

December 28, 2008

This Sunday @ W.L.A.

10:00 a.m. Worship Service
James 3:13-18

Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

THIS MORNING: "Another Year Wiser" James 3:13-18

10:00 a.m. Growzone Ages 4-8

Note to parents: Please drop off your kids in the Fireside Room at 10:00 for their large-group time.

10:00 a.m. NO Jr High Class Grades 6-8

*Our best wishes
and sincere prayers
that the God of Peace
will be with you
and your loved ones
in all the days
of the coming new year!*

On Beyond THIS WEEK

Sun., January 4, 9:15 & 11:00 a.m. Communion Service(s)

We begin a series of sermons from the gospel of Mark entitled "The Real Jesus."

Mon., January 5, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. Practice English Through Exploring the Life of Jesus

We are offering teaching and small group discussion on the life of Jesus for English language learners. Contact Anne VanGilst for more information at 519-474-1269.

Tues., January 6, 6:15 – 7:30 a.m. Women's Morning Prayer

Join us as we review the Sunday sermon and pray about its application and for missions, church ministries and one another.

Wed., January 7, 7:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study

Ladies' weekly Bible Study meets at Bethany McLachlin's home. Call 519-936-1778 for details.

Thurs., January 8, 6:00 – 7:30 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.

Thurs., January 8, Noon Forevergreen Luncheon

Seniors are invited to join us for a hot lunch (\$5/person) and guest testimony from Janis Murphy, our Office Administrator.

Sun., January 11, 11:00 a.m. Parent Hour

All parents of Junior & Senior High students are invited to come hear updates on **CORE** student ministries and a discussion on the challenges and blessings of parenting teens. In the Fireside Room.

Sun., January 11, 7:00 p.m. Congregational Meeting

The Board of Elders invites church members and all interested to discuss and make a decision on a plan to proceed with renovations and expansion to our building.

Wed., January 14, 9:15 a.m. Homebuilders

Bible study, encouragement and fellowship for women

Other Notes

Our condolences to Eunice Hanton on the death of her husband Allan on Sunday, December 21st.

2009 numbered offering envelopes... are now available in the South Foyer to all those who have requested them. Using numbered envelopes is a big help to our bookkeeping team. If you are not already using them but would like to request a set for 2009, please use a "Let Us Know You're Here" card to say so. Thanks!

CM Alliance.ca... a new magazine published by the Christian & Missionary Alliance is designed to be used as a resource for transforming Canada and the world. Free copies are available in the foyers.

Youth Stuff

CORE
STUDENT MINISTRIES

Check out our website for the latest events, pictures, leader bios, prayer requests and more!
www.wlayouth.org

JUNIOR CORE (Grades 6-8)
Will resume January 6th, 2009.

SENIOR CORE (Grades 9-12)
Potluck & Small Groups: January 7, 2009.

SNOWBOUND: Ski Trip '09. March 16th-20th. Pick up your registration form in the main office.

Contact: grahamb@wlachurch.org

OCTANE (18-25ish)
Dinner & Bible Study at the church: January 11th, 6:00 pm.

TRANSIT: Young Adult's Retreat: Niagara Falls. January 23-25. Cost: \$100. Check out the facebook page for more details. To register email Melissa.

For more info contact Melissa Manahan at 519-933-3389 or 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 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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