



Sunday morning for kids

Westhill Kids

BABIES & TODDLERS (up to 2 years) in the Nursery

Childcare is available in a safe, secure environment. *Pages are available.*

PRESCHOOL (2 years – Kindergarten) in the Preschool Wing

Children learn about God and His love for them through Bible stories, songs, games & crafts in a loving, safe & nurturing environment.

ELEMENTARY (GRADES 1-5) in the Fellowship Room

Teaching kids Biblical truths, using the **ORANGE** philosophy of ministry – church & family working together, helping them to grow in their faith.

for your information

There are a variety of options to keep in touch with **what's happening @ Westhill**. To get your news via e-mail, please sign up for our newsletter (on our website), to join our FB page, go to 'Westhill Park Baptist Community' or visit our on-line calendar.

For those who are unable to drive to church on a Sunday morning and want to attend our service, **we provide a bus service at no charge**. Please contact 'Where 2 Transportation' @ 306-522-4477.

Please drop off your (clean) recyclable cans & bottles in our blue recycle bins. Proceeds are sent to Bolivia to fund simple house repairs to make houses safe to live in.

Please regularly check the church mailboxes located in the west hallway, for any mail addressed to you.

Out of consideration for those in our congregation that have serious allergies to any kind of scented products, please **refrain from using scented sprays, colognes, perfumes, deodorants, etc.**

Options available for automated giving: 1. **PAYPAL** - PayPal allows you to contribute to Westhill using a variety of methods, including your debit and credit cards. Go to westhillchurch.ca and click 'Give' or 2. **Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD)** - Paperwork is available @ the Information Desk. **For changes to your PAD**, please e-mail carla@westhillchurch.ca.

NEW - AUDIO ON DEMAND

Weekly message podcasts are now available on Google Play Music, Apple iTunes or by installing the **sermon.net app** on your smartphone and searching for Westhill Park. More information can be found at westhillchurch.ca "Audio on Demand".

When We Need God's Love

When do we need God's love most? Of course we need that love every second of our lives. But sometimes God's love is especially precious to us; times when we have lost a loved one, life becomes so confusing that we do not know where to turn, or life just becomes meaningless and depression sets in. At times like these, it is very important to have someone who cares.

Our congregation has trained eleven lay people, Stephen Ministers who offer a ministry of Christian caring. They come from all walks of life. What do they have in common? A passion for bringing Christ's love to people during a time of need. **To connect with a Stephen Minister**, please contact one of the coordinators, Wendy Treble (cell: 306-581-5363) or Bob Erwin (cell: 306-533-8514). To send your request via e-mail, go to westhillchurch.ca.

We are pleased to announce that **training for new Stephen Ministers begins January 2019** – "The Best 50 Hours of Training You'll Ever Experience!"



STEPHEN
MINISTRY



As a church body, we are encouraged to pray for others. **To join our Prayerline**, go to westhillchurch.ca. **To request your prayer on the Prayerline** go to westhillchurch.ca, 'Pursuing God', 'Prayer' or call the church 306-775-1616. If you also want your **request in the bulletin**, please call the church office or send an e-mail to prayerline@westhillchurch.ca.

please pray for

Every week we publish the names of those to include in our prayers. The names are spoken out loud during the Sunday and weekday services. However, due to matters of privacy, we do not publish the names on the website, nor do we include them in the online bulletin.

WISDOM
FOR LIFE
PROVERBS

NOVEMBER 18, 2018

WELCOME TO WESTHILL

We are happy you are here to worship with us today.

Pastor Tim Coleman is speaking this morning, concluding our fall sermon series WISDOM FOR LIFE. Today's message is titled "*The Fear of the Lord is the Beginning of Wisdom*". Additional sources for his message include Ask It - Andy Stanley, What Does It Mean To Fear God: an article by Johannah Reardon and The Forgotten Way of Jesus - Francis Leeman.

We appreciate and are grateful to all those who volunteered today - as ushers, greeters, technical support, nursery caregivers, those who make the coffee and our Sunday School teachers.

'Thank you' to Kathy Flory us in our singing today.

We ask that **everyone attending** this morning add your name & some information in our **blue registration books**. Be sure to include the names of all children with you, anywhere in the building.

For the month of November the youth (Grade 6-12) are meeting during the second ½ of the service in Room 8 with Pastor Jordan.

Please note that TODAY'S CLASS HAS BEEN CANCELLED but **the youth will meet November 25 and December 2.**

Child care is provided in our nursery in the PreSchool Wing.

Pagers are available for parents/caregivers.

Prayer Ministry - If you have a health concern /personal issue, **we invite you to the Prayer Room after the service** where the Deacons will pray for you and anoint you with oil.

