October 8, 2006

This Thanksgiving Sunday@W.L.A.

9:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship Service(s) Today, on this Thanksgiving Sunday, we continue our verse-by-verse study of Paul's letter to Timothy in a sermon series entitled "Pay the Price"...

This Morning: 2 Timothy 2:8-13, "The Shape of Many Things"

GROWZONE 1 9:15 a.m. **MISSION ONE!** 9:30 a.m.

Ages 3-Grade 5 Grades 6-8

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.

Dedicated today @ 11:00 a.m.: Caleb Mark Blockeel, son of Mark and Bertha.

10:55 a.m. Bible Quizzing Grades 4-12 **GROWZONE 2** Ages 3-Grade 3 11:15 a.m.

And for kids in Grade Four and Five @ the 11:00 a.m. service... There's a really cool package at the back of the auditorium. {Please return the folder at the end of the service.}

This Week @ W.L.A.

Homebuilders

Growzone Gano

Wednesday, 9:15 - 11:00 a.m. Warmly invites all women to a new season of friendship, faithbuilding and enrichment. With childcare for a minimal fee.

Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

There's no chance your kids will be bored this year at Growzone Gang! We've launched *Get Real* an exciting new way to get kids connected to real truth, through real skills, used in real life. Every six weeks, your child will be able to choose a skill of interest. Some session examples are: Baking, Basketball, Puppets, Chess, Carpentry...you name it, we've thought of it!

Men's Accountability and Prayer Thursday, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. We meet bright and early - well, actually, dark and early -- to fight the good fight against undisciplined living. We read something worthwhile (or have it read to us), we pray and we practice accountability --- and it makes a difference to the next week of life. Join us, man! What better thing is there to do at this hour?

Thursday, Noon

Forevergreen Our seniors and their friends are invited to enjoy a Thanksgiving Luncheon in the Fireside Room. Cost: \$4.00

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Friday, October 13 - Sunday, October 15

Tenth Annual West London Men's Retreat. Join a few dozen West London men for a great weekend of rest and laughs and worship and Bible study and the time and opportunity to work out a vision for personal development in the year ahead. THEME: Running Hard, from II Timothy 2:22. Brochures in the photocopy room and on the foyer tables. Registration box in photocopy room.

Monday, October 16, 7:00 p.m.

Come join us to practice conversational English and meet interesting people from the church and community. Contact Anne for more information (anne@vangilst.org or 474-1269).

Sunday, October 22, 7:00 p.m. Church-Wide Prayer Meeting A prayer meeting for the whole family, with childcare provided. While the *IMPACT* campaign will be the main item of prayer, there will be opportunities for you to be prayed for regarding other concerns and challenges.

Monday Oct. 23-Friday, Oct. 27

IMPACT Lunch Hour Praver

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Please feel free to join members of the Pastoral Staff to pray here at the church at noon for any (or all) of the weekday lunch hours (12:00 - 1:00 p.m.)

Other NOTES

Today is World Relief Sunday

A special offering will be received at the conclusion of our Worship services to relieve the poor through World Relief.

Congratulations to **Ted and Heidi Savauge** who are today celebrating their **50th wedding anniversary**!

Our condolences to Norm and Peg Patterson on the death of Norm's granddaughter, Kendall Hebert, on Sunday, October 1st.

This is the second Sunday of *IMPACT*, our eight week prayer campaign. Please help yourself to an IMPACT brochure (on the tables in the foyers) if you didn't receive one last Sunday.

The Number\$ to September 30th...

General Offerings Income \$405,941 General Offerings Budget \$448,869 Shortfall \$ 42,828

Couth STUFF

Check out our new youth website. Download forms and flyers, find out about events, check out the pictures, leader bios, add prayer requests and more! www.wlavouth.org



Tuesdays, 6:45 - 8:30 p.m. here at the church. October 20 - 22: What's Your Kryptonite? You'll find out at Bedlam **2006.** You do not want to miss this awesome weekend when hundreds of Junior High Youth will be at Muskoka Woods Sports Resort. Cost: \$110. www.bedlam2006.com

63 **S.W.A.T.** (Grades 9-12) Wednesdays, 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. here at the church.

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Sundays, 7:00 p.m. here at the church. Everyone in College & Career age welcome.

Contact Graham for questions (grahamb@wlachurch.org).

A Note to Our Guests:

We're happy you are here today! Our hope is 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 about West London church life. 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. *Thanks for being with us!*

Mike Wilkins, Pastor

Lyall Mix, Associate Pastor: Director of Adult Ministries Jane Cushing, Director of Children's Ministries Graham Buchanan, Director of Youth Ministries Tim Heerebout, Director of Worship Ministries Janis Murphy, Office Manager



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