## April 10, 2022

# wrbc news



Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen 204-997-6659

Don't miss *The Lent Experience* from Ash Wednesday (March 2) until Easter (April 17). Register online to sign up and receive a participant journal (English or Spanish), \$5 each.

**Lenten Devotionals**—Our NAB Conference has prepared some daily devoltionals for Lent. If you are interested in receiving these via email, see go to: <a href="Mailto:Communications">Communications</a> – North American Baptists, Inc. (nabconference.org)

## English Conversation Circles January 26—April 7

Practice English with friendly volunteers, in person on Wednesday evenings or via Zoom on Thursday evenings, 7 to 8:30 pm. To join, register on Whyte Ridge website or email <a href="mailto:ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca">ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca</a>.

New to Winnipeg? Not sure how to start gardening? Register to join ECC Special Topic April 27 in person. This is for everyone, no matter what their English level is.

## Book Club—Confronting Injustice without Compromising Truth

April 14, May 12 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Office Common Area. Contact: Pastor Doug

### Precept Bible Study - Revelation Part 4

What Is the Sign of His Coming and the End of the Age? (Ch. 5 - 22). Precept Upon Precept (traditional Precept Bible Study) or Precept In and Out (same Bible Study, less homework); same Bible study, different levels of study/homework.

Wednesdays, 7:00-9:00pm March 9-June 8 (14 weeks)

Cost: \$40 Register online.

Contact: Barb Brewer (precept@whyteridgebaptist.ca).

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

1. The Conquer Series—The Conquer Series is a powerful teaching series for men. This 11 week series from April 20 to June 29 (Wednesdays) from 7 to 9 will guide you on the path to freedom from pornography and lust. This is not just another study tool for men, but a tried and proven battle plan for purity in a lustful and Godless world. For men ages 16+.

Contact: conquer@whyteridgebaptist.ca

#### **Significant Others**

Join us for a discussion group on understanding and reaching out to those of other beliefs and religions using videos from RightNow Media's series, *Significant Others* by Monte Cox.

April 28: Our Chinese Neighbours

May 12: Our Jewish Neighbours

May 26: Our Native American (First Nations) Neighbours

June 9: Our Muslim Neighbours

June 23: Our Sikh Neighbours

Meeting will be in the Office Common, 7:00-8:30pm.

Contact: Tim Noble (tim.noble@omfmail.com)

## The Manitoba Baptist Association Elkhorn Women's Retreat

April 22-24th. Registration is available online. Go to the Manitoba Baptist Association web site - check for registration for the Women's Retreat in the Women's Ministries section.

# upcoming events & current news

Sunday morning worship services online at www.whyteridgebaptist.ca/LIVE Good Friday Service—April 15, 10:30am

Muslim World Prayer Guide (30 Days April 2—May 1) Learn about and pray for our world's Muslim Neighbours: Adult and Kid's Guides Available (\$5 - PDF or Booklet) Available online or at the Resource Centre.

Come to the Quiet Wednesdays, 10:30—noon.

A prayer gathering guided by scripture, in-person and online.

Join Zoom Meeting: https://bit.ly/cometothequiet

Meeting ID: 391 092 210\* Password: 2405

Contact: Erika Cooper – thequiet@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, 8:30am (Fireside room)

Zoom: <a href="http://bit.ly/meetjesusbiblestudy">http://bit.ly/meetjesusbiblestudy</a>

Contact: Brenda Noble (204-869-4233) or ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca

**Camp Nutimik Update:** Camp Nutimik will be running 9 weeks of camp. Registration is open. Note that Camp Nutimik is hiring! View opportunities at <a href="https://www.campnutimik.com">www.campnutimik.com</a>.

