# wrbc news



Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen 204-997-6659

#### Adult Bible Study

Follow Me A Call to Die. A Call to Live (6 video sessions with David Platt) First and third Thursdays of the month September 23—December 2, 10:00-11:30am.

WRBC Day of Prayer - Seeking the Face of God; Saturday, September 25, 9:00am - 3:00pm. Come for the whole day, or join as much as you can! Children's Ministry Area. Register online.

#### Precept Bible Study—Revelation Part 2 (Chapters 4 - 22)

Unveiling the Book of Revelation

Precept Upon Precept (traditional Precept Bible Study) or Precept In and Out (same Bible Study, less homework).

Choose PUP or In and Out - the same Bible study, different levels of study/homework

Wednesdays, 7:00-9:00pm September 8 - November 24 (12 weeks)

Cost: \$42

Contact: Barb Brewer - precept@whyteridgebaptist.ca

#### Meet Jesus International Bible Study

Learn more English as we discover what the Bible tells us about Jesus (feel free to join mid-study).

Sundays, beginning September 12, 8:30 — 9:30am

Zoom: http://bit.ly/meetjesusbiblestudy Contact: Brenda Noble (204-869-4233) or

ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca

#### Show God's love to newcomers!

**English Conversation Circles** 

7:00-8:30pm starting Wednesday, September 29

Volunteers needed!

Please email Brenda at: ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca

#### **Sermon Series Discussion Group**

Tuesdays, September 21—December 7, 7:00-9:00pm at the church. Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen (doug@whyteridgebaptist.ca).

#### **Helping People Heal Series:**

1. The Conquer Series — A 10 week video course to give an introduction to hope and freedom from sexual bondage through proven strategies and practical tools. For men ages 16+.

Contact: Steve Morris 204-941-3258 or conquer@whyteridgebaptist.ca

2. Seven Pillars of Freedom — An in-depth discipleship program for men who struggle with sex and pornography addiction. Understanding the addictive process, this group experience will equip for lifelong healing. The current session is full but if you are interested

or need help contact Steve Morris 204-941-3258.

3. Betrayal and Beyond—A group for women who have been impacted by sexual betrayal and broken trust in their marriage or traumatic life experiences. Contact: Barb Morris 204-799-9884.

#### Come to the Quiet

A prayer gathering guided by scripture that takes place on Wednesdays, 10:30-noon.

Join Zoom Meeting: https://bit.ly/cometothequiet Meeting ID: 391 092 210\* NEW - Password: 2405 Contact: Erika Cooper - thequiet@whyteridgebaptist.ca

## upcoming events & current news

#### Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm

The provincial government has announced the easing of restrictions on public health orders and so we have increased our registration to 280 for Sunday morning services. Masks are once again required according to provincial regulations. Please keep masks on while you are in the building on Sunday mornings.

Please remember the covenant we made at the beginning of the pandemic to look after the interests of others ahead of our own (Philippians 2:4). Let's continue to be respectful and patient as some may need more time and require more physical space to be comfortable with the return to in-person ministry.

Sunday morning worship services online at www.whyteridgebaptist.ca/LIVE

#### Plan to Protect Refresher

Saturday, September 18, 10am; Wednesday, September 29, 7pm Anyone who currently volunteers with our children and youth must attend an annual Plan to Protect Refresher class. Keep your volunteer file current by attending one of these class dates! If you are interested in volunteering in our children's or youth ministries, please contact Sheilla Taylor (children) or Rudy Wall (youth) for more information. We'd love to hear from you!

#### Church Memorial Service - October 3, 6:00pm.

During the Covid season there were people in our church family who lost loved ones. This service will be a time for us to remember them. Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen.

#### **WRBC Volunteer Survey Fall 2021**

Let us know how you'd like to get involved!

#### https://bit.ly/WRBCVolunteerSurveyFall2021

Hard copies available on table at auditorium entrance.

Ushers Needed—Please contact Emmie Dryjski (edryjski@mymts.net/204-487-4788)) or the church office if you would like to help in this way.

Chair Teams— People are needed for setting up and taking down chairs on Sunday morning. Contact Pastor Rudy Wall if you would like to serve in this way.

Marsha Oeste is looking for a respite worker for Jenna. Please contact Marsha at (204) 269-4520 or marshao76@gmail.com

Food Bank Donations—Food bank donations may be left in the box provided inside the front door of the church. Any non-perishables are appreciated, especially pancake mix and syrup, canned fruit/ vegetables, canned meat/fish especially salmon. Please do not bring perishable items. Thank you!

International Justice Mission's Canadian Newsletter - View the latest edition online (link found at whyteridgebaptist.ca/UPDATE).

