

# WEB WISE

Friday, November 3, 7pm

Student Min is hosting Web Wise an internet safety seminar for parents. Join us and get educated on what's out there and how you can help keep your kids safe! Seminar taught by Darren Laur, retired staff sergeant with the RCMP and social media investigator.

Cost: \$2 at the door (No pre-registration required)

## ATTENTION Young Adults (Ages 18-30)

Please stop by the Willingdon Young Adult Booth in the Main Lobby next weekend, Oct. 21 & 22 in between services. We will have a gift basket draw for any Young Adults that fill out a short survey. See you there!

## New to Willingdon

[willingdon.org](http://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

### 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

### 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 & 7: Zone - Sun 10am & 11:30am, YC1

Gr. 8-10: Zone - Sun 10am & 11:30am, YC1

Gr. 11 & 12: Sunday @ the 10, YC2

# THIS WEEK AT WILLINGDON

## Under the Big Top

Friday, October 27, 6pm-8:30pm

Join us for a fun fair featuring a family scavenger hunt, carnival games, family costume contest, and more! Cafe & concession will be open throughout the evening! Tickets and Meal Vouchers (with friends & family invites) are available downstairs at the Kids Info Desk.

## Kids Choir

Register for the Kids Choir Today! Registration form and parent info card is available downstairs at the Kids Info Desk. The first practice is Oct 15.

## Confident Kids

Confident Kids is a support group ministry reaching to the needs of both parent and child walking through difficult family dynamics, such as the loss of a parent/spouse, separation, or divorce. For more info and to register, contact [rponte@willingdon.org](mailto:rponte@willingdon.org).

## Men's Class

### A Man and His Story

7 Sundays, October 22–Dec 3, 10am, Room 3040

Come explore your own story through a biblical perspective in order to come alive in the present and enjoy God's best for your future. Registration is not required for these classes.

## Women's Christmas Tea

**Freedom of Forgiveness:** November 23 or 24, 7pm, Connection. Tickets \$10 (\$5 for unchurched guest) available in the Lobby starting October 28. This is an evening includes an inspirational testimony, dessert, special music, and a creative feature! Guest speaker Jan Hobbis will be sharing her transformational life story of true freedom from the forgiveness of Jesus Christ.

## Ongoing Ministries

**High Voltage (Gr. 6 & 7):** [willingdon.org/high-voltage](http://willingdon.org/high-voltage)  
Fri. Oct 20, 9am-3pm, Youth Ctr: Pro D Day Event Games, lunch, gym time & God Talk! Cost \$5

**Riptide (Gr. 8-10):** [willingdon.org/riptide](http://willingdon.org/riptide)  
Thurs. Oct 19, 6-10pm: Corn Maze. Cost \$10

**Encounter (Gr. 11 & 12):** [willingdon.org/encounter](http://willingdon.org/encounter)  
Tues. Oct 17, 7pm, Youth Ctr: Small Groups

**Generate (Age 18-25)** [willingdon.org/generate](http://willingdon.org/generate)  
Wed. Oct 18, 7pm, Chapel: Generate Gathering

**Christ Centered Singles (40s+):**  
[willingdon.org/christ-centered-singles](http://willingdon.org/christ-centered-singles)  
Christmas Banquet: Sat, Dec 9, 6:30pm, Chapel.  
Tickets discounted until Oct 21 (\$20). Email [christcenteredsingles@gmail.com](mailto:christcenteredsingles@gmail.com) for tickets

**Creation Science Class:** Sat, Nov 25, 2pm, Fireside

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

**Woman's Walk:** [willingdon.org/women-bible-studies](http://willingdon.org/women-bible-studies)  
Wed: 7pm, Rm 3040 & Thurs: 9:30am, Cafe.  
Childcare available for Thurs, email Debbie at [blairstp@telus.net](mailto:blairstp@telus.net)

**Prayer Meetings:** Wed, 6:30am, Fireside  
Sun, 8am, Connection

**Divorce Care:** [willingdon.org/divorce-care](http://willingdon.org/divorce-care)  
Tues, 7pm, Rm 3070. Contact Chris Erickson at [cs Erickson@telus.net](mailto:cs Erickson@telus.net) or 604-525-1831. All are welcome!