**Pickleball**—Weekly drop-in, co-ed pickleball for anyone age 18+ Mondays, 9:00am-11:00am; Tuesdays 6:00-8:00pm / 8:10-10:10pm and Thursdays, 9:00-11:00am. No experience or equipment necessary to participate (must wear running shoes in the auditorium). \$4.00 drop-in charge. Please use the north entrance. REGISTRATION REQUIRED. *The wearing of masks when not playing is recommended. For more information contact Gary Schellenberg or Paul Hildebrand at: pickleball@whyteridgebaptist.ca.* 

**Solid Grounds Café** open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9:15—11:30am.

Harvest Manitoba—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!

**Baptism and Membership**—If anyone is feeling led to become baptized or pursue membership at WRBC, or if you have any questions about these things, please feel free to contact Pastor Kevin Klassen.

WRBC's Ukrainian Task Force is collecting gently used household items for displaced Ukrainian families coming to Winnipeg. Items may be dropped off April 8—28/22 at Emmie and Bogdan Dryjski's, 135 Apple Hill Rd. (edryjski@mts.net). *Please, no furniture or mattresses*. Collected items will be transported to a Ukrainian Canadian Congress Warehouse, 211 Hutchings St. on April 30.

## 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 have Bibles for children for sale at \$20. Please see Sheilla if you are interested in purchasing one.

#### \*Programming Update

- Little Lambs Nursery (age 0-2) Closed (volunteers needed!)
- SONSeekers Preschool Age 3 OPEN
- SONSeekers Preschool Age 4 OPEN
- SONSeekers Elementary (K-4) OPEN
- The Wave (Grade 5 & 6) OPEN

Reminder that your child's class group is determined by which age they will be by December 31st of this year. They will remain in that class until the following September – Just like school!

Our Nursery space is currently available for parents to use with their children on Sunday mornings during the service as needed. Once we can fully staff this area, we plan on re-opening!

**POLO (Parents of Little Ones)** Tuesdays, 10:00-noon An open time of connection and play for parents/caregivers with their little ones. Meet in the Nursery. Bring a coffee. Bring a friend! For more info contact Sheilla Taylor: <a href="mailto:Sheilla@whyteridgebaptist.ca">Sheilla@whyteridgebaptist.ca</a>

#### Child Registration is OPEN for all children in ALL age

**groups!** Please register your child as soon as possible. Registration is required to be completed <u>each year for each child</u> attending our programming.

Here is the link: <a href="https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/childregistration2021-22">https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/childregistration2021-22</a>

## 4HG

Youth Ministry gr 6-8 & gr 9-12

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

## Fridays, 7:00-9:00pm

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. If you have not filled out the registration/waiver for this year, please do so at: (https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/beb01342676679)
- 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 well-being. 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.

# 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

Facebook: INTERACt: WRBC young adults

## wrbc calendar

this week		
Monday	9:00am	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:15am	Solid Grounds Café
Tuesday	10:00am	POLO
Tuesday	6:00pm	Pickleball
Wednesday	9:15am	Solid Grounds Café
Wednesday	10:30am	Come to the Quiet
Wednesday	7:00pm	Precept Bible Study
Wednesday	7:00pm	Becoming a Romans 12
		Christian
Thursday	9am & 7pm	Pickleball
Thursday	9:15am	Solid Grounds Café
Friday	10:30am	Good Friday Service
looking ahead		
April 14	7:00pm	Book Club
April 22-24		MBA Women's Retreat
April 27	7:00pm	ECC Special Topic (Gardening)
April 28	7:00pm	Significant Others
May 29	12:00pm	Membership Meeting

# 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.

## **Finance**

## General Fund - February 2022

Actual - Month
Income - February \$68,903
Expenses - Feb. Actual \$109,997
Net Income - February \$(41,094)

**Actual YTD** 

 Income - Feb. YTD
 \$140,298

 Expenses - Feb. YTD
 \$199,916

 Net Income (loss) YTD
 \$(59,617)

**Budget vs Actual** 

Income YTD Actual \$68,903 Income YTD Budget \$203,142 Offerings Over (Under) \$(62,843)

**E-transfers**—To electronically transfer funds to WRBC please use the email: <a href="mailto:give@whyteridgebaptist.ca">give@whyteridgebaptist.ca</a>. 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.