WELCOME TO WILLINGDON CHURCH | October 13 & 14, 2018

BASECAMP CONFERENCE

October 19th · 6pm-9:15pm October 20th · 8:45am-2pm

BASECAMP is a two-day conference that will grow your understanding of living as a disciple of Jesus. We are excited to welcome Jean Milliken and Calvin Russell from Sonlife to train and inspire us at this important equipping event.

For more information and to register, visit the Table in the Main Lobby.

New to Willingdon

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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

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

THIS WEEK AT WILLINGDON

New to Willingdon

Glad you are 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!

Basecamp Discipleship Pathway

Friday, Oct 19, 6-9:15pm & Saturday, Oct 20, 8:45am-2pm. Cost: \$20 (Adults), \$10 (Students)

BASECAMP is a 2-day conference. We will learn to identify our stage of growth, how to take the next steps, and the foundational priorities key to our personal growth as disciples while helping others become disciples of Jesus. Translations will be available in Russian, Portuguese, Cantonese, Mandarin, Korean, and Spanish.

This is the last weekend to register. Please visit the Table in the Main Lobby today!

Under the Big Top 2018

Under the Big Top: Above the Waves Friday, October 26, 6-8:30pm. Tickets: Kids age 2-11 (gr. 5): \$1, Adults: \$2, Infants & Toddlers to age 2: Free Join us for a fun fair! Games, prizes, crafts, photobooth, family costume contest, inflatables, and more! Come dressed in your family-friendly costume! Tickets and Invites (with meal vouchers) are available at the Kids Info Desk downstairs.

Surviving the Holidays (Griefshare)

Sat, Nov 10, 5pm, Room 3040.

Help & hope as you navigate the Christmas Season. Our seminar is especially for those who are grieving a loved one's death. You will learn how to deal with the many emotions you'll face during the holidays. For more info, contact Karen at *kchan@willingdon.org*.

Marriage Conference

Friday, Nov 16, 7:30 pm. **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! Ticket \$20/person available at the Table in the Main Lobby.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage Fri, Oct 19: 2Cool4School. 9am-3pm. Meet in HQ. Cost \$5. Important Waiver Needed

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): *willingdon.org/riptide* Thurs, Oct 18: Corn Maze, 6pm. Meet and pickup at Willingdon. Cost \$12. **Important Waiver Needed**

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter Tues, Oct 16, 7pm, YthCtr: Small Groups

The Exchange (Age 18-30): *willingdon.org/theexchangewc* Wed, Oct 17: Corn Maze. Meet at Willingdon 5:45pm. Bus leaves at 6pm. Cost: \$15

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*

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.

Women's Walk: Wed, 6:30pm, Rm 3030 Thu, 9:30am, Rm 3040

GriefShare: Sun, 8:30am, Rm 3030 Thurs, 7pm, Rm 3090

Alongside: Sun, Oct 21, 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.

Creation Science Class: Sat, Nov 24, 2pm, Fireside.

ESL Bible Studies: Fri, Sept 28 – Nov 30, 10am, Rm 3040.

International Language Ministries:

willingdon.org/international-language 9 International Language Groups meet throughout the week. A sample of groups meeting this week: Cantonese - Mon, 10:30am, Fireside Russian - Sun, 1:30pm, Chapel Spanish - Sun, 1:00pm, Rm 3060

PRAYER

Prayer Requests: Fill out a 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

- 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?
- Jesus meets with Nicodemus in John 3 and the Samaritan woman in John 4. Take some time to list all the differences between the two of them. What do these differences show us about who Jesus came for?
- 3. Jesus overcomes many barriers to reach out to this woman. List some of those barriers. What barriers exist between you and the people you want to reach with the Gospel? What emotions do you have when you focus on these barriers?
- 4. Read John 4:35. The disciples had a hard time thinking of Samaria as a 'harvest field' for the Gospel. How would things change if instead of looking at people and seeing barriers, you saw a potential new brother or sister in Christ?
- 5. Read Jeremiah 2:13. Make a list of things that promise to give life and fulfillment, but in the end are empty cisterns. Talk about things that you personally have looked to for life and fulfillment.
- 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 Willingdon missionary Siang Chiang. She serves as a mission mobilizer for OM's Ship Ministry. To learn more about Siang's ministry, listen to Episode 18 of the Willingdon On Mission Podcast (available on the website, Willingdon app, and iTunes).

VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Kids Ministry Volunteers

Kids Min is looking for volunteers during the weekend services in many areas. For more information, please visit the Kids Volunteer Table in the Main Lobby, or email Amanda *aponte@ willingdon.org*

Imagine Ministry Volunteers

Imagine ministry is in urgent need of volunteers to provide one-on-one support during the Sat 5pm and Sun 10am service. Please contact *aportillo@ willingdon.org*

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

Welcome Centre Volunteers

If you are interested in volunteering at the Welcome Centre during the weekend services, please visit us or email Marlyn at *mzidkovich@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 will be shared on social media channels. We live in a world of images. We draw from many streams and create our own clothing styles, foods, careers, and spiritual paths. We live in a world of fusion and tolerance. Obviously, there are cracks in our created images, but we would rather not unveil them. In this world of fusion and tolerance, how do we sift through the layers of our hearts in order to talk about what really matters? Why would we be motivated to enter the uneasy, uncomfortable territory?

- 1. Jesus slices through...
 - a. Cultural and gender barriers
 - b.Sensitive emotional and moral barriers
 - c. Religious and defense mechanism barriers
- 2. Jesus slices through the barriers of our broken wells
 - a. So that our wells might be healed
 - b.So that our <u>wells</u> might become <u>springs of water</u> welling up with <u>life</u>
 - c. So that we might see our Samaritans as He sees them

WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS

Phil Balzer Ru John Best Da Jim Eisenhauer Par Ray Harms-Wiebe Ro

Ruben Heyn Danny Lee Paul Lee Ron Leonard Mark Loewen Dave Marshall 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.