**GriefShare:** Tues, 7:00pm, Rm 3090 & Sun, 8:30am, Rm 3030. Cost \$20 for workbook.

**Alongside Ministry:** This weekend: Sun, Oct 15, 1pm, Rm 3040. [alongsidecare@gmail.com](mailto:alongsidecare@gmail.com)

**Mission Circle:** Tues, 9:30am, Rm 1500.

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

**International Language Ministries:**  
[willingdon.org/international-language](http://willingdon.org/international-language)  
9 International Language Groups meet throughout the week. A sample of groups meeting this week:  
Korean - 1:30pm, Sun, HQ  
Mandarin - 1:00pm, Sun, Fireside  
Portuguese - 7:30pm, Fri, Fireside

**ESL Classes:** Contact pastor Walter to sign up at [wpatterson@willingdon.org](mailto:wpatterson@willingdon.org)

**Discovery Class:** Saturdays, 5pm & Sundays, 10am & 11:30am, Chapel. Pick up a registration brochure at the Info Desk or email [discovery@willingdon.org](mailto:discovery@willingdon.org)

## PRAYER

**Prayer Requests:** Fill out a Welcome & Prayer Card or email [prayer@willingdon.org](mailto: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](mailto:prayers4women@willingdon.org) or call the church office.

## BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS

1. In Matthew 22:34-40, Jesus tells us the two most important commandments are to love God and to love people.
  - a. Read 1 John 4:19-20; How are these commands related?
  - b. What personal reflection does looking at these instructions spark?
2. Read Leviticus 19:33-34. Does anything surprise or challenge you in these verses?
3. Have you had any experiences in life serving people who are vulnerable?
  - a. If so, tell your group a story of how God used you to serve/bless them.
  - b. In which way were you yourself blessed by the experience?
4. Have you been served by someone while you were vulnerable?
  - a. What was that experience like?
  - b. Do you find it difficult to ask others for help when you need it? Why do you think that is?
5. Is there a justice issue that moves you deeply? If so, what is one action you can take this week to respond to that passion that God has placed in your heart?

## REMINDERS:

To assist our record keeping for tax returns, please print clearly and include your Envelope #, Name, and Phone.

## GLOBAL MINISTRIES

Please take some time this week to listen to our newly launched Willingdon on Mission podcast ([willingdon.org/wom-podcast](http://willingdon.org/wom-podcast)). The first episode highlights Journey Home Community. Please pray for Journey Home as they serve refugee claimants here in Greater Vancouver.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDS

### **Scouts Leaders**

The Scouts program is looking leaders for the following areas: Troop (ages 11-16), Cubs (ages 8-11), and Beavers (ages 5-7). Please contact Ryan [rponte@willingdon.org](mailto:rponte@willingdon.org) for more info.

### **Gems Girls Club Leaders**

Willingdon Church is looking for ladies (16+) who are interested in mentoring a Gems small group of girls Wednesday night from 7pm-8:30pm. Lesson plans, resources, and training is provided. Please contact [rmorales@willingdon.org](mailto:rmorales@willingdon.org)

### **High Voltage Youth Leaders**

In a world of conflicting opinions and facts, students need to know that Jesus is the Truth. Come and help point them to Him! All walks of life welcome. All you need is a heart for Jesus and a love for students. Please contact Pastor Brody [bloewen@willingdon.org](mailto:bloewen@willingdon.org)

### **Greeters**

Willingdon Church is looking for volunteers to welcome and greet visitors as they enter the church. Greeters have the opportunity to guide a visitor or newcomer towards the Welcome Center and Info Desk. Please contact Howie and Trish Lee [wvcwcgreet@gmail.com](mailto:wvcwcgreet@gmail.com)

### **Ushers**

Ushers help run our services and welcome everyone who attends our church. Ushers are needed during Saturday and Sunday Services. Please contact Philip Bryant [pbryantusher@gmail.com](mailto:pbryantusher@gmail.com)

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A quick glance at a global newsfeed will reveal that we live in a world where there is a lot of pain and injustice. The global refugee crisis, human trafficking and slavery, homelessness... the list goes on. Does the Bible have anything to say about these things? As followers of Jesus, how should we respond? Let's talk about these questions.

1. The most important commandments, according to Jesus, are:
  - Love **God** with all we have and all we are
  - Love **people** with all we have and all we are
2. God has a special heart for those who are **vulnerable**
3. One group of vulnerable people is **refugees**. Leviticus 19:33-34 says we are to treat **refugees** in these ways:
  - a. Don't **harm** or **mistreat** them
  - b. Treat them like they **belong** among us
  - c. Love them as we **love ourselves**
4. Is there a justice issue in which the Lord is prompting you to engage? Write down one action you will take this week to engage with this issue

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**WILLINGDON CHURCH ELDERS**

Phil Balzer	Ruben Heyn	Paul Lee	Ken Redekopp	Vince Reimer
Jim Eisenhauer	Mark Janzen	Ron Leonard	Mark Reimer	Ed Thiessen
Ray Harms-Wiebe	Danny Lee	Mark Loewen	Rick Reimer	Wayne Wiebe

*Please continue to pray for the elders.*

If you wish to contact an elder please email  
[elders@willingdon.org](mailto:elders@willingdon.org)