January 11, 2009

This Sunday @ W.L.A.

9:15 & 11:00 a.m. ***Worship Service(s)***
SERMON: The second of two introductory sermons to begin a new series on the gospel of Mark entitled ***"The Real Jesus."***

9:15 a.m. ***Growzone 1*** Ages 3-Grade 5
9:15 a.m. **Junior High's *SHIFT…*** starts today (In the gym!)

10:30 – 11:00 a.m. ***Intermission***
Join us in the gym for coffee, tea, nice things to eat and the opportunity to get to know one another better.

11:00 a.m. ***Parent Hour***
All parents of Junior & Senior High students are invited to come hear updates on **CORE** student ministries and a discussion on the challenges and blessings of parenting teens. In the Fireside Room.

11:15 a.m. ***Growzone 2*** Ages 3-Grade 3

7:00 p.m. ***Congregational Meeting***
The Board of Elders invites church members and everyone interested to discuss and make a decision on a plan to proceed with renovations and an expansion to our building.

This Week @ W.L.A.

Tuesday, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. ***Women's Morning Prayer***
Join us as we review the Sunday sermon and pray about its application and for missions, church ministries and one another. Contact Deb Wilkins at **dwilkins@compassion.ca** for more information.

Wednesday, 9:15 – 11:15 a.m. ***Homebuilders***
All women are warmly welcomed to join us as we begin a new season studying *Stepping Up: A Journey Through the Psalms of Ascent* by Beth Moore. Come for **registration**, refreshment and to reconnect. Plans and preparation for this 'journey' will be outlined. Childcare provided for a minimal fee.

Thursday, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. ***Men's Accountability & Prayer***
We read something worthwhile and pray for one another, the church and our missionaries and we encourage each other regarding the details of the life we mean to live. You can talk to Mike or email him at **mike@wlachurch.org** for more information.

Thursday, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. ***Forevergreen***
Join us at the church for a time of fellowship.

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Sunday, January 18, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. **VHS**
A meeting for all Cell Group leaders and apprentices.

Monday, January 19, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Practice English Through Exploring the Life of Jesus
We are offering teaching and small group discussion on the life of Jesus for English language learners. Contact Anne VanGilst for more information at 519-474-1269.

Wednesday, January 21, 9:15 a.m. ***Homebuilders***
We will be viewing the introductory video for our new study – *Stepping Up: A Journey Through the Psalms of Ascent* by Beth Moore. You're not too late to join us on this journey!

Wednesday, February 4, 7:30 p.m. **Membership Class**
An information meeting for anyone interested in church membership. Please let us know that you are planning to attend.

Wednesday. February 11, 7:30 p.m. **Baptism Class**
An informal bible Study for anyone interested in what the Bible says about baptism. Please let us know that you are planning to attend.

Other Notes

A Note From Our Quiz Teams…Thank you to the many host families and volunteers who helped make yesterday's District Quiz Tournament a great success!

The Benevolent Offering collected at the conclusion of last Sunday's Worship Services totaled $405.21.

Well done, West London! This last Christmas, as a part of the "Advent Conspiracy" we gave $7,721 to Living Waters International.

2009 numbered offering envelopes… are now available in the South Foyer to all those who have requested them. Using numbered envelopes is a big help to our bookkeeping team. If you are not already using them but would like to request a set for 2009, please use a "Let Us Know You're Here" card to say so. Thanks!

Attention Nursery Staff! A new schedule is now available in your church mailbox.

Interested in helping out? Communion Stewards are those faithful people who serve us by setting up the Communion Table. Just now we are looking for a few additional volunteers to join the team. Please let Pastor Lyall know if you are interested.

Lost and Found…Please stop by the table in the South Foyer today to reclaim any items you may have left behind in recent weeks.

Youth Stuff

CORE
STUDENT MINISTRIES

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

JUNIOR CORE (Grades 6-8)
Tuesdays at 6:45 p.m.

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)
Worship & Small Groups: Wed. at 7:30 p.m.
Friday January 30th: TUBING: 6:30-10:15pm
Drop-off & Pickup @ the church. Bring your friends.
Cost: $15.
SNOWBOUND: Ski Trip '09. March 16th-20th. Pick up your registration form in the main office.
Contact: **grahamb@wlachurch.org**

OCTANE (18-25ish)
TONIGHT, 6pm: Dinner & Bible Study at the church: We will be discussing and praying through last Sunday's and this morning's sermons on the gospel of Mark.
TRANSIT: Young Adult's Retreat: Niagara Falls. January 23-25. Cost: $100. Check out the facebook page for more details. Register by January 18th: email Melissa.
For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-933-3389 or **memanahan@gmail.com**

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** or check out our website **www.wlachurch.org**. *Thanks for being with us!*

Mike Wilkins, Pastor
Lyall Mix, Associate Pastor: Director of Adult Ministries
Graham Buchanan, Director of Youth Ministries
Tim Heerebout, Director of Worship Arts Ministries
Teri Lynn Baker, Director of Children's Ministries
Janis Murphy, Office Manager

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