

Sunday, April 13, 2025

Today at W.L.A.

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

The Seven Sayings of Jesus on the Cross: Suffering
(Barry Usher) **John 19: 16b-30, Matthew 27:45-46**
Through His suffering, Jesus extends grace, endures forsakenness, and fulfills the will of God—all for our redemption.

9:00 a.m. Live service on wlachurch.org or our YouTube Page
9:00 a.m. Chinese Fellowship (Mandarin) Fireside Room
9:00 a.m. JK - Grade 5 Growzone
9:00 a.m. 6 months - pre JK Seedlings

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

1:00 p.m. Learning Labs Fireside Room

This Week at W.L.A.

Monday, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. M68 Men’s Group
Join other men in the Sanctuary as they learn to be more faithful to God. Questions? Contact Brian at bworrad@wmalawyers.com.

Monday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. TLC
The Ladies Connection is studying Amos, An Invitation to the Good Life. For info, contact Louise at 519-643-0173 or louise.s46@rogers.com.

Tuesday, 6:15 - 7:30 a.m. Women’s Early Morning Prayer
Join us as we encourage one another through prayer & discussion of the Sunday ministry! Info: Deb at 519-859-4133 or debewilkins@gmail.com.

Tuesday, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Seniors Drop-In
Join us for coffee, tea, euchre, table games, and much more! Contact Lyall for more information at lyall@wlachurch.org.

Wednesday, 9:15 - 11:30 a.m. TLC
The Ladies Connection is studying Amos, An Invitation to the Good Life. For info, contact Louise at 519-643-0173 or louise.s46@rogers.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.

Thursday, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Playgroup
All parents of babies and preschool age children are invited to join us in the Nursery. Questions? Contact Karyn at karyn@wlachurch.org.

Thursday, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Forevergreen (Seniors)
The Gathering-Join us for an Easter Hymn Sing and Service.

Thursday, 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service
Join us for worship and communion. There will be programming for kids JK-Gr. 3 in the Explorer Room and childcare will be offered in the Nursery.

This Week at W.L.A.

Friday, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Good Friday Service
Join with other congregations at Centennial Hall to remember the crucifixion, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Register through the Eventbrite link in the church emails.

Saturday, 8:00 a.m. Theology Breakfast
Following breakfast, we will engage with teaching led by Chris Postma, addressing the question: Did Jesus really descend into hell? The cost for breakfast is \$10. Register through the Zeffy link in the church emails.

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Saturday, April 26, 2 p.m. Men’s Serve Day
Men, join us at the church to complete some projects in and around the church and then enjoy dinner together.

Sunday, April 27, 12:30 p.m. Connection Lunch
Are you new to WLA, or looking to get connected? Please join us for lunch in the gym! Sign up on wlachurch.eventbrite.com.

Saturday, May 3, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Baby Shower
Friends of Emily Shore are invited to a baby shower in her honor to be held in the Fireside Room. To RSVP or to contribute to a group gift email Nicki Coles at nicki.coles84@gmail.com.

Sunday, May 4, 1:00 p.m. WLA 101
Wondering what WLA is all about? Come hear about the history and the vision of the church, and how to get involved in programs & opportunities to help you grow in your faith. Sign up on wlachurch.eventbrite.com!

Other Important NOTES

Financial Summary as of March 30, 2025 (Revised)
General Fund Budget to Date \$346,000
Received: \$295,126 (85.3% of Budget)
Shortfall to Date: \$50,874
Offerings Given to Global Missions and District Ministries to Date: \$21,669.24

Support Matt & Connie’s Handicraft Project... Matt and Connie Russell work with the Love One Another Foundation, building relationships with multiple families who create beautiful, beaded items such as Easter Eggs, thereby supporting themselves with their artistry. Easter Eggs will be sold today between services in the South Foyer to support this project.

Growzone NOTES

Our thanks in advance to next Sunday’s Nursery workers...
9:00 a.m. Mary Anne Capstick, Cordelia Hawley, Maura Zuanazzi, Katie Worrad, Eleora Jacob, Seunghye Dueck, Erica Watkin.
11:00 a.m. Ellie Bakker, Jeremie McClean, Alyssa Nielsen.

Youth STUFF



Check out our website for the latest events, pictures, leader bios, prayer requests, and more!
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 after being dismissed from the main service.

JUNIOR HIGH (Grades 6-8)
Tuesday, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Join us in the Core as we learn to follow Jesus, build friendships, and serve each other through learning from God’s Word.

SENIOR HIGH (Grades 9-12)
Wednesday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Join us in the Core for a time of music, learning, prayer, and fellowship through small groups.

YOUNG ADULTS (18-23ish)
Sunday, 12:30 p.m. All Young Adults are welcome to join us. This is a great opportunity to get plugged in! Check out our wlayoungadults Instagram page 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 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 or check out our website at www.wlachurch.org or phone (519) 471-8716.

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