

*Unto us a child is born,  
unto us a son is given  
and the government  
shall be upon his shoulder*

*This Week @* W.L.A.

### Christmas Eve Services

**5:30 p.m.** Especially for families with young children...  
Christmas carols, a Christmas craft for the whole family and a new  
Christmas story told by Pastor Mike: *"The Baker's Daughter"*

**8:00 p.m.**  
Christmas carols and a new Christmas drama: *"We See Kings"*

**Sunday, December 28, 10:00 a.m.** **Worship Service**  
Just one Worship Service on this "holiday Sunday." Pastor Wilkins  
will preach. Nursery will be available for infants to age three;  
children ages 4-8 will meet in the Fireside Room.  
**SERMON: "Another Year Wiser"** **James 3:13-18**

**10:00 a.m.** **Growzone** **Ages 4-8**  
**Note to parents:** Please drop off your kids in the Fireside Room at  
10:00 for their large-group time.

**10:00 a.m.** **NO Jr High Class** **Grades 6-8**

*Our best wishes  
and sincere prayers  
for a very happy Christmas!*

### *On Beyond* THIS WEEK cont'd

**Sun., January 4, 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.** **Communion Service(s)**  
We begin a series of sermons from the gospel of Mark entitled *"The  
Real Jesus."*

**Mon., January 5, 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.

**Tues., January 6, 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.

**Wed., January 7, 7:00 p.m.** **Ladies' Bible Study**  
Ladies' weekly Bible Study meets at Bethany McLachlin's home. Call  
519-936-1778 for details.

**Thurs., January 8, 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.

**Thurs., January 8, Noon** **Forevergreen Luncheon**  
Seniors are invited to join us for a hot lunch (\$5/person) and guest  
testimony from Janis Murphy, our Office Administrator.

**Sun., January 11, 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.

**Sun., January 11, 7:00 p.m.** **Congregational Meeting**  
The Board of Elders invites church members and all interested to  
discuss and make a decision on a plan to proceed with renovations  
and expansion to our building.

**Wed., January 14, 9:15 a.m.** **Homebuilders**  
Bible study, encouragement and fellowship for women

### *Other Notes*

**Operation Christmas Child...** Last month we delivered 141  
shoeboxes to the Samaritans Purse distribution centre. Way to go  
West London!

**CM Alliance.ca...** a new magazine published by the Christian &  
Missionary Alliance is designed to be used as a resource for  
transforming Canada and the world. Free copies are available in the  
foyers.

### *Youth Staff*

**CORE**  
**STUDENT MINISTRIES**

Check out our website for the  
latest events, pictures, leader  
bios, prayer requests and more!  
[www.wlayouth.org](http://www.wlayouth.org)

**JUNIOR CORE** (Grades 6-8)  
Will resume January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

**SENIOR CORE** (Grades 9-12)  
**Potluck & Small Groups:** January 7, 2009.

**SNOWBOUND: Ski Trip '09.** March 16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>. Pick up your  
registration form in the main office.

Contact: [grahamb@wlachurch.org](mailto:grahamb@wlachurch.org)

**OCTANE** (18-25ish)  
**Dinner & Bible Study** at the church: January 11<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm.

**TRANSIT: Young Adult's Retreat:** Niagara Falls. January  
23-25. Cost: \$100. Check out the facebook page for more  
details. To register email Melissa.

For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-933-3389 or  
[memanahan@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:info@wlachurch.org) or check out our website  
[www.wlachurch.org](http://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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