

SERVE DAY

On Saturday, April 6, we will be blessing our neighbors through serving. This day is designed to give you and your family an opportunity to live out Jesus' teaching, along with others from our church family.

There are many areas in which we will be serving, but spaces are limited, so register today!

Visit us at the table in the Main Lobby today for more information and to register.

New to Willingdon

willingdon.org

Thanks for visiting us today. Come see us in the Welcome Centre. We would love to say hello in person. You can also ask any questions you may have about Willingdon or find out how you might get connected.

Regular Weekend Services Saturday:

The Connection 5:00pm, 6:30pm

Sunday:

Sanctuary 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am way around? Our Info Desk The Connection 10:00am, 11:45am volunteers are happy to help

Nursery Available: Saturday 5pm Sunday 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Prayer and Resource Centres Saturday • 4:30pm - 8:00pm Sunday • 8:15am - 1:15pm

Having trouble finding your way around? Our Info Desk volunteers are happy to help direct you and answer any questions you may have. Discovery Classes (in the Chapel) A series of small group studies about Jesus Christ and the Church Family. Pick up a Discovery sign-up brochure at the Info Desk, Resource Centre or drop by the Chapel. Saturday • 5:00pm Sunday • 10:00am & 11:30am

Children's Ministry

Saturday Kids' Classes: 5pm

Sunday Kids' Classes: 10am & 11:30am. Kids who are first-time visitors or guests, please visit the Kids Info Desk (1st floor).

Student Ministry

Gr. 6-10 Saturday Zone - Sat 5pm, YC1 Gr. 6-10: The Zone - Sun 10am & 11:30am, YC1 Gr. 11 & 12: Encounter - Sun 10am, YC2

<mark>THIS WEEK</mark> AT WILLINGDON

New to Willingdon

We're glad you're here. If this is your first time visiting Willingdon Church, please come visit us at the Welcome Centre! We would love to meet you and help get you connected with all that's going on here at Willingdon!

WSB Spring 2019

Registration for Willingdon School of the Bible Spring 2019 is now available. For more info and to register, pick up a registration form found in the Main Lobby or visit online at *willingdon.org/wsb*.

STARTS Course Spring 2019

willingdon.org/event/starts

Registration for the STARTS Course is available. If you are interested in participating in Short Term Missions with Willingdon, this is where you start! Pick up a registration form in the Main Lobby or visit online.

Discovery Classes

willingdon.org/discovery

Sat 5pm, Sun 10am & 11:30am, Chapel

Connecting you to Jesus Christ, the Bible, and the church family. New classes start every few weeks. For more details, pick up a Discovery brochure at the Info Desk or drop by the Chapel area during class hours.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage Fri, Mar 15, 7pm, Yth Ctr: FUSE

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): *willingdon.org/riptide* Thurs, Mar 14, 7pm-8:30pm, Yth Ctr: Pray It Up

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): *willingdon.org/encounter* Tues, Mar 12, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Small Group Date Night, \$5

The Exchange (Age 18-30): *willingdon.org/theexchangewc* Wed, Mar 13: Life Groups (off site)

Christ Centered Singles: Apologetic Video Conference. Fri, Mar 15, 7pm & Sat, Mar 16, 7pm, Rm 3040.

New Horizons (Seniors): Thurs, 1pm, Chapel. Luncheons: 12pm every second Thurs of the month

A Man and His Marriage: Sun, 8:30am, Room 3060. Open to all married & single men who desire to prepare themselves for a Christ-centered marriage.

Home Improvement (Men): 10 weeks, Tues, 7pm. A new Men's Small Group focused on helping men deal with unhealthy relational patterns that threaten to end their marriages. For intake interview, contact Vincent at *vcummings53@outlook.com*

Creation Science Class: Sat, March 23, 2pm, Fireside. Evolution: The Grand Experiment. Contact Barb at *matthew633@shaw.ca* for more info.