#### **Camp Nutimik Foundation fundraisers:**

Three6Tea - tea fundraiser until Sept 19, 2021. Online orders can be placed at www.teafundraising.com using the access code LNBC. On the "Cart" page, fill out: ORGANIZATION NAME: LNBC.

Comedy Night - featuring Bill Boronkay, food and fun, Friday, Oct. 1, 2021 at The Metropolitan Centre. Tickets are \$50 and can be purchased at www.eventbrite.ca.

# children's ministries

Nursery, SONSeekers, Gr. 5 & 6

Contact: Sheilla Taylor (sheilla@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

We encourage our kids from grade 1 and up to bring their Bibles to SONSeekers and The Wave. We do have Bibles for children (NIrVtranslation - New International Readers Version) for sale at \$20. Please see Sheilla Sunday morning if you are interested in purchasing one.

As we are in joyful anticipation of re-opening our Children's Ministry this Fall, each child needs to be registered for our programming! Registration is required to be completed each year for insurance purposes. Child Registration Form:

https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/childregistration2021-22

# POLO (Parents of Little Ones) beginning September 14 Tuesdays, 10:00-noon

A time for connection, coffee, and play for parents with their children. Meeting in the CM area and/or outdoor enclosure. For more info contact Sheilla Taylor: Sheilla@whyteridgebaptist.ca.

Kids at the Ridge is ONLINE! You can watch our current (and past) video lessons and activities by going to our webpage <a href="www.whyteridgebaptist.ca/children">www.whyteridgebaptist.ca/children</a>. Scroll down to the bottom of our kids page to see our all of our weekly lesson video posts!

## growing in grace

Seniors ministry (65+)

Contact: Bonnie (204-489-1482)

Growing in Grace - Future activities temporarily cancelled.

## young adults

Contact: Pastor Rudy Wall (rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

interacT meets on Monday nights, 7:00 pm at 2405 McGillivray. If you are not receiving updates contact Pastor Rudy Wall.

Instagram: @wrbcyoungadults

General Fund - August 2021

Income - August

Net Income - August

Facebook: INTERACt: WRBC young adults

Contact Pastor Rudy for more infor at rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca

\$61,220

\$(27,697)

Budget vs actual Income YTD Actual Income YTD Budget Offerings Over (Under)	\$637,514 \$789,734 (\$152,220)
Actual YTD Income - August YTD Expenses YTD	\$637,514 \$664,519

Net Income (loss) YTD \$(27,005)

Expenses - August Actual \$88,917

August	\$8374		
YTD Actual	\$99,794		
YTD Budget	\$100,000		
Over (Under)	(\$206)		
Fixed Rate Variable Mortgage \$2,846,07			
Variable Rate Mortgage \$15,058			

Missions Trips	<u>s Fund</u>
August	\$310
YTD Actual	\$3340
YTD Budget	\$1133
Over (Under)	\$2007

**Building Fund** 

August Online & In-Person Attendance Avg 656

YTD Attendance Avg 566

wrbc calendar		
this week		
Tuesday	10:00am	POLO
Wednesday	10:30am	Come to the Quiet
Wednesday	7:00pm	Precept Bible Study
Saturday	10:00am	Plan to Protect Refresher
looking ahead		
September 21	7:00pm	Sermon Series Discussion
September 23	10:00am	Adult Bible Study
September 25	9:00am	WRBC Day of Prayer
September 29	7:00pm	Plan to Protect Refresher
October 3	6:00pm	Church Memorial Service
October 22-24		Missions Weekend

# connecting points

Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen (204-997-6659)

We hope to publish our Connecting Points brochure in January which will list the various ways you can connect with our church family. For now please check this newsletter for ways to connect.

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Youth Ministry gr 6-8 & gr 9-12

Contact: Pastor Rudy Wall (rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

Fridays, 7:00-9:00pm

While we had some Youth Things happening throughout the Summer... We Are Back Full Time!

Here are a few things to keep in mind:

- 1. While we will be in person, we still want to keep everyone safe, this means, masks inside.
- 2. For the New Year, we need a new Waiver for you to be able to attend: (<a href="https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/beb01342676679">https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/beb01342676679</a>)
- 3. We come to Youth to get to know Jesus and each other better, to do that we want to be respectful, and care about each other's wellbeing. If you do not receive the weekly emails, or if you have any other questions, please email Pastor Rudy at rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca.

Instagram: @4hgyouth.

**E-transfers**—To electronically transfer funds to WRBC please use the email:

give@whyteridgebaptist.ca. Include in the message portion of your etransfer the dollar amount that you would like to go to which of the following funds: General Fund, Capital Asset Fund, Mission Trips Fund or Benevolent Fund. In the event that no fund is chosen the full amount will go into the General Fund. No password required.