June 22, 2008

This Sunday @ W.L.A.

10:00 a.m. Worship Service [COMMUNION]

"ROADBLOCKS"

As we are alert to notice opportunities to speak to people about Christ and faithful to make use of them as they arise, we should prepare ourselves to respond to the objections that people will sometimes raise concerning Christianity and so be "ready to make a defense...of the hope that is in us."

This week's roadblock: "How can we take Christianity seriously when Christian churches so often fail to make a positive contribution to society?"

SERMON: "The Uselessness of Churches?"

Titus 2:11-14

SUMMER GROWZONE 10:00 a.m.

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!)

CHINA DISASTER RELIEF... You can use the envelopes in the chair pockets or your own regular offerings to make a contribution to the Alliance's "Global Emergency Response Fund" to assist the people impacted by the recent earthquake.

NOTE. As a result of the luncheon presented two Sundays ago by our friends of the London Mandarin Alliance Church, \$1,920 was raised for relief work in China.

2:30 p.m.

Baby Shower

A shower will be held at the Klassen's home, 250 Cairn St., to celebrate the future arrival of Allison & Jason Eagles' baby. To participate in a group gift, call Corinne at 519-686-9079. Please RSVP by June 18th.

This Week @ W.L.A.

Tuesday, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. Women's Early Morning Prayer A great time of encouragement in the challenge of becoming more a woman of prayer. Bring your own beverage. Contact Deb Wilkins (471-4133) or dwilkins@compassion.ca.

This Week @ W.L.A. cont'd

Men's Accountability & Prayer Thursday, 6:00 - 7:30 a.m. We meet to read something worthwhile, usually by John Piper, to pray for one another and to maintain accountability. Talk to Mike for more information.

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Zonecamps Summer '08

Day Camps at WLA Church, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. "Robotown"

Zone 1 (Grades 1-5), July 7-11 Zone 2 (Grades 1-5), July 14-18

"Cases, Keys & Clues"

Zone 3 (Grades 1-5), July 21-25

"What are you made of?"

Overnight Camp at Riverview Bible Camp

Wired! (Grades 6-8), July 21-25

"Unbelievable"

October 3-5 Annual Men's Retreat

Play the man: plan ahead. Every year at (about) this time, several dozen West London men spend a weekend at Teen Ranch to think through and plan out a personal vision for the year ahead and --oh yeah! -- to have a lot of fun!

Other NOTES

The Board of Elders' Presentation to the church family last Sunday following the Worship Service is available in printed form on the tables in the fovers, and also on our website. www.wlachurch.org in "Resources" (Look in "Articles")

Volunteers needed... If you love the library we'd love to hear from you! The books and DVDs are flying off the shelves, so we're looking for teens and adults to help with signing them out and restocking the shelves. Please contact Karen Van Der Lev at 473-7059 if you're interested in helping out.

Shoes for Peru... Thanks to your generosity we now have all the shoes we can pack!

Upcoming Sunday COMMUNION Services: July 20; August 31.

The Shaun Groves CD's ... that were offered to all those who sponsored a child on our recent Compassion Sunday are now here, and available in the South Foyer.

Congratulations...to Bertha & Mark Blockeel on the birth of **DANIEL STEVEN LUKE** on Thursday, June 19th.

Wouth 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.wlayouth.org.

CORE YOUTH MINISTRIES...

Junior High (Grades 6-8)

Our regular weekly meetings will resume in the fall.

Senior High (Grades 9-12)

Our regular weekly meetings will resume in the fall.

Crossover Basketball Camp July 14-18

At Banting Seconday School. Don't miss this chance to improve your basketball skills and have some fun! **Junior Camp** (Ages 6-10): \$100: 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Senior Camp** (Ages 11-17): \$150: 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m Go to www.crossovercamp.ca to register.



Contact Jason at 519-471-4377 or eagles5o7@vahoo.ca for more information.

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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@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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