

**August 24, 2008**

*This Sunday @ W.L.A.*

**10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

Pastor Wilkins continues a three-Sunday series of sermons from Matthew 4 on the topic of Christ in the wilderness, considering Christ's success against the temptations of the devil as proof of his identity and as our example.

**Sermon: "Who Tests Whom?" Matt. 4:5-7**

**10:00 a.m. SUMMER GROWZONE Ages 4 – Gr. 3**  
In the Fireside Room

**Hey Kids! (Grades 4 – 6) Summer Kids Pacs**

Fill out the Activity Sheets, sign your name, and return your pac at the end of the service. Next week, it will come back marked, with a special treat inside! (Don't forget to bring your NIV Bible!)

*This Week @ W.L.A.*

**Wednesday to Friday Fall Touchup and Cleanup**

We are looking for volunteers to help get our nursery and classrooms in shape for a fresh new fall! See the insert for details.

*On Beyond THIS WEEK*

**Sunday, August 31, 10:00 a.m. COMMUNION Service**

**September 3, 4:30 p.m. Imagine**

Doing worship through creative movement and original props is what the *Imagine* team is all about! If you are a boy or girl who loves to be creative, get moving and experience new ways to worship God, come join the team. See the insert for details.

**September 3, 9:15 – 11:15 a.m. Homebuilders Sneak Preview**

Ladies are welcome to drop in for a casual cup of coffee and a preview of our books for the fall season.

**Thursdays, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. Men's Accountability & Prayer**

We are taking a summer break from the regular Thursday morning routine. We'll start up again on Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Sunday, September 7, 9:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services**

We return to our regular practice of two (identical) Worship Services.

*On Beyond THIS WEEK cont'd*

**Tuesdays, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. Women's Early Morning Prayer**

We'll resume meeting on Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. For more information, contact Deb Wilkins (471-4133) or [dwilkins@compassion.ca](mailto:dwilkins@compassion.ca).

**September 10, 9:15 – 11:15 a.m. Homebuilders Start-up**

Ladies join us as we begin our new season and sign up for the study of your choice. Child care is provided for a minimal fee.

**October 3-5 Annual Men's Retreat**

**"Band of Brothers"**

*Plan ahead, men!* Every year at (about) this time, several dozen West London men spend a weekend at Teen Ranch, not just to have fun, but also to think through and plan out a personal spiritual vision for the year ahead. This year's retreat examines a strangely untapped resource: the friendship of a few good men.

*Other NOTES*

**Our congratulations...**to Wendy Bulckaert-Chou and Henry Chou on the birth of their daughter, **ISABELLE SHIN-EEE** on Monday, July 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Our condolences...** to Melissa and Tim Heerebout on the death of Melissa's grandfather in Kamloops, B.C. on Wednesday August 20, 2008.

**Want to Get to the Core?** We are looking for youth ministry workers interested in serving in Jr. and Sr. Core and Octane. See Graham for details.

**Recommended reading...**A few copies of *Just Walk Across the Room* (Simple Steps Pointing People to Faith) by Bill Hybels are now available in the church office. Cost: \$12.00.

**Been to our Website lately?** Each week this bulletin is posted along with an audio version of the Sunday sermon, the complete rundown of upcoming events and a number of articles, essays and other interesting stuff. Check us out at [www.wlchurch.org](http://www.wlchurch.org).

*Prayer CORNER*

**LET US PRAY...**

For our many faithful **ministry leaders** who are gearing up (and recruiting!) to get the September programs and ministries underway.

For the many **Western and Fanshawe students** who will be here with us on Sundays beginning in September.

*Youth Stuff*

Check out our youth website. Download forms and flyers, find out about events, check out the pictures, leader bios, and prayer requests and more! [www.wlyouth.org](http://www.wlyouth.org).

**CORE YOUTH MINISTRIES...**

**Junior Core** (Grades 6-8)

We will kickoff with our **6<sup>th</sup> Annual Mini-Golf Tournament** on Tuesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**Senior Core** (Grades 9-12)

Our regular weekly meetings will launch on Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>.



**OCTANE** (18-25ish)

Kickoff BBQ on September 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Watch for details on location. For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-471-0693 or [memanahan@gmail.com](mailto:memanahan@gmail.com)

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**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@wlchurch.org](mailto:info@wlchurch.org) or check out our website [www.wlchurch.org](http://www.wlchurch.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  
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