wrbc news



Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen 204-997-6659

You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Psalm 16:11

Precept Bible Study - Philippians

Wednesday nights, September 13-November 8, 7:00-9:00 pm. In & Out (less homework) or Precept Upon Precept (more homework). Cost: \$30 (books available at church office).

Register Online. Contact: precept@whyteridgebaptist.ca

LifePath Journey Fall 2023 (9 weeks)

Discussion Group Host & LifeGroup Leader Training

Thursday, September 14, 7:00 - 8:30pm, Fireside Room. Register online. Contact: Pastor Doug

Registration deadline: September 10.

Growing in Grace BBQ (55+) - September 14, 12:00pm.
Registration and payment deadline Sunday, September 10
Guest speaker: Richard Salas. Cost: \$10 each
Call Bonnie for more info 204-797-3140.
Register and pay online or at the table in the foyer.

Come to the Quiet Prayer Time will resume on September 13 A prayer gathering guided by scripture, Wednesdays, 10:30—noon. Contact: Erika Cooper (thequiet@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

Come to the Table

Wednesdays, September 27—November 22 5:30-7:00pm (meal served until 6:30pm)
Cost: \$7/person; \$25/family of 4 (\$5/additional)

Wednesday Night Discussion Groups—The Kingdom Coming

Following the *Come to the Table* meal, beginning September 27, 7:00-8:30pm (Discussion Groups are for drop-ins or regular attenders).

Tuesday or Thursday Discussion Groups beginning Tuesday, September 26, 7:00pm or Thursday, September 28, 7:00pm at WRBC.

Men's Breakfast

Saturday, September 30, 9:00-11:00am

Guest Speaker: Matt Nobess. Cost: \$10. Register online by Sept. 25.

English Conversation Circles Practice English and make new friends! Wednesdays, October 4—December 6, 7:00-8:30pm For more information email: ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca Register online.

Meet Jesus Bible Study

Beginning September 10, 9:00am in the Fireside Room. Practice English and learn about Jesus from the Bible as we meet each Sunday. Contact Brenda ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca

The **Conquer Series** is a powerful teaching series for men. Saturdays, October 7 to December 9, 8:00-10:00am, 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.

To register contact conquer@whyteridgebaptist.ca.

upcoming events & current news

Food Bank Volunteers—Our food bank runs every other Thursday. Currently, we need drivers to pick up the food at Manitoba Harvest. Help out on a bi-weekly basis or once a month!

Email <u>foodbank@whyteridgebaptist.ca</u> to let us know of your interest. (When we move to 100 families, Manitoba Harvest will deliver the food to us; we will need volunteers to help unload the truck upon arrival and people to serve 5:00–7:00pm.)

Kitchen Staff Training (Required for all new kitchen workers)
Sat, Sept 16 (9:30-11:30 am) OR Thurs, Sept 21 (7:00-9:00pm) **Register online.**

A Time in Thailand - Tim and Brenda Noble will be sharing about how they saw God at work during their summer trip to Thailand. Wednesday, September 20, 7:00-8:30pm in the Fireside Room.

Missionary Newsletters - Check the carousel next to the Resource Centre for the most recent newsletters from Lyndell Campbell and Nick and Iris Hung.

Pickleball will resume on Monday, September 18.

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).

\$5.00 drop-in charge. Please use the north entrance.

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

IJM Winnipeg Work Bee Party - Come and join us to do some behind the scenes work for International Justice Mission, Canada to help support our work of protection and Justice around the world. There will be a range of opportunities to do from helping write Christmas cards for donors, to learning how to send good social Media Posts, and writing encouragement notes and prayers to add to a Care Package we will take to our Guatemala Field Office in February 2024. This is not only an opportunity to volunteer for IJM but also a great way for us to build community with Justice-minded Winnipeggers. For more info contact David on dopollendine@ijm.ca

Freedom Fair 2023—September 24, 7:00pm

Praying for Ministries fighting human trafficking.

Join us for an evening of prayer and worship in support of ministries responding to human trafficking in Winnipeg, Canada and around the world. This is a great opportunity to learn about what ministries are doing to alleviate human trafficking but also there may also be opportunities beyond the evening that you can get involved in. It will also be an evening of meeting and praying with other Justice minded Christians.

For more info contact David on dpollendine@ijm.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.

Kids at the Ridge Programming Announcement!

Registration is now OPEN for our Kids programming starting this September 2023-August 2024. This is for all children in Nursery up to Grade 6!

Please help us plan for our fall classes by completing this form as soon as possible!

This form is required by our insurance to be completed each year for each child attending our kids programming throughout the year.

Little Lambs Nursery – ages 6 months up to age 2

SONSeekers Preschool - Age 3 and 4

SONSeekers Elementary - Kindergarten to Grade 4

The Wave - Grade 5 and 6

Register Here: https://whyteridgebaptist.breezechms.com/form/

childregistration2023-24

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.

4HG

Youth Ministry gr 6-8 & gr 9-12

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

4HG meets 6:45 Friday nights.

No event at the church this week (Sept. 22) as we'll be at Camp Nutimik for a retreat Sept. 22-24 with other MBA youth. 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.

wrbc calendar this week

| Monday | 9 & 11am | Pickleball |
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| Tuesday | 6 & 8:10pm | Pickleball |
| Tuesday | 9:30am | POLO |

Wednesday 10:30 am Come to the Quiet Prayer Time
Wednesday 7:00pm Precept Bible Study
Wednesday 7:00pm A Time in Thailand

Thursday 9 & 11:10am Pickleball

Thursday 7:00pm Kitchen Staff Training

looking ahead

September 26 7:00pm LifePath Journey Discussion Gr.
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September 30 9:00am Men's Breakfast

October 4 7:00pm English Conversation Circles

October 21 9:00-3:00 Work Day

October 26 WRBC Family Night

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

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

Finance

To electronically transfer funds to WRBC please use the email: give@whyteridgebaptist.ca. No password required. Include in the message portion of your e-transfer the following information:

- Full name and address of the person to be receipted.
- Your preferred Fund: General Fund, Capital Asset Fund, Missions Trips Fund or Benevolent Fund.

If desiring more than one Fund please include dollar amount for each. In the event that no Fund is chosen the full amount will go into the General Fund.

Questions, email give@whyteridgebaptist.ca

General Fund

Actual – August

Income \$ 71,871 Expenses \$ 89,719 Net Income (loss) \$ (17,848)

Actual YTD - Jan - August

Income - YTD \$687,010 Expenses - YTD \$755,019 Net Income (loss) -YTD \$(68,009)

Budget vs Actual – Jan - August

Income YTD Actual \$687,010
Income YTD Budget \$844,836
Offerings Over (Under) \$(157,826)
Average Attendance: 352 (In Person)