



Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen 204-997-6659

Precept Bible Study

Galatians: Who Has Bewitched You?

What does it mean to live under grace? Do you have to keep the law to be a Christian? Galatians clearly defines the relationship between Law and grace, and how Christians live under grace, led by the Spirit, free from bondage. Register online.

Wednesdays, January 11—February 22, 7:00-9:00pm

Contact: precept@whyteridgebaptist.ca

Growing in Grace Lunch - January 12, 2023, 12:00pm

Soup and grilled cheese sandwiches and Bible trivia. Cost \$10.

Please register and prepay by January 8.

Contact: Bonnie Tholl (bontholl@gmail.com / 204-797-3140).

LifePath Journey Winter 2023 (Wednesdays, January 18 - March 22)

The Kingdom of God Advances (Matt 8-10)

Ways to be involved!

ESV Illuminated Scripture Journal: Matthew - Creatively engage with God's Word as we go on our LifePath Journey together this Fall! Order one [HERE](#). Cost: \$10

Come To the Table - A Weekly Gathering of our Church Family, Wednesdays, January 18 – March 29, 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm (seating till 7:00pm). Cost: \$7/person; \$25/family (max 5)/\$5. **Registration deadline is Sunday, January 15.**

Join a Discussion Group (DG) - Tuesday or Thursday, 7:00pm. Initial meetings will be Tuesday, January 17 and Thursday, January 19 at the church. Our DGs meet during our LifePath Journey and are made up of 3-6 people (max 8) who come to each meeting prepared to:

- *Share an insight gained from reading Matthew
- *Participate in the sermon discussion question
- *Debrief on their experience of our weekly LPJ Challenge
- *Develop friendships

DGs are led by a HOST who *leads by example and helps the conversation stay focused on our experiences with Christ.*

Wednesday Night Discussion Groups - Begin immediately after the meal (7 pm – 8:30 pm). *Two ways of participating: Solid Grounds (Front Foyer) for drop-in attendance or Fireside Room (room off auditorium) for regular attendance (same DG each week).* At either location, *you are welcome at any table that has a free chair.*

Participate with your LifePath Journey - Find all our LifePath Journey Resources on RightNow Media.

English Conversation Circles from January 25 to April 5, with one week off for March Break March 29; 7 to 8:30 pm in the Children's Ministry Area. Come practice English, learn about life in Winnipeg, and make friends! Contact: ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca.

2023 Wpg Evangelical Free Church Men's Retreat

January 20-22, 2023

Guest Speaker: Rob Haslam.

Topic: *What does it mean to be a Godly Man?*

Location: Red Rock Bible Camp, Cost: \$160.

Sign up by Sun, Jan 8th. Contact: WEFC.

Registration forms at the Welcome Centre.

upcoming events & current news

We are planning a **Newcomer's Lunch** for people/families who are new to Whyte Ridge Baptist Church. This lunch will be held on February 12, 12:30pm. We invite you to attend. This will be an opportunity for you to meet the staff and members of the board and deacons. Please complete the online registration form with your food preferences. Register by February 8.

Meet Jesus International Bible Study

Come study the book of Matthew and learn more English.

Sundays, 9:00am in the Fireside room.

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

Pickleball

Weekly drop-in, co-ed pickleball for anyone age 18+.

Monday 9:00 & 11:10am; Tuesday 6:00 & 8:10pm; Thursday 9:00 & 11:10am; Thursday 7:00pm

No experience or equipment necessary to participate (must wear running shoes in the auditorium).

\$4.00 drop-in charge. Please use the north entrance.

For more information and to receive registration information contact Gary Schellenberg (pickleball@whyteridgebaptist.ca).

Solid Grounds Cafe

Everyone is welcome to use the Solid Grounds Café to meet with friends during office hours.

Come to the Quiet Prayer Time

A prayer gathering guided by scripture, Wednesdays, 10:30—noon.

Contact: Erika Cooper (thequiet@whyteridgebaptist.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 have Bibles for children for sale at \$20. Please see Sheilla if you are interested in purchasing one.

NEW - CHILD REGISTRATION FORMS for September 2022 to August 2023! Please register your children for our 2022 to 2023 school year. ***This registration form is required to be filled out every year for every child attending our programming from Nursery up to Grade 6.***
Register Here: <https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/childregistration2022-23>

Little Lambs Nursery

Our nursery is open on Sunday morning. This is for babies who can sit independently up to age 2. Toddlers who are turning 3 by this December will move up to the three year old class in September.

POLO (Parents of Little Ones) Tuesdays, 9:30am-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: Sheilla@whyteridgebaptist.ca

4HG

Youth Ministry gr 6-8 & gr 9-12
Contact: Pastor Rudy Wall (rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

4HG meets 7:00 Friday nights.

Please fill out the online registration form for the upcoming year at the following link: <https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/beb0134267667995>.

If you do not receive the weekly emails, or if you have any other questions, please email Pastor Rudy at rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca.

January 6 - Youth Skate Night

January 20/21 - Junior Youth Retreat Day

We will take a break over Christmas so there will be no Youth after the 16th of December to the 6 of January.

wrbc calendar

this week

Monday	9:00am	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:30am	POLO
Tuesday	6:00pm	Pickleball
Wednesday	10:30am	Come to the Quiet
Wednesday	7:00pm	Precept Bible Study
Thursday	9am & 7pm	Pickleball
Thursday	12:00pm	Growing in Grace Lunch

looking ahead

January 18	5:30pm	Come to the Table
January 22		Come to the Core
January 25	7:00pm	English Conversation Circles
February 5	12:00pm	Membership Meeting
February 12	12:30pm	Newcomers Lunch

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

Finance

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.

General Fund - November 2022

Actual - November

Income	\$73,686
Expenses	\$77,313
Net Income	\$(3,627)

Actual YTD - November

Income - YTD	\$854,936
Expenses—YTD	\$981,910
Net Income (loss) YTD	\$(126,974)

Budget vs Actual - November

Income YTD Actual	\$854,936
Income YTD Budget	\$1,120,717
Offerings Over (Under)	\$(265,781)

Average Attendance: 318 (In Person)