WELCOME TO WILLINGDON CHURCH | September 15 & 16, 2018

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FIND YOUR MINISTRY AT WILLINGDON CHURCH

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

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).

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

Student Ministry

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

<mark>this week</mark> at willingdon

East Meets West Missions Banquet

willingdon.org/event/missions-banquet

Friday, Sept 28, 6:30pm, Connection. Tickets: \$15 Global Min is partnering with Child of Mine to raise awareness and support for a new boys' dorm at Shanti Niketan. Tickets are available online and at the table in the Main Lobby this weekend.

Basecamp Discipleship Pathway

willingdon.org/event/basecamp-discipleship-pathway Friday, Oct 19, 7-9pm & Saturday, Oct 20, 8am-3:30pm. Cost: \$20 (Adults), \$10 (Students) On Friday, the church is coming together to dig deeper into understanding Willingdon's Discipleship Pathway. Saturday, guest speakers from Sonlife Ministries will lead us through the Foundations Seminar, which looks at the initial 18-21 months of Jesus' ministry and six foundational priorities He established for a healthy disciple-making ministry. Everyone is invited. Pre-registration is required by September 27. For info, email discipleship@willingon.org

Mission Circle

Tuesdays, 9:30am, Room 1500.

A group of people have met regularly to pray for missionaries and to sew quilts and assemble school kits that are distributed around the world. Thousands of people have been blessed through this ministry. Everyone is welcome to join!

Marriage Conference

Friday, Nov 16, 7:30 pm. Ticket \$20/person at the Resource Centre. **Fierce Marriage** - Radically pursuing each other in light of Christ's relentless love. Speakers: Ryan and Selena Frederick. Singles, married, engaged, or dating; all are welcome!

Confident Kids

Confident Kids is a support group ministry reaching to the needs of both parent and child walking through the loss of a parent/spouse, separation or divorce. For more info, or if you're interested in volunteering, please contact Ryan Ponte at *rponte*@ *willingdon.org*.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage Fri, Sept 21: No Youth.

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): willingdon.org/riptide Thurs, Sept 20, 7pm, YthCtr: Surge Prayer Night

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter Tues, Sept 18, 7pm, YthCtr: Large Group, Nuts & Bolts

The Exchange (Age 18-30): willingdon.org/theexchangewc Wed, Sept 19, 6:45pm, Cafe: Cafe Meal & Life Group Launch

Christ Centered Singles: Sat, Oct 20, 7:30pm, Chapel: Bill Der sharing his 3 crises in life.

Men's Class: Sun, Sept 23–Oct 28, 10am, Rm 3040. A Man and His Work. *ilee@willingdon.org*

Women's Walk: Wed, Sept 19 6:30pm, Rm 3040 Thu, 9:30am, Rm 3040

Mom's Connect: Wed, 10am, Nursery. A weekly gathering of moms and their little ones. Email *kids@ willingdon.org* for more info.

New Horizons (Seniors): Thurs, 1pm, Chapel

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

Home Improvement: Tues, Sept 25–Jan 15, 6:30pm. To register, email Magi Cooper at *magicooper@shaw*. *ca* to arrange for the intake interview. For more info, contact Pastor Isaac at *ilee@willingdon.org*

When Love Hurts: Tues, Sept 25 – Nov 27, 7-9pm To register, email Linda at *lindacummings*01@gmail.com

GriefShare: Sunday session resumes Sept 23, 8:30am, Rm 3030. GriefShare seminar on *Surviving the Holidays*, Sept 29, 5pm, Rm 3030. Essential support surrounding Thanksgiving and Christmas - providing practical holiday coping strategies and hope for brighter days ahead.

Alongside: Sun, Oct 21, 1:15pm, Rm 3030. RSVP to alongsidecare@gmail.com

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

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

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

PRAYER

Prayer Requests: Fill out a Welcome & Prayer Card and drop 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

willingdon.org/groups

Fall Quarter starting September 23-December 1.

Pick up a Life Groups Catalogue for more information. Registration available online at the link above.

EMPLOYMENT

Pastor - Discipleship Ministries - Groups

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Job summaries and qualifications at willingdon.org/employment-opportunities. Please submit your resume and cover letter to *HR@willingdon.org*

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 will be shared on social media channels.

GLOBAL PRAYER

Please pray for the short-term mission team that will serve in north India starting Sept 29. Pray for unity, joy, and effectiveness in ministry. Also, the team is still in need of significant funding. If you are interested in contributing, please contact Blair at *bstaples@willingdon.org*.

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Here are some of the most urgent areas of need:

- High Voltage (Gr 6 & 7) Adult Leaders (especially women)
- Riptide (Gr 8-10) Adult Leaders (especially women)
- Kids Info Desk and SafeKids Volunteers
- Gems (Girls Gr 1-6) Leaders & Volunteers
- Scouts (Boys Ages 5-17) Leaders & Volunteers
- MAC Service Technicians
- Welcome Centre Hosts
- Parking Attendants
- Cafe, Events, Food Services Volunteers

WEDNESDAY CAFÉ

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

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Every moment in life can be a moment when Jesus unveils something about God to us and we have the opportunity to trust Him more. Our text today finds Jesus, His disciples, and His mother at a wedding in Cana, not far from His hometown, Nazareth. Something goes wrong. What happens? What is being revealed?

- 1. Jesus is about doing the **Father's will** (not yours or anyone else's)
- 2. Jesus understands timing
- 3. Jesus is about new life (not religion)
- 4. Jesus confirms our decisions to follow

WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS

Phil Balzer I John Best I Jim Eisenhauer I Ray Harms-Wiebe I

Ruben Heyn Dave Marshall Danny Lee Paul Lee Ron Leonard Mark Loewen Ken Redekopp Mark Reimer Rick Reimer Vince Reimer Willy Reimer Norm Schmidt Ed Thiessen Wayne Wiebe

Please continue to pray for the elders.

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