

Sunday, January 19, 2025

Today at W.L.A.

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

The Birth of the Church Part 1: Spirit-Filled Identity
(Barry Usher) **Acts 2:14-41**

Peter's sermon at Pentecost reveals the identity of God's Spirit-filled people as His New Covenant community—recipients of the gospel of Jesus Christ, formed through the Holy Spirit's transformative work of conviction and conversion, and empowered to boldly declare their new allegiance to the Kingdom of God.

9:00 a.m. Live service on wlachurch.org or our YouTube Page
9:00 a.m. Chinese Fellowship (Mandarin) Fireside Room
9:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5 Growzone
9:00 a.m. 6 months - pre JK Seedlings

11:00 a.m. Arabic Fellowship Core
11:00 a.m. Chinese Fellowship (Cantonese) Fireside Room
11:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5 Growzone
11:00 a.m. 6 months - pre JK Seedlings

The following people are being baptized this morning: Giselle Alkhouri, Mariana Botero, Ying Chen, Sophia Collazos, Caleb Gaunt, Aris Ilunga, Adora Kasmi, Claudia Playford, Jiandong Shi, Laura Stanley, Hannah Vanderschaaf, Pengfei Zhang, Lique Zhao, Xiaoqing Zhu.

This Week at W.L.A.

Monday, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. M68 Men's Group
Join other men in the Sanctuary as they learn to be more faithful to God. Questions? Contact Brian at bworrad@menearlaw.com.

Monday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. TLC
The Ladies Connection is studying [Amos, An Invitation to the Good Life](#). For info, contact Louise at 519-643-0173 or louise.s46@rogers.com.

Tuesday, 6:15 - 7:30 a.m. Women's Early Morning Prayer
Join us as we encourage one another through prayer and discussion related to the Sunday ministry! For info, contact Deb by texting or calling 519-859-4133 or by emailing debewilkins@gmail.com.

Tuesday, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Seniors Drop-In
Join us for coffee, tea, euchre, table games, and much more! Contact Lyall for more information at lyall@wlachurch.org.

Wednesday, 9:15 - 11:30 a.m. TLC
The Ladies Connection is studying [Amos, An Invitation to the Good Life](#). For info, contact Louise at 519-643-0173 or louise.s46@rogers.com.

Thursday, 6:30 - 7:30 a.m. Men's Morning Prayer
All men are welcome to join in prayer and fellowship. For info, contact Pastor Jude at jude@wlachurch.org.

Thursday, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Playgroup
All parents of babies and preschool age children are invited to join us in the Nursery. Questions? Contact Karyn at karyn@wlachurch.org.

This Week at W.L.A. *Cont'd.*

Thursday, Noon Forevergreen (Seniors)
Potluck. This week we are having a potluck lunch! Join us as we enjoy good food and fellowship. Please let Lyall know what you are bringing.

Friday, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. ESL Conversation Circles
Women's English Conversation Circles meet for the purpose of extending friendship and practicing conversational English with newcomer women in our community. Register at www.wlachurch.org/esl. Women interested in being part of the ministry team can reach out to Kathleen at esl@wlachurch.org.

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Friday, January 31, 6:30 p.m. Men's Chill & Grill
All men 18+ are invited to come and enjoy some good food and fellowship. Register at wlachurch.eventbrite.com.

Sunday, February 2, 12:30 p.m. Soup Sunday
Join us in the Core for soup and fellowship. Suggested donation \$2/person. Register at wlachurch.eventbrite.com.

Sunday, February 2, 1:30 p.m. Learning Labs
Join us for [A Suicide Quick Guide for Understanding and Intervening](#), led by our counselling team. Learn to think biblically about the topic of suicide. Register at wlachurch.eventbrite.com.

Other Important NOTES

Congratulations to...Jenni and Toran Sullivan on the birth of their daughter, Margaret Grace Sanli Sullivan, on Monday, December 30th.

Church Directory
We are in the process of updating the church directory. If you would like to be included, or have a change in your contact information, please email nancy@wlachurch.org.

Pre-Approved Donation Plan... pre-authorized debits are available to people wishing to contribute via automatic bank withdrawals. To enroll, please email kim@wlachurch.org.

Growzone NOTES

Our thanks in advance to next Sunday's Nursery workers...
9:00 a.m. Karyn Koopman, Catherine Kernaghan, Hannah Vanderschaaf, Katie Worrad, Courtney Thiessen, Heidi Beck, Cheryl Hargraves.

11:00 a.m. Adele Stanley, Julia Watkin, Kristina Haddad, Ena MacDonald.

Youth STUFF



Check out our website for the latest events, pictures, leader bios, prayer requests, and more!
www.wlachurch.org/ourprograms/youth-ministry

SHIFT (Grades 6-8)
Sundays, 9:00 a.m. SHIFT Join us for a time of fun, community, and time in God's Word.

JUNIOR HIGH (Grades 6-8)
Tuesday, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Join us in the Core as we learn to follow Jesus, build friendships, and serve each other through learning from God's Word.

SENIOR HIGH (Grades 9-12)
Wednesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Join us in the Core for a time of music, learning, prayer, and fellowship through small groups.

YOUNG ADULTS (18-25ish)
Sunday, 12:30 p.m. All Young Adults are welcome to join us. This is a great opportunity to get plugged in! Check out our [wlayoungadults](#) Instagram page to keep up to date with gatherings and events!

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" using the QR Code provided in the chair back or in the Front Foyer or fill one out on our website wlachurch.org under "Getting Connected". 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 (519) 471-8716.

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