

Willingdon Church is pleased to welcome

CHRISTOPHER YUAN

with Dr. Leon & Angela Yuan



FEBRUARY 22, 23, 24

WEEKEND SERVICES

Willingdon Church is pleased to welcome Dr. Christopher Yuan as he speaks on 'A Christian Response to Homosexuality' during our weekend services on Saturday Feb 23 & Sunday Feb 24, and 'Homosexuality: What Does the Bible Say' on Sunday evening.

SESSIONS

Willingdon is also hosting sessions on Friday Feb 22 and Saturday Feb 23 with Dr. Christopher Yuan and his family. Sessions are free, but registration is required. You can register by picking up a registration form in the Main Lobby, or online at willingdon.org/christopheryuan-sessions.

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

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

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: Encounter - Sun 10am, YC2

Baptism Class - 11:45am

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!

SERVE Your Church

There are many opportunities at Willingdon for you to find a meaningful place to serve. Pick up a Serve Catalogue or visit the Serve table in the Main Lobby for more information and to sign up. Here are a few areas with urgent volunteer needs:

- Parking Attendants
- Welcome Center Hosts
- First Aid Attendants for Sundays
- Info Desk Volunteers for Saturday evenings
- ILM SafeKids Team Sundays from 1pm to 3pm
- Café Wednesday evenings
- Food services – special events

Kids Choir Spring 2019

Registration for the Kids Choir Spring 2019 is now available. Practices will begin Feb 17. Registration forms are available downstairs at the Kids Info Desk.

Philippines Mission Banquet

Philippines Mission Fundraising Banquet.

Fri, Feb 8, 6pm, Chapel. Get a glimpse of the exciting things God has invited our March short-term mission team and SeedCare Ministries to participate in. Tickets: \$12, available this weekend in the Lobby or at the Resource Centre.

A Man and his Marriage

Sundays, Feb 3–Mar 10, 8:30am, Room 3060. Open to all married & single men who desire to prepare themselves for a Christ-centered marriage. Visit online willingdon.org/event/mens-ministry-class-a-man-and-his-marriage for more info.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage
Fri, Feb 1, 7pm, Yth Ctr: FUSE

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): willingdon.org/riptide
Thurs, Jan 31, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Gab Groups

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter
Tues, Jan 29, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Small Groups: Hot Topics

The Exchange (Age 18-30): willingdon.org/theexchangevcw
Wed, Jan 30, 7pm: Life Groups Offsite

Christ Centered Singles: Feb 2 & 9, 7pm, Café.

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

Marriage Prep Course: For seriously dating or engaged couples. Email Pastor Isaac ilee@willingdon.org before Feb 28 for info and registration package.

Creation Science Class: Sat, Feb 23, 2pm, Fireside. Contact Barb at matthew633@shaw.ca for more info.

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

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

Alongside: Sun, Feb 17, 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. 1pm-3pm, Room 3080: Meet, Greet, and Pray with Jim and Rita Cunningham from Go Teach Global before their ministry trip to the Dominican Republic Feb 5-27.

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 this week:
Russian - Sun, 1:30pm, Chapel
Spanish - Sun, 1pm, Rm 3060
Cantonese - Mon, 10:30am, Fireside & Wed, 7pm, Rm 3030 & Fri, 7:30pm, HQ

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.

BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS

1. 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?
2. Take time to read Revelation 2:1-7. What stands out to you from the text and/or sermon that Pastor Ray preached? Was there something you had not noticed before?
3. The Ephesian church had forsaken the love they had at first. Can you relate to this? How would you describe your relationship with Jesus in this season of life?
4. Jesus calls the church to repent and do "the things they did at first". What are some of the things you do regularly when your relationship with Jesus is vibrant? What would it look like to incorporate some of those things back into your life this week?
5. Jesus promises that the one who overcomes will be invited to eat from the tree of life in the paradise of God. Read Revelation 22:1-5 to read more about this. What Jesus offers is clearly better than anything the world has to offer. So why do you think we so often choose the world's reward?
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

Pray for Jim & Rita Cunningham. They have several ministry trips planned in the coming months. Listen to Ep 23 of the Willingdon On Mission Podcast (www.willingdon.org/wom-podcast) for more info.

YEARLY GIVING

A reminder that if you moved in the last year, please advise us of your new address immediately.

You can contact the Church Office at 604-435-5544, or by email at database@willingdon.org.

VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Here are a few areas with urgent volunteer needs and the person to contact if you wish to sign up:

- Parking Attendants (tcastro@willingdon.org)
- Welcome Center Hosts (stam@willingdon.org)
- First Aid Attendants for Sundays (stam@willingdon.org)
- Info Desk Volunteers for Saturday evenings (nrschmidt@shaw.ca)
- ILM SafeKids Team Sundays from 1-3pm (jb主@willingdon.org)
- Café Wednesday evenings (rshi@willingdon.org)
- Food services - special events (rklassen@willingdon.org)

WEDNESDAY CAFÉ

Please note that the Wednesday Cafe will be closed on Wed, Jan 30, due to renovations in the Kitchen area.

RIGHTNOW MEDIA

Please note that Willingdon Church no longer has a subscription with RightNow Media. If you are interested in a subscription, please contact Right-Now Media directly.

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 may be shared on social media channels.

January 26 & 27, 2019

When was the last time you waited for an important communication from a special friend, your family, the immigration office, or the head office of your workplace? The texts, emails, or notifications from people important to us or from those in authority over us affect our relationships, work, status, and future.

1. Remember who speaks to you
2. Remember that Jesus knows you (your hard work and commitment to truth)
3. Remember the love you had at first
4. Remember the promise of abundant life, now and forever

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.