

August 23, 2009

This Sunday @ W.L.A.

10:00 a.m. *Worship Service*

THIS MORNING: Pastor Wilkins begins an introduction of the new Fall Sermon Series from the book of Exodus with a look at the experiences of God's people in the land of Egypt as recorded in the book of Genesis.

SERMON: **"Abraham, Egypt & Faith"** **Genesis 12:1-10**

10:00 a.m. *Growzone (Summer-style)*

Ages 4 & 5 In Room 2
Grades 1 - 3 In the Fireside Room

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Thurs., Sept. 10, 6:00 a.m. *Men's Accountability & Prayer*

Now in Summer Recess. You can talk to Mike Wilkins or email him at mike@wlachurch.org for more information.

Sunday, September 13, 9:15 & 11:00 a.m. *Two Services*

We return to "normal Sundays" with two identical Worship Services and a new sermon series based on Exodus 1-19 and entitled **"Exiting Egypt ~ Getting Out of Slavery for Good."**

Thursday, September 17 *Forevergreen Trip*

Seniors and their friends are invited to join us on a trip to Toronto to see the Dead Sea Scrolls at the Royal Ontario Museum. Ticket and transportation cost is \$58/person, payable in the church office by August 31st. Spaces are limited.

Wednesday, September 23, 9:15-11:00 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. (Ladies will purchase their own study books.)

Wednesday, September 23, 9:15 - 11:00 a.m. *TKC*

The Kids Connection... Kids connecting with their caregivers and each other through stories, games, crafts and play time while their Moms connect with other TLC ladies. (TKC is provided for a minimal fee.)

Friday, Oct. 2 - Sunday, Oct. 4 *Men's Weekend*

This year, for something completely different, we are going to Christian Horizons Conference Centre in Paisley, but it doesn't make us feel unmanly at all! **THEME: Dwelling on the Heights (Isaiah 33:15,16)**

Coming this Fall... a whole new Growzone! Pick up a registration card and information on the table in the front foyer. Questions? Email terilynn@wlachurch.org

Other Notes

Children's Ministry Volunteers... If you love seeing kids learn and grow and would consider being part of a team that feeds the spiritual lives of kids on Sunday mornings, please contact Teri Lynn. We are always looking to grow the team!

Wanted... A guitar player who loves music and kids, and is available from 9:15 - 9:30 on Sunday mornings. Contact terilynn@wlachurch.org for info.

Youth Ministry Volunteers... If you are interested in building into the lives of youth throughout the year, there are a variety of ways you can get involved. Contact Loralyn at loralyn@wlachurch.org for more info.

Pre-Approved Donation Plan... Starting in September we will make pre-authorized debits available to people wishing to contribute via automatic bank withdrawals. Enrollment forms are located in the auditorium chair pockets.

Renovation/Expansion Update...

- Work on the parking lot continues! This means that during the summer we will be parking on gravel around the church or on the asphalt at Rona and Westview Funeral Chapel. *Short term pain, long term gain!*
- Rooms 6,7&8 are being transformed into one large children's space.
- A trench has been dug through the south foyer in order to connect water to the youth centre.
- The concrete floor has been poured and polished.
- Framing and roof trusses have given shape to the new building.

Our congratulations... to Rosa Blissett on the celebration of her 100th birthday today. *May the Lord continue to be your joy and your peace!*

YOUNG ADULTS (18-25ish)

Sunday, August 23, 8:00pm *Closing Cowboy Campfire*

Join us for our final summer event @ Sarah's House (3090 Westdel Bourne). Dress like a cowboy and get ready to play Sheriffs vs. Outlaws. There will be a campfire and a time of worship and prayer. Bring an appetizer or dessert and a chair. Contact Melissa for more details.

September 25-27 *Young Adults' Retreat*

Mark it in your calendars and join us for a weekend away. More details to come.

Check us out on Facebook: "Octane Young Adults" For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-933-3389 or memanahan@gmail.com

Youth Staff

CORE
STUDENT MINISTRIES

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

CORE JR. & SR. High goes to...

CANADA'S WONDERLAND! - LAST DAY TO SIGN UP

Monday, August 31st. Bus leaves the church at 7:00am, will return around 11:00pm. Cost: \$40 + spending money. SPACES LIMITED. **Pick up your registration form** today in the main office or on our website www.wlayouth.org. Email Melissa at memanahan@gmail.com if you have any questions.

JUNIOR CORE (Grades 6-8) resumes in September.

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12) resumes in September.

Contact: grahamb@wlachurch.org

A Note to Our Guests:

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. If you take a moment to fill out a **"Let Us Know You Are Here"** card, we'll be happy to mail you a FACT SHEET to tell you more about *West London*. You can use the back of the card to ask a question or provide us with any information that you think might help us serve you. Just hand the card to an usher at the conclusion of the service, or drop it on the offering plate as it passes by. And you can email us at info@wlachurch.org, check out our website www.wlachurch.org or phone us at (519) 471-8716. *Thanks for being with us!*

Mike Wilkins, Pastor
Lyall Mix, Associate Pastor: Director of Adult Ministries
Graham Buchanan, Director of Youth Ministries
Teri Lynn Baker, Director of Children's Ministries
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