooked food. Contact dave@wlachurch.org if you would like to participate. We are always looking for host families, so if you'd like to "adopt" a student, please contact Dave!

Meals for Moms... is looking for people who would like to serve our moms who have recently given birth, by preparing a hot meal for them and their family. If you are able to help, please email Judith at judith@wlachurch.org. Thank you!!

Financial Summary as of August 26, 2018

General Fund Budget to Date	\$622,135
Received to Date	\$570,067 (91.6% of Budget to Date)
Shortfall to Date	\$52,067

Growzone NOTES

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

9:00 a.m. Lynda Ryall-Henke, Janet Garrod, Lianne Labadie, Melinda Lauchlan, Colleen Effa, Anna Magwood, Grace Bell, Sarah Handler, Cheryl Hargraves.

11:00 a.m. Anna Maria Koo, Ena St. John, Kendra Birtch, Meredith Clow.

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. Join us in the Core for worship, a message, & small group time.

Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Club Core: Tuesday night you can look forward to a night of games, learning about God, and connecting with others. Feel free to bring your friends!

Bedlam is our annual district wide Junior High retreat at Muskoka Woods Sports Resort, with over 300 junior high students attending! It is a weekend you do not want to miss! Cost is \$185 before October 9th (\$195 after). Get a registration form in the core.

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)

Wednesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. This Wednesday, we'll be meeting at Wendy's right by the church at 6:15 for dinner, then starting youth up at 7:00. We'll be continuing our series on the Gospel of John, looking at chapter 1: 1-18. Also, mark your calendars for Friday-Sunday, September 28 - 30th for our Senior High Fall Retreat. Looking forward to seeing you there!

YOUNG ADULTS (18-25ish)

Sunday - Come on out to the Core (our youth room) for a study on Ecclesiastes 2. Check our Facebook Group at WLA Young Adults for more info.

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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