

TODAY AT WBC

Sunday, December 17, 2017

9:20 am **PRAYER & REFLECTION**

9:30 am **COMMUNION & WORSHIP**

A time of open worship including prayer, sharing, music and breaking of bread (communion).

10:15 am **Coffee & Fellowship in the Gym**

10:45 am **FAMILY BIBLE SERVICE**

Children's Ministry:

Infants up to Grade 10 (Gr 7- 10 will go to class after the opening)

Adult Ministry:

Speaker: Ron Seabrooke

Message: *The Christmas Child—
Our Jesus*

Scripture: Matthew 1:18-25

OUR SPEAKER Ron Seabrooke

Ron is on staff at Wallenstein Bible Chapel, serving in outreach, teaching and pastoral leadership. Ron and his wife Win reside in Linwood.

Hearing assistance receivers and headsets are available in the Adult Library.

The guest wifi password is "wbcguest".

Recordings of our Sunday services are available on our website at the "Sermons" link.

OUR MISSION:
To Exalt Christ
Equip Disciples
Engage our Community
with Passion and Joy

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PRAISE, PRAYER & FAMILY MATTERS

Congratulations to **DWAYNE & BEV WIDEMAN** on the birth of their son **Benjamin Lee** on Wednesday, December 13!

Thank you for continuing to pray for **ETHAN SHANTZ**. He had the CT scan done on Tuesday. Continue to pray for Gavin & Shannon as they await a new surgery date.

ESTHER FREY is now staying in the basement apartment of Ron & Marg Martin (Woodside) at 16 Sandpiper Court, Elmira. Their phone number is 519-669-8731.

FROM THE ELDERS

We are praying that all of us would see Christ in new and powerful ways this Christmas!

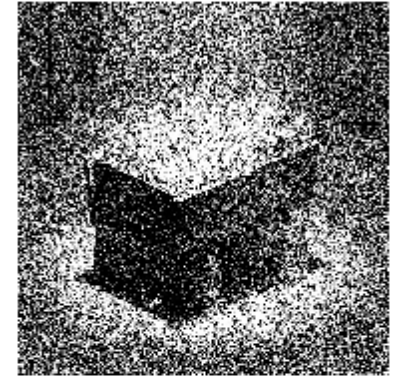
*For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given,
and the government will be on his shoulders.
And he will be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
Isaiah 9:6 (NIV)*

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Office: Mon-Thurs: 9 am—4 pm, Fri: 9 am—12 pm

THE CHRISTMAS CHILD



Our Jesus

December 17, 2017

At WBC our **MISSION** is to **Exalt** Christ, **Equip** disciples and **Engage** our community with passion and joy!

We invite everyone to consider how to be involved in helping us accomplish this mission by volunteering and giving financially.

HOW CAN I VOLUNTEER?

Please visit the Info Centre or email rhoda@wbconline.ca for current opportunities.

HOW CAN I GIVE?

There are several options:

Cheque/Cash

- Make cheques payable to "Wallenstein Bible Chapel"
- Put cheque or cash in a WBC offering envelope. Envelopes are available from the Info Centre, bulletin board in foyer (near skylight), or bulletin holders in the sanctuary.
- Deposit your envelope in the offering box in the foyer (under bulletin board near the skylight) or in the offering bag passed during the 9:30 service.

Pre-Authorized Bank Withdrawal

Forms available at the Info Centre.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, December 24

SUNDAY MORNING COMBINED SERVICE: Join us for this special service from 10:00—11:30 am. WBC Kids sign-in starts at 9:45 am.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE: Doors open and punch served at 6:00 pm. Open mic and Candlelight Carol Sing 6:30-7:30 pm.

Tuesday, January 9

FAMILY NIGHT AT WBC: Kidzone, Jr Youth, Outreach Study Groups and the Parents' Connections Groups all begin at 6:30 pm.

Friday, January 26 & Saturday, January 27

COUPLES' RETREAT AT WBC: New information! Registration: Friday 6:30 pm. Session #1 at 7:30 pm. Saturday starts at 8:30 am and finishes at 5:30 pm with a Romantic Supper. The cost per couple is \$95. (Please bring exact change or make cheque payable to WBC.) That includes all snacks, meals and materials. Please sign up by January 19 at the Info Centre or by texting the word "marriage" to 226-210-4321. This event is open to married couples of all ages! Enjoy great teaching, food, fun and fellowship!

QUENCH (Senior Youth)

Friday, December 22: **CHRISTMAS PARTY:** Meet at Rick & Doreen Shantz's (7341 3rd Line, RR 2 Wallenstein) at 7:00 pm. Pick up time is 10:30 pm. Bring a \$10 gift to exchange (same gender) and a snack.

CONSENT FORMS are available at the Info Centre or at wbconline.ca (click on the Resources tab).

FYI

ARE YOU THANKFUL? Everyone is welcome to write a note of thanks to God and leave it in the Praise Box located at the Info Centre. These will be shared during our worship time in the 10:45 service. (Feel free to make it anonymous.)

STEPHEN MINISTRY TRAINING: If you are interested in this training please sign up today at the Info Centre.

ECUADOR TEAM: Applications for this team are due December 21. If you have questions please contact Jenn Reid, Krystal Remers or visit the Info Centre.

CHURCH OFFICE CHRISTMAS BREAK: The elders have requested that the church office be closed from Friday, December 22 until Tuesday, January 2 so that our Pastors and Admin Staff can have a break.

DECEMBER 31 SPECIAL OFFERING: The offering received on December 31 will go towards the building fund. If your regular giving is through the Pre-authorized support plan please note that to participate you will need to give via the 9:30 service offering or deposit in the marked box on the foyer bulletin board.

WBC LIFE 101 CLASS: Anyone interested in learning more about WBC and/or becoming a member is encouraged to attend this class. It will take place on Sunday, January 21 and Sunday, January 28 from 9:30 am—12:00 pm in the WBC Board Room. To sign up please visit the Info Centre or text "life101" to 226-210-4321.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY SPECIAL EVENTS IN 2018: Attention ladies: Beginning in January, we will be holding a variety of workshops/connection building times on the first Saturday of the month. Please see the display in the foyer for more details or check out our WBC Women's Ministry Facebook page. All are welcome. Sign up by **Sunday, December 31**. (Minimal cost for some workshops.)

FOOD BANK: The theme for December is **TOP TEN NEEDS**—Flour, vegetable oil, adult or children's pain relief medication, cake mixes, cleaning supplies, shampoo, canned fruit, laundry detergent, liquid dish soap.