

# September 6, 2009

## *This Sunday @ W.L.A.*

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

**THIS MORNING:** We conclude our introduction to the upcoming sermon series on the book Exodus by considering the significance of Egypt in the experience of three major characters in the book of Genesis.

**SERMON:** "Joseph, Egypt and Sovereign Kindness"  
**Genesis 45:4-11**

**10:00 a.m. *Growzone (Summer-style)***

**Ages 4 & 5** In Room 2  
**Grades 1 – 3** In the Fireside Room

## *This Week @ W.L.A.*

**Thursday, Sept. 10, 6:00 a.m. *Men's Accountability & Prayer***

We read something worthwhile and pray for one another, the church and our missionaries – and we encourage each other regarding the details of the life we mean to live. You can talk to Mike Wilkins or email him at [mike@wlachurch.org](mailto:mike@wlachurch.org) for more information.

**Thursday, September 10, 7-9:00 p.m. *Christmas Eve Choir***

Rehearsals are starting! If you love singing you can contact Chad at 519-690-2848 or [clouwerse@sympatico.ca](mailto:clouwerse@sympatico.ca) for more information.

## *On Beyond THIS WEEK*

**Sunday, September 13, 9:15 & 11:00 a.m. *Two Services***

We return to "normal Sundays" with two identical Worship Services and a new sermon series based on Exodus 1-19 and entitled "*Exiting Egypt ~ Getting Out of Slavery for Good.*"

**Sunday, September 13, 10:55 a.m. *Bible Quizzing***

Orientation session for Junior (Grades 4-6) and Senior (Grades 7-12) in the Fireside Room. Contact Andrew Wheatley at 519-473-4045 or [awheat@imaging.robarts.ca](mailto:awheat@imaging.robarts.ca) for further information.

**Tuesday, Sept. 15, 6:15 – 7:30am *Women's Morning Prayer***

A time to get the previous Sunday's sermon deep down in your heart and out into your actions as we pray about its application, and also for missions, church ministries and each other. *Hope to see you there!* For more details contact Deb Wilkins ([dwilkins@compassion.ca](mailto:dwilkins@compassion.ca) or 519-859-4133).

**Wednesday, September 16, 6 – 7:30 p.m. *Plan to Protect***

**(and Saturday, September 19, 4 – 5:30 p.m.)** If you volunteer with our children in any capacity, you are required to attend one Plan to Protect meeting per year. This meeting will be a refresher for those working with infants to Grade 5.

## *On Beyond THIS WEEK cont'd*

**Thursday, September 17 *Forevergreen Trip***

Seniors and their friends are invited to join us on a trip to Toronto to see the Dead Sea Scrolls at the Royal Ontario Museum. Ticket and transportation cost is \$58/person, payable in the church office.

**Wednesday, September 23, 9:15-11:15 a.m. *TLC***

***The Ladies Connection...*** is a morning out for women of all ages to deepen their connection with the Lord and each other through prayer and study. (Ladies will purchase their own study books.)

**Wednesday, September 23, 9:15-11:15 a.m. *TKC***

***The Kids Connection...*** Kids connecting with their caregivers and each other through stories, games, crafts and play time while their Moms connect with other TLC ladies. (TKC is provided for a minimal fee.)

**Friday, Oct. 2 – Sunday, Oct. 4 *Men's Weekend***

***Dwelling on the Heights (Isaiah 33:15,16).*** This year, at Christian Horizons Conference Centre in Paisley, on the subject of personal Christ-centred holiness.

## *Other Notes*

***Coming this Fall...*** a whole new Growzone! Pick up a registration card and information on the table in the front foyer. Questions? Email [terilynn@wlachurch.org](mailto:terilynn@wlachurch.org)

***Children's Ministry Volunteers...*** If you love seeing kids learn and grow and would consider being part of a team that feeds the spiritual lives of kids on Sunday mornings, please contact Teri Lynn. We are always looking to grow the team!

***Youth Ministry Volunteers...*** If you are interested in building into the lives of youth throughout the year, there are a variety of ways you can get involved. Contact Lorilyn at [loralyn@wlachurch.org](mailto:loralyn@wlachurch.org) for more info.

***Pre-Approved Donation Plan...*** Pre-authorized debits are available to people wishing to contribute via automatic bank withdrawals. Enrollment forms are available in the chair pockets.

***Renovation/Expansion Update...***

- Work on the parking lot continues! This means that during the summer we will be parking on gravel around the church or on the asphalt at Rona and Westview Funeral Chapel. *Short term pain, long term gain!*
- Curbs have been installed in the parking lot. Can asphalt be far behind?
- Rooms 6,7&8 has been transformed into one large children's space.
- The roof on the new youth wing is being shingled this week.

## *Youth Staff*

**CORE**  
**STUDENT MINISTRIES**

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

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

**Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 – 8:30 pm**  
**7<sup>th</sup> Annual Mini-Golf Tournament...** Drop off at Forest Glen Golf Center. Pick up at Dairy Queen. \$5 + DQ.

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

**Wednesday Night Kick-off, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 – 9:30 pm**  
**Fall Retreat... September 25 – 27** at Pearce Williams Retreat Centre.  
Contact: [grahamb@wlachurch.org](mailto:grahamb@wlachurch.org)

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

**Friday, 7:30 pm, "The Ultimate Game Show Night"** A back-to-school social at the church.

**Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 12:30 pm, Luncheon at the church! Cost: \$2**  
**September 25-27 *Young Adults' Retreat***

Mark it in your calendars and join us for a weekend away. More details to come.

Check us out on Facebook: "West London Alliance Young Adults" For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-933-3389 or [memanahan@gmail.com](mailto:memanahan@gmail.com)

### **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](mailto:info@wlachurch.org), check out our website [www.wlachurch.org](http://www.wlachurch.org) or phone us at **(519) 471-8716**. *Thanks for being with us!*

**Mike Wilkins**, Pastor  
**Lyall Mix**, Associate Pastor: Director of Adult Ministries  
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