



Happy Mother's Day

This is the weekend we honour moms, grandmothers, and mother figures. Whatever your role this Mother's Day, we stand with you, celebrate with you, and pray for you. Let us uplift you in prayer. If you would like prayer for your family or situation, fill out a Prayer Card or drop us a line at prayer@willingdon.org

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

The Connection 10:00am, 11:45am

Nursery Available: Saturday 5pm

Sunday 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Welcome 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: Sunday @ the 10, YC2

THIS WEEK AT WILLINGDON

International Festival

Saturday & Sunday, May 19 & 20, Chapel
Come enjoy performances, crafts, and food from the diverse cultures here at Willingdon Church. Everyone is welcome! Take the opportunity to visit the fellowship groups at 1pm. Experience the diverse ways our church worships the Lord!

Food Drive

willingdon.org/event/food-drive

Last year, the body of Willingdon brought in 1.3 tons of canned good for the Vancouver Food Bank. This was a practical expression of God's children modelling our Father's generous heart to those in need around us. We desire to use the food drive as a kingdom focused event to bring in food for those in need but also for the body of Willingdon to engage in their neighbourhoods. We will be collecting canned foods on the weekend of May 26 & 27. You can find a list of the top 10 most needed food items online.

Kids Summer Daycamp 2018

Into the Deep: willingdon.org/event/into-the-deep-willingdon-kids-daycamp

Mon-Fri, 9am-3pm. Week 1: July 2-6 (FULL), Week 2: July 9-13, Week 3: July 16-20, Week 4: July 23-27

Join us for five fun-filled days as we enjoy lesson activities, crafts and games, and memorable drama skits and songs that capture the wonder and excitement of our adventure into the deep.

Registration available at the Kids Info Desk, Main Office, or download and print the registration form online.

Daycamp Volunteers needed! Please pick up an application form at the Kids Info Desk.

Abide Conference Update

Praise God that the Abide Women's Conference was held successfully with close to 600 women in attendance. It was so great to have Nancy Guthrie, our speaker, in our midst to bless our women with God's Word. The conference committee would like to thank all the volunteers for helping us put together this conference.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage
Fri, May 18, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Danamite Worship Night

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): willingdon.org/riptide
Thurs, May 17, 6:30pm, Yth Ctr: Skyzone. \$15
*Print out the 2 important waivers available online

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter
Tues, May 15, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Lge Groups Transitions

Generate (Age 18-30): willingdon.org/generate
Wed, May 16, 6:45pm, Cafe: Worship/Testimonies

Christian Living: Apr 29-May 27, 10am, Rm 3040.
Topic: Paul Tripp's *What Did You Expect?* Open to single and married. No registration required.

Christ Centered Singles: Sat, May 19, 7pm, Fireside:
Unity - presentation by the OM crews.

New Horizons (Seniors): Thurs, 1pm, Chapel.
willingdon.org/new-horizons

Women's Walk: willingdon.org/women-bible-studies
Wed: Apr 11-May 30, 6:30pm, Rm 3040.
Thurs: Apr 5-May 17, 9:30am, Rm 3040.

Creation Science Class: Sat, May 26, 2pm, Chapel.
Join this intro seminar to answer difficult scientific questions. Contact Barb at matthew633@shaw.ca

Alongside: Sunday, May 20, 1:15pm, Rm 3030.
RSVP to alongsidecare@gmail.com

Betrayal and Beyond (Women): Finding hope and healing in Christ after sexual betrayal in relationship.
Email jesed.sanchez@gmail.com for more info.

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

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

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

ESL Small Groups: Thurs, 7pm, or Sun, 1:30 pm,
April 12 - May 31. Contact Bill btong007@gmail.com

ESL Classes: Spring: Apr 13-Jun 1. Contact Pastor Walter to sign up wpatterson@willingdon.org

International Language Ministries:
willingdon.org/international-language
9 International Language Groups meet throughout the week. For more info, visit our web page.

PRAYER

Prayer Requests: Fill out a Welcome & Prayer Card and drop in 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)
Pastoral visits: Pastor Walter (604-435-5544)

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

1. How did you see God at work in your life this week? Do you have any updates on things we've been praying for? How have you taken steps of obedience to God this week?
2. Read 1 Timothy 6:6-10. Paul comes down pretty hard on the love of money. Why do you think money and possessions are so alluring to people? Can you give examples to support this conclusion?
3. The opposite of the love of money is contentment. What makes contentment difficult in our social media saturated culture? What are some ways you try to develop thankfulness and contentment in your life?
4. Read 1 Timothy 6:17-19. The opposite of pride and putting our trust in money is generosity and putting hope in God. Why is generosity a good indication that we are putting our trust in God? What are some ways you've experienced generosity?
5. How do you feel called to respond to this week's text and sermon? What steps of obedience do you feel the Spirit is calling you to take this week?

REMINDERS:

When filling out Offering Envelopes, please make sure to include your Full Name AND Envelope Number.

GLOBAL PRAYER

Several of our long term missionaries are planning to be in Vancouver this summer for furlough. Please pray for Sandy Ewan (South Sudan), K & B (Austria), and Jerry Hranka (Brazil) as they finalize plans to spend time with us in the months to come.

DEACON NOMINATIONS

Deacon Nomination Forms are available in the Resource Centre. Please submit forms by this Sunday, May 13.

VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Parking Attendants

Parking attendants provide the first contact many have as they come to Willingdon. We are in need of parking team members to direct visitors to and from the church. Please contact Len at lensoet@gmail.com

Greeters

Willingdon Church is looking for volunteers to welcome and greet visitors as they enter the church. Please contact Howie and Trish Lee wvcwggreet@gmail.com

Kids Summer Daycamp Volunteers

We need leaders of all ages, especially those aged 16+ to help lead and engage with kids (K-Gr.5) as we learn from His Word! Create some art, play some games, enjoy a fun outing, and help kids understand God's plan for their lives. Mon-Fri, 9am-3pm, running all four weeks of July. Join us for one week, or perhaps the whole month! Come be a part of what God is doing in the lives of His children. Applications at the Kids Info Desk; required training & get-to-know-you meeting on the evening of Wed, June 27.

Scouts Leaders

The Scouts program is looking leaders for the following areas: Troop (ages 11-16), Cubs (ages 8-11), and Beavers (ages 5-7). Please contact Ryan rponte@willingdon.org for more info.

May 12 & 13, 2018

Living with “the end in mind” is a way of seeing, a worldview. At the heart of a worldview, you have core beliefs, which determine your thought patterns, your values (what is important to you) and your behaviour. Our relationship with money and possessions reveals our heart attitudes and values in a very tangible manner.

As we honour mothers today, we are reminded they teach their children how to see the world. Christian mothers have the wonderful, God-given opportunity to invest in their children and provide them with a biblical way of seeing – to teach them to live with “the end in mind” – in their serving, speaking, and giving.

In our text today, Paul provides us with a way of seeing for all time and in every culture.

1. The great secret to life is godliness with contentment
2. The great snare of life is the desire to be rich
3. The greatest security in life is found in eternal investment

WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS

Phil Balzer	Ruben Heyn	Paul Lee	Ken Redekopp	Vince Reimer
Jim Eisenhauer	Mark Janzen	Ron Leonard	Mark Reimer	Ed Thiessen
Ray Harms-Wiebe	Danny Lee	Mark Loewen	Rick Reimer	Wayne Wiebe

Please continue to pray for the elders.

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