

# Sunday, March 12, 2023

## *Today* at W.L.A.

**9:00 & 11:00 a.m.**

### **Worship Services**

**Pursuits and Pitfalls** (Barry Usher)

**Hebrews 12:14-17**

In this passage, believers are warned not to allow worldly priorities to distract them from their commitment to Christ, so that they may ultimately see God and rejoice in His presence for eternity.

<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Live service on <a href="http://wlachurch.org">wlachurch.org</a> or our YouTube Page</b>	
<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Chinese Fellowship (Mandarin)</b>	<b>Fireside Room</b>
<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>JK - Grade 5</b>	<b>Growzone</b>
<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>6 months-pre JK</b>	<b>Seedlings</b>

<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Arabic Fellowship</b>	<b>Core</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Chinese Fellowship (Cantonese)</b>	<b>Fireside Room</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>JK - Grade 5</b>	<b>Growzone</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>6 months-pre JK</b>	<b>Seedlings</b>

<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Movie Event</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
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## *This Week* at W.L.A.

**Monday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.**

**TLC**

The Ladies Connection meets for Bible Study. For info contact [cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com](mailto:cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com).

**Tuesday, 6:15 - 7:30 a.m.**

**Women's Prayer**

Join us as we encourage one another through prayer and discussion related to the Sunday ministry! For info, contact Deb by texting or calling 519-859-4133 or by emailing [debewilkins@gmail.com](mailto:debewilkins@gmail.com).

**Tuesday, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.**

**Seniors Drop-In**

Join us for coffee, tea, euchre, table games, and much more! Please contact Lyall for more information at [lyall@wlachurch.org](mailto:lyall@wlachurch.org).

**Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. - Noon**

**Playgroup**

The nursery will be open for parents with young children to spend time together in a fun space with other kids & parents. Questions? Contact Michelle Sutton-Luminoso at [msgs0515@gmail.com](mailto:msgs0515@gmail.com).

**Tuesday, 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.**

**Seniors Bible Study**

Join us as we study 1 John. Please bring your lunch.

**Wednesday, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.**

**TLC**

The Ladies' Connection meets for Bible Study. Childcare is available for a small fee. For info contact [cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com](mailto:cherylhargravestlc@outlook.com).

**Thursday, 6:30 - 7:30 a.m.**

**Men's Morning Prayer**

All men are welcome to join in prayer and fellowship. For info, contact Pastor Jude at [jude@wlachurch.org](mailto:jude@wlachurch.org).

**Thursday, 11:00 a.m.**

**Pancake Thursday**

All seniors are welcome to join us for some delicious homemade pancakes to celebrate March Break and the running of the maple syrup!

**Friday, 10:00 - 11:15 a.m.**

**Women's ESL Conversation Circles**

The Winter Session of ESL has begun. For information please contact Kathleen at [esl@wlachurch.org](mailto:esl@wlachurch.org) or 226-448-4354.

## *On Beyond* THIS WEEK

**Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m.**

**Adult Sunday School**

Join us in the Sanctuary as we begin our spring session of Sunday school which will focus on Wisdom Literature. Pastor Andrew Hall from CBC Ilderton will be teaching an overview of the Book of Proverbs.

**Sunday, March 26, 6:00 p.m.**

**Annual General Meeting**

Do plan to join us for this important part of church life here at WLA!

**Saturday, April 1, 8:15-10:30 a.m.**

**Advance**

All women 18+ are invited to join us for Because... Guest speaker Vera Kuranji. Cost \$15 which includes a Continental Breakfast. Register on [wlachurch.eventbrite.ca](http://wlachurch.eventbrite.ca).

**Sunday, April 2, 12:30 p.m.**

**Soup Sunday**

Join us in the Core for soup and fellowship. Suggested donation \$2/person. Register at [wlachurch.eventbrite.com](http://wlachurch.eventbrite.com).

**Sunday, April 2, 6:00 p.m.**

**Congregational Prayer**

Join us for a time of worship and prayer.

## *Other Important* NOTES

**Our Condolences to...** Rick and Nancy Curley and family on the death of Rick's mother on Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

**The Report of the Nominating Committee...** is now posted by the office in the Front Foyer, on the bulletin board in the South Foyer, and will be included in the Wednesday church email. Please take note of this in preparation for our upcoming Annual Meeting.

**Annual Report...** The Annual Report for 2022 is now available on our website and will be available through the Wednesday church email.

**Pre-Approved Donation Plan...** Pre-authorized debits are available to people wishing to contribute via automatic bank withdrawals. To enroll, please email [kim@wlachurch.org](mailto:kim@wlachurch.org).

**E-transfers...** We would love for you to make use of our E-transfer option for your donations! Please send to [payments@wlachurch.org](mailto:payments@wlachurch.org). Include your address, email address and phone number when you do so for the first time, so we can issue you a Charitable Donation receipt.

**Did you know...** that WLA can give you free access to over 17,000 video resources? From children's videos, to Bible studies, to conference speakers, RightNow Media has something for the whole family. To receive this gift, complete the RightNow Media form on the church website.

## *Growzone* NOTES

**Our thanks in advance to next Sunday's Nursery workers...**

**9:00 a.m.** Karyn Koopman, Janet Garrod, Jessica Balderston, Laura Knapp, Angela Hamilton, Rosanne Bakker.

**11:00 a.m.** Mellany Tuesta, Sophia Collazos, Ena MacDonald.

## *Youth* STUFF



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

**SHIFT** (Grades 6-8)

**Sundays, 9:00 a.m. SHIFT** Join us for a time of fun, community, and time in God's Word.

**JUNIOR HIGH** (Grades 6-8)

**Tuesday, 6:30—8:30 p.m.** This week we will be having a March Break Drop-In on Wednesday evening 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.

**SENIOR HIGH** (Grades 9-12)

**Wednesday, 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.** Join us this week for a joint Drop-In night with the Junior Highs.

**YOUNG ADULTS** (18-25ish)

**Sundays, 1:00 p.m.** All young adults are welcome to join us. Check out our WLA Young Adults Facebook group to keep up to date with gatherings and events!

## *A NOTE to Our Guests:*

Welcome! And thanks for being with us! 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 and live for our great God. Please take a moment to fill out a "Connection Card" using the QR Code provided in the chair back or in the Front Foyer, or fill one out on our website [wlachurch.org](http://wlachurch.org) under "Getting Connected". You can use the card to provide us with any information you think will help us serve you. You can email us at [info@wlachurch.org](mailto:info@wlachurch.org) or check out our website at [www.wlachurch.org](http://www.wlachurch.org) or phone (519) 471-8716.

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