Try Alpha

invite your friend and family to try Alpha and explore life's big questions together in a friendly environment.

Wednesdays, 6:30pm - 8:30pm Sept 18 - Nov 20

Available in English & Cantonese



Register online at willingdon.org/Alpha

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:

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 Sanctuary 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am way around? Our Info Desk volunteers are happy to help direct you and answer any questions you may have.

Discovery Classes

A series of small group studies about Jesus Christ and the Church Family. Pick up a Discovery sign-up brochure at the Resource Centre 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)

Saturday Zone on Break Gr. 6-9: Sun 10am & 11:30am, YC1 Gr. 10-12: Sun 10am, YC2 The Exchange Service: 11:45am, Connection

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!

Ride 4 Refuge

Willingdon is in the Ride 4 Refuge with Journey Home Community. This is a fun, family friendly, walk & bike event. Consider signing up at the table in the Main Lobby.

Kids Fall Registration

Kids' registration and re-registration has begun for the 2019/2020 school year. Please note that registration is required for all children who wish to participate in our Fall programs. Visit the Kids Info Desk for more info and to register!

BASECAMP Fall 2019

Registration is now available for BASECAMP, a Discipleship Ministries' annual two-day equipping conference that will grow your understanding of living as a disciple of Jesus Christ. This year, we are excited to welcome Jeff Vanderstelt from Saturate to train and inspire us to intentionally develop communities that grow disciples and reach out to those around us. For more info and to register, visit online at willingdon.org/basecamp2019.

Youth Fall Retreats

Friday - Sunday, Sept 20 - 22, Cost \$150 The Gr. 10-12 students are invited to hang out with the Encounter family and kick off the year. For more information and to register, visit online at willingdon.org/event/encounter-fall-retreat.

Freedom Session

willingdon.org/freedomsession

A 28-week intensive healing-discipleship journey that uncovers the roots of pain in our lives and invites Jesus to heal those areas. Application intake closes on Sept 20. Contact freedomsession@ willingdon.org for more info.

Nursery Room Change

Attention parents! Please note that the Nursery has moved to Room 1530 downstairs. Please visit the Kids Info Desk for more info.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage Next event: Aug 30: Canadians Game, 11:45am. Meet & Pickup at Willingdon. Waiver needed.

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): willingdon.org/riptide Next event: Aug 30: Canadians Game, 11:45am. Meet & Pickup at Willingdon. Waiver needed.

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter Tues, Aug 13, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Larger Than Life Games Night, Cost \$5

The Exchange (Age 18-30): willingdon.org/theexchangewc Wed, Aug 14, 7pm: Ice Cream Crawl. Meet at the Waterfront Station, outside Starbucks.

When Love Hurts (Women):

willingdon.org/whenlovehurts2019

Wed (Oct 16-Dec 4) & Thurs (Sept 19-Nov 21), 7pm. Helping women who struggle with relationship dynamics that escalate into potentially abusive behaviors. Contact Donna at dferro7@yahoo.ca to register.

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

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

International Language Ministries:

willingdon.org/international-language
Many of the language groups are on break for the
summer. Please contact your language leaders for
any updates.

Please note Russian ministry will be meeting in Room 3040 for the summer.

Ministries On Break:

Alongside Creation Science Class Life Groups Mission Circle Mom's Connect New Horizons (Seniors) PlaySpace Women's Bible Studies

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.

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VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Summer is a great time for you to get connected with the Church Family and find a place to serve!

Here are a few volunteer areas in need:

Kids Summer Weekend Volunteers:

Kids Min is in need of summer volunteers for August. Applications are available at the Kids Info Desk. Please contact *kids@willingdon.org*.

Junior High Volunteers:

Junior High Ministries are looking for volunteers who love God and want to serve gr 6-9 students, helping coach them in life and faith. If you are interested please contact Pastor Mark mjanzen@willingdon.org.

Service Tech: Please contact Silas at slui@ willingdon.org

Ushers: Please contact Philip at *pbryantusher@gmail.com*

Parking: Please contact Tony at tcastro@ willingdon.org

Café: Please contact Candy at cgan@ willingdon.org

Pick up a Serve Catalogue at the Resource Centre or visit online at *willingdon*. *org/serve-your-church* for a full list of volunteer areas.

GLOBAL PRAYER

Please pray for the Cuba Youth Short Term Mission team, serving this week. As they lead a student leadership training retreat, please pray for wisdom, energy, favor, and that the Lord will us this team to advance His purposes in Cuba.

FAMILY MATTERS

Our condolences to the family of Constantin Mitsouras and Soula on the passing of their son who died in a motorcycle accident. Please keep them in your prayers during this time of grief.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Family Ministries Pastor

Willingdon Church is looking for a Family Ministries Pastor who is passionate about ministering to and caring for families.

Their primary responsibility is to:

- Develop and coordinate an effective family ministry program;
- Facilitate integrating all ministry areas to be able to effectively minister to the families of Willingdon Church;
- Equip parents with opportunities and resources to fulfill God's plan for the family (Deuteronomy 6:1-9)
- Create an environment where families become thirsty for God (Matthew 6:6).
- Oversee and lead student ministries pastors and staff

The successful candidate will have:

- Minimum Bachelor's degree in theology, preferably a Master's degree
- Minimum 5 years of pastoral ministry experience
- Ability to recruit, mentor, equip and shepherd leaders
- Ability to teach and lead classes
- Experience in family, student and/or children's ministries
- Experience leading a team of pastors and staff

Please submit your resume and cover letter to HR@willingdon.org.
See the full job postings online at willingdon.org/employment-opportunities.

Groups Pastor

Womens Pastor

Sunday Café Coordinator (part-time)

August 10 & 11, 2019

The ninth commandment says that we should not bear false witness against our neighbor. Often this commandment is summarized as a command not to lie. That is helpful, but the commandment is about more than that. Like all the commandments in Scripture, this one reflects the character of God and is for our good. Today we'll spend some time exploring what the ninth commandment says and how it applies to us today.

The ninth commandment...

- 1. Promotes justice for all people
- 2. Recognizes the harmful power words can have
- 3. Calls for truth in all circumstances
- 4. Invites speech that brings help and healing

WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS

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

^{*}Ron Leonard and Ken Redekopp are on elder's sabbatical for one year