GriefShare: Sun, 8:30am, Rm 3030

DivorceCare: *willingdon.org/divorce-care* To sign up, email Selina at *selinachow2010@gmail.com*.

Alongside: Sunday, Mar 17, 1:15pm, Rm 3030. RSVP to *alongsidecare@gmail.com*.

Prayer Meetings: Wed, 6:30am, Café Sun, 8am, Connection

Global Hotspots Prayer: Sun, 10am, Rm 3090.

Mission Circle: Tues, 9:30am, Rm 1500.

International Language Ministries: *willingdon.org/international-language*

9 International Language fellowships meet throughout the week. A sample of groups meeting this week:

Korean - Sun, 1:30pm, HQ Mandarin - Sun, 1pm, Fireside Portuguese - Fri, 7:30pm, Fireside

PRAYER

Prayer Requests: Fill out a Prayer Card and drop it in one of the boxes at the Resource Centre, Info Desk, or Welcome Centre. You can also email *prayer@willingdon.org*.

Prayer Chain: Bev Leonard (604-803-0052) these Pastoral Visits: Pastor Walter (604-435-5544) glory.

Prayers 4 Women: Women, if you have a prayer or care request you feel more comfortable sharing with another woman, please email *prayers4women@willingdon.org* or call the church office.

Prayer Info Card: A prayer info card with family matters and ways to get involved in prayer can be found on the Info Stands and at the Info Desk.

BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS

- Take some time to catch up. How did this week go? What steps of obedience did you take and what has God been teaching you?
- Take time to talk about what stood out to you from Pastor James' Sermon. Was there something you learned? Something that challenged you? A highlight?
- 3. Jesus says that the Church in Philadelphia has only a little power. What is an area of your life in which you don't have full control of the outcome of things? How do you trust God in those areas of life?
- 4. When you face trials, are you more likely to pray to ask God to remove those trials from your life, or to give you the strength in the midst of those trials? Can you ask for both of these at the same time? Read Matthew 26:39 to see an example from Jesus.
- 5. How do you feel led to respond to this week's message and text? Are there steps of obedience you feel the Spirit asking you to take? How can we pray for you as a group?

GLOBAL PRAYER

Please pray for the short-term mission teams that are serving this week, in Brazil and Philippines. Pray for unity, strength, joy, and that the Lord will use these teams in wonderful ways for His glory.

VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Kids Ministry Volunteers

Kids Ministry is in need of volunteers for all ministry areas, especially the Nursery. For more information, please contact *kids@willingdon.org*.

Here are a few other areas with urgent volunteer needs and the person to contact if you wish to sign up:

- Parking Attendants (tcastro@ willingdon.org)
- Welcome Center Hosts (stam@ willingdon.org)
- First Aid Attendants for Sundays (stam@willingdon.org)
- Info Desk Volunteers for Saturday evenings (nrschmidt@shaw.ca)
- ILM SafeKids Team Sundays from
- 1-3pm (jbest@willingdon.org)
- Food services special events (rklassen@willingdon.org)

WEDNESDAY CAFÉ

Wednesdays from 5pm-7:30pm. This is a great opportunity for fellowship and a delicious meal for only \$5!

CHURCH PHOTOGRAPHER

Please be aware that there is a Willingdon Church photographer on site taking photos in service and around the church. Please note the photos may be shared on social media channels.

March 9 & 10, 2019

In Revelation 3:7-13, Jesus has an important message for the church in Philadelphia and for us, but many of the phrases He uses can be difficult for us to make sense of. What is the "Key of David"? What is the "Synagogue of Satan"? What "open door" is Jesus talking about? And what does it mean to be a "pillar in the temple of God"? It is only once we understand all this that we can clearly hear the important message that Jesus has for us. The good news is that there is a way for this to happen.

To understand Jesus' message, we need to look closely at...

- 1. The **position** of the **church**
- 2. The power of Jesus
- 3. The promises of Jesus

WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS

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Please continue to pray for the elders.

If you wish to contact an elder, please email elders@willingdon.org.