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FREE EVENING LECTURE
THURS JULY 4 . 7PM . CHAPEL

This lecture is free, RSVP is not required. Everyone is welcome!

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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)

Gr. 6-10 Saturday Zone - Sat 5pm, YC1

Sunday: Student Min wrap up party. 10am-1pm, Wesburn Park. Be sure to check the Willingdon App for weather updates.

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!

Annual Ministries Meeting

Monday, June 24, 7pm, Chapel

Join us for the Annual Ministries Meeting to celebrate what God has done this past year! The Annual Ministries Report is available at the Resource Centre and viewable online at willingdon.org/annualreport.

Kids Weekend Schedule

Heads up parents! There are no Kids Min programs on the weekend of June 29 & 30. *The Nursery is still available.*

Kids Daycamp Volunteers

Kids Min are in need of leaders in Gr. 8+ to help lead and engage with kids as we learn from His Word! (Must be age 16+ to help at the Little Harvest County). Mon-Fri, 9am-3pm, running all four weeks of July. Join us for one week, or the whole month!

- Week 1: need 2 more volunteers
- Week 2: need 4 more volunteers
- Week 4: need 10 more volunteers
- Preschool week 1: need 1 more volunteer (16+)
- Preschool week 2: need 2 more volunteers (16+)

Please visit the Kids Info Desk for more info and to sign up.

Discovery Classes

willingdon.org/discovery

Discovery classes are available throughout the Summer. Here are 3 upcoming classes that you can consider registering for:

Discovering Jesus: Starting Sat, June 22, 5pm

Discovering the Church Family: Starting Sun, July 14, 10am

Discovering your place of Ministry: Starting Sun, July 21, 10am

You can register for a class by visiting the Discovery desk by the Chapel during the weekend services.

Ongoing Ministries

High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7): willingdon.org/high-voltage
Fri, June 28, 7pm, Yth Ctr: Slug Fest

Riptide (Gr. 8-10): willingdon.org/riptide
Thurs, Jun 27: No Youth, Leaders Night

Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12): willingdon.org/encounter
Tues, June 25: No Youth, Cuba Mission Meeting

The Exchange (Age 18-30): willingdon.org/theexchangevc
Next event: Wed, June 26, 5:30pm: Beach Worship Night. Bring \$2 for snacks

Christ Centered Singles: Sat, July 20, Salt Spring Island bus trip. Meet at church parking lot at 6:45am. Return at 7pm. Cost \$62/person includes ferry fare NO FOOD. Please RSVP to Selina 778-554-5947.

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

Global Hotspots Prayer: Sun, 10am, Rm 3090. Hear a report from the STM team that returned from Argentina last week.

International Language Ministries:
willingdon.org/international-language
9 International Language fellowships meet throughout the week. A sample of groups meeting:
Cantonese - Fri, 7:30pm, HQ
Filipino - Sun, 1pm, Rm 3040
French - Tues, 7:30pm, Café
Korean - Sun, 1:30pm, HQ
Mandarin - Sun, 1pm, Fireside
Portuguese - Fri, 7:30pm, Fireside
Romanian - Sun, 11:30am, Rm 3080
Russian - Sun, 1:30pm, Chapel
Spanish - Sun, 1pm, Rm 3060

Ministries On Break:

- Alongside
- Creation Science Class
- Life Groups
- Mission Circle
- New Horizons (Seniors)
- 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.

LIFE GROUPS

Life Groups is now on break for the Summer. Stay tuned for Fall 2019. willingdon.org/life-groups.

REMINDERS

The Parking lot is reserved for 1st time visitors, Seniors and those with mobility needs. Please exit the parking lot North bound through the Gilpin street exit. Please display your parking/drop off pass on your car dash.

ANNUAL MINISTRIES MEETING

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All are welcome to attend the Annual Ministries Meeting.

A church members affirmation vote will take place during the meeting to vote for the elders whom the Elders have carefully prayed over, reviewed and have discerned meet the qualifications outlined in 1 Timothy 3 and Titus 1 to serve as elders of Willingdon Church. Please note: Only registered Willingdon church members in good standing are eligible to vote. Please arrive before 7:00pm to register for the affirmation vote (registration will open at 6:30pm).

"Members in good standing of Willingdon Church" have either by baptism or confession of faith, declared their faith in Jesus Christ and affirmed and uphold the membership covenant. As per the membership covenant, they support the ministry of Willingdon church, have within the past year been active in a ministry, give a regular tithe, and attend services regularly.

Please note: all current Deacons have had their service term extended by 1 year. There are currently no new Deacons to be affirmed this year.

A list of the elders to be affirmed is available at the Info Desk and Resource Center.

GLOBAL PRAYER

Please pray for Barry & Marlene Hamm, serving as missionaries in Ecuador. Pray that the Lord will use them to provide helpful training, discipleship and encouragement to pastors of small churches.

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.

• **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.

• **Pastor of Life Groups**

• **Pastor of Womens Ministry**

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

June 22 & 23, 2019

The title of today's message is appropriate for this weekend. It is World Refugee Sunday. The anxious plight of the refugee (driven from their homes, struggling to raise children, women exploited by men, people seeking to survive) highlights the human condition. Is there relief for the pain?

1. Men and women can face the anxiety generated by the presence of evil by entrusting themselves to Almighty God
2. Women can face the anxiety of childbearing and difficult relationships with men by trusting God who gives life and cares deeply for them
3. Men can face the anxiety of their struggle for survival and the inevitability of death by learning to trust God as provider and victor over death
4. Men and women can face the anxiety of separation from God by trusting in the One who has opened the way – Jesus!

PLEASE NOTE

Willingdon Church will occasionally have protesters near the church. We are aware of the protestor at the corner of Willingdon and Moscrop. We do not agree with many of his statements but we do respect his right to express himself. Should you have any concerns please contact office@willingdon.org

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.