

WELCOME TO WILLINGDON CHURCH | *May 4 & 5, 2019*
Baptisms & New Members

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Sunday Sanctuary

10am



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Confession of Faith

Sunday

10am

11:30am



Christy
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Maryna
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Sharin
Ben
Aissa

Bill
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Selina
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Kevin
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Evelyn
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Please keep these new
 Willingdon Church members
 in your prayers!

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

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 (Birth to Gr 5)

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 - Age 30)

In-Service Weekend: check out the service with your family and get connected to the larger church.

THIS WEEK 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!

Men's Min Meet and Greet

This Sunday, 9:45am-1:20pm, Fireside.

Men! Are you new to Willingdon? Or are you looking for ways to get connected to Men's Ministry? Drop by the Fireside Room before or after service, stay for some coffee and pastries, and find out the various ways you can get connected!

Food Drive

Let's raise 2.5 TONS OF FOOD for the Greater Vancouver Food Bank, and at the same time, build relationships with our neighbours. This is a practical expression of God's children modelling our Father's generous heart to those in need around us. We will be collecting canned foods on the weekend of May 25 & 26. You can download and print invites online at willingdon.org/event/willingdon-food-drive

Kids Summer Daycamp

Harvest County (Kids Gr 1-6)

Weeks 1 and 3 are FULL. Spaces are still available for Week 2 (July 8-12) and Week 4 (July 22-26)

Little Harvest County (Preschool Ages 4 & 5)

2 weeks: July 2-5, 9-12

Visit the Kids Info Desk downstairs for more info and to register.

Student Min Summer Daycamp

Get Outside Camp (Students going into Gr 6-8)

July 8-12 & July 15-19

Cranked Camp (Students going into gr 8-10)

July 1-5

Registration available at the Resource Centre on weekends, and the Main Office on weekdays.

Men's Min Breakfast Series

5 weeks, May 25-June 22, Saturdays, 8am.

Join us for breakfast as we consider what the Bible has to say about TIME and the profound implications it has for our lives. We will be going through a 5-part series *Time of Your Life*. Registration is available this weekend at the table in the Main Lobby.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage
Fri, May 10, 7pm, Yth Ctr: FUSE Small Groups

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): willingdon.org/riptide
Thurs, May 9, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Gab Groups

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter
Tues, may 7, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Small Groups.

Encounter Grad Retreat: May 17-20, \$215.

Last weekend to register. Register at the Resource Ctr.

The Exchange (Age 18-30): willingdon.org/theexchange
Wed, May 8: Life Groups Offsite

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

Pure Desire: 10-week series starting May 14, Tues, 7pm, Fireside. Cost: \$40. Conquer Series: helping men understand the battle plan for sexual purity. Contact ryoung@willingdon.org for more info.

Betrayal and Beyond (Women): May 5. Finding hope and healing in Christ after sexual betrayal in relationship. Email jessed.sanchez@gmail.com for more info.

Women's Bible Studies:

willingdon.org/womens-bible-studies

See the Women's Min info card or visit online for info.

DivorceCare: willingdon.org/divorce-care

To sign up, email Selina at selinachow2010@gmail.com.

Alongside: Sun, May 19, 1:15pm, Rm 3030.

RSVP to alongsidecare@gmail.com

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:
French - Tues, 7:30pm, Café
Korean - Sun, 1:30pm, HQ
Mandarin - Sun, 1pm, Fireside

International Festival

May 18 & 19, Chapel. As a church family, we get to worship together with people from all over the world. This is worth celebrating. On May 18 & 19, please consider wearing attire from your country of origin, and check out the festivities.

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)

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.

LIFE GROUPS

1. Take some time to catch up. How have you seen God at work in your life lately? What has He been teaching you? How have you been growing in your walk with God this week?
2. Read Genesis 1. Take time to talk about what stood out to you from Pastor Willy's sermon. Was there something you learned? Something that challenged you? A highlight?
3. What attribute of God is most clearly seen in Genesis 1? Why? Do you think most conversations about Genesis emphasize this attribute or does the conversation get sidetracked from this main point?
4. Read Genesis 1:3-4 and then read 2 Corinthians 4:1-6. What similarities do you see between these passages? Have you ever considered your own salvation to be a miracle at the level of creation itself? How does this change the way you appreciate what God has done for you in salvation?
5. God speaks and things spring into being and into life. In addition, everything is now held together by His authority and for His glory. How does this help us understand John 1:1-3? How does John 1:1-3 help us to understand Genesis 1?
6. 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 Barry & Marlene Hamm (and sons Joshua and Joel) as they serve as missionaries in Quito, Ecuador with Reach Beyond. As they offer training and encouragement in discipleship for local churches, please pray for continued wisdom, effectiveness and favor.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Events and Food Service Team at Willingdon is currently looking for people with a passion for Jesus and wish to serve His church in Food services.

• **Saturday Resource Centre Attendant** (*part-time*)

Oversees the Resource Centre on Saturday evenings from 4:00pm to 8:00pm (shift may vary during events). Requires a friendly, outgoing personality, must be fluent in both verbal and written English. Receptionist, cashier and/or customer service experience an asset.

• **Sunday Café Coordinator** (*part-time*)

Oversees and coordinates Sunday Café from 7:00am to 3:00pm. This include leading volunteers, food and coffee service, answering questions, set-up and clean up. Must be fluent in both verbal and written English. Food service, catering and/or restaurant experience an asset.

• **Event and Food Services Coordinator** (*full-time*)

• **Pastor of Life Groups**

• **Pastor of Womens Ministry**

See the full job postings online at willingdon.org/employment-opportunities.

CHURCH PHOTOGRAPHY

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.

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Throughout history people have asked the questions: where do we come from? Why are things as they are? Is there a grand design to our world? What happens at the end of life? Does life have a purpose? and many more.

Humanity has always wanted answers to life's biggest questions, and always will. Today we examine why we can live with hope and peace regardless of the daily chaos we may be experiencing.

1. Creation is a mirror that reflects the person of God
2. Creation prepares the earth for human existence
3. Creation proves people have value
4. Creation requires people to steward the earth responsibly
5. Creation calls us to worship the Creator

WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS

Phil Balzer	Ruben Heyn	Mark Loewen	Rick Reimer	Ed Thiessen
John Best	Danny Lee	Dave Marshall	Vince Reimer	Wayne Wiebe
Jim Eisenhauer	Paul Lee	Ken Redekopp	Willy Reimer	
Ray Harms-Wiebe	Ron Leonard	Mark Reimer	Norm Schmidt	

Please continue to pray for the elders.

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