HEARING ASSISTANCE IS AVAILABLE @ THE INFORMATION DESK.

congratulations

To Nick & Cecelia Rendle on the birth of their first child, a son Charles James. He arrived a little early on November 13, weighing 6 lbs. 13 oz. May God richly bless them as they begin this exciting journey called 'parenthood'.

coffee & learn



Adults of all ages are invited, Sunday morning from 9-10 AM in the Fellowship Room.

Dave Ramsey's THE TOTAL MONEY MAKEOVER with Pastor Tim concludes next Sunday.

this week @ Westhill

Monday - The CHRISTMAS CAROL CHOIR has started its 2018 season. **Interested in participating?** This week we will be at Queen Victoria Estates. Schedules & information are available at the Information Desk. If possible, please wear black. Seasonal scarfs will be available.



Tuesday Ladies
COFFEE CONNECTION

@ 9:30 am

You are invited to 'connect' with other women and enjoy a coffee & snack in the Fellowship Room. David Reed will be speaking about life as an EMT. Susan Millen will be sharing her journey of faith. Cost is \$5. **Tickets will be on sale for our December CC** (December 18), with a silent auction and catered breakfast (\$12).

Wednesday from 9:30-11:30 am - '*Piecing Together*', a weekly gathering of quilters of all skill levels in the Fellowship Room. Any questions, please contact Leone at 306-525-0275.



Wednesday from 6:30-8 pm. For kids Grades 1-6. Crafts, games, Bible stories, life skills. Cost is \$50.

Thursday @ 9:30 am - '*Playdate for Moms & Preschoolers*'. Join us in the Fellowship Room for a visit & coffee (for moms!) and playing & snacks (for preschoolers).

Friday from 7 - 9 pm - Our youth (grades 6-12) will be meeting at the church.

Saturday @ 3:15 pm - Curling at the Highland Curling Club.

Saturday from 6-8 pm - BOWLING NIGHT @ Glencairn Bolodrome. Open to all adults 30+ and their children. **Please register at the information Desk** so we know how many bowling lanes to book.

Sunday's its POWER & PRAISE puppet practice, with Director Irene Ludvigsen. For kids in Grades 5-8. **Beginners** meet in Room 9 (next to the office) from 10-10:30 AM. **Senior puppeteers** meet Sunday evening from 7-8 PM.

small groups

Small groups are made up of 10-15 people who meet regularly to pray together, to study God's word, who care for one another and are missed when they don't show up. It's a great way to meet new people, connect with those you know & grow your faith. Interested in becoming part of a small group? Stop by at the Information Desk and pick up some information. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Tim tim@westhillchurch.ca or call the church 306-775-1616.

looking ahead

Sunday November 25 - We will be celebrating BAPTISM. **If you are considering taking this important step of faith**, please contact one of our pastors/deacons or call the church office 306-775-1616.

Sunday November 25 - We will be **collecting a special 95th Anniversary Offering**, in order to reduce the size of the loan needed for our upcoming renovation project. Opportunity to contribute to this special offering will continue until the start of the project itself, in early January 2019.

Sunday November 25 - It's SOUPER SUNDAY. Make plans to stay for lunch. We'll be serving homemade soup, buns and dessert. All funds raised will go to support our Young Adults trip to Medicine Hat AB.

Monday November 26 - You are invited to attend our **Annual Business Meeting (ABM)** at the church. The Nominating Committee will present their slate of leaders and Finance will be presenting the budget for 2019. Coffee & pie at 6:30 pm; meeting at 7 pm. If you are able to **contribute a pie** please sign up at the Information Desk or call the church office.

Saturday December 1 - Older Adults bus trip to Briercrest is **SOLD OUT**. If you have not yet paid for your tickets please do that today.

Sunday December 2 @ 5:30 pm. - Our annual ADULT CHRISTMAS BANQUET. **Tickets (\$25) are on sale today in the church office**, before and after the service. Mark your calendars and make plans to attend.

BOLIVIA MISSIONS TEAM FUND RAISING CONCERT

Featuring Rory Allen

SUNDAY JANUARY 27, 2019 @ 7 pm

Ticket price is \$25 (advance) and \$30 (at the door).

Tickets will be available Sunday mornings beginning December 2nd in the office before and after the service OR from any team member (Marg Ruecker, Janet Reimer, Vic Reimer, Amanda Douglas, Candy & Ryan Josephson, Bob & Joanne Erwin).

NO RESERVED SEATING



Operation Christmas Child
A PROJECT OF SAMARITAN'S PURSE

Our 2018 OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD Shoe Box campaign has come to an end. Because of your generosity and compassion, we are sending 244 boxes filled with toys, school supplies, personal hygiene items and more.

And a large portion of love and care. Thanks so much for your participation in this worthwhile outreach program.

